

Her Majesty's Ship "Decoy."

Number of Officers landed, 2; number of men landed, 20:—Total 22.

Casualties—Nil.

Total number landed 304

Total number of casualties 5

(Signed) HAMILTON MOORE,
Staff Surgeon, Second Class, in
Medical Charge.

(Signed) E. R. FREMANTLE,
Captain and Senior Officer.

*Colonial Office, Downing Street,
July 12, 1873.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Cleaver Francis Robinson, Esq., now Lieutenant-Governor of Prince Edward Island, to be an Ordinary Member of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Downing Street, July 12, 1873.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Francis Chapman Grant and William Cleaver, Esqrs., to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Settlement on the Gold Coast.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Charles Joseph Galliari Rampini, Esq., to be a Puisne Judge of the Colony of British Guiana.

(M. 9987.)

*Marine Department, Board of Trade,
Whitehall Gardens, July 14, 1873.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a translation of a Notice published in the Madrid Official Gazette, by virtue of which vessels which sailed from ports on the Danube subsequently to the 2nd of June last will be admitted to free pratique in Spanish ports, provided that they have clean bills and are in a satisfactory state of health, and that nothing of a suspicious nature has occurred on board, and that they carried a surgeon from the time of first putting to sea; also that vessels which have fulfilled these conditions with the exception of carrying a surgeon are to undergo five days' quarantine.

(M. 9988.)

*Marine Department, Board of Trade,
Whitehall Gardens, July 14, 1873.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Athens, which states that on account of the cholera at Venice five days' quarantine is imposed on arrivals in Greek ports from that place.

(M. 9880.)

*Marine Department, Board of Trade,
Whitehall Gardens, July 14, 1873.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, which states that the yellow fever having entirely ceased in that city, the port of Buenos Ayres has been re-opened with free pratique to vessels from Monte Video.

(S. & C. 1349.)

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
July 14, 1873.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, certain information concerning proceedings in the Consular Court at Zanzibar in the matter of the failure of Messrs. Rieck, Gibson, and Co., Merchants, Zanzibar.

This information will be communicated to anyone interested in the affairs of the firm who will apply at the Statistical and Commercial Department of the Board of Trade.

Admiralty, 11th July, 1873.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873, the undermentioned Assistant Paymasters have this day been placed on the Retired List:—

Mozart Vinning.

William Henry Whyham.

Admiralty, 12th July, 1873.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873—

Paymaster George B. Westcott has this day been placed on the Retired List.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
15th July, 1873.*

Brigade Depot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Bird, from half-pay, late Military Train, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 16th July, 1873.

7th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain Alfred Bibby, from the 13th Hussars, to be Captain, vice W. R. Truman, who exchanges. Dated 16th July, 1873.

7th Hussars, Thomas Graham Smith, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. Smith, retired. Dated 16th July, 1863.

10th Hussars, Lieutenant Robert Francis Pate Startin, from the 94th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice E. S. Watson, retired. Dated 16th July, 1873.

Reginald Tuite-Dalton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. Watkins, promoted. Dated 16th July, 1873.

11th Hussars, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Craufurd Fraser, C.B., V.C., retires upon half-pay. Dated 16th July, 1873.

13th Hussars, Captain William Robinson Truman, from the 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice A. Bibby, who exchanges. Dated 16th July, 1873.

17th Lancers, Major George Coke Robertson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 16th July, 1873.

3rd Foot, Captain Joseph James Boardman Haydock retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 16th July, 1873.

6th Foot, Lieutenant Augustus Green retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigny. Dated 16th July, 1873.

7th Foot, Henry Archibald Anderson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. W. St. George, retired. Dated 16th July, 1873.