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*Lord Chancellor's Office,
16th January, 1905.*

SUPREME COURT FUNDS RULES.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that draft amendments of the Supreme Court Funds Rules, 1894, have been prepared.

Copies may be obtained on application at the Supreme Court Pay Office, Royal Courts of Justice.

*Foreign Office,
December 8, 1904.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint William Beauchamp Heard, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Adis Abeba.

*Foreign Office,
December 22, 1904.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Raymond de Burgh Money Layard, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Territory of Hawaii, to reside at Honolulu;

Frank William Walter Playfair, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Consular District of Nagasaki, comprising the Prefectures of Saga, Nagasaki, Kunamoto, Miyasaki, Kagoshima, and Okinawa (Loo Choo Islands), to reside at Nagasaki;

Arthur Morison Chalmers, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Prefectures of Taihoku (Taipeh), Shinchiku, Taichiu, and the Sub-Prefecture of Giran, to reside at Tamsui;

Ernest Alfred Griffiths, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Consular District of Shimonoseki, comprising the Prefectures of Yamaguchi, Hiroshima, Fukuoka, and Oita, to reside at Shimonoseki;

John Baptist Rentiers to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul, to reside at Kobé; and

Ernest Miles Hobart-Hampden, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Yokohama.

*Foreign Office,
January 1, 1905.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir Francis Leveson Bertie, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., K.C.B., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the French Republic;

His Excellency the Right Honourable Sir Edwin Henry Egerton, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Italy; and

His Excellency Sir Arthur Nicolson, Bart., K.C.B., K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O., C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Spain.

*Foreign Office,
January 1, 1905.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Gerard Augustus Lowther, Esq., C.B., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of Morocco, and also His Majesty's Consul-General in Morocco.