super'or officer, that he has not been in Egypt, Syria, Trebizond, and the Mediterranean ports in Asia Minor within 12 days; whenever such person does not make this declaration on oath, he shall undergo a period of quarantine of 12 days.

6. Goods.

The importation of coffee, beans or ground, coloured with substances injurious to health is prohibited.

Vessels falling under the provisions of Head 2, shall be allowed to discharge such goods as admit of being disinfected or are not susceptible.

Cereals imported from infected ports are to be kept for 21 days at the lazaretto or any other place to be appointed by the Collector of Customs, to be aired under the direction of the Quarantine Authorities.

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 from any infected port is forbidden, before disinfection, of the following articles, besides those mentioned in the next preceding subsection: u-ed sacks, as also carpets and embroideries which have been in use, raw skins, fresh skins, and untanned skins; animal débris, such as hoofs, mains, hair; raw silk, wool, and human hair.

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 from the British Consular Authority that Phylloxera is not known to exist at the place of origin.

By command,

F. VELLA, Acting Chief Secretary to Government. Palace, Valletta, July 27, 1900.

Admiralty, 28th July, 1900.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Grafton Morgan to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th July, 1900.

Admiralty, 30th July, 1900.

THE following is substituted for the Notification under the heading of Royal Marines in the London Gazette of the 7th March, 1899 :---

Royal Morine Artiliery.

Superintending Clerk (Warrant Officer) Richard John Waldron to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, and appointed to the General Staff, Royal Marines. Dated 13th February, 1899.

Admiralty, 1st August, 1900.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 2/nd February, 1870-

Commander Angus William Sholto Douglas has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 30th July, 1900.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, 30th April, 1877, and 26th February, 1897-

Fleet Engineer Thomas George Coomber has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881-

Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets George Maclean, M.A., M.B., has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 1st August, 1900.

War Office, Poll Mall, 3rd August, 1900.

- 1st Dragoons, Major-General F. S. Russell, C.M.G., to be Colonel, vice Major-General and Honorary Lieutenant-General Sir F. Marshall, K.C.M.G., deceased. Dated 9th June, 1900.
- Royal Horse Guards, Surgeon-Captain Hugh Rayner, M.B., to be Surgeon-Major, in succession to Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Forrester, deccased. Dated 19th June, 1900.
- 2nd Dragoon Guards, George Osborn Huyne, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. S. Dickin, promoted. Dated 4th August, 1900.
- 5th Dragoon Guards, The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant J. L. Melvill is antedated to 5th November, 1899, on augmentation.
- Second Lieutenant R. H. Kearsley to be Lieutenant, vice P. G. Reynolds, promoted into 3rd Dragoon Guards. Dated 27th June, 1900.
- 2nd Dragoons, Second Lieutenant W. Long to be Lieutenant, vice T. Connolly, killed in action. Dated 12th July, 1900.
- 4th Hussars, Second Lieutenant E. H. Caldbeck to be Lieutenant, vice I. G. Hogg, seconded. Dated 23rd September, 1899.
- 10/h Hussars, Major Harvey Alexander to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice R. B. W. Fisher, made supernumerary under the provisions of Article 103A, Royal Warrant 30th May, 1899. Dated 3rd August, 1900.
- 12th Lancers, Supernumerary Captain Cecil V. Sloanc-Stanley to be Captain, vice F. Egerton-Green, a prisoner of war. Dated 11th June, 1900.
- 18th Hussars, Lieutenant John Wills Lichtenberg, from 3rd Battalion the Highland Light Infantry, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. H. Gosselin, promoted. Dated 21st April, 1900, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 4th August, 1900.

RESERVE REGIMENT OF DRAGOON GUARDS.

- Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel P. Aubertin, Major Reserve of Officers, to be Major. Dated 14th July, 1900.
- July, 1900. Captain W. G. Matthews, late the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, to be Captain. Dated 4th August, 1900.

RESERVE REGIMENT OF HUSSARS.

The appointment of F. L. de Sales-La Terrière, Esq., late Captain 15th Hussars, as Captain, with the temporary rank of Captain in the Army, is antedated to 10th May 1900.

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

Major W. H. Wyndham-Quin, Reserve of Officers, from Captain, to be Second-in-Command of a Battalion of Imperial Yeomanry. Dated 18th April, 1900.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY. Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Captain George T. Forestier-Walker to be Major, on augmentation. Dated 18th June, 1900,