

And whereas it has been intimated to Her Majesty's Government that the Government of Santo Domingo, has by a note on their behalf dated the 15th day of March 1888, and addressed to the Government of the Swiss Confederation, given notice of the termination of adhesion to the said Convention; and whereas by Article 18 of the said Convention, it is provided that the provisions of the said Convention shall remain in force as regards any country so terminating its adhesion till the expiry of one year from the date of such notice.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and by virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said Act, doth declare, and it is hereby declared, that the provisions of the said Act hereinbefore specified shall cease to apply to the said country, viz. :—

Santo Domingo.

And it is further ordered and declared that this Order shall take effect from the day and date first above written.

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Windsor, the 28th day of
May 1889.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.
Earl of Coventry.
Lord Ashbourne.

Whereas by the provisions of the Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks Act, 1883, as amended by the Patents, Designs, and Trade Marks (Amendment) Act, 1885, it is, amongst other things, provided :—

That if Her Majesty is pleased to make any arrangement with the Government or Governments of any foreign state or states for mutual protection of inventions, designs, and trade marks, or any of them, then any person who has applied for protection for any invention, design, or trade mark in any such state shall, subject to the conditions further provided and set forth in the said Act, be entitled to a patent for his invention or to registration of his design or trade mark (as the case may be) under the said Act in priority to other applicants, and such patent or registration shall have the same date as the date of the application in such foreign state :

And whereas it has pleased Her Majesty to make an arrangement with the Government of Mexico by and in virtue of a treaty entered into between Her Majesty and that state, dated the 27th day of November 1888, and duly ratified on the 11th day of February 1889, as regards the rights to which subjects or citizens of each of the contracting parties shall be entitled in the dominions and possessions of the other in regard to patents for inventions, designs, and trade marks :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and by virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said first-mentioned Act, doth declare, and it is hereby declared, that the provisions of the said Acts

hereinbefore specified shall apply to the following country, viz. :—

Mexico.

And it is further ordered and declared that this Order shall take effect, so far as regards patents, at the expiration of seven months, and so far as regards designs and trade marks, at the expiration of four months, from the day and date first above written.

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Windsor, the 28th day of
May 1889.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by Her Majesty's Order in Council bearing date the twelfth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six relating to Her Majesty's Civil Service it was provided as follows :—'The salaries of Men Clerks in the Lower Division shall commence at eighty pounds, and shall rise by triennial increments of fifteen pounds to two hundred pounds. Provided that in any office in which a regular attendance of seven hours a day is required, the commencing salary may be ninety pounds, and the maximum salary may be two hundred and fifty pounds.'

And whereas by Her Majesty's Order in Council bearing date the fifteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the words of the above-cited provision including and following the word 'provided' were repealed and the following words substituted therefor :—'Provided that in any office where a regular attendance of seven hours a day is required, the commencing salary may be ninety-five pounds and the maximum salary may be two hundred and fifty pounds.'

And whereas the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have represented unto Her Majesty the advisability of repealing, in respect of Men Clerks in the Lower Division to be hereafter appointed, the aforesaid regulations and of substituting others therefor.

Now therefore Her Majesty by and with the advice of Her Privy Council is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

1. From and after the date of this Order the aforesaid regulations shall, in respect of Men Clerks in the Lower Division appointed after the date of this Order, be, and the same are, hereby repealed.

2. In lieu of the regulations so repealed as aforesaid the following regulations are substituted in respect of Men Clerks appointed after the date of this Order.

Men Clerks in the Lower Division of the Civil Service shall give a regular attendance of not less than seven hours a day.

The salaries of such Men Clerks shall commence at seventy pounds per annum, and shall rise by such increments to such sums as may hereafter be fixed by Order in Council.

C. L. PEEL.