

the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from His Majesty's Representative at Buenos Aires, intimating that the National Board of Health has been authorized to charge to the shipping companies or their agents the disinfectants supplied upon the arrival of vessels in Argentine ports at the rate of fifty cents paper currency for each passenger and seaman.

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Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, March 1, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from His Majesty's Representative at Athens, intimating that the 48 hours' quarantine against Smyrna has been reduced to 24 hours from to-day, but the prohibition against the importation of all merchandise from Smyrna into Greece is maintained.

Admiralty, 27th February, 1901.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain Walter Erskine Binney is placed on the Half-Pay List on account of medical unfitness, under Order in Council of 30th November, 1882. Dated 8th February, 1901.

Captain John Silvester Brogden (Supernumerary) is absorbed in the Establishment, vice Binney, to half-pay. Dated 8th February, 1901.

Lieutenant John Leonard Jesse, having been finally transferred to Army Service Corps, ceases to be borne on the List of Officers, Royal Marines. Dated 3rd January, 1901.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant:—

Herbert Charles Valentine Beresford
Cheetham.

Dated 8th January, 1901.

George Alfred Alcock.

Thomas Charles Nichols Thompson.

Dated 18th January, 1901.

Percy George Harper Drummond.

Dated 23rd January, 1901.

Albert Borlase Armitage.

Dated 15th February, 1901.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant John Archibald Rupert Jones has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th April, 1900.

Midshipman Edward Charles Roden to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th January, 1901.

Admiralty, 28th February, 1901.

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

Lieutenant Annesley Bremridge Prance has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 22nd February, 1901.

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

Frederick Crosby Halahan.

Dated 15th December, 1899.

Henry Francis Howard Wakefield.

Dated 15th January, 1900.

Joseph Donald Ellaby.

Henry Charles Stahl.

Loftus William Jones.

William Stronach Foster-Forbes.

John Edmund Power Bickford.

Dated 15th February, 1900.

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

Fleet Paymaster Richard Coles Webb has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief. Dated 28th February, 1901.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Philip Edward Lyne to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th January, 1901.

The following Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenants, viz.:—
Herbert Henry de Lally Wood. Dated 20th February, 1897.

Henry Herbert Penrose. Dated 29th November, 1898.

Alfred Singleton Leech. Dated 3rd May, 1900.

The following Gentlemen have been appointed Sub-Lieutenants, viz.:—

John Travis.

Walter John Reeder.

Francis Joseph Vanzeller.

Godfrey Joseph Sykes.

William Cecil Francis.

Sidney Kenrick Bacon.

Dated 23rd January, 1901.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester.

The Lord Newton to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1901.

Colonel Edward Thomas Davenant Cotton-Jodrell, J.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd February, 1901.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board: Suspension in part of General Consolidated Order: Medical Officers' Fees:—

Kendal Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Kendal Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners bearing date the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, which is in force in the Kendal Union, certain rules and regulations were made relating to the administration of relief to the poor; and by Articles 177 to 183 (inclusive) of the said Order provision was made for the payment of special fees to Medical Officers in certain cases;

And whereas it is expedient to suspend, as hereinafter mentioned, the operation of the said Articles as regards the Medical Officer for the Kendal District and the Workhouse of the said Union:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby suspend the operation, until We by Order shall otherwise direct, of Articles 177 to 183 (inclusive) of the above-cited Order with respect to the Medical Officer for the time being for the Kendal District and the Workhouse of the said Union.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.



Walter H. Long,
President.

H. C. Monroe, Assistant-Secretary.