Executive Council and Members of the Federation 1 of Burgh Clubs and kindred Societies.

Ministers and Elders of the Free Church of Scotland within the Presbytery of Perth.

Inhabitants of the Ancient Burgh of Thurso. Provost, Magistrates, and Town Councillors of the Burgh of Coatbridge.

Inhabitants of Sir Reginald and Lady Gordon Cathcart's Western Islands Estates, consisting of the Parishes of South Uist and Barra, in the County of Inverness.

Upper Ward District Committee of the County Council of Lanarkshire.

Executive Officers and Boys of "The Boys' Brigade," Glasgow.

Members of the Dura Den "Star of Freedom" Temperance and Benefit Union.

Parishioners of Kirkhead.

Gordon Highlanders' Aberdeen Association.

Presbytery of Forres.

Primitive Methodist Church, Victoria Terrace, Edinburgh.

Members of the Edinburgh Chamber of Commerce and Manufactures.

Members of the Edinburgh and Leith Commercial Travellers' Benevolent Association.

Representatives of the Charity Organisation Societies of the United Kingdom assembled in conference at Glasgow.

Ministers and Elders of the Presbytery of Kirkcaldy.

High Constables of the City of Edinburgh.

Committee of Management of the Aberdeen Hospital for relief of persons labouring under incurable diseases.

Incorporated Society of Advocates in Aberdeen. Ministers and Congregations of St. David's English Episcopal Church, Glasgow.

Committee and Members of the Glasgow Deaf and Dumb Society.

Members of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club. Chief, Chieftains, and Members of all the branches of the Clan Maclean.

Provost, Magistrates, and Commissioners of the Burgh of Huntly.

Members of the East Kilbride Conservative Association.

President, Vice-President, and Fellows of the Royal Scottish Society of Arts.

Archbishop, Chapter, Clergy, and Laity of the Catholic Archdiocese of Glasgow.

Directors of the Glasgow Sabbath School Union.

SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL, August 9, 1897.

The Queen has been pleased to direct a Commission to pass the Privy Seal in Scotland appointing Ralph Stockman, Esquire, M.D., F.R.C.P.E., F.R.S., to the Regius Professorship of Materia Medica in the University of Glasgow, vacant by the death of Professor Matthew Charteris.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 3rd day of August 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council. This day Sir Herbert Eustace Maxwell, Baronet, M.P., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 3rd day of August 1897.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty. Lord President. Lord Privy Seal. Lord Arthur Hill. Sir Herbert Maxwell, Bart.

WHEREAS by section twenty (3) of "The Finance Act, 1894," it is enacted that Her Majesty the Queen may, by Order in Council, apply that section to any British possession where Her Majesty is satisfied that, by the law of such possession, either no duty is leviable in respect of property situate in the United Kingdom when passing on death, or that the law of such possession as respects any duty so leviable is to the like effect as the foregoing provisions of that section:

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that the law of the Island of Jamaica as respects the duty leviable in respect of property situate in the United Kingdom when passing on death is to the like effect as the provisions of sub-section (1) of the aforesaid section:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the power by the aforesaid Act in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the twentieth section of "The Finance Act, 1894," shall apply to the Island of Jamaica.

C. L. PEEL.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, DUBLIN CASTLE, August 6, 1897.

Her Majesty, by Her Royal Letter, having appointed The Honourable Mr. Justice Andrews to be of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council in Ireland, he this day in Council took the usual oaths and his place at the Board accordingly.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, DUBLIN CASTLE, August 6, 1897.

Her Majesty, by Her Royal Letter, having appointed Mervyn Edward, Viscount Powerscourt, K.P., to be of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council in Ireland, he this day in Council took the usual oaths and his place at the Board accordingly.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, DUBLIN CASTLE,

August 6, 1897.

Her Majesty, by Her Royal Letter, having appointed William James Pirrie, Esquire, Lord Mayor of Belfast, to be of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council in Ireland, he this day in Council took the usual oaths and his place at the Board accordingly.