

from the office of Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, which he has held for a period of more than three years.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, April 24, 1911.*

H. 5281.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated 20th April, from His Majesty's Minister at Athens:—Medical inspection imposed on arrivals from Odessa in place of rat destruction and disinfection.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, April 24, 1911.*

H. 5282.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated 20th April, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome:—Sanitary measures against Samsoun revoked.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, April 24, 1911.*

H. 5283.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated 20th April, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople:—

Twenty-four hours' observation and disinfection have been imposed on arrivals from Yemen coast between Confudah and Mokha, both included.

This is owing to appearance of cholera amongst the troops (at) Lith and Hodeidah.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, April 24, 1911.*

H. 5357.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 20th April, from His Majesty's Minister at The Hague, stating that, by a Decree of the 15th April, the Netherlands Minister of the Interior has withdrawn his Decrees of the 2nd and 20th December, 1910, by which Funchal and Madeira were declared to be infected with Asiatic cholera; and, further, that the Ministers of the Interior and

of Finance have withdrawn, from the 19th April, their prohibition respecting the importation and transit of rags, etc., from Funchal and Madeira.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, April 24, 1911.*

H. 5432.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated the 23rd April, from His Majesty's Consul-General at Bushire:—Bushire declared infected port owing to outbreak of plague; four cases, two deaths to date.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, April 24, 1911.*

H. 5431.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated the 22nd April, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome:—Precautions against cholera imposed on arrivals from Lith Hodeidah.

*Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,  
London, April 24, 1911.*

For the purposes of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 to 1909, and all Provisional Orders and Licences made and issued thereunder, the Board of Trade approve of the construction and pattern of the Demand Indicator Meter (hereinafter described) for the measurement and regulation of electrical quantity when supplied on the constant pressure continuous current system, and known as Hookham's Patent Continuous Current Meter combined with Lackie's Patent Demand Indicator.

Provided that the meter be constructed as described in the specification, and drawings deposited at the Board of Trade and dated and numbered 5th April, 1911, and H. 4617; and be in accordance with the pattern meter No. 243,093, deposited at the Board of Trade on the 2nd April, 1910, by or on behalf of Chamberlain and Hookham, Limited, Solar Works, Birmingham, and sealed by the Board of Trade.

The Board of Trade further approve of the means provided for fixing meters of this description, and for connecting them with the service lines as described in the specification and drawings above referred to.

Signed by order of the Board of Trade this 24th day of April, 1911.

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