provisions set forth in the notice of April 14, 1897, are enforced with respect to arrivals from the Island of Penang, in the Straits of Malacca. ARTHUR FEVEREIRO.

Home Department, Lisbon. July 18, 1899.

Admiralty, 31st July, 1899. Royal Marine Light Infantry. THE undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:

- Herbert Claude Morton. William Wellington Godfrey. Hugh Ferguson Montgomery. Frederick Sinclair Lindesay. Alfred Edward Syson. Edward Keeling Fletcher. Walter Sinclair.
 - Arthur Stapley Tetley.
 - William Pulteney Michael Dalzell McLaughlin.
- Percy Harold Colley. Harry William Miles.
- John Bush.

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- Richmond Campbell Shakespear Waller. Harold John Hunter Davson.
- Maurice Christian Festing.
- Gerald Cholmondeley Wainwright.
- Charles Salusbury McNab Davenport.
- Bertram Neville.
 - Dated 1st July, 1899.
 - Admiralty, 1st August, 1899.

Clerk James Bickford Evens has been promoted to the rank of Assistant-Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 11th July, 1899.

House of Lords, August 4, 1899.

RULES PUBLICATION ACT, 1893. NOTICE is hereby given that Rules are about to be made as follows :-

Draft Rules of the Supreme Court.

1. ORDER XXII, Rule 17, after "3 per cent. Metropolitan Consolidated Stock" add " Inscribed $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Debenture Stock issued by the Corporation of London, and secured by a trust deed dated the 24th of June, 1897."

2. ORDER LII, Rule 24.—If upon an appli-cation under section 13 of the Solicitors Act, 1888, to strike the name of a Solicitor off the Roll of Solicitors or to require a Solicitor to answer the allegations contained in an affidavit, the Committee appointed under that Act shall find and report that the Solicitor has not been guilty of professional misconduct, the Solicitor may at any time within three calendar months after the date of the report apply by summons to a Judge in chambers for an order for payment to him by the applicant of the cost of and occasioned by the application to the Committee and of the summons, and the Judge shall make such order thereon as he shall think just, and such order shall be final and without appeal.

3. ORDER LV. Rule 4a.-If for the purposes of the Land Transfer Act, 1897, it is desirable to ascertain the heir-at-law or any devisee or legatee of the person who has died, having real estate vested in him within the meaning of that Act, the same may be ascertained, and all necessary directions with regard to carrying out the provisions of that Act may be given on any originating summons taken out under Rule 3 or 4 of this Order.

4. ORDER LXV, Appendix N.-After item 136 add "of a petition in a pending cause or matter by the Solicitor of the party to whom the

same is delivered such sum (if any) as the Taxing-Master may in his discretion think reasonable."

5. These Rules, which shall come into operation on the 24th of October 1899, may be cited as the Rules of the Supreme Court (August) 1899, and each Rule may be cited separately by the heading thereof with reference to the Rules of the Supreme Court 1883.

Copies may be obtained on application at the Lord Chancellor's Office, House of Lords, S.W.

TELEPHONE REGULATIONS, 1899.

IN pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice that Regulations, dated the 31st day of July, 1899. have been made by him (with the consent of the Treasury) in pursuance of the Telegraph Acts, 1863 to 1897, in relation to Telephonic communication.

And the Postmaster-General further gives notice, that copies of the said Regulations may be purchased, either directly or through any book-seller, from Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding street, Fleet-street, E.C.; or John Menzies and Co., 12, Hanover-street, Edinburgh, and 90, West Nile-street, Glasgow; or Hodges, Figgis, and Co. Limited, 104, Grafton-street, Dublin.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1899.

COAL MINES REGULATION ACT, 1896* THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that, on the 24th July, 1899, he made an Order, under section 6 of "The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1896," which repeals the previous Orders under that section, and re-enacts their provisions with certain additions and alterations.

Copies of the Order may be; purchased at the Sale Office for Official Publications, Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleetstreet, E.C.

Whitehall, August 3, 1899.

Civil Service Commission, August 4, 1899.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, in pursuance of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd March, 1879, that, with the con-currence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, they have exempted from the payment of fees certain Second Division Clerks in the Customs, who before the date of this Notice have been presented for fresh Certificates of Qualification, under clause 7 of the Orler in Council of 4th June, 1870, on their acceptance of appointments as Second Class Clerks in the Long Room of that Department in London, as recently revised.

Civil Service Commission, August 4, 1899.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names :-

July 31, 1899.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Service, Ireland: Warder, Colin Lloyd. Royal Mint: Stoker and Engine Driver, Richard Henry Hutt.

Office: Sorter - Tracer London, Frank Post Thomas Matthews.

Postman, London, Ernest Joseph Pearce.