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FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1910.

Privy Council Office, 18th May, 1910.

Note.—In addition to the Privy Councillors gazetted in the Supplement to the London Gazette Extraordinary, dated the 7th instant, as being present at the Court at St. James's when His Majesty took and subscribed the Oath relating to the security of the Church of Scotland, were the following:—

The Viscount Llandaff; The Lord Suffield, G.C.V.O., K.C.B., and The Right Honourable Charles Booth.

Whitehall, May 20, 1910.

His Majesty The King has been pleased to award the Edward Medal of the First Class to Harry Bennetts.

On the 31st December, 1909, an explosion occurred in the Randfontein South Gold Mine at Krugersdorp, through the firing of a packet of gelatine, which gave rise to a suffusion of deadly gas. Four miners who were at work were killed by asphyxia due to the gas. Bennetts, with great courage and at imminent risk of his life, descended two winzes alone to the rescue of natives who had been overcome by the poisonous fumes of the gelatine. One of the winzes was one hundred and twenty feet deep, the other seventy-five feet.

PRISON ACTS, 1877 AND 1898.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 3 (3) of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that on the 9th May, 1910, he made a Rule under the Prison Acts, 1877 and 1898, with respect to the constitution of the Visiting Committee of Cardiff

Prison, to take effect from the 28th December, 1910.

Copies of the Rule may be purchased directly or through any bookseller from Messrs. Wyman and Sons Limited, Fetter-lane, E.C.

Whitehall, 19th May, 1910.

PRISON ACTS, 1877 AND 1898.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 3 (3) of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that on the 8th March, 1910, he made a Rule under the Prison Acts, 1877 and 1898, with respect to the constitution of the Visiting Committee of Newcastle-upon-Tyne Prison, to take effect from the 1st day of December, 1910.

Copies of the Rule may be purchased either directly or through any bookseller from Messrs. Wyman and Sous, Fetter-lane, London, E.C.

Whitehall, 19th May, 1910.

Admiralty, 16th May, 1910.

In accordance with the provisions of His later Majesty's Order in Council of 28th March, 1908— Lieutenant Henry Stevens has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 14th May, 1910.

Admiralty, 17th May, 1910.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Wortley Sinclair has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th September, 1909.

The undermentioned Staff Surgeons have been advanced to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Thomas Tendron Jeans, M.B. John Hunter Pead, M.B., M.A.