

Baron Wynford, without issue, on the twenty-eighth day of October last, the dignity of Baron Wynford devolved upon his cousin, George, now Baron Wynford, whereby, according to the ordinary rules of honour, the brothers and sisters of the said George, Baron Wynford, cannot enjoy that title, rank, place, and precedence which would have been due to them had their father, the late Samuel Best, Clerk in Holy Orders (commonly called the Honourable Samuel Best), survived the said Henry Molyneux, Baron Wynford, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Wynford, His Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that John Charles Best, of Plas-yn-Vivod, near Llangollen, in the county of Denbigh, Esquire, Captain on the retired list of His Majesty's Royal Navy, Thomas William Best, of Lingfield, in the parish of Barmouth and county of Merioneth, Esquire, Chief Constable of the said county, and late Major the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Mary Margaret, wife of Sir James Erasmus Philipps, Baronet, Clerk in Holy Orders, Prebendary of the Cathedral Church of Salisbury, and Fanny Gertrude Sophia Best, Spinster, brothers and sisters of the said George, now Baron Wynford, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the title, rank, place, pre-eminence, and precedence to which they would have been entitled had their father, the said Samuel Best, survived the said Henry Molyneux, Baron Wynford, and thereby succeeded to the dignity of Baron Wynford:

And to command that the said order and declaration be recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,
London, May 12, 1904.*

H. 6249.

For the purposes of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, and of the Electric Lighting (Scotland) Act, 1890, and all Provisional Orders and Licences made and issued thereunder, the Board of Trade approve of the pattern and construction of the meter (hereinafter described) for the measurement of electrical energy when supplied on the constant potential alternating current system, namely:—

The meter No. 69,630 deposited at the Board of Trade on the 20th February, 1904, by or on behalf of Messrs. Ferranti Limited, Hollinwood, Lancashire, and sealed by the Board of Trade and known as the Ferranti Patent Alternating Current Meter.

Provided that the meter be tested, fixed, and used as described in the specification and instructions deposited at the Board of Trade and dated and numbered 2nd May, 1904, and H. 6249.

The Board of Trade further approve of the means provided for fixing meters of this description, and for connecting them with the service lines as described in the specification and instructions above referred to.

Signed by order of the Board of Trade this 12th day of May, 1904.

*T. H. W. Pelham, Assistant Secretary,
Board of Trade.*

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, May 11, 1904.*

H. 6657.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of

the following Notice which appeared in the *Moniteur Belge* with respect to the sanitary measures to be imposed on arrivals from Para, St. Louis de Maranhao, and Antofagasta owing to plague:—

Peste à Antofagasta (Chili).

Le Ministre de l'agriculture,

Vu l'arrêté royal du 5 avril 1897, relatif à la peste;

Vu l'existence de la peste officiellement constatée à Antofagasta (Chili),

Arrête:

ART. 1er. Les dispositions qui font l'objet des articles 1er à 4 de l'arrêté royal du 5 avril 1897, susvisé, sont rendues applicables à partir du 3 courant, aux provenances de Para et de Saint-Louis de Maranhao, ainsi qu'à celles d'Antofagasta (Chili), contaminés par la peste bubonique.

ART. 2. Ces provenances, arrivant par mer, seront soumises à la station sanitaire de l'Escaut et dans les ports d'Ostende et de Nieuport, ainsi qu'à Selzaete, au régime stipulé par les chapitres II, III et IV du règlement sanitaire général annexé à la Convention sanitaire internationale de Venise, en date du 19 mars 1897.

Bruxelles, le 6 mai 1894.

BON M. VAN DER BRUGGEN.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, May 11, 1904.*

H. 6598.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated May 9, from His Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg:—
"Upper Egypt foul. Plague."

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, May 11, 1904.*

H. 6599.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegrams, dated May 8 and 9, from His Majesty's Representative at Alexandria:—

May 8.—"10 days since cases of plague at Alexandria. Measures on departures modified."

May 9.—"Fresh case of plague at Alexandria. Measures departure reimposed."

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, May 11, 1904.*

H. 6600.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated May 7, from His Majesty's Representative at Rio de Janeiro:—
"Bubonic plague. Antofagasta declared. Four other Chilean ports suspected from 26th ultimo."

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, May 12, 1904.*

H. 6716.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated May 10, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—
"Two days' quarantine imposed on Alexandria."