To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order :-

- Joseph Flint, Esq., for services in Nigeria. Harry English Fulford, Esq., Her Majesty's
- Consul at Newchwang. Alfred St. John, Esq., Her Majesty's Consul-General at Callao.
- Hamilton Hunter, Esq., Acting British Consul in Samoa
- Claude William Kinder, Esq., M.I.C.E., for services in connection with Railways in North China.
- Charles Coles, Esq. (Coles Pasha), Director-General of the Egyptian Prisons Department.

Downing Street, May 30, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General Sir George Stewart White, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., G.C.V.O, V.C., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the City and Garrison of Gibraltar.

Downing Street, May 31, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Samuel Brownlow Gray, Esq., C.M.G. (Attorney-General), to be Chief Justice of the Bermudas or Somers Islands.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to approve of the appointment of Reginald Gray, Esq., Bar-rister-at-Law, to be Attorney-General of the Bermudas or Somers Islands.

Whitehall, May 28, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto James Richardson Gibson, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the First Class of the Imperial Order of the Medjidieh, conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, in the name of His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of his services in the administration of the Egyptian State Domains.

Whitehall, May 28, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto William Wilfred Carey, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Imperial Order of the Osmanich, con-ferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, in the name of His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of his services in the administration of the Egyptian State Domains.

Whitehall, May 28, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto George S. Brindley, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Fifth Class of the Order of the Rising Sun, conferred upon him by His Majesty the Emperor of Japan in recognition of his services as Superintending Foreman of the Akabane Engineering Works, under the Japanese Public Works Department.

Board of Education, Whitehall, May 30, 190?. ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,

1870-1899.

THE Board of Education have issued an order this day for the formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish :----

Portskewett Monmouth ...

(F. & H. 8484.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, May 31, 1900.

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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 Constantinople, intimating that five days' quar-antine is imposed on arrivals from Smyrna.

(F. & H. 8485.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour

Department), London, May 31, 1900. 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 Monte Video, intimating that quarantine on arrivals from Buenos Aires has been reduced to five days.

(F. & H. 8489.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, May 31, 1900.

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, intimating that Brazil has been declared foul.

Admiralty, 26th May, 1900.

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

Commander Lionel Aubrey Walter Barnes Lawrence has been placed on the Retired List, Walter Barnes at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 26th May, 1900.

Admiralty, 29th May, 1900.

Royal Naval Reserve.

THE undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed Sub-Lieutenants :-

William Edgar Kelway.

Henry Fryer.

John Aitken.

William Reginald Kennedy.

James Richards Carnon.

Percy John Atkins.

Clinton Edward Dormer Trelawny.

John Beresford Vaughan Barnsdale.

Richard John Noal. Raphael Lobez.

Dated 26th May, 1900.

Admiralty, 30th May, 1900.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Herbert Archer Edwards to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th May, 1900.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Benson Charles D'Arcy Maxwell has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th May, 1900.

Admiralty, 31st May, 1900.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 30th April, 1877-Engineer Charles Robin Hall has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 17th May, 1900.

War Office, Pall Mali, 1st June, 1900.

RESERVE REGIMENT OF DRAGOONS.

Captain C. A. Staniland, Reserve of Officers, to be Captain. Dated 16th May, 1900. Lieutenant A. C. Duckworth to be Adjutant.

Dated 2nd June, 1900.