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TUESDAY, 24 SEPTEMBER, 1912.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1896.

(59 & 60 Vict., cap. 25).

Notice is hereby given, under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury after the expiration of at least forty days from this date, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by section 96 (1) of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, and of every other power enabling them on that behalf, to issue a Regulation amending the Regulations, dated January 1st, 1897, made by the Treasury under the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, and the Collecting Societies and Industrial Assurance Companies Act, 1896, by providing for the payment of an increased fee for the award of a Registrar for the distribution of the funds of a society or branch.

Draft copies of the said Regulation can be obtained, in the interval, either directly or through any bookseller, from Wyman and Sons, Ltd., Fetter Lane, E.C. ; or Oliver and Boyd, Tweeddale Court, Edinburgh; or E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street, Dublin. Price One Penny.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,
24th September, 1912.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
September 18, 1912.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice,

that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. R. B. Carey, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Borris, in the county of Carlow, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
September 21, 1912.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. D. R. Edwards to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Corwen District of the County of Merioneth.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, September 23, 1912.*

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The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 18th September, from His Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Lisbon, stating that a notification was published in the Portuguese Government Gazette of that date, declaring the port of Casablanca to be infected with plague.