Esq. (Deputy Principal Medical Officer), to be Principal Medical Officer, Southern Nigeria.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 18, 1913.

### H. 11068.

The Board of Trade have received a copy of a Notice, issued by the Government of Malta on the 11th August, stating that the town of Haifa, in Syria, is no longer regarded as a place infected with cholera.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 18, 1913.

#### H. 11069.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 14th August, from His Majesty's Minister at Athens, to the effect that five days' quarantine has been imposed on vessels arriving from the coast of Asia Minor between Phocea and New Ephesus, voyage not included.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 18, 1913.

### H. 11155.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 15th August, from His Majesty's Minister at Havana, to the effect that seven days' quarantine has been imposed on vessels arriving from Uruguay.

### Admiralty, 15th August, 1913.

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

Charles Disney Milward.
Lawrence Frederick Nelson Ommanney.
Arthur Hugh Lloyd Terry.
Thomas Dunlop Galbraith.
Reginald Edward Blyth.
John Francis Tryon.
Arthur William La Touche Bisset.
The Honourable John Brooke Molesworth
Parnell.

### Royal Naval Reserve.

Lieutenant John Stivey to be Commander on the Retired List. Dated 13th August, .1913.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

The undermentioned Gentleman to be Surgeon:—

Septimus Hibbert, M.B. Dated 14th August, 1913.

Admiralty, 16th August, 1913.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain Harold Gage Bewes Armstrong to be Major, vice Dalton, deceased. Dated 6th August, 1913.

Admiralty, 19th August, 1913.

### Royal Marine Forces.

The undermentioned retired Officer is removed from the Reserve of Officers, Royal Marines, on account of age:—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Evelyn Henry Orlebar, Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 19th August, 1913.

> War Office, 19th August, 1913.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer upon The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment) the honour of becoming its Colonelin-Chief.

> War Office, 19th August, 1913.

#### REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Captain John T. Dreyer, Royal Artillery, to be a Staff Captain at the War Office, and to be seconded. Dated 7th July, 1913.

Captain William G. H. Salmond, Royal Artillery, to be a General Staff Officer, 3rd grade, at the War Office, and to be seconded. Dated 31st July, 1913.

### Establishments.

School of Gunnery, Captain Edward L. Hardcastle to be a Captain Instructor in Gunnery, and to be seconded. Dated 1st August, 1913.

## CAVALRY.

18th (Queen Mary's Own) Hussars, Lieutenant Vivian C. Alcock resigns his commission. Dated 20th August, 1913.

20th Hussars, Lieutenant William A. Silvertop to be seconded for service with the Northern Cavalry Depôt. Dated 2nd August, 1913.

# ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Henry Smith is placed on retired pay. Dated 15th August, 1913.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel Charles T. Caulfeild, on completion of five years service as a regimental