Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order. St. James's Palace, February 25, 1910.

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in and appointment to the Royal Victorian Order:—

To be Honorary Knight Grand Cross:

Johannes Irgens, C.V.O., Late Envoy Extra-ordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of His Majesty The King of Norway at the Court of St. James'.

To be Commander:

The Reverend Edmond Warre, C.B., M.V.O., D.D., Honorary Chaplain to His Majesty, and Provost of Eton College.

To be Member of the Fourth Class:

John Hedley, Esq., on retirement as Secretary of the Royal Choral Society.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, S. W., March 8, 1910.

The KING has been pleased to appoint The Reverend Canon Frederick Brooke Westcott, M.A., Canon of Norwich Cathedral, to be one of the Chaplains in Ordinary to His Majesty, in the room of The Reverend Bertram Pollock, C.V.O., D.D., preferred to the Bishopric of Norwich.

> Duchy of Lancaster Office, London, W.C. March 5, 1910.

The KING has been this day pleased to appoint Reginald Arthur Tatton, Esq., of Cuerdon Hall, Bamber Bridge, Preston, in the County of Lancaster, to be Sheriff of the County Palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

> Crown Office, March 7, 1910.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, bearing date the 28th February, to appoint :-

The Right Honourable Herbert Henry

Asquith, The Right Honourable David Lloyd George, John William Gulland,

Oswald Partington, William Wedgwood Benn, Ernest Joseph Soares, and

Percy Holden Illingworth, Esquires,

to be Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

Downing Street, March 5, 1910.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent dated the 2nd February, 1910, passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to reconstitute the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the City and Garrison of Gibraltar, and to make further provision for the Government thereof.

Whitehall, March 7, 1910.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Sign Manual, bearing date the 4th instant, to appoint Charles Peter Allen, Esq., M.P., to be one of the Charity Commissioners for England and Wales.

Factory Department, Home Office, March 2, 1910.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. R. Spence, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Burntisland, in the county of Fife, is vacant.

> Factory Department, Home Office, March 3, 1910.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. M. J. McCartan to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Rostrevor District of the county of Down.

> Factory Department, Home Office, March 3, 1910.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. J. Clark, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Lichfield, in the county of Stafford, is vacant.

> Factory Department, Home Office, March 4, 1910.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. A. J. Wright, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Markfield, in the county of Leicester, is vacant.

> Factory Department, Home Office, March 5, 1910.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. A. Auld, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Snaith, in the county of York, is vacant.

> Factory Department, Home Office, March 8, 1910.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. T. A. Skene to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Nigg District of the county of Kincardine.

> Factory Department, Home Office, March 8, 1910.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Whaley Bridge, in the county of Chester, is vacant.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Monday, the 14th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued to the amount of £5,000,000, in part replacement of Bills falling due on the 17th instant.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 17th March, 1910, and will be payable at six months after date, viz.:—on the 17th September,

3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied