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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1909.

Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order, St. James's Palace, October 25, 1909.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Presentation of Colours by His Majesty to the Norfolk Territorial Force, to make the following promotion in, and appointments to the Royal Victorian Order :--

To be Knight Commander:

Colonel Arnold Alan Cecil, Earl of Albemarle, U.B., M.V.O., Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty.

To be Commander:

Brigadier - General John Hasluck Campbell, Commanding East Anglian Territorial Division.

To be Members of the Fourth Class.

Captain the Honourable George Keppel, Orderly Officer attached to The King during His Majesty's visit to Norwich.

Colonel Hugh Gurney Barclay, 4th Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.

Crown Office, October 29, 1909.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to present The Reverend Canon Daniel William Barrett, M.A., to the Rectory of Holdenby, in the county of Northampton and diocese of Peterborough, void by the death of The Reverend Thomas Walter Bankes-Jones, the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right. Crown Office, October 29, 1909.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Parliamentary Borough of Southwark (Bermondsey Division).

John Molesworth Thomas Dumphreys, Esquire, in the place of George Joseph Cooper, Esquire, deceased.

Foreign Office,

October 1, 1909.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Ernest Miles Hobart-Hampden, Esq., to be Japanese Secretary to His Majesty's Embassy at Tokio.

Foreign Office,

October 1, 1909.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint-

Thomas Joseph Harrington, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Yokohama.

Foreign Office, October 18, 1909.

The KING has been graciously pleased to

appoint— Hammond Smith Shipley, Esq., C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Consul at Tabriz; and Peter James Colquhoun McGregor, Esq., to

Peter James Colquhoun McGregor, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for Kurdistan, comprising the Pashaliks of Erzeroum, Kharput, Diarbekir, Moosh, and Van, to reside at Erzeroum,