

SOVEREIGNS AND RULERS IN PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, 1896—*Concluded.*

Country.	Name.	Year of birth.	Year.	Year of Accession or Assumption of office.
Belgium.....	Leopold II.....	1835	King of the Belgians.....	1865
Brazil.....	Prudente de Moraes Barros.	1844	President of the United States of Brazil.	1894
Bulgaria.....	Ferdinand of Saxe-Cobourg.	1861	Prince.....	1887
China.....	Tsaitien Kwangsü....	1871	Emperor of China.....	1875
Denmark.....	Christian IX.....	1818	King of Denmark.....	1863
Egypt.....	Abbas Hilmi.....	1874	Khedive of Egypt.....	1892
France.....	Félix Faure.....	1841	President of the French Republic.	1895
German Empire..	William II.....	1859	German Emperor.....	1888
	".....		King of Prussia.....	1888
Greece.....	George I.....	1845	King of the Hellenes....	1864
Holland.....	Wilhelmina Helena Pauline.	1880	Queen of the Netherlands.....	1890
	Emma.....		Queen Regent.....	1890
Italy.....	Humbert.....	1844	King of Italy.....	1878
Japan.....	Mutsuhito.....	1852	Mikado of Japan.....	1867
Mexico.....	Porfirio Diaz.....		President of the Confederate Republic of Mexico.	†1892
Montenegro.....	Nicholas I.....	1841	Prince of Montenegro.....	1860
Morocco.....	Mulai Abd-el Aziz....	1881	Sultan of Morocco.....	1894
Persia.....	Nâsr ed-din.....	1831	Shah of Persia.....	1848
Peru.....	Nicholas de Pierola....		President of the Republic of Peru.	1895
Portugal.....	Dom Carlos I.....	1863	King of Portugal.....	1889
Roumania.....	Carol I.....	1839	King of Roumania.....	1881
	".....		Czar of Russia.....	1894
Russia.....	Nicholas II.....	1868	King of Serbia.....	1889
Servia.....	Alexander I.....	1876	King of Spain.....	1886
Spain.....	Alfonso XIII.....	1886	Queen Regent.....	1885
	Maria Christina.....	1858	King of Sweden and Norway....	1872
Sweden and Norway.	Oscar II.....	1829		
Switzerland....	Admiral Lachenal....		President of the Swiss Confederation.*	1896
Tunis.....	Sidi Ali Pasha.....	1817	Bey of Tunis.....	1882
Turkey.....	Abdul Hamid II....	1842	Sultan of Turkey.....	1876
United States...	Grover Cleveland....	1837	President of the United States..	1892
Zanzibar.....	Hamed bin Thwain bin Said	1856	Sultan of Zanzibar.....	1893

* Elected annually. † Present term. Was first elected in 1876.

TREATIES.

60. The treaties made by the mother country are frequently referred to in Parliament and by the Government.