Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 23, 1908.

H. 12124.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated September 23rd, from His Majesty's Representative at Copenhagen:—Five days' observation imposed on arrivals from Russian Ports.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 24, 1908.

H. 12146.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated September 23rd, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—All ships from Batoum with or without passengers now subject to five days' quarantine and disinfection in Sinope Lazaret.

All measures against Adalia removed.

Admiralty, 21st September, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 19th March, 1908—Engineer Captain Walter Coleman has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 5th August, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 13th May, 1901—Lieutenant Conyngham Charles Denison has been transferred to the Emergency List. Dated 23rd July, 1908.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain John Piercey Shine is seconded for service as Professor of Military Surveying and Superintendent of Drill and Gymnastics at the Royal Military College of Canada. Dated 17th September, 1908.

Captain Neville Anderson Woodward Scott (Supernumerary) is absorbed in the Establishment, vice Shine, seconded. Dated 17th September, 1908.

Royal Naval Reserve.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Lieutenant Irvin Hayward has this day been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander.

Admiralty, 22nd September, 1908.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Frederick Coxwell Cross. Dated 18th September, 1908.

Reginald Arthur Woodward. Dated 22nd September, 1908.

Probationary Sub-Lieutenant Kenneth Boothroyd has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th July, 1907.

Admiralty, 23rd September, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Richard Harold Falkiner has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 17th September, 1908.

The undermentioned Clerks have been promoted to the rank of Assistant Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet:—

William Anlaby Gore Onslow. Dated 23rd August, 1908. William Evelyn Hatten Jolly. Dated 11th

September, 1908.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Major Evelyn Henry Orlebar to be Lieutenant-Colonel by Brevet, under the provisions of Order in Council of 19th March, 1883. Dated 24th September, 1908.

Admiralty, 24th September, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 19th March, 1908— Engineer Rear-Admiral George Arthur Haddy has this day been placed on the Retired List.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Morris Henry Smyth has this day been placed on the Retired List.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Francis James Harold Dawson. Dated 30th November, 1907.

Robert Holmes De'Ath. Dated 30th December, 1907.

Vernon Hammersley-Heenan. Dated 15th January, 1908.

Eric Erskine Campbell Tufnell. Dated 30th January, 1908.

War Office, Whitehall, 25th September, 1908.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Captain William M. Stewart, The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, vice Major R. J. Ross, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment). Dated 16th September, 1908.

Captain Charles L. Rome, 11th (Prince Albert's Own) Hussars, to be extra Aide-de-Camp to The Right Honourable W. H., Earl of Dudley, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Commonwealth of Australia. Dated 18th September, 1908.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

School of Musketry, Captain George H. S. Browne, The Suffolk Regiment, to be Experimental Officer, vice Major H. P. De la Bère, The Royal Scots Fusiliers. Dated 17th September, 1908.