

*Education Department, Whitehall,
March 21, 1872.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of School Boards in the under-mentioned Parishes:—

Chepstow Monmouth
Hutton Cranswick Yorkshire
Llanfair Dyffryn Clwyd Denbigh
Scybor-y-Coed Cardigan

*Education Department, Whitehall,
March 21, 1872.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day to fill casual vacancies in the School Boards of Leicester and Llanrwst.

(C. 301.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
March 21, 1872.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Despatches from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Buenos Ayres, reporting the imposition by the Argentine Government of fifteen days' quarantine from the day of sailing on arrivals from Brazilian ports; from Her Majesty's Consul at Rosario, reporting the imposition of fifteen days' quarantine on arrivals from Monte Video and Brazilian ports, should they not present a clean bill of health to prove that quarantine had already been performed at Buenos Ayres; from Her Majesty's Consul at Pernambuco, reporting the continuance of Yellow Fever at that port; and from Her Majesty's Consul at Rio Grande do Sul, reporting the non-existence of the same malady within his Consular district.

(C. 302.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
March 21, 1872.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translations of two Circulars, addressed by the Spanish Minister of the Interior to the several Governors of the Maritime Provinces of Spain, introducing certain modifications into the Quarantine Regulations of that country:—

I.

With a view to obviate the injury done to the maritime commerce by the frequent occurrence of the decease of some one individual during the passage, the want of accuracy between the number of those who figure in the bill of health and ship's roll, and those whom the ships actually have on board, and the arrival of these ships at our ports without the first of these documents; with a view to facilitate the decision as to doubts which may arise in the minds of the special Directors of this service; and with a view to conciliate the mercantile interests with those of the public health, His Majesty has been pleased to order as follows:—

1. That notwithstanding that which is laid down in the Royal Order of the 6th of June, of 1860, ships having a clean bill of health, and which have lost some individual by death during the voyage, be admitted to free pratique provided the captains or masters satisfactorily prove that

such accident was not caused by some contagious disease.

2. That those ships which with a clean bill of health come, owing to accidental circumstances, with one person on board more or less than those comprised in the bill of health and ship's roll, be freely admitted, on its being shown by the masters of the vessels, that the difference in the number of the individuals consist in causes which do not affect the public health.

3. That on proof by the captain or master of the involuntary and inevitable absence of the bill of health, of which mention is made in the Royal Order of August 24, of 1867, no obstacles be placed in the way of the ship's free entry.

4. That the previous rules be always understood as applying to vessels coming from clean ports, arriving in good sanitary condition. And lastly, that during the necessary time spent by the ships for explaining the circumstances under which they arrived, they remain completely cut off from all communication.

By Royal Order, &c.

Madrid, March 8, 1872.

II.

Frequent complaints being received at this Ministry as to the manner in which the sanitary laws are interpreted in the sub-directions of the service, the King has been pleased to order that your Excellency should remind those who are established in your province of the Decrees of the 28th of December, of 1868, and April 16, of 1869, which regulate their organization, as well as of the exact fulfilment of the sanitary law and other dispositions in force, and that in all doubtful cases they must consult your Excellency. At the same time it is His Majesty's wish that, without the loss of a moment, your Excellency cause to be inserted in the Official Bulletin all the dispositions of a general character which may hereafter emanate from this Ministry and General Direction of the service, and those which constitute law in concrete cases, which may be brought to your Excellency's notice.

By Royal Order, &c.

Madrid, March 8, 1872.

(C. 304.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
March 21, 1872.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Despatches from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, reporting that the Portuguese Health Authorities have declared Salonica to be infected with Cholera Morbus since the 26th December last, the Ionian Isles to be suspected of the same malady since the 1st January last, Pernambuco to be infected with Yellow Fever since the 22nd of December last, and Maranham to be free from that malady since the 29th of the same month.

War Office, Pall Mall,

22nd March, 1872.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Daniel Alexander Grant to be Captain, vice H. M. Hozier, appointed Assistant-Controller. Dated 13th March, 1872.

4th Dragoon Guards, Henry Ernest Baskerville Walton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice W. E. K. Fox, whose appointment is cancelled. Dated 23rd March, 1872.