the Order of the Brilliant Star of Zanzibar, conferred upon him by His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

## Whitehall, November 8, 1907.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Charles Edward Dupuis, Esq., Inspector-General of the Soudan Irrigation Service, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

# Marlborough House,

November 11, 1907.

The Princess of Wales has been pleased to appoint The Lady Bertha Dawkins to be a Woman of the Bedchamber to Her Royal Highness.

Factory Department, Home Office, November 7, 1907.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. T. B. H. Scott to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Antrim District of the county of Antrim.

Factory Department, Home Office, November 11, 1907.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. G. R. Rickett, to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Sherborne District of the county of Dorset.

Factory Department, Home Office, November 11, 1907.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Crooks, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Axminster, in the county of Devon, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, November 11, 1907.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. R. E. Moriarty, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Sherburn, in the county of York, is vacant.

#### FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of section 118 of the above Act, the Right Honourable Herbert John Gladstone, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Douglas Thomas Cooper Eva, Esq., to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall, 8th November, 1907.

"AKBAR" REFORMATORY SCHOOL.

Camp Buildings at Heswall to constitute (temporarily) a part of the School.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that he has certified that certain Camp Buildings at Heswall are fitted for the reception of Juvenile Offenders committed to the "Akbar" Reformatory School, and are to be deemed a part of the said Reformatory.

The Certificate bears date the 29th October, 1907, and will remain in force for a period of six months.

Whitehall, November 11, 1907.

### LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

The Board of Trade have recently confirmed the undermentioned Order made by the Light Railway Commissioners: — East and West Yorkshire Union Light Railway (Borrowing Powers) Order, 1907, authorizing the East and West Yorkshire Union Railways Company to exercise further borrowing powers.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W., 11th November, 1907.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 11, 1907.

## H. 13269.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated October 31, from His Majesty's Representative at The Hague, intimating that the Royal Decree of October 8, 1906, enforcing for the period of one year certain measures for the prevention of Plague and other infectious diseases, having lapsed, a fresh Decree was issued on October 22, enforcing the said measures for a further period of one year.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 11, 1907.

H. 13315.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 8, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:— "Sanitary precautions imposed on arrivals from Bona, Algeria. Sanitary precautions Singapore withdrawn."

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 11, 1907.

H. 13316.

The Board of Trade have received a copy of a Quarantine Notice, dated November 2, issued by the Governor of Malta stating that Tunis has been added to the list of places declared infected.