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26th January, 1901.

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Under the power and authority vested in him by the "Quarantine Ordinance, 1879," His Excellency the High Commissioner orders that all direct arrivals from Constantinople be subjected to medical inspection at port of arrival, and that the importation of very susceptible goods, *i.e.*, rags, worn clothing, and empty used sacks, except gypsum sacks, is prohibited.

29th January, 1901.

(F. & H. 4540.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour*

*Department), London, March 12, 1901.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Rio, intimating that Rio de Janeiro is free from plague.

(F. & H. 4683.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour*

*Department), London, March 15, 1901.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Sofia, intimating that Smyrna and Gulf are declared free from plague.

(F. & H. 4741.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour*

*Department), London, March 15, 1901.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, intimating that quarantine against Persian Gulf is reduced to five days.

(F. & H. 4774.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour*

*Department), London, March 15, 1901.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Montevideo, intimating that free pratique is granted to arrivals from San Nicolas.

*Admiralty, 12th March, 1901.*

IN accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 28th November, 1887—

Lieutenant Henry Dacres Kirwan has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander on the Retired List. Dated 12th March, 1901.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—Staff Engineer Charles Alfred Harding has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 8th February, 1901.

Clerk Hamilton Stewart has been promoted to the rank of Assistant - Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 20th February, 1901.

*Admiralty, 13th March, 1901.*

IN accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—Fleet Engineer Henry Laughrin has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Inspector of Machinery. Dated 10th March, 1901.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets Henry Dawson Stanistreet has this day been placed on the Retired List.

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Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets Richard William Coppinger, M.D., has this day been promoted to the rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in His Majesty's Fleet.

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Aneurin Davies to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th March, 1901.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*15th March, 1901.*

*4th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George D. F. Sullivan, on completion of his period of service in command of the Regiment, is placed on retired pay. Dated 11th March, 1901.*

Major Herbert C. T. Littledale to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel G. D. F. Sullivan. Dated 11th March, 1901.

*6th Dragoons, The Christian names of Second Lieutenant Wood are Richard Morton.*

*21st Lancers, Captain Ashley P. W. Williams, from the Duke of Connaught's Own Hampshire and Isle of Wight Artillery, to be Captain, vice R. N. Smyth, seconded. Dated 16th March, 1901.*

**REMOUNT ESTABLISHMENT.**

Major W. J. Mackeson, Reserve of Officers, to be a Staff Captain. Dated 11th February, 1901.

**RESERVE REGIMENT OF DRAGOON GUARDS.**

Captain P. M. Pryce ceases to belong to the Regiment. Dated 1st February, 1901.

**THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.**

Captain J. G. Mignon, 19th Battalion, to be a Staff Captain (for Imperial Yeomanry). Dated 16th March, 1901.

*4th Battalion, Lieutenant W. S. Power ceases to belong to the Imperial Yeomanry. Dated 10th March, 1901.*

*7th Battalion, Lieutenant-Colonel J. D. Mansel, Reserve of Officers, resigns the appointment of Machine Gun Commander. Dated 1st October, 1900.*

*13th Battalion, Captain T. R. Stannus resigns his Commission. Dated 16th March, 1901.*

*Unattached, To be Second Lieutenants, with the temporary rank of Second Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 16th March, 1901:—*

Captain H. H. Hewlings, 5th Battalion the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).

Captain J. F. Hutchinson, 2nd Northumberland Volunteer Artillery.

Lieutenant O. St. John, 7th Battalion the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).

Lieutenant W. H. C. Chambré, the Mid-Ulster Artillery.

Lieutenant J. McIntyre, 1st City of London Volunteer Artillery.

Second Lieutenant G. R. H. Cheape, 3rd Battalion Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders).

Second Lieutenant G. D. Nash, 3rd Battalion the Leicestershire Regiment.

Second Lieutenant G. F. Pryor, 3rd Battalion the Essex Regiment.

Second Lieutenant H. C. S. Foley, 13th Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Second Lieutenant A. F. T. Meikle, 1st Newcastle-on-Tyne Volunteer Artillery.

Sergeant Ernest Bevington.

Corporal K. T. Woodmass.

Private J. E. Spain.