(H. 1450.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, February 16, 1894.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 9th February, 1894, from Her Majesty's Representative at Sofia, stating that the quarantine on merchandise imported into Bulgaria from Russia is now removed. Goods, hitherto prohibited, may be therefore imported.

Admiralty, 13th February, 1894.

THE undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet :-

Albert Valentine Blake. Dated 1st January, 1894.

Charles Frederick Henry Tilbrook. Dated 1st February, 1894.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881-

Fleet Surgeon Nicholas Thomas Connolly has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets. Dated 11th February, 1894.

Admiralty, 15th February, 1894.

- Acting Sub-Lieutenant Harry Hesketh Smyth has been confirmed as a Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 14th June, 1892.
- Assistant-Paymaster Howard Cleveland has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 11th February, 1894

Admiralty, 16th February, 1894.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

THE undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants :

- Mr. John Cyril Deed. Dated 1st February, 1894.
- Mr. Percy Walter Simmons. Dated 1st February, 1894.
- Mr. Herbert Jefferies Coles. Dated 1st February, 1894.
- Mr. Richard ffolliott Willis. Dated 1st February, 1894.
- Mr. Francis John Winsor Cartwright. Dated 1st February, 1894
- Mr. Percy Molloy. Dated 1st February, 1894.
- Mr. Francis Arthur Nelson. Dated 1st February, 1894.
- Mr. Frederic Lewis Harford Strong. Dated 1st February, 1894.

War Office, Pall Mall, 16th February, 1894.

- Royal Artillery, Major de Courcy Daniell to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice W. P. Georges, decensed. Dated 31st January, 1894.
- Captain Richard Makdougall Brisbane Francis Kelly, from the Seconded List, to be Major, vice de C. Daniell, promoted. Dated 31st
- January, 1894.
- Lieutenant Philip Templer Cooper to be Captain, vice J. P. Du Cane, seconded. Dated 16th February, 1894.
- Captain Edward Dawson (District Officer), from the Seconded List, to be Supernumerary to the establishment. Dated 25th January, 1894. Sergeant-Major William Campbell Mason to be
- Lieutenant (District Officer), vice J. G. Rogan, deceased. Dated 17th February, 1894.

- In consequence of the appointment of Captain H. E. Bampfylde as Adjutant of the Donegal Artillery being altered to the 23rd October, 1893, the promotions of Captain A. T. Cuming and Second Lieutenant F. C. Tyler are postdated accordingly.
- Gentleman Cadet John Archur Dalyell, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant P. T. Cooper, promoted. Dated 16th February, 1894.
- Captain John Philip Du Cane is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Militia Artillery. Dated 16th February, 1894.

MEMORANDUM.

Major-General Albert Henry Wilmot Williams, from Deputy-Adjutant-General Royal Artillery at Head-Quarters, is placed upon retired pay. Dated 7th February, 1894.

War Office, 16th February, 1894.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

- The Sussex Artillery (Eastern Division), Second Lieutenant G. F. Thompson to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1894.
- The Donegal Artillery (the Prince of Wales's) (Southern Division), The appointment of Cap-tain H. E. Bampfylde, Royal Artillery, as Adjutant, which was announced in the London Gazette of the 27th October, 1893, is post-dated to the 23rd October, 1893.
- The Clare Artillery (Southern Division), Lieu-tenant P. A. Dwyer to be Captain. Dated 17th February, 1894.
- John George Morris McOstrich, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 7th February, 1894.

ENGINEER.

Submorine Miners.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

The Milford Haven Division, Richard John Carey Oakes, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1894.

INFANTRY.

- 3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain and Honorary Major E. J. Grant to be Major. Dated 17th February, 1894.
- 3rd Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Richard Vernon Guest Brettell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th February, 1894.
- 4th Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:
 - H. C. T. Parker. Dated 17th February, 1894.
 - P. J. Foster. Dated 17th February, 1894. F. J. Gosset. Dated 17th February, 1894.
- 4th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant H. B. Lègge resigns his Commission. Dated 17th February, 1894.
- 5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Hugo Frank Henry, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1894.
- 3rd and 4th Battalions, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Bertram William Collier, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1894.
- 4th Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Captain A. C. Cragg resigns his Commission. Dated 17th February, 1894.