mation to the effect that an Italian Ordinance of the 13th instant extends to all Egyptian ports, the rules published with Ordinance No. 12 for goods coming from Port Said.

Admiralty, 17th May, 1900.

Sub-Lieutenant Wion de Malpas Egerton has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th April, 1900.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Eric Walter Harbord.
Wion de Malpas Egerton.
Aubrey Lambert.
John Claud Cole-Hamilton.
Charles Cockin Johnson.

Dated 15th April, 1899. Henry Gerard Laurence Oliphant. Francis George Gillilan Chilton. William Cadman.

Ernest Courthope Bosanquet. John Smythe Harris. Francis Mary Hodgson.

Bertram William Lothian Nicholson.

Dated 15th June, 1899. Arthur Gardiner Muller. Edward Leonard Grieve.

Dated 15th July, 189?.

Royal Naval Reserv:
Sub-Lieutenant Joseph Douglas Keatinge to be
Lieutenant. Dated 14th May, 1900.

Admiralty, 18th May, 1900.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant John Samuel Sandford Penrose has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th Angust, 1899.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, 30th April, 1877, and 26th February, 1897—

Fleet Engineer Frederic George Whittaker has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Inspector of Machinery. Dated 15th May, 190).

Assistant - Paymaster Philip Le Hardy De la Garde to be Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 30th April, 1900.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed Engineers:—
Robert Vincent.

Charles Pasco Coleman.
Dated 16th May, 1900.

Admiralty, 19th May, 1900.

Acting Chief Engineer Richard Collingwood has been confirmed in the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 8th February, 1897.

Acting Chief Engineer John Lennox Fleetwood has been confirmed as Chief Engineer in Her . Majesty's Fleet. Dated 4th November, 1898.

Admiralty, 21st May, 1900.

THE following Officers have been specially promoted for services in South Africa:—Commander Arthur Henry Limpus to be Captain. Lieutenants:

Frederic William Dean, Algernon Walker Heneage, to be Commanders. Surgeon Charles Marsh Beadnell to be Staff Surgeon.

Engineers:

Edgar Harold Ellis,
Charles Cape Sheen,
to be Chief Engineers.
Gunner William Sims to be Lieutenant.
Dated 2nd May, 1900.

The following Officers are noted for early promotion:—

Lieutenant Lionel Halsey. Surgeon James Grant Fowler.

The following Midshipmen are noted for early promotion on qualifying for the rank of Lieutenant:—

George Edgar Lewin.
Thomas Charles Armstrong.
John Richards Middleton.
Henry Tresilian Hayes.
Robert Cecil Hamilton.
Honourable Ian Ludovic Andrew Carnegie.
Alick Stokes.
Edward George Chichester.
Charles Reynolds Sharp.

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd May, 1900.

The Royal Sussex Regiment, General Sir John Davis, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Major-General and Honorary Lieutenant-General G. S. Young, C.B., transferred to the South Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 12th April, 1900.

The South Staffordshire Regiment, Major-General and Honorary Lieutenant-General G. S. Young, C.B., from the Royal Sussex Regiment, to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General and Honorary General J. W. S. Smith, C.B., deceased. Dated 12th April, 1900.

Royal Horse Guards, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 17th March, 1900:—

The Honourable Reginald Ward, vice H. W., Viscount Crichton, seconded for service on the Staff.

The Honourable Arthur V. Meade, Adjutant, to complete establishment.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Robert Stanley Pearson (University Candidate), from 4th Battalion the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. E. D. Goff, promoted. Dated 2nd May, 1900.

6th Dragoons, Second Lieutenant G. H. Earle to be Lieutenant, vice J. L. Lawlor, appointed Adjutant. Dated 20th February, 1900.

21st Lancers, Lieutenant Cuthbert S. Nesham to be Captain, on augmentation. Dated 7th April, 1900.

Second Lieutenant R. E. Cecil to be Lieutenant, vice H. B. Protheroe Smith, promoted. Dated 2nd March, 1900.

Captain Samuel Moorhouse (University Candidate), from 4th Volunteer Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 9th May, 1900.

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Major W. B. Mynors to be Adjutant. Dated 23rd May, 1900.

The Christian names of Captain Reynolds, Medical Officer, are Graham Hay and not as stated in the Gazette of 6th March, 1900.