tion 1 of the Pioisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, resolve and declare as follows:—

"That Lead in combination with Oleic Acid, or other higher fatty Acids, whether sold as Diachylon or under any other designation (except machine-spread plasters) ought to be deemed a Poison within the meaning of the Pharmacy Act, 1868, as amended by the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, and ought to be deemed a Poison in Part 1 of the Schedule of Poisons to that Act":

And whereas the said Society have submitted their Resolution for the approval of the Privy Council, and the Lords of the Privy Council are of opinion that the said Resolution should be approved:

Now, therefore, Their Lordships are hereby pleased to signify their approval of the said

Resolution.

Almeric FitzRoy.

Westminster, 26 April, 1917.

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

Parliament and Local Elections Act, 1917.

Crown Office, 25th April, 1917

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, bearing date the 25th day of April, 1917, to appoint Sir Arthur Theodore Thring, K.C.B., to be Clerk of the Parliaments in the place of Sir Henry John Lowndes Graham, K.C.B., resigned.

NOTICE.

COLONIAL STOCK ACT, 1900 (63 & 64 VICT., c. 62).

Addition to List of Stocks under Section 2.

Pursuant to section 2 of the Colonial Stock Act, 1900, the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that the provisions of the Act have been complied with in respect of the undermentioned Stock, registered or inscribed in the United Kingdom:—

South Australian Government $5\frac{1}{2}$ Per Cent. Inscribed Stock (1922-1927).

The restrictions mentioned in section 2, subsection (2), of the Trustee Act, 1893, apply to the above Stock (see Colonial Stock Act, 1900, section 2).

The Lord Chancellor (with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury) hereby gives notice that the undermentioned situations are withdrawn from Schedule B of the Order in Council dated the 10th of January, 1910.

LAND REGISTRY.

Assistant Superintendent (Attendants). Storekeeper.

PRISONS (ENGLAND AND WALES). (LOCAL AND CONVICT PRISONS.)

All prisoners in local prisons and in convict prisons shall be supplied with a sufficient quantity of plain and wholesome food in accordance with such dietary tables as may from time to time be submitted by the Prison Commissioners and approved by the Secretary of State

The rules relating to dietaries made for local prisons and for convict prisons on the 2nd day of September, 1901, are suspended.

Austen Chamberlain,
One of His Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

Home Office, 21st April, 1917.

The Right Honourable Sir George Cave, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 53 of the Explosives Act, 1875, has appointed Acting Serjeant James McLoughlin (No. 60639), of the Royal Irish Constabulary, to be an Inspector for Ireland under the said Act.

Whitehall, 25th April, 1917.

Whitehall, April 26, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto John Courtenay Lord, Esq., J.P., of Otley House, Droitwich, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Chevalier of the Order of Leopold, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of the Belgians in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Whitehall, April 26, 1917.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 25th instant, to appoint Sir Joseph White-Todd, Baronet, to be a Member of the Royal Commission on the Sugar Supply.

TRADING WITH THE ENEMY AMEND-MENT ACT, 1916.

An Order has been made by the Board of Trade requiring the undermentioned business to be wound up:—

441. Kroll and Company, Bayham Place, Camden Town, London, N.W., Metal Workers. Controller: Robert Barlow Tyler, 1, Queen Victoria Street, London, E.C. 26 April, 1917.