

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 13, 1904.
H. 5270.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated April 9, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:—"Sanitary precautions imposed on arrivals from Antofagasta (Chile)."

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 13, 1904.
H. 5270.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated April 10, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:—"Sanitary precautions imposed on arrivals from Alexandria."

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 13, 1904.
H. 5287.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated March 26, from His Majesty's Representative at Pernambuco, reporting that an epidemic of dysentery of an infectious and a contagious character has broken out in that city.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 14, 1904.
H. 5331.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated April 12, from His Majesty's Representative at Valparaiso:—"Thirty-five cases suspected bubonic plague at Antofagasta, majority attended with fatal results. Sickness not yet reported officially as bubonic plague. Antofagasta quarantined."

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 14, 1904.
H. 5343.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated April 12, from His Majesty's Representative at Buenos Aires:—"Free pratique granted to arrivals from Rio carrying Sanitary Inspector. Without Inspector disinfection or five days' quarantine including those of voyage."

Admiralty, 11th April, 1904.

Clerk Henry Arthur Brown has been promoted to the rank of Assistant Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 8th March, 1904.

Admiralty, 12th April, 1904.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—Fleet Surgeon Hamilton Meikle has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 6th April, 1904.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Midshipman Frederick John Roden to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1904.

Admiralty, 13th April, 1904.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 9th October, 1903—Paymaster-in-Chief Charles Walker has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request.

Miss Florence Ellen Seymour has been appointed Nursing Sister in Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service. Dated 5th April, 1904. The undermentioned Gunners have been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Joseph Henry Jarvis.
Dated 3rd March, 1904.
Walter William Roach.
Dated 10th March, 1904.

Admiralty, 14th April, 1904.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, viz.:—

Francis Bernard Shea-Lawlor.
John Arthur Smith.
Dated 13th April, 1904.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

The undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed Officers, viz.:—
Arthur James Henderson to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th April, 1904.
William Betenson Betenson to be Surgeon. Dated 13th April, 1904.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
15th April, 1904.*

Royal Horse Guards, Lieutenant Charles S. H., Viscount Castlereagh, M.V.O., resigns the appointment of Adjutant. Dated 24th March, 1904.

Captain the Honourable Arthur V. Meade to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. S. H., Viscount Castlereagh, M.V.O. Dated 25th March, 1904.

The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant the Honourable Dudley C. Marjoribanks, D.S.O., M.V.O., is antedated to 25th March, 1904, vice the Honourable A. V. Meade, appointed Adjutant.

17th Lancers, Supernumerary Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant S. Callaghan, to be Quartermaster, vice Honorary Captain C. Clarke, placed on retired pay. Dated 16th April, 1904.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Captain William J. K. Rettie to be Major, vice A. M. Kennard, D.S.O., retired. Dated 16th March, 1904.

Lieutenant Francis C. D. Burton is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 9th April, 1904.

Royal Garrison Artillery, The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—
Lionel E. B. Dykes, vice T. F. Bushe, C.M.G., appointed to the Army Ordnance Department. Dated 25th January, 1904.

Henry W. Iles, Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District. Dated 28th January, 1904.