

Foreign Office, May 17, 1895.

THE Government of Uruguay have given notice to terminate the Treaty of Commerce and Navigation of the 13th of November, 1885, between Great Britain and Uruguay. The effects of the Treaty will accordingly cease on the 22nd of May, 1896.

Westminster, April 14, 1895.

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 Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts 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 Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

Mr. Speaker's Retirement Act, 1895.
 Grand Jury (Ireland) Act, 1895.
 Documentary Evidence Act, 1895.
 Lands Clauses (Taxation of Costs) Act, 1895.
 Metropolitan Police (Receiver) Act, 1895.
 London (Boundary Street, Bethnal Green) Provisional Order Confirmation Act, 1895.
 Local Government Board (Ireland) Provisional Order Confirmation (No. 2) Act, 1895.
 Metropolitan Outer Circle Railway (Abandonment) Act, 1895.
 Newmarket Gas Company's Act, 1895.
 Bristol Waterworks Act, 1895.
 Brecon and Merthyr Railway Act, 1895.
 Legal and General Life Assurance Society's Act, 1895.
 New Russia Company Act, 1895.
 Edinburgh Merchant Company Endowments Act, 1895.
 Felixstowe and Walton Waterworks Act, 1895.
 Saint Leonard and Saint Mary Magdalen Church Districts Amendment Act, 1895.
 Crystal Palace Company's Act, 1895.
 George Heriot's Trust Act, 1895.
 Wrexham and Ellesmere Railway Act, 1895.
 British Gas Light Company Limited (Staffordshire Potteries) Act, 1895.
 City and South London Railway Act, 1895.
 East Indian Railway Company's Act, 1895.
 North Staffordshire Railway Act, 1895.
 American Mortgage Company of Scotland Limited Act, 1895.
 Great Southern and Western Railway Act, 1895.

Crown Office, May 15, 1895.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Newington.—Walworth Division.

James Bailey, Esq., in the place of William Saunders, Esq., deceased.

May 16, 1895.

County of Dorset.—Western Division.

Robert Williams, Esq., in the place of Henry Richard Farquharson, Esq., deceased.

(H. 4306.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 15, 1895.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 14th May, 1895, from Her Majesty's Representative at Monte Video, stating that the quarantine against Rio is raised.

(H. 4310.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 15, 1895.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 14th May, 1895, from Her Majesty's Representative at Athens, stating that the quarantine on arrivals from Constantinople is reduced to twenty-four hours.

(H. 4383.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 17, 1895.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 16th May, 1895, from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, stating that the medical visit imposed on arrivals from Constantinople is suppressed.

(H. 4384.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 17, 1895.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 16th May, 1895, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, stating that ports of the Province of Canon, hitherto suspected, are declared to be infected with the plague.

(H. 4397.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 17, 1895.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 4th May, 1895, from Her Majesty's Representative at Washington, enclosing the following Quarantine Notice:—

QUARANTINE PROCLAMATION.

State of Louisiana, Executive Department.

Baton Rouge, April 19, 1895.

At the request of the Board of Health of the State of Louisiana, embodied in a resolution adopted by that body at a regular meeting held on April 11, 1895, and by virtue of the authority in me vested by law, I, Murphy J. Foster, Governor of the State of Louisiana, do hereby issue this, my proclamation, to take effect from and after the 1st day of May, A. D. 1895, that all vessels, together with their crews, passengers, baggage, and cargoes, arriving at the several quarantine stations of Louisiana, shall be subjected to inspection and sanitation according to the following schedule, to wit:—

First Class—Vessels arriving from non-infected ports.

Second Class—Vessels arriving from suspected ports. (Inter-tropical American and West Indian and Brazilian ports and other ports which may be considered suspicious by the Board of Health.)

Third Class—Vessels arriving from ports known to be infected.

Fourth Class—Vessels which, without regard to port of departure, are infected; that is to say, vessels which have yellow fever, cholera, or other contagious or infectious disease on board at the time of arrival, or have had same on voyage.

Vessels of the first class to be subjected to necessary maritime sanitation at the Mississippi.