. Whitehall, November 24, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Vice-Admiral the Honourable Sir Edmund Robert Fremantle, K.C.B., C.M.G., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Brilliant Star of the First Class, which His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar has been pleased to confer upon him in recognition of his services while in command of the British Fleet on the occasion of the Blockade of the Coast of the Sultan of Zanzibar.

> Office of the Secretary for Scotland, Whitehall, November 24, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to appoint Alexander Low, Esq., Advocate, Sheriff of Ross and Cromarty, to be one of the Senators of Her Majesty's College of Justice in Scotland, in the room of Robert Lee, Esq. (Lord Lee), deceased.

The Prince of Wules's Council Chamber, Buckingham Gate, November 21, 189 .

THE names of the Gentlemen who have been nominated to serve the Office of Sheriff of the county of Cornwall:-

John Claude Daubuz, of Killiow, Truro, Esq. George John Smith, of Treliske, Truro, Esq. Sir William Lewis Salusbury Trelawny, of Trelawne, Liskeard, Bart.

> (H. 7247.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 22, 1890.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translation of a Circular of the Local Marine Board of Trieste, dated November 14, which has been forwarded by Her Majesty's Representative at Vienna:—"In consequence of the cessation of chclera on the eastern shores of the Red Sea, and the pilgrims having returned from Mecca, the I. R. Marine Board decrees that all the measures introduced by Circular No. 7061 of August 8 are hereby revoked. Vessels arriving from the Red Sea will be subjected on their arrival to a rigorous medical visit, after which, if in perfectly healthy conditions, they will be admitted to free pratique.'

> (H. 7248.)
> Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 22, 1890.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translation of a Notice in the Official Journal of November 17, which has been forwarded by Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon :-

" For the proper purposes and by authority it is hereby declared that the Notice of September 6th last is supended, except in so far as it actually prohibits the admission of manure, of any decomposed organic matters, of rags, of bedclothes, and other articles of bedding, of wearing apparel, and shoes (not new), unless they form part of any passengers' luggage, as well as of any fruit, vegetables, and pulse coming from any of the regions of Spain that are still infected with cholera.

"It is also declared that the Notice of the 13th of last August is likewise suspended with

regard to postal parcels and patterns arriving after the publication of the declaration unless they contain any article the admission of which continues to be prohibited."

> (H. 7278.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 24, 1890.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram, dated November 24, from Her Majesty's Representative at Athens:-"Eleven days' quarantine imposed on all vessels from ports in Syria and Asia Minor, between Beyrout and Mersina, which sailed since 16th instant, to be performed at Delos."

> (H. 7279.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, November 24, 1899.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Telegram, dated November 22, from the High Commissioner of Cyprus, reporting that quarantine has been established against the Karamanian and Syrian coasts, between, but not including, ports Adalia and Beyrout.

Admirally, 20th November, 189).

THE following Staff Engineers have been advanced to the rank of Fleet Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz. :-

William Henry Thomas Bills.

George Rigler.

Dated 18th November, 1890.

The following Chief Engineers have been advanced to the rank of Staff Engineer in Her-Majesty's Fleet, viz.:— Charles Lane. Dated 9th November, 1890.

William Henry Riley. Dated 17th November,

Charles William Thorne. Dated 22nd November, 1890.

James Henry Gilbert. Dated 22nd November.

William Thomas Allen. Dated 22nd Nevember,

Admiralty, 21st November, 1890.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 27th November,

Engineer Albert Silvanus Reeve has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 20th November, 1890.

Admiralty, 22nd November, 1890.

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

Staff Commander William Henry Hayward has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 14th November, 1890.

Paymaster Charles Vawdrey has been advanced; to the rank of Staff Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 19th November, 1890.

> War Office, Pall Mall, 25th November, 1890.

4th Dragoon Guards, Second Lieutenant T. F. N Jones to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 8th October, 1890.