

the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from His Majesty's Representative at Petropolis, respecting certain regulations which have been issued by the Brazilian authorities concerning the treatment and disinfection of vessels leaving the "suspected" harbour of Rio de Janeiro for other ports in Brazil. These regulations can be inspected at the Fisheries and Harbour Department of the Board of Trade any week-day between eleven and five.

(F. & H. 16166.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, November 8, 1901.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated the 5th November, from His Majesty's Representative at Brussels, enclosing a copy of the following Ministerial Decrees which have been issued by the Belgian Government, imposing, from the 4th instant, certain sanitary measures in Belgium owing to the presence of plague at Liverpool and Glasgow:—

Ministère de l'Agriculture.

Service de Santé, Hygiène Publique et Voirie Communale.

Patentes de Santé. Retrait de Dispense. Le Ministre de l'Agriculture.

Vu l'arrêté royal du 15 Décembre, 1898, et spécialement son article 1er, relatif à la production et à la dispense de la patente de santé;

Revu l'arrêté ministériel du 18 Février, 1899;

Arrêté:

Est retirée la dispense de la patente de santé accordée aux navires arrivant directement des ports de la côte occidentale d'Ecosse et d'Angleterre depuis le cap Wrath jusqu'au cap Land's End.

Bruxelles, le 3 Novembre, 1901.

BARON M. VAN DER BRUGEN.

Peste. Mesures aux Frontiers, Glasgow et Liverpool.

Le Ministre de l'Agriculture.

Vu l'arrêté royal du 5 Avril, 1897, relatif à la peste;

Vu l'existence de la peste, officiellement constatée à Liverpool et à Glasgow;

Considérant qu'il y a lieu, dès lors, de confirmer les mesures provisoires prises en ce qui concerne Glasgow des le 28, et Liverpool dès le 29 Octobre.

Arrêté:

ART. 1er. Les dispositions qui font l'objet des articles 1er à 4 de l'arrêté royal du 5 Avril, 1897, susvisé, sont rendues applicables, à partir du 4 courant, aux provenances de Glasgow et de Liverpool, contaminés par la peste bubonique.

ART. 2. Ces provenances, arrivant par mer, seront soumises à la station sanitaire de l'Escaut, et dans les ports d'Ostende et de Nieuport, ainsi qu'à Selzaete, au régime stipulé par les chapitres II, III et IV du règlement sanitaire général annexé à la Convention sanitaire internationale de Venise en date du 14 Mars, 1847.

Bruxelles, le 3 Novembre, 1901.

BARON M. VAN DER BRUGEN.

*Admiralty, 5th November, 1901.*

THE following promotions have been made:—

Vice-Admiral Sir John Arbuthnot Fisher, K.C.B., to be Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Rear-Admiral Sir Gerard Henry Uetred Noel, K.C.M.G., to be Vice-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Arthur Charles Burgoyne Bromley to be Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Dated 2nd November, 1901.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Alan Bruce Leslie has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request.

*Admiralty, 6th November, 1901.*

THE following promotions have been made:—

Inspector of Machinery John Allin Lemon to be Chief Inspector of Machinery.

Fleet Engineer Caleb John North to be Inspector of Machinery.

Dated 1st October, 1901.

*Admiralty, 7th November, 1901.*

IN accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 15th September, 1887:—

Chief Carpenter Thomas Henry Hooper has been granted the relative rank of Lieutenant on retirement. Dated 3rd November, 1901.

*War Office, 8th November, 1901.*

MEMORANDUM.

HIS Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the formation of a Regiment of Imperial Yeomanry for the County of Essex to be designated the Essex Imperial Yeomanry.

*War Office, 8th November, 1901.*

HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF LONDON.

Major F. B. Bell retires into the Veteran Company, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps on retirement. Dated 9th November, 1901.

Captain H. C. Duncum to be Major. Dated 9th November, 1901.

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ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

*The Carmarthen Artillery (Western Division).* Ronald Edwyn Poyer Lewis, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th November, 1901.

*The Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery (Western Division).* The promotion of Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Hext to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, which was announced in the London Gazette of the 4th October, 1901, bears date 31st August, 1901, and not as therein stated.

Captain and Honorary Major H. J. Young-Jamieson to be Major. Dated 31st August, 1901.

*The Dublin City Artillery (Southern Division).* Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel W. C. Dickenson retires under paragraph 44 Militia Regulations, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the prescribed uniform on retirement. Dated 18th November, 1901.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Smythe to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command under paragraph 44 Militia Regulations. Dated 18th November, 1901.

*The Durham Artillery (Western Division).* Captain J. Gowans to be Major. Dated 9th November, 1901.

*The Glamorgan Artillery (Western Division).* Lieutenant P. E. Blackmore is seconded for service with the Royal Garrison Regiment. Dated 20th October, 1901.