

(H. 7306.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, September 28, 1883.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, reporting that quarantine is no longer imposed in Greek ports on vessels from Syria or Tripoli.

(H. 7307.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, September 28, 1883.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul-General at Algiers, reporting that quarantine in Algeria on vessels from Syria has been reduced to twenty-four hours observation, with medical inspection.

Admiralty, 27th September, 1883.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 21st July, 1876—Commander the Honourable Henry Hervey Molyneux having attained fifteen years' seniority as Commander on the 21st instant, has been authorized to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain from the same date.

The undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority as stated against their names:—

James Leighton, 1st September, 1883.

Joseph Monk, 4th September, 1883.

William Henry White, 8th September, 1883.

James Frost Babb, 13th September, 1883.

India Office, 28th September, 1883.

THE Queen has approved of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Devereux Walter Hickman, from the Dorsetshire Regiment. Dated 26th March, 1882, but to rank from 11th February, 1876.

Lieutenant Arthur Walter Lyster, from the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 10th March, 1880, but to rank from 8th March, 1876.

Lieutenant George Bowring, from the Dorsetshire Regiment. Dated 18th March, 1882, but to rank from 11th September, 1876.

Lieutenant Frederick Joseph Blakiston Priestley, from the Leicestershire Regiment. Dated 29th July, 1881, but to rank from 6th August, 1879.

Second Lieutenant Hedley Wright, from the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. Dated 1st March, 1880.

Lieutenant George Patrick Ranken, from the Manchester Regiment. Dated 2nd January, 1882, but to rank from 26th May, 1880.

Lieutenant Norman Chichester Perkins, from the Wiltshire Regiment. Dated 11th November, 1880, but to rank from 4th September, 1880.

Lieutenant James Robert Dunlop-Smith, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 26th March, 1882, but to rank from 2nd February, 1881.

Lieutenant Thomas Henry Bairnsfather, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 22nd January, 1882, but to rank from 3rd March, 1881.

Lieutenant Irtton Eardley - Wilmot, from the Border Regiment. Dated 25th February, 1882, but to rank from 30th April, 1881.

Lieutenant Herbert Richard Browne, from the Shropshire Light Infantry. Dated 27th February, 1882, but to rank from 1st July, 1881.

Lieutenant Frederic Blundell Mein, from the Manchester Regiment. Dated 11th April, 1882, but to rank from 1st July, 1881.

Lieutenant James William Cowley, from the South Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 16th March, 1882, but to rank from 1st July, 1881.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant John Jackson, from the Essex Regiment, dated 31st May, 1882, but to rank from 1st July, 1881.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant George Sapte Hogge, from the Border Regiment, dated 5th April, 1882, but to rank from 26th September, 1880.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

1. The rates of postage and additional sum for registration now chargeable and payable by the authority of the Treasury Warrant of the 13th day of December, 1882, or the schedules thereunder written on reply post cards conveyed or delivered for conveyance by post from or to Salvador, to or from any other country or place affected by the provisions of such last-mentioned Warrant of the 13th day of December, 1882, and all regulations and conditions as to the posting, forwarding, conveyance, and delivery of reply post cards conveyed or delivered for conveyance by post now in force and applicable thereto shall extend and apply to all reply post cards conveyed or delivered for conveyance by post from or to the Kingdom of Hawaii, the Republic of Guatemala, and the Danish Colony of Greenland, to or from any other country or place affected by the provisions of such last-mentioned Warrant of the 13th day of December, 1882, in the same way as if the Kingdom of Hawaii, the Republic of Guatemala, and the Danish Colony of Greenland had been named in such last-mentioned Warrant of the 13th day of December, 1882, or the schedules thereunder written.

2. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Charles C. Cotes,

Herbert J. Gladstone,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Fawcett,

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

* * The Index to the London Gazette, for the first six months of the year 1883, is now ready for delivery.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named St. John's Presbyterian Church of England, situated at Brougham-street, Hartlepool, in the parish of Hartlepool, in the