Downing Street,
April 17, 1909.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of John Randall Phillips, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Barbados:

Crown Office, April 17, 1909.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Parliamentary Burgh of Edinburgh, East Division.

James Puckering Gibson, Esq., in the place of
Sir George McCrae, who has accepted the
office of Vice-President of the Local Government Board for Scotland.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Mr. Thomas Webb Fowler, M.D., of Wycombe House, Coventry, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 20, and to be attached more particularly to Coventry County Court, in place of Mr. F. F. White, who has resigned.

Whitehall, 14th April, 1909.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Mr. Ian Dalrymple Clark Howden, M.D., of 6, Cambridge-terrace, Dover, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 49, and to be attached more particularly to Dover, Folkestone, Hythe, Romney, Deal and Sandwich County Courts, in place of Dr. Parsons, who has resigned.

Whitehall, 16th April, 1909.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Mr. James Finlayson Fleming, M.B., of Dunsloy, Dunfermline, Fife, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for the Sheriffdom of Fife and Kinross, and to be attached more particularly to the Dunfermline and Kinross District, in place of Mr. P. S. Sturrock, who has resigned

Whitehall, 16th April, 1909.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of section 118 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, the Right Honourable Herbert John Gladstone, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Ernest Napier Cooper, Esq., Charles Albert Taylor, Esq., and Miss Alice Margaret Ahrons to be Inspectors of Factories and Workshops

Whitehall, 19th April, 1909.

Factory Department, Home Office, April 19, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. R. J. Leeper, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Market Bosworth, in the county of Leicester, will become vacant on May 17th next.

Factory Department, Home Office, April 19, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. P. J. Flanagan, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Carney, in the county of Sligo, is vacant

Factory Department, Home Office, April 19, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. S. Farmer, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Spennymoor, in the county of Durham, is yacant.

AKBAR NAUTICAL SCHOOL.

Certificate for New Premises at Heswall.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that, in pursuance of the provisions of the Children Act, 1908 (8 Edw. VII, c. 67), he has certified as a Reformatory School, to be known as the "Akbar Nautical School," certain new premises erected at Heswall, near Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, by the Liverpool Juvenile Reformatory Association, Limited.

The new School takes the place of the temporary camp buildings at Heswall, also known as the "Akbar Nautical School," where boys committed to the "Akbar" Reformatory School Ship, which was abandoned in November, 1907, and boys subsequently committed to the School, have been housed for the past two years.

The Certificate, which bears date the 19th April, 1909, authorizes the reception into the School of 210 boys.

Whitehall, 19th April, 1909.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 19, 1909.

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The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated April 10th, from His Majesty's Representative at Copenhagen, which reports that medical inspection on account of cholera has been discontinued on arrivals from Russian and Finnish Baltic ports and the Russian ports on the Black Sea and the Sea of Azov, with the exception of St. Petersburg and Cronstadt. It is still enforced on arrivals from the Red Sea and Egyptian ports and from Tonkin, Cochiu China, and the East Indies, including the Netherlands East Indies.