

the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

Public Authorities Protection Act, 1893.
Madras and Bombay Armies Act, 1893.
Married Women's Property Act, 1893.
National Debt Redemption Act, 1893.
Public Works Loans (No. 3) Act, 1893.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
December 6, 1893.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the compulsory formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish:—

Bexley Kent

(H. 9052.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 8, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 7th December, from Her Majesty's Representative at Athens, viz.:—
"Medical inspection substituted for quarantine against Trieste and Italian Adriatic Coast."

(H. 9023.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 8, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the following Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Cyprus, viz.:—
"Ten days on arrivals from Tripoli in Barbary."

(H. 9024.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 8, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, the following information respecting quarantine, viz.:—

Arrivals from Brest which left after 10th instant, and from ports within 165 kilometres are admitted to free pratique if they arrive with clean bills of health, vised by a Spanish Consul, or if there be none, by the Consul of another nation in good hygienic condition and without suspicious occurrence in the health of the ship, and so long as they do not infringe any of the existing rules.

Infectious goods specified in the Royal Order of October, 1886, are likewise admitted without disinfection if they arrive in good hygienic condition.

The Royal Orders of 25th and 29th August, 1892, referred to in Regulation 2 of that of 8th June last, regarding the prohibition of entry or disinfection of certain infectious goods and the medical inspection of passengers, abrogated in the case of arrivals from France.

(H. 9024.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 8, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through

the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following information respecting quarantine in Spain, viz.:—

All measures of sanitary inspection on the French Frontier and the Lines of Gibraltar are suppressed. Only such personal staff as is considered strictly necessary for the prevention of any contingency in the public health being retained at Irun, Port of Bon, and the said Lines of Gibraltar.

(H. 9025.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 8, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Jeddah, reporting that arrivals from Bussorah will have to undergo quarantine for ten days.

(H. 9055.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 8, 1893.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Sofia, dated 7th December, viz.:—
"Passengers and goods from Roumania and Austria by Danube twenty-four hours' quarantine and disinfection, from Roumanian Black Sea ports three days."

War Office, 8th December, 1893.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Lancashire Artillery (Southern Division), Harold Findlay, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1893.

The Waterford Artillery (Southern Division), Ernest Desmond Farrell Gee, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1893.

The Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery (Western Division), Captain F. J. Hext resigns the appointment of Instructor of Artillery. Dated 9th December, 1893.

ENGINEER.

Submarine Miners.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

The Milford Haven Division, Lieutenant E. P. S. Roupell is seconded whilst employed under Her Majesty's Commissioners for the Niger Coast Protectorate. Dated 22nd November, 1893.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Major Charles Edward Lang, retired pay, late the Devonshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of paragraph 45 Militia Regulations, 1893. Dated 9th December, 1893.

5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant G. Baskerville to be Captain. Dated 9th December, 1893.

Somerset, Frederick Gough-Calthorpe, Esq., late Lieutenant 3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 9th December, 1893.

4th Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Captain H. W. Hurrell is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th December, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

E. A. L. Powell. Dated 9th December, 1893.

C. O. Ibbetson. Dated 9th December, 1893.