

Secretary to Government, Malta), to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Sierra Leone.

Downing Street,
March 9, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Major John Eugene Clauson, C.M.G. (Chief Secretary to the Government of Cyprus) to be Lieutenant-Governor and Chief Secretary to Government of the Island of Malta and its Dependencies.

Downing Street,
March 10, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Captain Charles William James Orr (First Class Resident, Northern Nigeria) to be Chief Secretary to the Government of Cyprus.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, March 9, 1911.

H. 3263.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Circular, dated 7th February, issued by the Imperial and Marine Board at Trieste, respecting arrivals from Perim and Hodeida.

Cases of cholera having been ascertained at Perim and Hodeida, arrivals from these ports will be treated according to the prescriptions contained in Government Circular of August the 12th, 1904, No. 12468.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, March 9, 1911.

H. 3264.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated 8th March, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople:—Rat destruction and medical inspection imposed on arrivals from Odessa, where one case of plague reported. All measures against Tripoli, Africa, removed.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, March 9, 1911.

H. 3262.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Circular, dated 14th February, issued

by the Imperial and Royal Marine Board at Trieste, respecting arrivals from Salonica.

Cases of cholera having ceased at Salonica, the dispositions set forth in Government Circular of December the 15th, 1910, No. 32282, are hereby rescinded.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, March 9, 1911.

H. 3315.

The Board of Trade have received a copy of the following Quarantine Notice, dated 3rd March, issued by the Government of Malta:—

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

With reference to Government Notices No. 246 of 1909 and No. 307 of 1910, it is hereby notified that Alexandretta and the island of Madeira are no longer regarded as places infected with plague and cholera respectively, within the meaning of Article 1 of the Regulations made under the Fourth Sanitary Ordinance, 1908, and published on the 28th August, 1908, as amended by Government Notices Nos. 199, 214, 243, 290 and 324 of 1910.

By command,

E. P. S. ROUPELL,

Acting Lieutenant-Governor,
and Chief Secretary to Government.
Lieut.-Governor's Office,
The Palace, Valletta,
March 3, 1911.

TRADE BOARDS ACT, 1909.

In accordance with regulations made, under section 18 of the above Act, by the Board of Trade, and dated 27th April, 1910, the Trade Board established under the above Act for the trade of machine-made lace and net finishing (other than the finishing of the product of plain net machines), have given notice, as required by section 4 (2) of the above Act, that they propose to fix:

A minimum time rate for the trade of machine-made lace and net finishing (other than the finishing of the product of plain net machines) of 2½d. per hour up to and including 30th September, 1912, and 3d. per hour thereafter, free and clear of all deductions, special rates for learners, and also general minimum piece-rates for the above trade.

On application to the Trade Board information will (if in the opinion of the Trade Board the applicant is likely to be affected by such rates) be given as to the rates proposed to be fixed.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above rates which may be lodged with them within three months from the ninth day of March, 1911. It is desirable that objections should in the first instance be made in writing and signed by the person making the same, and sent to the Secretary of the above Trade Board, Office of Trade Boards, Trafalgar Buildings, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C.

Dated this seventh day of March, 1911.

Signed by order of the Trade Board,
W. B. YATES, Chairman.