No. 275.—It is hereby notified that His Excellency Sir William Peel, Knight Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, having arrived in the Colony, the prescribed oaths of office were this day duly administered to His Excellency by His Honour the Chief Justice in the presence of the Executive Council, and that His Excellency thereupon assumed the administration of the Government in virtue of His Majesty's Commission dated at Saint James's the 5th day of March, 1930.

D. W. TRATMAN, Clerk of Councils.

Council Chamber, 9th May, 1930.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c.

No. 276.—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of paragraph 1 of statute 7 of the statutes of the University of Hong Kong, Professor Lancelot Forster, M.A., to be an additional Member of the Council of the University of Hong Kong, for a period of three years, with effect from 12th February, 1930.

8th May, 1930.

No. 277.—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Mr. William Arthur Cornell to be a Member of the Authorized Architects' Committee during the absence on leave of Lieut.-Colonel Lennox Godfrey Bird, O.B.E., D.S.O., or until further notice, with effect from the 7th May, 1930.

8th May, 1930.

No. 278.—With reference to Government Notification No. 260, published in the Gazette of the 2nd May, 1930, His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has received information from the Secretary of State for the Colonies that Doctor Santiago Llosa has been appointed Consul General for Peru in Hong Kong.

8th May, 1930.

No. 279.—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to recognise Mr. Patricio Smart, provisionally and pending the issue of His Majesty's Exequatur, as Consul for Chile in Hong Kong.

8th May, 1930.

No. 280.—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased, under section 3 (3) of the Vaccination Ordinance, 1923, Ordinance No. 12 of 1923, to cancel the Authorisations set forth in Government Notifications Nos. 561 of 24th October, 1929, and 23 of 10th January, 1930.

8th May, 1930.