

and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Third 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.

Whitehall, September 21, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Charles Wright Macara, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Cross of the Legion of Honour, conferred upon him by the President of the French Republic, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Whitehall, September 21, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Alexander Forsyth Martin, Esq., Surveyor in the employ of the Siamese Railway Department, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Order of the White Elephant, conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Siam, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Mr. Andrew Currie, M.B., Esplanade, Oban, and Mr. Alexander Stuart, M.B., Ivy Lodge, Crieff, to be Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for the Sheriffdoms of Argyle and Perth respectively. Mr. Currie will be attached more particularly to the Oban District, and Mr. Stuart to the Central District of the Sheriffdom of Perth.

Whitehall, 18th September, 1908.

Factory Department, Home Office,  
September 18, 1908.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. Jones to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Pontardawe District of the county of Glamorgan.

Factory Department, Home Office,  
September 22, 1908.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. P. G. Camack, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Dervock, in the county of Antrim, 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 Mr. John William Lindley to be an Inspectors' Assistant under the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901.

Whitehall, 19th September, 1908.

Order of the Local Government Board: Altering General Consolidated Order: Daily Visitation of Sick and Lying-in Wards of Workhouse: Transferring certain Duties from Master and Matron to Superintendent Nurse:—

#### ROCHFORD UNION.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Rochford Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

Whereas by a General Order dated the 24th day of July, 1847, the Poor Law Commissioners made certain Rules and Regulations with regard to the government of the Workhouses of certain Unions, including the Rochford Union, and the duties of persons appointed to certain offices in the said Workhouses, including the offices of Master and Matron of the Workhouse;

And whereas by Articles 208 and 210 of the said Order the Master and Matron of the Workhouse are respectively required to visit the wards of the male and female paupers every morning and night, and to see that the regulations prescribed in the said Articles are duly and properly carried out;

And whereas it is expedient that other provision should be made as regards the visitation of the sick and lying-in wards of the Workhouse of the said Union:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order that the following Regulations shall be in force in the said Rochford Union as regards the visitation of the sick and lying-in wards of the Workhouse of the Union:—

ARTICLE I.—It shall be the duty of the Superintendent Nurse to visit each of the sick and lying-in wards of the Workhouse daily and to see that the said wards have been duly cleansed and are properly warmed and ventilated, and also that all such arrangements are made as may be necessary for the proper care of and attendance upon the inmates both by day and during the night.

ARTICLE II.—The duty of making morning and nightly visits to the sick and lying-in wards of the Workhouse shall cease to be part of the duties of the Master or Matron of the Workhouse, as the case may be; but, except to this extent, nothing in this Order shall affect the duties of the Master or Matron so far as those duties relate to the general control of the Workhouse.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-seventh day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.



John Burns,  
President.

J. S. Davy, Assistant Secretary.