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FRIDAY, 1 OCTOBER, 1915.

Westminster, September 29, 1915.

This day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Act agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither. the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Act, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to*

Consolidated Fund (No. 4) Act, 1915.

Foreign Office,

September 29, 1915.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Charles Clive Bayley, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the States of

New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, to reside at New York.

Foreign Office,

September 30, 1915.

The following additions or corrections to the lists published in the London Gazette of 24th September, 1915, of persons to whom articles to be exported to China and Siam may be consigned, are notified by order of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in accordance with the provisions of the Proclamation relating to the exportation of articles to China and Siam during the present war, issued on the 24th day of September, 1915:—

CHINA.

For "Chartered Bank Chemor" read "Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China."

Insert "Chemor United Rubber Company" and delete "United Rubber Company."

For "Fifth, W., & Sons" read "Firth, W., & Sons."

For "Hwherington, T., & Sons" read "Hetherington, T., & Sons."