

under such restrictions as may be ordered by the Port Authority, for a period not less than 7 days from the date of disinfection and not less than the number of days required to complete 30 days from the date of departure.

5. Goods.

The importation of coffee coloured with substances injurious to health is prohibited.

The importation of cotton seed from any port subject to quarantine is forbidden.

The importation of rags is prohibited.

The importation is forbidden before disinfection, of the following articles, viz.: wearing apparel, soiled linen and clothing, bedding materials, hides, feathers, bones and jute goods.

The importation of vines, vine shoots, and fruit packed in vine leaves is prohibited. The importation of plants or roots from any port of the Mediterranean is prohibited unless the same are accompanied by a satisfactory certificate that phylloxera is not known to exist at the place of origin.

By command,

F. VELLA,

Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Palace, Valletta, July 1, 1897.

(S. 1975.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, July 9, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, reporting that Amoy has been declared foul.

(S. 1979.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, July 9, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, reporting Jeddah and Tor foul.

Admiralty, 5th July, 1897.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Captain Henry Dowrish Drake to be Major, vice Raitt, deceased. Dated 16th June, 1897.

Lieutenant Edward McCarthy to be Captain, additional, in lieu of Major Drake, employed in the Naval Intelligence Department. Dated 16th June, 1897.

Admiralty, 7th July, 1897.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 13th May, 1875—The Reverend Joseph Reed, Chaplain and Naval Instructor, has this day been placed on the Retired List.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Devon.*

Charles Henry Basset, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

William Robert Hole, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Windham Hunt Holley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Ernest Joseph Oldham, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Sir Henry William Peek, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Joseph Elliott Collyns Walkey, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Richard Huxham Watson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Merioneth.*

Robert Kenrick Price, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 2nd July, 1897.

John Edward Jones, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 3rd July, 1897.

**FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACTS,
1878 TO 1895.**

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 3 (3) of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," that on the 30th June, 1897, he made an Order under section 53 of "The Factory and Workshop Act 1878," permitting women to be employed overtime in factories and workshops in which boxes for aerated water bottles are made.

Copies of the Order may be purchased at the sale office for official publications, Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleet-street, E.C.

Whitehall, July 9, 1897.

ORDER of the Local Government Board:
Altering General Accounts Order: Appointment
of Stocktaker:—

Bromyard Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Bromyard
Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by General Orders of the Poor Law Board, dated respectively the 14th day of January, 1867, and the 16th day of February, 1869, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of the Bromyard Union (amongst others), it is required that certain Accounts relating to the provisions, clothing, and other stores in the Workhouse, when made up and balanced, shall be submitted to the Visiting Committee or to some Member thereof, who shall enter a memorandum at the foot of such Accounts, certifying to the same having been submitted, and to the correctness, or otherwise, of such Accounts as regards the stock remaining in store:

And whereas it is expedient to empower the said Guardians to appoint a competent person or persons to examine the stores at the Workhouse belonging to the said Union, and to perform the other duties hereinafter set forth:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—The Guardians of the Poor of the said Bromyard Union may, as and when they shall think fit to do so, appoint a competent person or persons to perform the duties of a Stocktaker as hereinafter set forth.

ARTICLE II.—Every such appointment shall be made in the manner prescribed by the Regulations, as to the appointment of Officers, in force in the said Union for the time being.

ARTICLE III.—The Guardians shall pay to the person or persons appointed under this Order such salary or remuneration as We may from time to time direct or approve.

ARTICLE IV.—Every person appointed under this Order shall hold office until he shall die, or resign, or be dismissed by the Guardians, subject to Our consent, or be removed by Us, or be proved to be insane by evidence which We may deem sufficient; and the said Guardians shall give notice to Us of every such death or resignation, and state the cause of such resignation, so far as it may be known to them.