

Foreign Office, February 1, 1894.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Charles Bullen Hugh Mitchell, K.C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's High Commissioner, and also to be Her Majesty's Consul-General, for the Territories of the British North Borneo Company, Brunei, and Sarawak.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, February 8, 1894.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to appoint John Macmillan, Esq., S.S.C., to the office of Sheriff Clerk of Chancery in Scotland, vacant by the death of Mr. David Johnston Macbrair.

Education Department, Whitehall, February 8, 1894.

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 United School District:—

Graffham and East Lavington
(comprising the parishes of
Graffham and East Lavington)
... .. West Sussex

(H. 1120.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, February 7, 1894.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 6th January, 1894, from Her Majesty's Representative at Panama, enclosing the following Sanitary Ordinance of the Colombian Government:—

(Translation.)

Republic of Colombia,
Department of Government.

Bogota, December 1, 1893.

This office having received frequent complaints that the steamers which arrive at our ports on the Atlantic do not comply with the formality of presenting their respective bills of health certified, by the Colombian Consul at the port from whence they come.

Be it resolved:

That the duty of the Local Authorities of the ports of the Republic is hereby fixed, to demand from all ships that may arrive in our ports bills of health, duly certified by the Colombian Consuls, if there were any at the port whence they sailed, as an indispensable requisite to be freely admitted to pratique.

To carry into effect this resolution, the said Authorities will grant sufficient time and notify by every means possible the Steamship Companies and any other interested parties.

Be it communicated to the Minister of Foreign Affairs and the Governors of Departments of the Coast for the knowledge of all the Authorities and published.

The Minister in charge of the Department of Government.

JOSÉ DOMINGO OSPINAC.

(H. 1200.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, February 8, 1894.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 29th January, 1894, from

Her Majesty's Representative at Christiania, stating that the following districts are now declared free from cholera:—Roumania, Hungary, Galicia, Bukovina, Turkey in Asia, and ports in the Red Sea.

A Despatch, dated 2nd February, 1894, has also been received from Christiania, containing a Norwegian Government Circular to the effect that the regulations of the 1st September last, concerning sanitary precautions against the introduction of cholera are annulled.

(H. 1201.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, February 8, 1894.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 2nd February, 1894, from Her Majesty's Representative at Stockholm, stating that the Swedish Board of Trade have declared the Belgian provinces of Namur and Limburg to be regarded as infected with cholera.

(H. 1234.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, February 8, 1894.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram, dated 7th February, 1894, from Her Majesty's Representative at Cyprus, stating that the quarantine on arrivals from Constantinople is replaced by medical inspection.

*Admiralty, 6th February, 1894.**Royal Naval Reserve.*

THE undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed Officers, viz:—

Frawke Bartlett Stuart Notley,
John Francis Hornsby Healey,
John Henry Orton,
William de Caulier Wetherell,
William Biernacki Phillips,
Alfred Robert du Domaine,
Arthur Moore Dawson,
Cortlandt Drew Godfrey,
Evan James Lace,
Graham Madison Porteus,

to be Sub-Lieutenants. Dated 1st February, 1894.

William McKeand,
Loughlin Murphy,

to be Senior Engineers. Dated 1st February, 1894.

William Henry Thomas,
John Lewis,
William Hilton,
Charles Rickard Nutt,
Robert William Yardley,
Peter Low,
Robert Chapman,

to be Engineers. Dated 1st February, 1894.

John Macdonald,
Henry James Rose Miall,
James Richard Clay,
Edward Charles Borghese,
Tom Chumley,
James David Nisbett Strang,
Frederick George Westmorland,

to be Assistant Engineers. Dated 1st February, 1894.

Michael Joseph O'Connor,
Henry Roche,

to be Honorary Paymasters. Dated 1st February, 1894.