

Malta:—"Ten days' quarantine maintained only arrivals Sicily and other Italian Islands, Sardinia excepted, Vilayet Tripoli, Régency Tunis, and Algeria; and same quarantine imposed arrivals Constantinople."

(H. 9092.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 9, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 5th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Stockholm, stating that Constantinople and the Canary Islands are declared to be infected with cholera.

The following places are now declared free from infection:—Riga, and other ports in Livonia, from the 4th instant. The island of Sicily, Bilbao, and other ports on the Spanish coast between France and Portugal, from the 25th ultimo.

(H. 9093.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 9, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 4th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Sofia, stating that the following articles, hitherto prohibited from importation into Bulgaria from infected countries, are now admitted:—

1. Almonds, nuts, walnuts, &c.
2. Yeast, if in hermetically sealed receptacles.
3. Fish, except fresh fish.
4. Caviare.
5. Hay, straw, and forage.
6. Birds, alive or dead.
7. Saddlery and harness.
8. Carriages.
9. Mineral waters.

(H. 9120.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 11, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 9th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Alexandria, stating that Bussorah is released from quarantine.

(H. 9121.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 11, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 9th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, stating that arrivals from Tripoli (Barbary) are declared foul, whatever their date of departure.

(H. 9171.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 12, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram, dated 11th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Cyprus, stating that the quarantine on arrivals from Constantinople, the Black Sea, Sea of Azov, Sea of Marmora, and Dardanelles is increased to five days. Ten days' against Salonica.

(H. 9172.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 12, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 6th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Bucharest,

stating that the Austro-Roumanian frontier has been reopened to traffic from Prisacani to Oituz.

(H. 9175.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 12, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 11th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, stating that ten days' quarantine is declared against Salonica.

Admiralty, 8th December, 1893.

THE following Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

John Davies Rogers.

Dated 14th February, 1892.

Arthur Herbert Charles Chesney Home.

Walter Hugh Charles Samuel Thring.

Wilfrid Henderson.

Dated 14th July, 1892.

Henry Rawdon Veale.

Hubert Stansbury.

Charles Wispington Glover Crawford.

Dated 14th August, 1892.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Walter Hugh Charles Samuel Thring.

Wilfrid Henderson.

Dated 14th January, 1893.

Hubert Stansbury.

Charles Wispington Glover Crawford.

Dated 14th August, 1893.

Admiralty, 9th December, 1893.

Lieutenant Henry Belam has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander on the Retired List. Dated 30th November, 1893.

Assistant-Engineer Septimus Ham has been advanced to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 5th September, 1893.

Admiralty, 11th December, 1893.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Lieutenant Herbert St. Leger Curteis to be Captain, vice MacDonnell, retired. Dated 28th November, 1893.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant William Henry Langford to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1893.

Admiralty, 12th December, 1893.

Sub-Lieutenant William Hampton Gervis has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, for services at Pumwani during the expeditions in support of the British East African Company. Dated 7th August, 1893.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
12th December, 1893.*

1st Life Guards, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Simon M. Lockhart, Bart., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel the Honourable C. C. G. Byng, retired. Dated 6th December, 1893.

Royal Engineers, Superintending Clerk James Frost to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice J. H. Bailey. Dated 13th December, 1893.