

permitted to land; but no luggage shall be landed before it is disinfected in one of the quarantine establishments.

5. Goods.

The importation of coffee, beans or ground, 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, feathers, bones, and jute goods.

The importation of hides from any port subject to quarantine, or from any place where cattle disease exists, is prohibited before disinfection.

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,

G. STRICKLAND,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Palace, Valletta, May 23, 1899.

(F. & H. 8186.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

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 Alexandria, intimating that the plague rules are imposed in Egypt against arrivals from Hong Kong.

(F. & H. 8187.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

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 Sofia, intimating that all Egypt has been declared infected with plague.

(F. & H. 8188.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

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 Athens, reporting eleven days' quarantine on arrivals from all Egyptian and Red Sea ports. Free pratique granted to arrivals from Crete leaving on and after 27th May.

(F. & H. 8205.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

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 Lisbon, intimating that the provisions of the Notice of 14th April, 1897 (against the spread of bubonic plague), are to be enforced against arrivals from Macao, Alexandria, and Isle of Mauritius.

(F. & H. 8244.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

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 Galatz, intimating that all arrivals from Egyptian ports are subjected to a minimum quarantine of six days at Sulina

(F. & H. 8245.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—"All arrivals in Turkish ports from Egypt since 18th instant subjected to ten days' quarantine with personal medical examination on shore. Arrivals from beyond Suez with clean bills of health and not having communicated with Egypt will receive free pratique."

(F. & H. 8253.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

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 St. Petersburg, intimating that Alexandria has been declared infected with plague.

(F. & H. 8254.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram from the Governor of Gibraltar, intimating that ships from Alexandria are not admitted to pratique, but can take supplies in quarantine.

(F. & H. 8318.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 1, 1899.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Notice issued by the High Commissioner for Cyprus, intimating that all arrivals from Hejaz, Yambo, and Lith will be subjected to ten days' quarantine.

(F. & H. 8360.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 2, 1899.

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 Buenos Aires, intimating that five days' quarantine is imposed on arrivals from Rio de Janeiro and Santos.

F. & H. 8384.

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 2, 1899.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, viz.:—"All vessels from Egyptian ports with cargoes of cereals, rice, or otherwise destined for Ottoman ports, will discharge their cargo in a lazaretto; port and holds will be disinfected."

(F. & H. 8386.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 2, 1899.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's representative at Constantinople, viz.:—"Quarantine against Hedjaz between Yambo and Lith suppressed except for pilgrim vessels."

(F. & H. 8388.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 2, 1899.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the following copy of a Telegram from the Governor of Malta, viz.:—"Referring to my telegram of