

the 30th day of September, 1909, and that the said revocation is to take effect from that date.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1909.

H. Llewellyn Smith,
Secretary, Board of Trade.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, October 7, 1909.*

H. 13227.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Circular, dated September 22nd, issued by the Imperial and Royal Marine Board at Trieste, which states that as cases of Cholera have been verified at Rotterdam, arrivals from the said port will be treated according to the prescriptions contained in the Government Circular of August 12th, 1904, No. 12468.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, October 7, 1909.*

H. 13228.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated September 23rd, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, stating that the Constantinople Board of Health have removed the medical visit on arrivals from Rotterdam having regard to the fact that more than 10 days have elapsed since the last case of Cholera at that port.

The outbreak of disease at Karavassara having been shown not to be one of Cholera, the medical visit on arrivals from that port has also been suppressed.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, October 7, 1909.*

H. 13279.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated October 6th, from His Majesty's Representative at the Hague:—Narva declared to be infected with Asiatic Cholera. Sanitary measures for Asiatic Cholera will be applied to any vessels having left Riga 5 days or less before October 5th.

Admiralty, 5th October, 1909.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 9th October, 1903—

The Reverend George Wallace Briggs, M.A., Chaplain, has this day been allowed to withdraw from His Majesty's Naval Service, with a gratuity.

Admiralty, 6th October, 1909.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Frank Percival Swinney to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th October, 1909.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve, the undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been placed on the Retired List:—

Arthur William Percy Andrew Pearse.
Dated 5th October, 1909.

William Shipp Smith. Dated 6th October, 1909.

Paymaster James Thomas Rees to be Staff Paymaster. Dated 6th October, 1909.

Assistant Engineer Charles Stansfeld Marshall to be Engineer. Dated 6th October, 1909.

Admiralty, 7th October, 1909.

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

Lieutenant Reginald Caesar Hawkins has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 17th September, 1909.

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

Lambert Nugent Brickdale Morgan. Dated 30th November, 1908.

Charlie Frederick Bush. Dated 30th December, 1908.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Paymaster William Thompson to be Staff Paymaster. Dated 6th October, 1909.

*War Office, Whitehall,
8th October, 1909.*

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Thomas D'O. Snow, C.B., from the General Staff, to command a Brigade, vice Major-General F. S. Robb, C.B., M.V.O. Dated 1st October, 1909.

Colonel James A. L. Haldane, C.B., D.S.O., from a General Staff Officer, 1st grade, at Head-Quarters, to be a Brigadier-General, General Staff, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General while so employed, vice Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) T. D'O. Snow, C.B. Dated 1st October, 1909.

Brevet Colonel James E. Edmonds, Royal Engineers, a General Staff Officer, 2nd grade, at Head-Quarters, is advanced to the 1st grade, vice Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) J. A. L. Haldane, C.B., D.S.O. Dated 1st October, 1909.

Major Arthur G. Marrable, The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), from a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, to be a Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, vice Captain H. N. R. Cowie, D.S.O., The Dorsetshire Regiment, appointed a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters. Dated 7th September, 1909.

Captain Ponsonby Sheppard, D.S.O., Royal Artillery, to be a Staff Captain. Dated 10th September, 1909.