EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

No. 316.—It is hereby notified that Mr. James William White, Assistant Engineer, has been deputed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to act on behalf of the Building Authority in all cases referred to in Sections 205, 206, 207 and 207A of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, Ordinance No. 1 of 1903, in connection with Dangerous Buildings.

No. 317.—His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct, under Section 7 of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, Ordinance No. 1 of 1903, that the name of Mr. James William White be added to the List of Authorized Architects published in Government Notification No. 155 of the 26th April, 1918.

No. 318.

Order made by the Governor in Council under sections 3 and 4 of the Importation and Exportation Ordinance, 1915, Ordinance No. 32 of 1915, on the 22nd day of August, 1918.

The Schedule to Rule 41 of the rules made by the Governor in Council under the above Ordinance is amended as follows:—

(1) The following headings are deleted:—

Chemicals, &c., the following:-

- (B) Antimony, sulphides and oxides of;
- (c) Araroba or Goa powder;

(c) Chrysarobin;

- (c) Liquorice roots and juice.
- (2) The following headings are added:—

Chemicals, &c., the following:

- (B) Aconite root;
- (в) Ajowan seeds;
- (B) Antimony, sulphides and oxides of, and mixtures containing sulphides or oxides of antimony;
- (B) Araroba or Goa powder;
- (B) Calumba root;
- (B) Catechu;
- (B) Chrysarobin;
- (B) Liquorice root and juice;
- (B) Nux vomica;
- (B) Nux vomica, preparations of;
- (в) Quassia wood;

Cotton, manufactures of, the following:--

(B) Typewriter cloth and fine cotton cambrics, in the grey, from 40 to 50 inches wide and weighing from 1½ ounces to 4 ounces per square yard;

(B) Nails, wrought and cut, iron or steel;

(B) Tin plate scrap, including scrapped and disused receptacles wholly or partly made of tin plate.

A. G. M. FLETCHER, Clerk of Councils.

Council Chamber, 22nd August, 1918.

Note (1).—See the London Guzette of the 11th June, 1918.

Note (2).—Rule 41 (Military Stores) was published in the *Guzette* of the 18th August, 1916, and amended in the *Guzettes* of the 19th October, 1917, and 5th July, 1918. Amendments of the schedule to that rule were published in various numbers of the *Guzette*, and a consolidating schedule was published in the *Guzette* of the 10th August, 1917.

The prohibitions now in force are contained in the notifications published on the following

10th August,	1917.	22nd March,	1918.
7th September,	1917.	12th April,	1918.
21st September,		10th May,	1918.
19th October,		23rd May,	1918.
23rd November,		28th June,	1918.
11th January,	1918.	26th July,	1918.
1st March,	1918.	23rd August,	1918.
8th March,			

A complete list of notifications issued up to the end of 1917 was contained in Note (2) to Notification No. 8 of 1918, which was published in the Gazette of the 11th January, 1918.

- Note (3).—Rule 37, published in the Gazette of the 8th December, 1916, prohibits the exportation of silver dollars and silver bullion, and Rule 38, published in the Gazette of the 4th May, 1916, prohibits the exportation of Chinese cash except to China.
- Note (4):—There are special restrictions on exportation to Switzerland. See Notification No. 535 which was published in the *Gazette* of the 7th December, 1917, and Notification No. 96 published in the *Gazette* of the 8th March, 1918.
- Note (5).—The exportation of the goods mentioned in the above Schedule is prohibited as follows:—
 - (1) Goods marked (A), to all destinations;
 - (2) Goods marked (B), to all ports and destinations abroad other than ports and destinations in the United Kingdom and British Possessions and Protectorates;
 - (3) Goods marked (c), to all destinations in European and Asiatic Russia and in other foreign countries in Europe and on the Mediterranean, except France and French Possessions, Italy and Italian Possessions, Spain and Portugal, and to all ports in any such foreign countries;
 - (4) Goods marked (b), to all ports and destinations other than ports and destinations in the United Kingdom, British Possessions and Protectorates, France and French Possessions, Russia, Italy and Italian Possessions, and to all Russian Baltic ports;
 - (5) Goods marked (E), to all ports and destinations other than ports and destinations in the United Kingdom.
 - (6) Goods marked (F), to all ports and destinations in Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands.

Note (6).—Application may be made to the Superintendent of Imports and Exports for information as to the conditions on which special licences will be granted for the exportation of prohibited articles.

APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 319.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Dr. Harry Lovett Cumming to be a Lieutenant in the Hongkong Defence Corps, with effect from this date, vice Lieutenant Charles William McKenny transferred to the Supernumerary List.

22nd August, 1918.

No. 320.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint, provisionally and subject to His Majesty's pleasure, the Honourable Mr. David Landale to be an Unofficial Member of the Executive Council during the absence on leave of the Honourable Sir Catchick Paul Chater, Kt., C.M.G., or until further notice, with effect from this date.

22nd August, 1918.

No. 321.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of Mr. Eric William Hamilton being attached to the Sanitary Department for special duty, with effect from the 26th August, 1918, and until further notice.

23rd August, 1918.