

Department of the Loire Inférieur and as far as the Belgian frontier, are to be regarded as free from cholera.

The following places in Europe are now officially regarded as infected with cholera: all Mediterranean ports of France, Belgium, The Netherlands, Germany, Russia, and the Finnish ports from the Russian frontier as far as and including Nystad.

The following non-European places are also regarded as infected: the Caucasus Asiatic Turkey, the ports on the Red Sea, Caspian Sea, and Persian Gulf, the ports of British East India, Chalow in Cochin China, Tonkin, the Philippines, China and Japan, Vladivostock in East Siberia, and Salta in the Argentine Republic.

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*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, February 17, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 16th February, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, stating that Rio Janeiro is declared to be infected with yellow fever, and all other ports of the province suspected, from the 1st ultimo.

Admiralty, 14th February, 1893.

Sub-Lieutenant Wilmot Stuart Nicholson has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 14th February, 1893.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 15th September, 1887—

Chief Boatswain Joseph Leech has this day been allowed to assume the honorary rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Boatswain George South has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Boatswain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The following Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Robert Vermuyden Woods.

Thomas Chope.

Walter Leslie Dangerfield Chapman.

Francis John Symons.

Jeremiah Nicholson Farren.

Dated 6th February, 1893.

War Office, 17th February, 1893.

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3rd Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, Lieutenant R. Scott to be Captain. Dated 18th February, 1893.

Second Lieutenant T. N. Ogilvy to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

Captain Mowbray Lees Sant, the Northumberland Fusiliers, to be Adjutant, vice Captain W. E. Sturges, whose term of service as Adjutant expires. Dated 16th February, 1893.

4th Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major J. H. Boughton-Leigh resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 18th February, 1893.

2nd Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Supernumerary Lieutenant the Honourable A. E. J. Henniker Major to be Captain, and to remain Supernumerary. Dated 18th February, 1893.

Lieutenant C. E. Bouchier to be Captain. Dated 18th February, 1893.

Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry A. H. Baillie to be Captain. Dated 18th February, 1893.

Reginald Seager Hunt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Captain T. L. Walsh, from the 4th Battalion, to be Captain. Dated 18th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant A. S. Whiteley to be Captain. Dated 18th February, 1893.

Second Lieutenant W. F. E. Massey to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

George Marsden, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment, Harold Delacour Beamish, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Lancashire Fusiliers, John Ernest Chalmers, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, Captain and Instructor of Musketry J. McHaffie is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 18th February, 1893.

4th Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Maxton Moore. Dated 18th February, 1893.

Francis Edward Brind Mainwaring. Dated 18th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Christopher Meredyth Lewis, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

4th Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Supernumerary Lieutenant E. F. C. Evanson to be Captain, and to remain Supernumerary. Dated 10th February, 1893.

Lieutenant L. J. Theobald to be Captain. Dated 10th February, 1893.

4th Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry J. H. Davidson-Houston is seconded whilst serving as Sub-Inspector of Constabulary in British Honduras. Dated 15th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment, Harold Arthur David Richards, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Worcestershire Regiment, John Harington, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

4th Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

The Honourable Frederick Edward Guest. Dated 14th February, 1893.

Edward Barnard Hankey. Dated 14th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant G. S. H. Aldham, from the 3rd Battalion the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Arthur Patrick William Rickman, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th February, 1893.