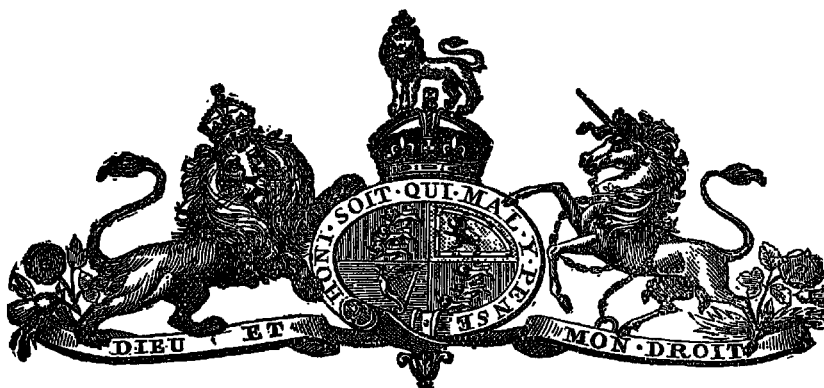




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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1909.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, S. W.
February 9, 1909.*

Notice is hereby given, that Their Majesties The King and Queen will hold a Diplomatic and Official Court at Buckingham Palace on Friday, the 26th instant, at 10 o'clock p.m.; also that Their Majesties will hold a Court at Buckingham Palace on Wednesday, the 3rd March next, at 10 o'clock p.m.

*Foreign Office,
December 11, 1908.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—
Daniel Robert O'Sullivan-Beare, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the States of São Paulo and Paraná, to reside at São Paulo; and
The Honourable Henry Charles Clement Dundas to be His Majesty's Consul for the States of Bahia and Sergipe, to reside at Bahia.

*Foreign Office,
December 17, 1908.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—
Lionel Charles Liddell, Esq., M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Kingdom of Denmark, to reside at Copenhagen.

*Foreign Office,
January 1, 1909.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—
Herbert George Chick, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Bushire; and
Walter Alexander Smart, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Tehran.

*Foreign Office,
February 6, 1909.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of—
Mr. Liang Lan Hsun as Consul-General of China at Melbourne, for the Commonwealth of Australia; and
Mr. Charles Passailaigue as Consul of the Dominican Republic at Kingston, Jamaica.

*Buckingham Palace,
February 5, 1909.*

This day had Audience of The King:—
Tong Shao Yi, to present his Credentials as Special Envoy on a Mission from His Majesty the Emperor of China. Lord Li Ching-fong, the Chinese Minister, was also present.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
February 4, 1909.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. O. Way to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Winchester District of the county of Hants.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
February 6, 1909.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. Shearer to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Newtown District of the county of Montgomery.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
February 6, 1909.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. F. A. Fairweather to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Pocklington District of the county of York.