Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 5, 1909.

H. 4824.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following telegram, dated April 3rd, from His Majesty's Representative at Constanti-nople:—"Forty-eight hours quarantine imposed against Muscat and Bahrein replaced by simple visit in first port possessing a medical officer."

Admiralty, 31st March, 1909.

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

Lieutenant Ralph Burland Bodilly has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 22nd February, 1909.

Admiralty, 2nd April, 1909.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Probationary Sub-Lieutenant Edmund Aikman has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1908.

Admiralty, 3rd April, 1909.

Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets James Porter, C.B., M.D., M.A., Director-General of the Medical Department of the Navy, has been appointed Honorary Physician to His Majesty, in place of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets Sir John Watt Reid, K.C.B., M.D., LL.D., K.H.P., deceased. Dated 25th February 1000 per page 1000 per ruary, 1909.

The following Chief Artificer Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:-

Francis David Nuthall. John Hender Apps. Harry Batey.

Dated 1st April, 1909.

The undermentioned Surgeons have been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in His Majesty's Fleet:-

Alfred James Hewitt. Dated 26th February, 1908.

John Verdon. Dated 2nd August, 1908. John Thornhill, M.B. Dated 11th February,

The following Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:-

James William Ogilvy Dalgleish. 15th May, 1908. Dated Lancelot Gordon Ingham. Norman Cameron Moore. William Bayard Hynes. Frederic Newton Attwood. Edward Overend Priestley. Henry Bernard Rawlings. Frederick Close Craufurd Kennedy. William Lindsay Jackson. James Francis Morris. Dated 15th July, 1908.

James Wilfred Sussex Dorling. Walter Raleigh Gilbert. William Simon Fraser Macleod. The Honourable Leopold Florence Scarlett. Claud Anthony Merriman. Cecil Eustace Tooth. Lionel Frederick Robinson. Humphrey Maurice Robson. Dated 30th July, 1908.

Robert Mends. Rundle Burges Watson. Jocelyn Heneage Drummond. William Lane Joynt Mowbray Henry Jackson. Frederic Cyril Bradley. Dated 15th August, 1908.

Maitland Walter Sabine Boucher. Quentin Hunter Paterson. Charles Edward Wilson. William Gordon Benn. Dated 30th August, 1908.

> War Office, Whitehall, 6th April, 1909.

REGULAR FORCES. COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Captain Edward B. Ashmore, Royal Artillery, a General Staff Officer, 3rd grade, at Head-Quarters, is advanced to the 2nd grade. Dated 1st April, 1909.

## ESTABLISHMENTS.

School of Musketry, Captain Cyril de Putron, The Lancashire Fusiliers, to be an Instructor, vice Captain F. L. Festing, The Northumberland Fusiliers. Dated 1st April, 1909.

## CAVALRY.

21st (Empress of India's) Lancers, Riding Master and Honorary Lieutenant Charles Gilbert is placed on retired pay. Dated 5th April, 1909.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:

John de V. Bowles, vice The Honourable D. A. Forbes, seconded. Dated 22nd February, 1909.

Arthur Willis, vice J. de V. Bowles, Adjutant.
Dated 22nd February, 1909.
Henry A. Boyd, vice H. W. Newcome, seconded. Dated 26th February, 1909.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Henry W. Walker is restored to the establishment, vice H. A. Boyd. Dated 9th March, 1909.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Supernumerary Major Harry M. Elliot is restored to the establishment, vice P. de S. Burney, promoted. Dated 30th March, 1909.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Captains are restored to the establishment. Dated 15th March, 1909 :-

Reginald W. Castle, vice J. Chrystie. Herbert Morrice, vice A. W. Disney-Roebuck.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Knightley Dunsterville is restored to the establishment, vice W. C. Robertson. Dated 15th March, 1909.