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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1908.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, December 23, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Harold Robert Dacre Spitta, Esq., M.D., B.S., D.P.H. Cambridge, to be Bacteriologist to His Majesty's Household.

Whitehall, December 22, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto William Fraser Hume, Esq., D.Sc., Superintendent of Geological Survey in the service of the Egyptian Government, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh, conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Whitehall, December 22, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto James Louis Fairholme, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Order of the Red Eagle, conferred upon him by His Majesty the German Emperor, King of Prussia, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him,

Whitehall, December 22, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Walter Thurlow Lay, Esq., Commissioner in the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs Service, and Edward Vincent Brenan, Esq., a Deputy Commissioner in the same service, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear respectively the Insignia of the First Class of the Third Division of the Imperial Chinese Order of the Double Dragon, which decoration has been conferred upon them by His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of China, in recognition of valuable services rendered by them.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901,

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 86 (1) of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, that on the 18th December, 1908, he made Regulations under section 79 of the said Act in respect of the use of East Indian wool, to come into force on the 1st January. 1909, and to apply to all factories in which East Indian wool is used.

Copies of the Regulations may be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from Messrs. Wyman and Sons, Fetter-lane, Fleetstreet, E.C.; Messrs. Oliver and Boyd, Edinburgh; or Edward Ponsonby, 116, Grafton-street, Dublin.

Whitehall, 22nd December, 1908,