

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III., intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out Writs for the Election of Members to serve in Parliament in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes"; and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess."

I DO hereby give notice, that the death of Augustine Roche, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the County of Louth, North Louth Division, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the Electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this third day of February, 1916.

JAMES W. LOWTHER, Speaker.

*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George.*

*Downing Street,
2nd February, 1916.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, for services rendered in connection with military operations in the Field:—

To be an Honorary Member of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

El Lewa Shehata Pasha Kamel, Chief A.D.C. to His Highness the Sultan of Egypt.

*Lord Chancellor's Office,
3rd February, 1916.*

The following Rules have been issued by the authority for making Rules of the Supreme Court:—

SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE.

RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT.

1. Rule 2 (a) of the Rules of the Supreme Court dated December 18, 1914, shall be amended by adding Bristol to the excepted towns therein mentioned and the whole of Rule 2 of the said Rules as so amended shall be incorporated in Order XXXVI. of the Rules of the Supreme Court 1883 as Rule I.B of that Order.

2. Order XXXVI., Rule 22B, is hereby annulled and the following Rule shall stand in lieu thereof:—

After notice of trial has been given of any cause, matter, or issue to be tried elsewhere than in London or Middlesex, Manchester, Liverpool, and such other places as the Lord Chancellor shall from time to time direct, either party may, at any time, in the case of Leeds, Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, and Swansea, not less than seven days, and in all other places (except as hereinbefore excepted) not less than twenty-one days before the day proposed for the Commission day at such place in the Order in Council on that subject in force for the time being enter the trial at the next Assizes in the District Registry (if any) of the city or town where the trial is to be had or with the Associate. No later entry shall be allowed, except by leave of a Judge going that Circuit, or by order of a Judge at Chambers, subject to the consent of a Judge going that Circuit.

3. These Rules may be cited as the Rules of the Supreme Court January, 1916.

4. These Rules are declared urgent within the meaning of the Rules Publication Act, and shall come into operation forthwith.

Dated, the 31st January, 1916.

Copies may be obtained on application at the Lord Chancellor's Office, House of Lords, S.W.

SHIPS WHOSE CARGOES, OR PART OF THEM, HAVE BEEN DETAINED.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the London Gazette of January 28, 1916.)

<i>List of Vessels.</i>		
<i>Name of Vessel.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>	<i>Cargo Detained at</i>
Alexandra - - -	Danish - -	Kirkwall
Henrik - - - -	Norwegian -	Sharpness
Hindoo - - - -	British - -	Hull
Jan Pieterzoon Coen	Dutch - -	London
Protesilaus - -	British - -	London
Santiago - - -	Norwegian -	Leith

Foreign Office,
February 4, 1916.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of section 118 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, the Right Honourable Herbert Samuel, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Miss Mary Caroline Anderson, Miss Ozella MacDonald, and Miss Elizabeth Macleod, to be temporary Inspectors of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall,
1st February, 1916.