11th instant no fresh cases of cholera or deaths from that malady have occurred in the Netherlands.

In view of this fact and of the rigorous isolation and other measures of precaution which have been taken by the authorities, the Netherland Government are of opinion that preventive measures in other countries are no longer necessary.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 27, 1909.

H. 12892.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated September 24th, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:—Sanitary measures withdrawn from Fayal and Terceira, Azores.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 27, 1909.

Н. 12915.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated September 23rd from His Majesty's Representative at Brussels, transmitting the text of a Decree published in the Moniteur Belge of that date, withdrawing the restrictions recently imposed upon goods entering Belgium from certain parts of Holland.

Admiralty, 25th September, 1909.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Arthur Bullock to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th August, 1909.

Admiralty, 27th September, 1909.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 8th December, 1903—

Captain Harry Hampson Stileman has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 24th September, 1909.

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

Gerard Walter Trevelyan Robertson. Edmond Francis Loftus Jones. Dated 30th November, 1908.

Patrick Henry Mackenzie. Dated 15th December, 1908.

December, 1908.

Patrick Butter. Dated 30th December, 1908.

War Office, Whitehall, 28th September, 1909.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

Major - General William Francis Moore Hutchinson to be Colonel Commandant, vice Major-General Sir H. J. Alderson, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 11th September, 1909.

War Office,

28th September, 1909.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

YEOMANRY.

Denbighshire (Hussars); Captain Cecil John McIlbee Lomer, 8th (King's Royal Irish) Hussars, to be Adjutant, vice Captain Samuel C. Holland, 1st (King's) Dragoon Guards, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 7th September, 1909.

Herts; John Wheen Silva to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st September, 1909.

Northumberland (Hussars); Second Lieutenant Francis S. J. Silvertop resigns his commission. Dated 9th September, 1909.

The undermentioned officers are absorbed into the establishment:—

Supernumerary Second Lieutenant Frederick V. Drake. Dated 29th May, 1909.

Supernumerary Second Lieutenant William W. Burdon. Dated 11th September, 1909.

ROYAL HORSE ARTILLERY.

Berkshire; Captain (Lieutenant, temporary retired pay) Charles Gosset Mayall, The Lancashire Royal Field Artillery (Militia), to be Major. Dated 26th May, 1908.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

6th Staffordshire Battery, 3rd North Midland Brigade; Second Lieutenant Frederick J. Wrottesley to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th August, 1909.

Infantry.

5th Battalion, The Northumberland Fusiliers; the undermentioned supernumerary officers are absorbed into the establishment:—

Captain William L. Bentham. Dated 1st July, 1909.

Captain John S. Orde. Dated 2nd July, 1909.

6th Battalion, The Northumberland Fusiliers; Owen Geoffrey Blayney to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 5th August, 1909.

4th Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment; William Mallam Phillips to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th August, 1909.

4th Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment; Captain Frederick J. Potbury resigns his commission, and is granted permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 31st July, 1909.

Lieutenant Raymond Y. Anderson-Morshead to be Captain. Dated 1st August, 1909.