

the exhibition, without the privity or consent of the proprietor of a design, or of any article to which a design is applied, or the publication, during the holding of any such exhibition, of a description of a design, shall not prevent the design from being registered, or invalidate the registration thereof, provided that both the following conditions are complied with, namely:—

- (a) The exhibitor must, before exhibiting the design or article, or publishing a description of the design, give the Comptroller the prescribed notice of his intention to do so; and
- (b) The application for registration must be made before or within six months from the date of the opening of the exhibition.

And whereas Her Majesty, by virtue of the authority committed to Her by the provisions of the Patents Act, 1886, is empowered by Order in Council from time to time to declare that the provisions of the said Act of 1883 above recited shall apply to any exhibition mentioned in the Order in like manner as if it were an Industrial or International Exhibition certified by the Board of Trade, and to provide that the exhibitor shall be relieved from the conditions specified in the said hereinbefore recited sections of the said Act of 1883:

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 of 1886, doth declare, and it is hereby declared, that the provisions of the foregoing sections of the said Act of 1883 shall apply to the International Exhibition to be held at Vienna in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four; and further, that the exhibitor of an invention, a design, or any article to which a design is applied, shall be relieved from the conditions specified in the said hereinbefore recited sections of the said Act of 1883 of giving notice as therein required of his intention to exhibit such invention, design, or article to which a design is applied.

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,  
the 29th day of January 1894.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord Steward.  
Sir William Vernon Harcourt.  
Sir Henry Ponsonby.  
Sir John Cowell.  
Sir Philip Currie.

WHEREAS by the first section of 'The Colonial Probates Act, 1892,' it is enacted as follows:—

'Her Majesty the Queen may, on being satisfied that the Legislature of any British Possession has made adequate provision for the recognition in that Possession of probates and letters of administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom, directed by Order in Council that this Act shall, subject to any exceptions and modifications specified in the Order, apply to

that Possession, and thereupon, while the Order is in force, this Act shall apply accordingly:'

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that the Legislatures of the British Possessions herein-after mentioned have made adequate provision for the recognition in those Possessions of probates and letters of administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the above-recited Act in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

'The Colonial Probates Act, 1892,' shall apply to the British Possessions hereunder mentioned:—

Barbados.  
Lagos.  
Tasmania.

And the Most Honourable the Marquess of Ripon, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly. C. L. PEEL.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,  
ST. JAMES'S PALACE, February 2, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Saturday, the 10th instant, until further orders.

FOREIGN OFFICE, January 27, 1894.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Gustav August Schmidt as German Consul at Bassein; and of Mr. A. Murray Beattie as Hawaiian Consul at Vancouver, British Columbia.

FOREIGN OFFICE, January 29, 1894.

It is hereby notified that Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received, from the Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Chile, a Note, dated the 25th instant, stating that the Government of Chile has cancelled the Commission of Mr. D. B. Cruickshank as Consul at Auckland, New Zealand.

WHITEHALL, February 1, 1894.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignity of a Knight of the said United Kingdom unto Donald Horne Macfarlane, of Portman Square, in the Parish of Saint Mary-lebone, in the County of London, Esquire.