

Ashford Urban District Council.
Aston Manor Urban District Council.
Caerphilly Urban District Council.
Colwyn Bay and Colwyn Urban District Council.

Darlaston Urban District Council.
Dawlish Urban District Council.
Downham Urban District Council.
Farnworth Urban District Council.
Fenton Urban District Council.
Garston Urban District Council.
Hanwell Urban District Council.
Heanor Urban District Council.
Hornsey Urban District Council.
Horsham Urban District Council.
Leek Urban District Council.
Leyton Urban District Council.
Llangollen Urban District Council.
Malvern Urban District Council.
Melton Mowbray Urban District Council.
Mexborough Urban District Council.
Northallerton Urban District Council.
Northfleet Urban District Council.
Oldbury Urban District Council.
Rathmines and Rathgar Urban District Council.
Redditch Urban District Council.
Runcorn Urban District Council.
Shanklin Urban District Council.
Teddington Urban District Council.
Wallasey Urban District Council.
Watford Urban District Council.
West Bridgford Urban District Council.
Gainsborough Rural District Council.
Isle of Wight Rural District Council.

* In these cases Messages have also been forwarded for presentation to Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha.

Privy Council Office, September 7, 1900.

MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that, after the expiration of forty days from the date hereof, it is proposed to submit to Her Majesty in Council, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, the draft of an Order in Council approving certain Pilotage Bye-laws made by the Gloucester Pilotage Board, in substitution for the Bye-laws hitherto in force.

And notice is hereby further given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, copies of the proposed draft Order in Council can be obtained by any public body, within forty days of the date of this notice, at the Privy Council Office, Whitehall.

Downing Street, September 6, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Thomas Edward Earle, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

India Office, August 30, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Mr. James Monteath, C.S.I., of the Indian Civil Service, to be a Member of the Council of the Governor of Bombay, in the place of Mr. John Nugent, C.S.I., deceased.

(F. & H. 12,478.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 6, 1900.
THE Board of Trade have received, through

the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, intimating that Sanitary Regulations of April 14, 1897, are applied to arrivals from Glasgow.

(F. & H. 12,479.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 6, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg, viz.: "Following telegram received from British Consul-General, Odessa:—According to telegram from Vice-Consul at Theodosia 10 days' quarantine all vessels, without exception, from or passing Constantinople, counting from there."

(F. & H. 12,521.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 6, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Antwerp, intimating that 24 hours' quarantine and disinfection is imposed on vessels from Glasgow and Greenock; that vessels from other ports on west coast of Scotland will be subjected to a sanitary inspection at the Doel quarantine station, and that vessels bound for Antwerp from Scotch ports must be provided with bills of health.

(F. & H. 12,565.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 7, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at The Hague, reporting that Glasgow has been declared infected with plague, and that all vessels which have left there ten days or less before September 5, are considered suspected.

(F. & H. 12,566.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 7, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg, intimating that he has received the following Telegram from the Consul at Odessa, viz.:—"Vessels which pass Constantinople without touching receive free pratique; arrivals from plague-infected ports ten days' observation from time of sailing. Constantinople is infected port."

(F. & H. 12,569.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 7, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Havre, viz.:—

"I have received the following communication from Officer of Health. Ships from Glasgow to French Channel ports can only come to Havre and Dunkirk. All ships coming from Glasgow to Cherbourg, Dieppe, Granville, Caen, Trouville, Fécamp, Trepot, Honfleur, Rouen, or ports on the Seine, must discharge their cargoes at Havre. On and after the 1th instant, all ships from the United Kingdom to France must have a clean bill of health certified by a French Consul"