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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1877.

Education Department, Whitehall. September 26, 1877.

HE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of School Boards in the undermentioned Parishes :---

Ashford	•••			Kent
Milverton				Warwick
Pencoed		***	•••	Glamorgan

and in the United District of-Llanfihangel-y-Traethau and Llanfrothen (comprising the parishes of Llanfihangel-y-Traethau and Llanfrothen) Merioneth

Education Department, Whitehall, September 26, 1877.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the compulsory formation of a School Board in the undermentioned United District :---

Reedness (comprising the parishes of Reedness and Whitgift) ...

... York

(S. & C. 2127.)

Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall, September 27, 1877.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Constantinople, reporting that the export of barley and millet from that capital is no longer prohibited.

(S. & C. 2137.)

Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall, September 27, 1877.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Berne, reporting that the Decree of the 27th July last imposing a duty of 800 francs on each horse exported from Switzerland has been abrogated.

(S. & C. 2139.)

Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall, September 27, 1877.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, with copy of a Decree issued by the Provisional Government, removing the import duty on coal. The

capital represented by cargoes of coal imported will, nevertheless, be subject to the impost of property tax, the metrical ton of coal being valued at ten dollars.

A copy of a further Decree of the same Government has also been received, removing the export duties on agricultural and rural produce (including fresh meat and fish) and live cattle.

Admiralty, 24th September, 1877. Royal Marines.

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery, viz :--Lieutenant Hamilton de la Poer Beresford to be

Captain, vice Hill, made Supernumerary on appointment as Adjutant to the 4th West York Artillery Volunteers. Dated 19th September, 1877.

Admiralty, 25th September, 1877.

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

Lieutenant James Mallcott Richardson has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank. Staff Surgeon John M. Hunter has been placed

- on the Retired List from the 16th instant. The Reverend Samuel Beal, Chaplain and Naval
- Instructor in the Royal Navy, has been placed on the Retired List from the 20th instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1860, and the 22nd February, 1870-

The Reverend Andrew C. Risk has been placed on the Retired List from the 30th ultimo.

Admiralty, 26th September, 1877.

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

Navigating Lieutenant Edgar Crow Baker has this day been placed on the Retired List.

The following promotions have this day been made :-

- John Boxell, Esq., to be Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet confirmed, with seniority of 1st May, 1877.
- Leopold Miles Green, Esq., to be Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th September, 1877,