of the approval of the said Statute by Her Majesty in Council, which were created under the terms and conditions of their appointments.

> Made and sealed by the Special Commissioners appointed for the purposes of "The Public Schools Act, 1868," this thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.



Council Office, Whitehall, July 8, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased by Her Order in Council of the 7th day of July instant, to grant to Arthur Warner, of 13, Westbournecrescent, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, and of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, Gentleman, a prolongation for the term of five years of certain Letters Patent for "improvements in the manufacture of iron, steel, copper, lead, tin, zinc, and their alloys, and in the manufacture of coke," such Letters Patent having been originally granted to the said Arthur Warner, and bearing date the 29th day of September, 1860, for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man, and all Her Majesty's Colonies and Plantations abroad.

Foreign Office, July 9, 1874:

CLAIMS OF EXPORTERS OF MINERAL CILS FROM GREAT BRITAIN TO FRANCE.

THE Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from Her Majesty's Ambas-sador at Paris, a copy of a Law, of which the following is a translation, which has been passed by the French National Assembly:-

Versailles, July 3, 1874.

LAW crediting the Minister of Finance with the sum of 350,000 francs (£14,000) on the budget of 1874 for the reimbursement of duties and the payment of indemnities and expenses connected with certain importations of mineral oils of British origin.

The National Assembly has adopted the Law which runs as follows :-

ART. I. The Minister of Finance is credited with the sum of 850,000 francs on the budget of 1874 for the reimbursement of duties and the payment of indemnities and expenses connected with certain importations of mineral oils of British

: This credit will form the subject of a new clause No. 82 in the budget of the Ministry of Finance

for the year 1874.

ART. II. Provision will be made for this expenditure out of the general receipts of the budget of 1874.

Passed at Versailles, June 25, 1874.

L. BUFFET, (Signed)

President of the National Assembly. - The President of the Republic promulgates the present Law,

(Signed) MARSHAL MACMAHON. Duke of Magenta.

P. MAGNE.

Minister of Finance.

Foreign Office, June 9, 1874.

IT is hereby notified that Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs

Dominican Republic in London a Note, dated the 26th of May, stating that he has auspended M. de Lavigerie from his functions as Consul for the Dominican Republic in London, and has provisionally appointed Henry Hardcastle, E.q., of 11, Great Winchester-buildings, to undertake the duties of the Consulate.

Foreign Office, July 9, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Leonard Gow as Consul at Glasgow for the Republic of Liberia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Forster as Consul at Dover for the

Republic of Liberia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. James L. Madden as Consul at Bombay for the Republic of Liberia.

Education Department, Whitehall, July 8, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of School Boards in the undermentioned parishes:-

... Norfolk Hindolveston Horstead-with-Stanninghall Norfolk

Education Department, Whitehall, July 8, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the compulsory formation of School Boards in the undermentioned parishes:-

Bratton Clovelly Devon Holyhead Anglesey ... Kent Hoo St. Werburgh ...

Stanwick Northampton Woore ... Salop;

and in the United School Districts of-Bridgend (comprising the pa-

rishes of Lower Newcastle

... Glamorgan and Lower Coyty) ... Easton Magna (comprising the parishes of Easton Magna,

Bringhurst, and Drayton) ... Leicester

Lambourne (comprising the parishes of Lambourne and Sta-

pleford Abbots) ...
St. Issells (comprising the parishes of St. Issells, Amroth, Williamston) ... Pembroks

Education Department, Whitehall, July 8, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of a School Board in the parish of -

Bucklesham, with Contributory

Districts of Foxhall and Brightwell Suffolk; •••

and an order for the formation of the Contributory District of—

Castle Sowerby (School-owning ... Cumberland District of Caldbeck)

Whitehall, July 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Augustus Wood, of Acton Scott, in the county of Salop, Esq., Her Royal licence and authority that has received from the Charge d'Affaires of the the and his issue may take and henceforth use the