

Persique, jusqu'au cap Comorin, doivent être accompagnés à l'importation et au transit, par application du 1er alinéa de l'Article 3 de cet arrêté, d'un certificat d'origine visé par un agent consulaire belge et à défaut de pareil agent résidant au port d'expédition, d'un certificat d'origine visé par l'autorité locale de ce port.

Bruxelles, le 1er Mai, 1897.

LÉON DE BRUYN.

Peste.—Mesures préventives.

Le Ministre de l'agriculture et des travaux publics,

Vu l'arrête royal du 5 Avril, 1897, prescrivant des mesures sanitaires relativement à l'importation et au transit des marchandises provenant de pays ou de circonscriptions territoriales déclarés contaminés de peste, spécialement en son Article 1er, dernier alinéa ;

Vu l'avis de la commission sanitaire de l'Escaut, Arrête :

Article unique. Sont autorisés l'entrée et le transit par les frontières de terre et de mer des cuirs verta salés et en même temps arséniqués, venant de pays et de circonscriptions territoriales déclarés contaminés de peste.

Bruxelles, le 5 Mai, 1897.

LÉON DE BRUYN.

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Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, May 18, 1897.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Sofia, intimating that the port of Rangoon has never been considered as contaminated by the plague, and that the importation of rice direct from that port has always been allowed ; and further, that jute sacks from Calcutta may be imported into Bulgaria after disinfection at a Bulgarian port.

Admiralty, 18th May, 1897.

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

Staff Commander Thomas Barrington Moody has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 7th May, 1897.

Lieutenant Gerald Elias has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 12th May, 1897.

Admiralty, 19th May, 1897.

THE undermentioned Staff Engineers have been advanced to the rank of Fleet Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz. :—

Stephen Henry Blundell. Dated 4th May, 1897.
John William Hezwood. Dated 7th May, 1897.

The undermentioned Chief Engineers have been advanced to the rank of Staff Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz. :—

Quintin William King. Dated 6th May, 1897.
Frederick William Wells. Dated 7th May, 1897.
Walter James Featherstone. Dated 7th May, 1897.

Admiralty, 20th May, 1897.

CONSEQUENT on the retirement of Admiral St. George Caulfield D'Arcy-Irvine, C.B., from 10th May, 1897, the following promotions have been made from the same date :—

Vice-Admiral Sir Henry Fairfax, K.C.B., to be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Rear-Admiral Sir Frederick George Denham Bedford, K.C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Day Hort Bosanquet to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captains :

Capel Wodehouse,
John Ingles,
John Hext, C.I.E.,

to be Rear-Admirals on the Retired List.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—
Fleet Surgeon John Anderson McAdam has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request.

The undermentioned Staff Surgeons have been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

James Thomas William Stentford Kellard.
John Davey Henwood.

Dated 7th May, 1897.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—
Surgeon Clement Alsop has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 7th April, 1897.

India Office, 21st May, 1897.

THE Queen has approved of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Medical Service, and Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Government of India :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Henry King MacGeorge. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Frank Evelyn Coningham, from the Border Regiment. Dated 6th January, 1896, but to rank from 6th October, 1892.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Dated 10th January, 1897.

Denzil Ibbetson Michael Macaulay.

Dated 28th February, 1897.

Patrick Barclay Sangster.

Dashwood William Harrington Humphreys.

John Gwynne Griffith.

Mark Sygne.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Senior Assistant-Surgeon with the honorary rank of Surgeon-Lieutenant.

First Class Assistant-Surgeon John Davis, Bengal Establishment. Dated 23rd December, 1896.

The Queen has approved of the restoration of the undermentioned Officer from the Half-Pay List to the Effective List :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Archibald Samuel Hamilton. Dated 26th February, 1897.

The Queen has also approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Major William Eden Evans-Gordon. Dated 12th May, 1897.

Major Stewart Melvill Congreve-Schneider. Dated 1st March, 1897.

MADRAS CAVALRY.

Major-General Hugh Richard Hope, C.B. Dated 10th May, 1897.