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War Office, November 17, 1893.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in, and appointment to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath :

To be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—
Admiral Sir Anthony Hiley Hoskins, K.C.B.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—

Admiral Sir Michael Culme-Seymour, Bart.

(H. 8312.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, November 15, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Quarantine Notice, issued by the Governor of Texas :—

Austin, Texas, October 24.—The Governor promulgated the following to-day :—

Whereas it has been made known to me that there is no longer a necessity for a general quarantine ; now, therefore, I, J. S. Hogg, Governor of the State of Texas, do, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution and laws of the State, hereby revoke my Proclamation of April 3, 1893, imposing certain conditions upon all vessels from ports and places south of 25 degrees north latitude, and entering the ports of the State after May 1, 1893, to take effect on and after the 15th day of November, 1893 ; provided, that said portion of said Proclamation applying to the entrance into Texas ports of vessels infected by contagious diseases, such as small-pox, cholera, and yellow fever, or having had either of said named diseases on shipboard within a period of twenty days before such arrival at said Texas port, shall remain in full force ; and all such vessels are hereby prohibited from landing persons or things at any town or place on the gulf coast of the State of Texas until permission to do so shall be given by the State Health Officer, or the Health Officer of the port or place. I further declare quarantine on and after November 15, 1893, against any person or persons infected with yellow fever, typhus fever, small-pox, or cholera, in Mexico or elsewhere, and hereby prohibit all persons who have been, within a period of twenty

days, exposed to either of said named diseases from entering the State. The citizens of the State and all Health Authorities are earnestly requested to notify the State Health Officer of any outbreaks of epidemic diseases or violations of this Proclamation, and to give to said officer any other information that may promote the public health.

J. S. HOGG, Governor of Texas.

(H. 8341.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, November 15, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 14th November, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, stating that Teneriffe is declared to be infected with cholera, and all other ports of the Canary Islands suspected, from the 1st November. Nantes and all other ports in the Department of the Loire Inférieure free from cholera from November 5.

(H. 8313.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, November 16, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 7th November, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Athens, enclosing the following translation of a Royal Decree, modifying the Greek Quarantine Regulations :—

George I, King of the Hellenes.

Taking into consideration paragraph 5 of Article 13 of the Sanitary Law, upon the proposal of our Minister of the Interior, and in pursuance of the opinion of the Board of Health, we have resolved and do order :—

Article 7 of our Royal Decree of the ^{22 July,} _{4 Aug.} 1893, "concerning sanitary measures for the prevention of cholera" is modified as follows :—

Article 7.

Vessels proceeding from cholera-infected districts or districts suspected of infection, if, having performed at a foreign lazaretto the whole of the quarantine established by the respective Government, have been granted free pratique by that State, and the period of such a quarantine is shorter than that established by us, shall be obliged to complete it in our lazarettos or ports relatively to the category of quarantine to which they are subject.

In the case of ships proceeding from cholera-infected countries it must be ascertained, at the