Whitehall, April 24, 1913.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Adam Bell Stewart, Esquire, Inspector, Ministry of Education, Cairo, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Dr. Robert Gordon Bell, St. Bede's House, Sunderland, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 2, and to be attached more particularly to the Sunderland and Seaham Harbour County Courts, in place of Mr. A. E. Morrison, resigned.

Whitehall, 22nd April, 1913.

Downing Street,

23rd April, 1913.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of John Dewar McKay, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Gold Coast Colony.

Scottish Office,
A pril 23, 1913.

The Secretary for Scotland has been pleased, by warrant under his hand and seal, dated 22nd instant, to appoint Donald Noble, Esq., Solicitor, to be Clerk to the Justices of the Peace of the County of Inverness, in the room of Andrew Macdonald, Esq., deceased.

Scottish Office, April 24, 1913.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 10th instant, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, nominating, constituting, and appointing the Right Honourable Lord Glenconner to be His Majesty's High Commissioner to the next meeting of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 24, 1913.

H. 5338.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 21st April, from His Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that three days' quarantine (voyage not included) has been imposed on arrivals from places along the coast between the Gulf of Orfano and Dedeagatch.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 24, 1913.

H. 5339.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Belgian Quarantine Notice, dated the 14th April, from His Majesty's Minister at Brussels, stating that sanitary restrictions have been imposed on goods coming from Djeddah, in Arabia, and from New Caledonia, on account of outbreaks of plague in those places.

Board of Trade (Hurbour Department), London, April 24, 1913.

H. 5490.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 23rd April, from His Majesty's Consul-General at Alexandria, stating that five days' quarantine has been imposed on arrivals from the Gulf of Orfano, including Dedeagatch.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 24, 1913.

H. 5491.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, from His Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that by a Royal Decree, dated the 11th April, the sanitary measures on arrivals from Constantinople and the Sea of Marmora have been reduced to a medical inspection.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, April 23, 1913.

For the purposes of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 to 1909, and all Provisional Orders and Licences made and issued thereunder, the Board of Trade approve of the construction and pattern of the meter (hereinafter described) for the measurement of electrical