

apply to body linen, bed clothes, and articles of clothing, which travellers bring with them for their own use, or which are introduced as change clothing. Nevertheless permission to import them may be made dependent on a preliminary disinfection.

3. The Chancellor of the Empire is empowered to allow exceptions from the prohibition subject to the arrangement of necessary measures of precaution.

Berlin, 1st March, 1901.

The Representative of the Imperial Chancellor.

COUNT VON POSADOWSKY.

Admiralty, 28th February, 1901.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Augustus Lempriere Knapton Knapton has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 22nd February, 1901.

Admiralty, 1st March, 1901.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 7th March, 1887—

The Reverend John Harcourt Berry, M.A., Chaplain of the Fleet, has been placed on the Retired List from this date, at his own request.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton.

James Griffith Dearden, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1901.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1873.

(36 and 37 Vict., cap. 37.)

SOUTH BRENT MARKETS.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, that by Memorial, dated February, 1901, a representation has been duly made to him by John R. T. Kingwell, Esq., in whom the Fairs and Markets of South Brent are legally vested, that weekly Markets have been held on the last Wednesday in the months of January, March, May, June, July, October, and December, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Markets should be held on the last Tuesday in those months, instead of the last Wednesday.

On the 20th day of March, 1901, the Secretary of State will take such representation into consideration, and any person who may desire to object to the proposed alteration of the days of holding the Markets, should intimate his objections to the Secretary of State before that day.

Home Office, Whitehall, March 2, 1901.

Factory Department, Home Office,

February 27, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. W. M. Palmer to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Linton District of Cambridgeshire.

Factory Department, Home Office,

February 27, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. W. R. Edmond to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Totnes District of Devon.

Factory Department, Home Office,

February 27, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. G. H. Doudney to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Wainfleet District of Lincolnshire.

Factory Department, Home Office,

February 27, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. P. Simpson, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, at Coningsby, in the county of Lincoln, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office,

February 27, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. A. Edward to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the borough of Rawtenstall.

Factory Department, Home Office,

March 1, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. J. A. Coates to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Stokenchurch District of Bucks.

Factory Department, Home Office,

March 1, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. F. J. Sadler to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Barnsley District of the West Riding of York.

Factory Department, Home Office,

March 4, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. T. E. Gordon to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Towyn District of Merioneth.

Factory Department, Home Office,

March 5, 1901.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the removal of Dr. Eager, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, at Woking, in the county of Surrey, is vacant.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

ISLE OF THANET LIGHT RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) ORDER.

THE Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade, for confirmation under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them amending the Isle of Thanet Light Railways Order, 1898.

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order should be addressed to the Assistant-Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., and must be lodged with the Board on or before the 29th March, 1901.

Copies of such objections should at the same time be sent to the Promoters' Agents named below.

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained, on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy, from Messrs. William Webb and Co., 37 and 39, Essex-street, Strand, London, W.C.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,
London, March 1, 1901.