No. 235.—His Majesty the King has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to the following Ordinance:—

Ordinance No. 2 of 1915.—An Ordinance to remove doubts as to the power of the Governor to appoint Deputy Official Receivers and as to the validity of the acts of persons appointed to be Deputy Official Receivers or to act as Deputy Official Receivers or attached to the office of the Official Receiver before the commencement of this Ordinance.

Ordinance No. 3 of 1915.—An Ordinance to amend the Military Stores (Exportation) Ordinances, 1862 and 1914.

A. G. M. FLETCHER, Clerk of Councils

Council Chamber, 28th May, 1915.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 236.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. P. M. Hodgson to be a Member of the Committee for the Wong-nei-chong and Queen's Recreation Grounds, as representative of the Hongkong Football Club, vice the Honourable Mr. E. R. Hallifax.

25th May, 1915.

No. 237.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to promote 2nd Lieutenants L. N. MURPHY and R. E. LINDSELL to be Lieutenants in the Hongkong Volunteer Corps, with effect from the 25th May, 1915.

27th May, 1915.

No. 238.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of Section 19 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, Mr. H. Millington to be a Second Class Sanitary Inspector, with effect from the 1st June, 1915.

27th May, 1915.

No. 239.—His Majesty the King has been pleased to entrust the seals of the Colonial Department to the Right Honourable Andrew Bonar Law, M.P., as one of the Principal Secretaries of State.

28th May, 1915.

No. 240.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of sub-clause 13 of clause III of the Order of the late Queen in Council of the 26th day of October, 1896, Mr. Stewart Buckle Carne Ross, Secretary for Chinese Affairs, to be a Member of the Compensation Board established by Proclamation No. 7 of the 5th August, 1914, vice the Honourable Mr. Edwin Richard Hallifax.

28th May, 1915.

No. 241.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Sergeant-Major (Honorary 2nd Lieutenant) RICHARD JOHN STEVENSON, Hongkong Volunteer Reserve, to be 2nd Lieutenant, with effect from the 20th May, 1915.

28th May, 1915.

No. 242.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. P. J. Taylor to be a Surveyor of Boilers of Unlicensed Steamships under 60 tons, with effect from the 27th May, 1915.

28th May, 1915.