Order, 1899, as confirmed by the Electric Lighting Orders Confirmation (No. 13) Act, 1899, as to the whole of the area of supply, as from the 12th day of May, 1905, and that the said revocation is to take effect from that date.

Dated this 17th day of May, 1905.

Francis J. S. Hopwood, Secretary, Board of Trade.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 17, 1905. H. 6726.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated May 16, from His Majesty's Representative at The Hague:—
"Leith officially declared infected with plague, provision of Venice Convention applied to any vessel having left Leith five days or less before 15th instant."

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 18, 1905. H. 6785.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated May 17, from His Majesty's Representative at Madrid:—
"Leith declared foul. Bubonic plague."

Admiralty, 15th May, 1905.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—

Engineer Sub-Lieutenant Wilfred James Hawken has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 6th May, 1905.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet, viz.:—

Eric Martin Nasmith. Thomas Frederick Parker Calvert.

Admiralty, 16th May, 1905.

Assistant Paymaster Edward Haves has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 20th April, 1905.

Gunner Arthur Bruce Nesling has been specially promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet for services during the disturbances in Crete in 1898. Dated 1st May, 1905.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

The undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed Officers, viz.:—

Harry Bithel-Jones to be Paymaster. Herbert James Craig to be Lieutenant. Harry Reah to be Surgeon. Eric Samuel Sancroft Baker to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Dated 15th May, 1905.

Admiralty, 17th May, 1905.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—

Engineer Commander James Collie Larg has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Engineer Captain. Dated 15th May, 1905.

War Office, Pall Mall, 19th May, 1905.

4th (Royal Irish) Dragoon Guards, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 6th May, 1905:—

Hugh T. W. Wyllie, vice H. T. McClellan, promoted into 8th (King's Royal Irish) Hussars.

Arthur H. N Corsellis, Adjutant, to complete establishment.

4th (Queen's Own) Hussars, Captain Charles L. Graham is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 20th May, 1905.

8th (King's Royal Irish) Hussars, Lieutenant Robert W. Allen to be Captain, vice C. M. Threlfall, resigned. Dated 3rd May, 1905.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Captain Robert Geoghegan to be Major, vice H. G. Burrowes, promoted. Dated 7th December, 1904.

Captain William H. F. Weber to be Adjutant, vice Captain H. Ramsden, whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 27th April, 1905.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Captains to be Captains:—

Henry D. Foulkes, vice R. Geoghegan, promoted. Dated 9th December, 1904.

Henry Ramsden, vice W. H. F. Weber. Dated 27th April, 1905.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Captain George G. W. Corrie is seconded for service with the Native Mountain Artillery, India. Dated 29th April, 1905.

Captain Rowley R. Hill to be Instructor in Gunnery, vice Captain R. H. Parker, whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 26th April, 1905.

Supernumerary Captain Robert H. Parker to be Captain, vice R. R. Hill. Dated 26th April, 1905.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Captain Charles G. Burnaby to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel A. H. Kenney, C.M.G., D.S.O., placed on retired pay. Dated 6th May, 1905.

SCOTS GUARDS.

Second Lieutenant P., Lord Glamis, to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable T. W. Coke, placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 13th April, 1905.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICTS.

Colonel William S. Clarke, 29th Regimenal District (The Worcestershire Regiment), is placed on retired pay. Dated 20th May, 1905.