that the Governor during his passage by water to or from any part of the Protectorate, or when, in the exercise or discharge of any powers or duties by this Order in Council or otherwise conferred or imposed upon him, he is in any territories adjacent to or near to the Protectorate, shall not be considered to be absent from the Protectorate.

XVIII. In the event of the Governor having occasion at any time to be temporarily absent for a short period from the seat of Government or in the exercise or discharge of any powers or duties by this Order in Council or otherwise conferred or imposed upon him by His Majesty to visit any territories adjacent to or near to the Protectorate, he may by an instrument under the Public Seal of the Protectorate appoint any person or persons to be his Deputy or Deputies within any part of the Protectorate, and in that capacity to exercise, during his pleasure, such of the powers hereby vested in the Governor, except the powers of suspension and pardon, as the Governor shall think fit to assign to him or them. The appointment of such Deputy or Deputies shall not affect the exercise by the Governor himself of any of his powers or authorities. Every such Deputy shall, in the discharge of his office, conform to and observe all such Instructions as the Governor shall address to him for his guidance.

XIX. And all Ilis Majesty's Officers, Civil and Military, and all other the inhabitants of the Protectorate are hereby required and commanded to be obedient, siding, and assisting unto the Governor, and to such person or persons as may from time to time, under the provisions of this Order, administer the Government of the

Protectorate.

XX. In this Order the term "the Governor," unless inconsistent with the context, shall include every person for the time being administering the Government of the Protectorate.

XXI. His Majesty, His heirs and successors, in Council may at any time revoke, alter, or

amend this Order.

XXII. The following Sections of the Order of His Majesty in Council, dated the eleventh August, one thousand nine hundred and two, and known as "The British Central Africa Order in Council, 1902." shall, upon the coming into operation of this Order be revoked, without prejudice to anything lawfully done thereunder, namely:—Sections 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 12 [except Sub-sections (8) and (10)], Sections 17 and 19.

XXIII. This Order shall be read and proclaimed within the Protectorate, and shall thereupon

commence and come into operation.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Elgin, K.G., one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions berein.

A. W. FitzRoy.

Factory Department, Home Office, August 28, 1907.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. T. E. Flitcroft to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the North Bolton District of the county of Lancaster.

> Scottish Office, Whitehall, August 29, 1907.

The Secretary for Scotland has been pleased . The Board of Trade have received, through by Warrant under his hand and seal, bearing the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a

date the 28th instant, to appoint Mr. Frederic George Watson to be Sheriff Clerk of the county of Dumfries, in the room of Mr. Charles McKie, deceased.

> Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens London, August 31, 1907.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have revoked the Beeston Urban District Council Electric Lighting Order, 1902. as confirmed by the Electric Lighting Orders Confirmation (No. 2) Act, 1902, as to the whole of the area of supply, as from the 26th day of August, 1907, and that the said revocation is to take effect from that date.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1907. H. Llewellyn Smith,

Secretary, Board of Trade.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

The Board of Trade have recently confirmed the undermentioned Order, made by the Light Railway Commissioners:—Callington Light Railway (Amendment and Transfer) Order, 1907, authorising the transfer to the Great Western Railway Company of the powers conferred on the Callington Light Railway Company by the Callington Light Railway Order, 1900, as amended by the Callington Light Railway (Extension of Time) Order, 1903, and reviving the powers granted and extending the period limited by the said Orders for the compulsory purchase of lands, and extending the period limited by the said Orders for the completion of the railway and works thereby authorised.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W., 2nd September, 1907.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

The Board of Trade have recently confirmed the undermentioned Order made by the Light Railway Commissioners:—Derwent Valley Light Railway (Transfer, &c.) Order, 1907, transferring to a Company the powers conferred upon the Rural District Councils of Escrick and of Riccall by the Derwent Valley Light Railway Order, 1902, and amending that Order.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W., 2nd September, 1907.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 2, 1907. H. 10773.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated August 19, from His Majesty's Representative at Sofia, intimating that in consequence of the occurrence of several cases of Cholera in Russia, the Bulgarian Ministry of the Interior have prescribed quarantine measures against arrivals from that country.

The Despatch also states that the town of Beyrout, Asia Minor, has been declared infected

with plague from August 17.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department). London, September 2, 1907. H. 10808.