

accept and wear decorations (as stated against their respective names) which have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered to His Highness :—

*Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh,
Second Class.*

Brevet Colonel William Spottiswoode Sparkes,
C.M.G.

*Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh,
Third Class.*

Thomas Henry Aylmer Humphreys, Esq., Chief
Inspector in the Survey Department of the
Public Works Department of the Egyptian
Government.

*Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh,
Fourth Class.*

Charles Cobbe, Esq., Assistant Commandant of
Police, Alexandria.

*Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh,
Third Class.*

Brevet Colonel Lovick Bransby Friend, Royal
Engineers.

Thomas Herbert Clowes, Esq., Inspector of
Irrigation in the Public Works Department of
the Egyptian Government.

*Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh,
Fourth Class.*

Cecil Gordon Crawley, Esq., Director of Works,
Technical Service, in the Public Works
Department of the Egyptian Government.

Donald Harvey Attfield, Esq., Director and
Principal Medical Officer of the Suez Quarantine
Office.

HOME FOR ROMAN CATHOLIC BOYS.

TULKETH HALL, PRESTON.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the 29th May, 1904, he granted a new Certificate to the Tulketh Hall Boys' Home, Preston, an Auxiliary Home in connection with St. Thomas' Home Certified Industrial School for Roman Catholic Boys, fitted for the reception of such boys, not exceeding 30 in number, as may be sent thereto from that and other Roman Catholic Industrial Schools, the original Certificate of the 29th May, 1901, having been issued for a period of three years only.

The new Certificate is a permanent one, no time limit having been imposed.

Whitehall, 3rd June, 1904.

*India Office,
June 4, 1904.*

The KING has been pleased to approve the appointment of Mr. Frederick Eden Pargiter, of the Civil Service of India, to be a Judge of the

High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in the place of Sir Henry Thoby Prinsep, K.C.I.E., of the Civil Service of India, who has resigned that office.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
June 1, 1904.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. F. A. Taylor, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Act, at Romsey, in the county of Southampton, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
June 2, 1904.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. P. Counsellor, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Act, at Whalley, in the county of Lancaster, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
June 3, 1904.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. H. E. Davies to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Act, for the Lutterworth District of the county of Leicester.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
June 6, 1904.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. P. H. Dunn, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Act, at Stevenage, in the county of Hertford, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
June 6, 1904.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. J. M. E. Scatliff, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Act, at Brighton, in the county of Sussex, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
June 7, 1904.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Wallace, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Act, at Stonehaven, in the county of Kincardine, is vacant.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, June 6, 1904.
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The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated June 3, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—
"Free pratique granted to arrivals from Adeu."