

Foreign Office,

June 4, 1909.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Mr. Takashi Nakamura as Consul-General of Japan at Ottawa;

Señor Don Manuel Domingo Derteano as Consul-General of Peru at Hong Kong;

Herr Gustav Nebendahl as German Consul at Bristol;

Mr. A. C. Horne as German Consul at Queenstown, for Queenstown, Cork, Youghal, Kinsale and Crookhaven; and

Senhor Simão Lopes Ferreira as Consul of Portugal at the Cape of Good Hope.

Factory Department, Home Office,

June 2, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. P. Anson, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, is vacant.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. Simeon Holgate Owen, the appointment held by him of Medical Referee under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuits Nos. 7 and 8, is vacant. Dr. Owen was attached more particularly to Salford County Court in Circuit No. 7 and Manchester County Court in Circuit No. 8.

Whitehall, 3rd June, 1909.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Mr. Ernest Le Cronier Lancaster, M.B., of Winchester House, Swansea, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 31, and to be attached more particularly to Neath and Aberavon County Court.

Whitehall, 2nd June, 1909.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Monday, the 14th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, and 52 Vic., cap. 6, to the amount of £1,700,000, in part replacement of Bills falling due on the 19th instant.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 19th June, 1909, and will be payable at six

months after date, viz.:—on the 19th December, 1909.

3. *The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for, and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.*

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Tuesday, the 15th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than twelve o'clock, on Saturday, the 19th instant.

6. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 8th June, 1909.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, June 7, 1909.*

H. 7566.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated May 21st, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople in which is reported the revival of the following local sanitary measures against plague at Bagdad: A medical visit on all departures from the town.

Prohibition of the transport of dead bodies from Bagdad to the Shiah Holy Places and of their burial in the interior of the Kiazimieh mosque.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, June 7, 1909.*

H. 7548.

The Board of Trade have received a copy of the following Quarantine Notice, dated May 29th, issued by the Governor of Malta:—

GOVERNMENT NOTICE. No. 97.

Information having been received that an infectious or contagious disease, dangerous to mankind, to wit, bubonic plague, exists at Port Said, it is hereby declared that Port Said is an infected port, within the meaning of Article 1 of the Regulations made under the Fourth Sanitary Ordinance, 1908, and published on the 28th August, 1908.

By command,

E. M. MEREWETHER,

Lieutenant-Governor

and Chief Secretary to Government.

Lieut.-Governor's Office,

The Palace, Valletta, May 29, 1909.

Admiralty, 4th June, 1909.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

William Pennefather.

Frank Thompson Ormand.

Dated 30th October, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 16th May, 1904—

Chief Signal Boatswain Edward Harrison has this day been granted the rank of Lieutenant on being pensioned.