Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 5, 1902. H. 13177.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, an intimation from the Governor of Barbadoes that Panama has been declared infected with yellow fever, and that Colon and Panama are no longer infected with small-pox.

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 5, 1902.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch dated August 25, from His Majesty's Representative at Tunis, enclosing copy of the following Decree, published in the "Journal Officiel Tunisien" of August 23rd:—

Décret du 20 août 1902 (16 djournadi-el-aoual 1320) Louanges à Dieu!

Nous, Mohamed el Hadi Pacha Bey, Possesseur du Royaume de Tunis.

Avons pris le décret suivant :

Art. 1er.—Les dispositions du décret du 24 octobre 1902* (2 redjeb 1318), relatif aux provenances de localités contaminées de peste sont étendues aux provenances de localités contaminées de choléra.

Art. 2.—Notre Premier Ministre est chargé

de l'exécution du présent décret. Vu pour promulgation et mise à exécution :

Tunis, le 20 août 1902. La Premier Secrétaire d'Ambassade,

La Premier Secrétaire d'Ambassade,
Délégué à la Résidence Générale.
A. D'Anthouard.

* See London Gazette, 25th February, 1901.

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, September 9, 1902. H. 13276.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated September 8, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—"Five days' quarantine on arrivals from Odessa."

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

Cheltenham and District Light Railways (Extensions No. 2) Order.

The Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade, for confirmation under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them for the construction of Light Railways in the county of Gloucester, in the borough of Cheltenham, and in the Urban District of Charlton Kings.

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order should be addressed to the Assistant-Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., and must be lodged with the Board on or before 1st October, 1902. These should be accompanied by copies of any clauses or amendments that may be desired to remove the objections, and copies of such objections and clauses or amendments should at the same time be sent to the Promoters' Agents named below.

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy from Messrs. Winterbothams and Gurney, Cheltenham.

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Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,

London, S.W.

Admiralty, 5th September, 1902.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Charles William Thomas has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 4th September, 1902.

Lieutenant Alexander Attwood Gordon has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 30th August, 1902.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 5th February, 1872—

The Reverend Ebenezer Thomas Fyffe, B.A., Chaplain and Naval Instructor, has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 5th September, 1902.

The undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in His Majesty's Fleet:—

John Harry Jenkin.

Dated 5th July, 1902.

Charles Hastings Hill.

Dated 1st August, 1902.
The Reverend Matthew Mullineux, B.A.,

The Reverend Matthew Mulineux, B.A., has been appointed Chaplain in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 7th August, 1902.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Midshipman Donald Dowdy to be Sub-LieutenantDated 2nd September, 1902.

Admiralty, 6th September, 1902. .

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—Fleet Engineer Richard Arthur Shapcott has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 3rd September, 1902.

War Office, Pall Mall, 5th September, 1902.

5th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Owen E. M. Saunders to be Captain, vice H. P. Travers, transferred to the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment). Dated 10th September, 1902.

7th Hussars, Second Lieutenant C. A. M. Cator to be Lieutenant, vice A. B. Pollok, placed on the Half-Pay List. Dated 27th July, 1902.

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY (IN SOUTH AFRICA). 2nd Battalion, Captain E. O. Price relinquishes his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Captain in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 8th August, 1902.

3rd Battalion, Lieutenant R. G. Coke relinquishes his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 8th August, 1902.

4th Battalion, Captain J. C. Ingle resigns his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Captain in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 16th July, 1902.

Lieutenant S. J. Nixon resigns his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 16th July, 1902.

5th Battalion, Temporary Captain P. Davidson, D.S.O., Medical Officer, relinquishes his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Captain in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 12th July, 1901.