

*Whitehall, December 8, 1892.*

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, dated the 3rd instant, to appoint John Abraham Le Cocq, Esq., to be Judge of the Island of Alderney, in the room of Thomas Nicholas Barbenson, Esq., deceased.

*10, Whitehall Place, December 7, 1892.*

THE Archbishop of Canterbury has, under the authority of the Act of the 13th and 14th years of Her Majesty, chapter 94, appointed the Right Honourable Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, Bart., M.P., to be a Church Estates Commissioner, in the place of the Right Honourable Sir John Robert Mowbray, Bart., M.P., resigned.

*Education Department, Whitehall,  
December 8, 1892.*

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 Parish:—

Stone near Dartford ... .. Kent

(H. 9060.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 7, 1892.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of two Telegrams, dated 6th December, 1892, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, stating that Nantes is declared to be infected with cholera from the 18th, and Dunkirk from the 14th ultimo.

(H. 9061.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 7, 1892.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 30th November, 1892, from Her Majesty's Representative at Athens, stating that the importation of salted hides, shipped on or after the 21st November, 1892, from ports, the arrivals from which are subjected in Greece to observation and not to effective quarantine, is now permitted.

(H. 9062.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 7, 1892.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 6th December, 1892, from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, stating that free pratique is granted to arrivals from Hamburg, which sailed after the 1st instant.

(H. 9087.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 8, 1892.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 29th November, 1892, from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, stating that the quarantine on vessels from Sebastopol without passengers on board is reduced to twenty-four hours' observation.

The following Telegrams, dated 7th December, 1892, have also been received from Constantinople:—

"Quarantine on arrivals from Bulgarian ports without passengers on board reduced to three

days; with passengers on board maintained at ten days.

"Quarantine on arrivals from Odessa without passengers on board reduced to five days; with passengers on board maintained at ten days. Quarantine may be performed at Kavak or Sinope.

"Quarantine on arrivals from Austrian ports of the Adriatic without passengers on board reduced to three; with passengers on board maintained at five days.

"Quarantine on arrivals from Egypt and Italy abolished; only medical visit required.

"Quarantine on arrivals from Roumanian ports, with or without passengers, maintained at ten days.

"Quarantine on arrivals from Marseilles reduced to a detention of twenty-four hours."

(H. 9094.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 8, 1892.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram, dated 6th December, 1892, from Her Majesty's Representative at Gibraltar, stating that the quarantine on arrivals from the Black Sea and Sea of Azov is abolished in case of ships with clean bill of health, verified by the British Consul, and in good health on board.

(H. 9114.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 8, 1892.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Proclamation issued by Her Majesty's Representative in British Honduras, declaring Vera Cruz to be no longer an infected port. The Proclamation is dated 8th November, 1892.

(H. 9116.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 9, 1892.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 8th December, 1892, from Her Majesty's Representative at Sofia, stating that the quarantine at Tzaribrod is reduced to three days.

*Admiralty, 7th December, 1892.*

Engineer Arthur John Johns has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 9th October, 1892.

*Admiralty, 8th December, 1892.*

The notice of the retirement of Commander Fitzherbert Coddington, which appeared in the London Gazette of the 6th December, 1892, is hereby cancelled.

*War Office, 9th December, 1892.*

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

*The Prince of Wales's Own Norfolk Artillery (Eastern Division),* Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel E. R. M. Pratt to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of paragraph 45, Militia Regulations, 1891. Dated 10th December, 1892.

*The Antrim Artillery (Southern Division),* The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

C. E. D. Davidson-Houston. Dated 10th December, 1892.

W. G. A. Williams. Dated 10th December, 1892.