the Council of Government of the Island of

Gordon Gairdner, Esq., sometime Chief Clerk in the Colonial Office, and Secretary and Registrar of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Sir George Barrow, Bart., lately Chief Clerk in the Colonial Office, and Secretary and Registrar of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Virgile Naz, Esq., Member of the Council of Government of the Island of Mauritius.

Saul Samuel, Esq., Postmaster-General and Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of New South Wales.

### Crown Office, May 27, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

### Town of Poole.

The Honourable Anthony Evelyn Melbourne Ashley, of 61, Cadogan-place, Sloane-street, in the county of Middlesex, and Wimborne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, Barrister-at-Law, in the place of Charles Waring, Esq., whose election has been determined to be void.

### (H. 3529.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 27, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, enclosing an Official Notice respecting quarantine, a translation of which is appended:—

(Translation).

#### NOTICE.

Home Office, 4th Department, Political and Civil Adminstration.

Notice is hereby given for the information of the parties interested, that henceforward in accordance with the opinion of the Consultative Board of Public Health, vessels arriving from any ports infected or suspected of any contagious diseases, although they may have undergone quarantine in any foreign lazaretto, will not be admitted to free pratique in the Portuguese ports, unless it should be authentically proved, before the respective Health Station, that the cleansing and disinfection to which they have been submitted are not less strict than what is required by our sanitary regulations.

Home Office, Lisbon, 15th of May, 1874. (Signed) LUIZ ANTONIO NOGUEIRA.

# (H. 3529.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 27, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, stating that by Official Notice the port of Pará has been declared "suspected" of yellow fever, the port of Buenos Ayres free from cholera morbus since the 4th ultimo, the port of Bahia "suspected" of yellow fever since the 15th ultimo, and the port of Santos (Brazil) "infected" with yellow fever since the 1st ultimo.

#### (H. 3521.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 28, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a Despatch from the Officer administering the Government of the Gold Coast, enclosing an Official Notice announcing that the blockade of the Gold Coast, established 15th December, 1873, was raised on the 17th April, 1874.

### Admiralty, 27th May, 1874.

The retirement of Lieutenant Julian Alleyne Baker, as notified in the London Gazette of the 4th July, 1873, has been cancelled, and he has been replaced on the Active List of Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with his original seniority of the 24th June, 1868.

### War Office, 29th May, 1874.

#### MILITIA.

Royal Brecon.

Herbert Hartland Mayberry, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th May, 1874.

Cambridge.

Captain John Armine Willis resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

### Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery.

Captain Joseph Pomeroy is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Thomas Moor Alphonse Horsford to be Captain, vice Pomeroy, resigned. Dated 30th May, 1874.

### 1st Devon.

Herbert Creyke Furneaux, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

Dorset.

Captain Walter John Fletcher resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

#### Royal South Gloucester.

John Handcock Selwyn Payne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

### Royal South Lincoln.

John Uppleby, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

# Royal East Middlesex.

John Hudson Watson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

## 2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment,

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Dottin Maycock to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th May, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Dottin Maycock is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 18th May, 1874.

Captain George Robert Stewart Black to be Major, vice Smith, resigned. Dated 18th May, 1874.

Ellis Houlton Ward, late Captain 60th Rifles, to be Captain. Dated 18th May, 1874.