

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 5, 1902.
H. 17111.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated December 4, from His Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg:—"Manchuria declared free from cholera."

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 6, 1902.
H. 17112.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated December 5, from His Majesty's Representative at Galatz:—"At Sulina quarantine on arrivals from Odessa abolished."

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 6, 1902.
H. 17115.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, enclosing copy of the following new rules issued by the Turkish Sanitary Administration enumerating the goods that will not be accepted in Turkish Ports if coming from contaminated ports:—

Administration Sanitaire de l'Empire Ottoman.
Constantinople, le 30 Octobre, 1902.
No. 200. Circulaire.

Par décision du Conseil Supérieur de Santé les marchandises et objets énumérés ci-après provenant de ports contaminés de peste ne seront pas acceptés dans l'Empire Ottoman.

1° Le linge de corps les vêtements portés (effets à usage) et les hardes la literie ayant servi les paquets laissés par des soldats ou matelots et à être renvoyés à leur patrie. Exception est faite des effets personnels (linge de corps et vêtements) que le voyageur port avec lui comme bagage ainsi que des effets d'installation munis d'un certificat sanitaire d'origine constatant qu'il n'y a pas eu de cas de maladies contagieuses dans le local où ils s'y trouvaient. Ces effets sont soumis à la désinfection.

2° Les chiffons et les drilles sans en excepter les chiffons comprimés par la force hydraulique et qui sont transportés comme marchandises en ballots.

3° Les sacs usés les zembil usés les nattes usées les tapis usés les peaux garnies de laine ou de poils et servant de tapis ou matelas les broderies dentelles et passementeries ayant servi.

4° Les peaux fraîches qui n'ont subi aucune préparation chimique ainsi que les débris pais d'animaux onglons sabots crins poils soies et laines brutes.

5° Les cheveux.

6° Les colis postaux contenant des articles ci-dessus mentionnés et les échantillons des mêmes articles.

7° Toutes les marchandises qui sont soit emballées soit confondues avec des matières de même nature que les articles prohibés.

Toutefois les chiffons ou les vieux papiers employés pour l'emballage dans l'intérieur des caisses de la verrerie et des ustensiles en porcelaine ou en faïence seront incinérés par les soins de l'Autorité Sanitaire et remplacés par du coton ou du papier neufs pour que les dites marchandises puissent être acceptées.

N.B.—La présente circulaire annule cette sub No. 89 du 11 Juin 1902.

L'Inspecteur Général,
Dr. DUCA.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

Colne and Trawden Light Railways (Acquisition of Lands Amendment) Order.

The Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade, for confirmation under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them authorizing the compulsory purchase of lands for the purposes of the Colne and Trawden Light Railways Order, 1901, and for other purposes.

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 the 2nd January, 1903. 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. Addyman and Evans, 15, East-parade, Leeds.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,
London, S.W., 9th December, 1902.

Admiralty, 5th December, 1902.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Barrack Master and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Ernest Pyne is placed on the Retired List at his own request, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 5th February, 1872. Dated 6th December, 1902.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Schofield Patten Peile, C.B., is placed on half-pay on appointment as Barrack Master. Dated 6th December, 1902.

Royal Naval Reserve.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Lieutenant William Hayward has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 4th December, 1902.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Lionel Leslie Williams has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th June, 1901.

Admiralty, 6th December, 1902.

Royal Naval Reserve.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Senior Engineer Peter Boyd has been placed upon the Retired List at his own request, with the rank of Chief Engineer in the Royal Naval Reserve. Dated 5th December, 1902.

Admiralty, 8th December, 1902.

The undermentioned Assistant-Paymasters have been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Alfred Charles Ransom.

Dated 4th August, 1902.

William John Parsons Pettit.

Dated 1st October, 1902.

Kenneth Sydney Hay.

Dated 13th October, 1902.

William Bell.

Dated 9th November, 1902.