persons at their decease, viz., Mrs. E. Bottomley, Mrs. Alice Hart, Mrs. Asher, Mrs. Rebecca Harris, Mr. Henry Rossington and Miss Fanny Rossington, Mrs. Mary Annie Asher, Miss Catherine Leak and Miss Elizabeth Leak, Mrs. Ann Parnham, Mr. Edward Leak, and Mrs. Mary Day, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall in any case be at a depth less than three feet from the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave:

(c) In the said churchyard, in grave spaces in which no interment has heretofore taken place, the burial may be allowed of the bodies of Mrs. Gertrude Lucas-Calcraft and Mr. William Baker, at their decease, and of one member of the family of Mr. Cragg, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall in any case be at a depth less than three feet from the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

A. W. FitzRoy,

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 17th day of May, 1909.

## PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS the Local Government Board, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish of Saint Mary Tavy, in the county of Devon; ten days' previous notice of their intention to make such representation, have, under the provisions of the Burial Act, 1853, made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial ground should be opened in the civil parish of Mary Tavy without the previous approval of the Local Government Board, and that burials should be discontinued therein, as fo'lows, viz.:—

MARY TAVY, DEVONSHIRE.—Forthwith and entirely in the parish church of Saint Mary Tavy; and in that portion of the church-yard attached thereto which was in use prior to the year 1879, except as follows:—

(a) In any vaults or walled graves now existing in the said portion of the church-yard the burial may be allowed of the bodies: of Eliza Cole, Elizabeth Ann James, Mary Oxenham, William Dawe and James Maunder at their decease subject to the condition that every coffin buried in such vault or grave be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented:

(b) In the earthen grave now existing in the said portion of the churchyard in which the body of John Mitchell is interred, the burial may be allowed of the body of Jane Mitchell, at her decease subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

Now, therefore, His Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the twenty-eighth day of June next.

And His Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the

London Gazette, and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the parish affected by such representation one month before the said twenty-eighth day of June.

A. W. FitzRoy.

Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order, St. James's Palace, May 21, 1909.

In the list of appointments to the Royal Victorian Order published in the London Gazette of 4th May, 1909, the name of Duke Ferdinand Cito di Torrecuse should have appeared under the heading of "Honorary Commanders," and not under that of "Honorary Members of the Fourth Class."

Crown Office,

May 18, 1909.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to present The Reverend George Trentham Maw. M.A., to the Rectory of East Barnet, in the county of Hertford and diocese of St. Albans, void by the resignation of The Reverend Charles Edward Hadow, B.A., the last Incumbent, and in His Majesty's gift in full right.

Crown Office, May 18, 1909.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Parliamentary Burgh of Edinburgh, West Division.

James Avon Clyde, Esq., K.C., in the place of Sir Lewis McIver, Bart., who has accepted the office of Steward or Bailiff of the Manor of Northstead, in the county of York.

Downing Street,

May 19, 1909.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Hugh Fort, Esq., Barristerat-Law, to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

Foreign Office,

The February 1, 1909.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Peter James Colquhoun McGregor, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for Bulgaria, to reside at Sofia.