transmitting the following translation of a Circular, dated the 10th November, issued by the Imperial and Royal Marine Board at Trieste:—Cholera at Beirout having ceased, the dispositions set forth in Government Circular of October the 23rd, 1911, are herewith rescinded.—Trieste, November 10, 1911.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 23, 1911.

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The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated the 18th November, from His Majesty's Minister at the Hague, stating that the Minister of the Interior has withdrawn his decree of the 19th August in so far as Genoa was thereby declared to be infected with Asiatic cholera, and that the Ministers of the Interior and of Finance have withdrawn, from the 18th November, their prohibition respecting the importation and transit of rags, etc., from that port.

Admiralty, 22nd November, 1911.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Probationary Sub-Lieutenant Harold Holehouse has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1910.

Admiralty, 23rd November, 1911.

The undermentioned Surgeons have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in His Majesty's Fleet—

Walter Perceval Yetts. Thomas Dixon Liddle, M.B. Norman Sinclair Meiklejohn. William Perceval Hingston. Reginald Hugh St. Bernard Ellis Hughes. Frederick Morton Vincent Smith. Arthur Henry Sims Richardson. George Herbert Stephens Milln, M.B. Edward Bryan Kenny, M.B. Arthur Reginald Schofield, M.B. Francis Jollie Gowans, M.B. Evelyn Richard Townsend. James Campbell Bringan, M.B. Guy Leslie Buckeridge. Arthur Dillon Croker Cummins. Thomas Walter Jeffery. Palmer Devoy Ramsay. Edward Postle Gwyn Causton, B.A. George Deleval Walsh. James Ernest Johnston, M.B., B.A. Bertram Raleigh Bickford.

War Office, 24th November, 1911.

## REGULAR FORCES.

CAVALRY.

1st Life Guards, Lieutenant Godfrey E. M. Mundy, Adjutant, to be Captain under the provisions of Article 26, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1909. Dated 10th November, 1911.

Lieutenant Ralph C. Bingham resigns his Commission. Dated 25th November, 1911.

Gentleman Cadet Algernon Lindsay Eric Smith, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1911.

Lord Charles Melbourne Hope, to be Second Lieutenant (on Probation). Dated 25th November, 1911.

Royal Horse Guards, Lieutenant Lord Victor W. Paget resigns his commission. Dated 25th November, 1911.

Second Lieutenant Keld Robert George Fenwick, from Lincolnshire Yeomanry, to be Second Lieutenant (on Probation). Dated 25th November, 1911.

1st (Royal) Dragoons, Captain Walter T. Hodgson is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Yeomanry. Dated 1st November, 1911.

Supernumerary Captain Philip E. Hardwick is restored to the establishment. Dated 1st November, 1911.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 17th October, 1911:—

William H. J. St. L. Atkinson, and to remain seconded.

Edward W. T. Miles.

Robert Houston, Adjutant, under the provisions of Article 26, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1909.

2nd Dragoons (Royal Scots Greys), Lieutenant John J. Readman is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Yeomanry. Dated 12th October, 1911.

6th (Inniskilling) Dragoons, Quartermaster-Sergeant William Macpherson, to be Quartermaster with the Honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1911.

21st (Empress of India's) Lancers, Second Lieutenant David M. Methven to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1911.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Major Edward Harding Newman is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 10th November, 1911.

Captain Duncan W. L. Spiller is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Artillery. Dated 7th November, 1911.

Supernumerary Captain Cecil H. Clark is restored to the establishment. Dated 12th November, 1911.

Lieutenant Adolph Z. Blumenthal is seconded for service as an Adjutant of