

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Note from the Spanish Government, stating that the Minister of the Interior had given orders, under date of the 17th ultimo, that vessels coming from Ergastria (Greece) should be put into three days' quarantine of observation when they come under the dispositions of Art. 30 of the Sanitary Law, and that in other circumstances they should be sent to a foul lazarette. Also, that on the 21st ultimo, the Minister of the Interior had ordered the same steps to be taken towards vessels coming from Scotland, owing to the appearance of small-pox at Glasgow.

(C. 284.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
April 6, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Decree of the Spanish Government, modifying Section 1 of Article 207 of the new Custom's Regulations in the following manner:—

“For not having the manifest drawn up on arriving in Spanish waters, a fine of 1000 pesetas, and for not having it made in conformity with the requisitions stated in Articles 46 and 47, 100 to 1000 pesetas, according to the gravity of the case; but omissions of weights, names of consignees and shippers, and other matters of small importance, may be altered at once, provided that no addition or amelioration be made in that which is manifested as regards the number of packages, or the quantities, when treating of loose cargoes.”

(C. 285.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
April 6, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree of the French Government, dated 30th March, 1871, repealing the Decree of the 9th September, 1870, relative to the free admission of arms and cartridges.

War Office, Pall Mall,
11th April, 1871.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain George John FitzRoy Smyth to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Ellis Philip Fox Reeve, who retires. Dated 25th March, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable Reginald James Macartney Greville Nugent to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Smyth. Dated 25th March, 1871.

97th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Harold Cummings, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William Ardagh Smyth, who retires. Dated 22nd February, 1871.

Control Department, Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Garrison Serjeant-Major John Smith to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 12th April, 1871.

Serjeant-Major Edward John Dalton, from the Army Service Corps, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 12th April, 1871.

Commissariat Clerk Edwin FitzStubbs to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 12th April, 1871.

Chaplain's Department, Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend Daniel Donovan to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 9th March, 1871.

Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend John Argyle Welsh Collins, B.A., to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 16th March, 1871.

Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend James Daly to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 28th March, 1871.

The Reverend C. A. Rosser to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 12th April, 1871.

Staff, Major-General Charles Henry Ellice, C.B., to be Quartermaster-General at Head Quarters, in succession to Major-General Frederick Paul Haines, who is about to proceed to India to assume the Command of the Forces in the Madras Presidency. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Admiralty, 6th April, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank:—

Lieutenant Archibald W. Hamilton.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

James Robert Walker, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

Sir Frederick Arrow to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th April, 1871.

West Essex Militia.

Edward de Grey Bowyer Smijth to be Lieutenant, vice Davis, resigned. Dated 9th March, 1871.

9th Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Churton to be Ensign. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

1st Derbyshire Militia.

Henry Pearson to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 8th April, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Charles John Ayton in the Durham Fusilier Militia.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

14th Durham Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Hugh Lec Pattinson to be Ensign. Dated 21st March, 1871.

Harry Gill to be Ensign. Dated 21st March, 1871.