enemy port in order to be sold there or handed over to the enemy.

II.

The following will also be considered contraband of war only in cases where they are destined for the enemy's military or naval forces or for the Turkish administrations:—

Provisions, forage and grain suitable for the food of animals;

Clothing, materials for clothing and shoes suitable for military equipment;

Gold and silver, in specie or in bars, and paper money;

Apparatus and material suitable for the construction of telegraphs, telephones, wireless telegraphy, and railways;

Horseshoes and farriers' requisites;

Binoculars, telescopes, chronometers, and nautical instruments;

Ships, vessels and boats of all kinds, as well as their component parts.

Foreign Office, October 29, 1912.

His Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received a telegram from His Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that lubricants for machinery have been added to the list of articles declared by the Greek Government to be absolute contraband of war during the present hostilities.

Whitehall, October 28, 1912.

The KING was pleased, on Thursday, the 25th July last, at Buckingham Palace, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Francis Fox, Esq., Member of the Institution of Civil Engineers.

Whitehall, October 28, 1912.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 25th instant, to appoint Hugh Murray Sturges, Esquire, K.C., to be Recorder of the Borough of New Windsor, in the room of Sidney Arthur Taylor Rowlatt, Esquire (now Sir Sidney Rowlatt), who resigned the Recordership on his appointment as a Judge of the High Court.

Whitehall, October 28, 1912.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned officers His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear Decorations (as stated against their respective names) which have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty

the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by them:—

Second Class, Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh.

Colonel Joseph John Asser.

Third Class, Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh.

Captain and Brevet Major James Lionel Joyce Conry, D.S.O. (Connaught Rangers).

Major Howard Ensor, D.S.O., M.B. (Royal Army Medical Corps).

Captain Reginald Sutcliffe Wilson (Lancashire Fusiliers).

Captain Ronald Macclesfield Heath, D.S.O. (Middlesex Regiment).

Fourth Class, Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh.

Captain Bertram Henry Samuel Romilly, D.S.O. (Scots Guards). Captain John Plunkett Verney Hawksley

(Royal Artillery).

Factory Department, Home Office, October 26, 1912.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. C. P. O'Connor, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Acts, at March, in the county of Cambridge, is vacant.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, 28th October, 1912.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Belgian Decree, dated the 20th October, from His Majesty's Minister at Brussels, removing the restrictions imposed on goods coming from Russian Ports on the Baltic and the Gulfs of Bothnia, Finland, and Riga, no further cases of cholera having been observed in Northern Russia.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, 28th October, 1912. H. 13727.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 25th October, from His Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that the quarantine on arrivals in Hellenic Ports from Beirut, Mersina, and Alexandretta has been removed, and that a medical inspection has been imposed on all arrivals from abroad.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, 28th October, 1912. H. 13728.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 25th October,