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FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1901.

Foreign Office, May 21, 1901.

THE King has been graciously pleased to appoint John Lowndes Gorst, Esq., C.B., to be a Secretary of Legation in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Whitehall, June 6, 1901.

THE King has been pleased to give and grant unto Sir George Morice, Pasha, K.C.M.G. (late Captain, Royal Navy), Controller-General of the Egyptian Ports and Lighthouses Administration, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Grand Cordon of the Imperial Order of the Medjidieh conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in consideration of valuable services rendered by him to the Egyptian Government.

Whitehall, June 6, 1901.

THE King has been pleased to give and grant unto George Frederick Godfrey Purves, Esq. (late Royal Navy), Deputy Director-General of the Egyptian Coastguard Administration, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Imperial Order of the Medjidieh and of the Fourth Class of the Imperial Order of the Osmanieh, which Decorations have been conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in consideration of valuable services rendered by him to the Egyptian Government.

Whitehall, June 6, 1901.

THE King has been pleased to give and grant unto Cecil Longueville Snow, Esq., Officer in the Egyptian Coastguard Administration, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Imperial Order of the Medjidieh conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in consideration of valuable services rendered by him to the Egyptian Government.

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Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, June 7, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a

copy of a Note from the Roumanian Minister in London, intimating that arrivals in Roumania from Bagdad are subjected to ten days' quarantine at Sulina, and that the importation of the articles enumerated under Head IV, chapter II, of the Regulations annexed to the International Sanitary Convention of Venice remains prohibited.

Admiralty, 4th June, 1901.

THE undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Vernon Stanhope Rashleigh.

Gerald Langston Parnell.

Dated 15th July, 1900.

Admiralty, 5th June, 1901.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 15th September, 1887—

Chief Gunner Alfred Horatio Churchill has been granted the rank of Lieutenant on retirement. Dated 18th April, 1901.

Chief Boatswain William Thomas Taylor has been granted the rank of Lieutenant on retirement. Dated 11th April, 1901.

Admiralty, 6th June, 1901.

THE following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Hugh Seymour.

Cyril St. Clair Cameron.

Dated 15th May, 1901.

War Office, 22nd May, 1901.

HIS Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to accept the voluntary offer made by the undermentioned Militia Battalions to serve at a Station out of the United Kingdom, viz.:—

5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).

5th Battalion, the Lancashire Fusiliers.

3rd Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment.

3rd Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment.

3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry).

5th Battalion, the Manchester Regiment.