

*Foreign Office,*  
August 10, 1909.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Henry Hamond Dawson Beaumont, Esq.,  
Herbert Guy Nevill Dering, Esq., M.V.O., and  
the Honourable Theo William Odo Villiers  
Russell, to be Councillors of Embassy in His  
Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

*Foreign Office,*  
August 16, 1909.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Mr. Victor L. Bryant as Consul-General of  
Guatemala at Belize;

Mr. Thomas Young as Consul of Japan at  
Wellington, New Zealand;

Mr. Harry Kramrisch as Consul of Servia at  
Bradford;

Señor General Don Víctor M. Salazar as  
Consul of Colombia at Liverpool; and

Señor Don Alfredo Bunster as Vice-Consul  
of Chile at Newcastle-on-Tyne.

#### WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that the appointment held by Mr. J. P. Wilson of Medical Referee under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for the Sheriffdom of Stirling, Dumbarton and Clackmannan, is vacant. Mr. Wilson was attached more particularly to the Dumbarton District of this Sheriffdom.

Home Office, Whitehall, 20th August, 1909.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
August 20, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. M. L. Cowper to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Arnesby District of the county of Leicester.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
August 23, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. James McDonald to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Belford District of the county of Northumberland.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
August 23, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. A. J. H. Boynton, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Watlington, in the county of Oxford, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
August 23, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. H. W. Evans, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Littleport, in the county of Cambridge, will be vacant on 1st October next.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
August 23, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. W. Drinkwater, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Bicester, in the county of Oxford, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
August 24, 1909.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. A. Burton, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Cromer, in the county of Norfolk, is vacant.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),*  
London, August 23, 1909.

H. 11665.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated August 18th, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—Medical inspection imposed on arrivals from coast of Russia between Odessa and Sevastopol, both included.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),*  
London, August 23, 1909.

H. 11723.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated August 14th, from His Majesty's Representative at Christiania, intimating that the Norwegian Government have issued a circular stating that the Russian Parishes of Kem, Omega, Cholmogory and Schenkursh, in the province of Archangel, and the provinces of Vologda, Novgorod, Kurland, Vitebsk and Pskov, in Russia, are to be considered infected with cholera until further notice.

*Admiralty, 20th August, 1909.*

Clerk George Roy Whitfield has been promoted to the rank of Assistant Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 12th August, 1909.

*Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.*

The undermentioned gentleman has been appointed a Lieutenant:—

Charles Richard Fox Engelbach. Dated 1st August, 1909.

*Admiralty, 21st August, 1909.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870:—

Lieutenant Henry Thompson has this day been placed on the Retired List with permission to assume the rank of Commander.