Downing Street,

31st August, 1912.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Robert Blair Roden, Esq. (Police Magistrate, Barbados) to be Chief Justice of the Island of Saint Vincent.

Downing Street, 2nd September, 1912.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Francis William Griffith, Esq. (Chief of Police and Excise) to be a Member of the Executive Council and an Official Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Saint Vincent.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 2, 1912.

H. 11524.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated the 26th August, from His Majesty's Consul-General at Trieste, transmitting the following translation of a Circular, dated the 19th August, issued by the Imperial and Royal Marine Board at Trieste:—

No further cases of cholera having been verified in Albania, all the sanitary regulations in force against arrivals from Albanian ports are hereby rescinded.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 2, 1912.

H. 11604.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated the 27th August, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, stating that the territory of Zanzibar is considered by the Governor of Madagascar to be infected with cholera.

Admiralty, 30th August, 1912.

Sub-Lieutenant Francis Theodor Hare has this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 31st August, 1912.

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of the 29th June, 1895—

Lieutenant Harold Francis John Young has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Commander.

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of the 29th January, 1900—

Naval Instructor George Proctor Edwards, B.A., has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of the 28th March, 1903—

Lieutenant George Henry Adams has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 26th August, 1912.

Admiralty, 3rd September, 1912.

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of 29th June, 1895—

Lieutenant William George Hastings Bickford has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request with permission to assume the rank of Commander.

War Office,

31st August, 1912.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the conversion of King Edward's Horse (The King's Oversea Dominions Regiment), now a unit of the Territorial Force, into a unit of the Special Reserve, under the title of "King Edward's Horse (The King's Oversea Dominions Regiment)."

War Office, 3rd September, 1912.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer upon The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders) the honour of becoming its Colonel-in-Chief.

War Office, 3rd September, 1912.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Captain Sir Thomas A. A. M. Cuninghame, Bt., D.S.O., The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), to be a Military Attaché, and is granted the temporary rank of Major while so employed, vice Major E. S. E. W. Eardley-Russell, M.V.O., Royal Artillery, and to be seconded. Dated 2nd August, 1912.

Lieutenant Cecil F. A. Walker, Grenadier Guards, to be Aide-de-Camp (extra) to