II. As regards transit:

To goods which are packed in such a manner that they cannot undergo any operation of manufacture or any treatment on the way.

The Hague, August 18/19, 1910.

For the Minister of the Interior, J. B. KAN. Secretary General.

.For the Minister of Finance, Ant. van Gyn, Acting Secretary General.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 25, 1910.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated August 24th, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—Five days quarantine on arrivals from Italian littoral between Manfredonia and Gallipoli, inclusive, owing to outbreak of Cholera in province of Bari.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 25, 1910.

The Board of Trade have received a copy of the following Quarantine Notice, dated August 19th, issued by the Government of Malta:—

GOVERNMENT NOTICE. No. 198.

Information having been received that an infectious or contagious disease, dangerous to mankind, to wit Cholera, exists in the Province of Bari, it is hereby declared that the Province of Bari is an infected place, within the meaning of Article 1 of the Regulations made under the Fourth Sanitary Ordinance, 1908, and published on the 28th August, 1908.

> By command, E. P. S. ROUPELL, Acting Lieutenant-Governor and Chief Secretary to Government

Lieut.-Governor's Office, The Palace, Valletta, August 19, 1910.

> Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 25, 1910. H. 11365.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegrams, dated August 25th, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome:—Sanitary measures against plague imposed on arrivals from Basra.

Measures against cholera imposed on arrivals . from Berdinsk and Poti.

> Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 25, 1910.

> > H. 11366.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated August 24th, from His Majesty's Minister at Lisbon:— Notification published in Government Gazette

it impossible that they should have been in to-day declaring Ports of Bari, Triani, Barletta, contact with infected objects: Southern Italy infected by Cholera from August 1st.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, August 25, 1910.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated August 24th, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Madrid:-Decree appears in Gazette of August 22nd, imposing sanitary inspection on all arrivals from Russian and Italian ports.

Admiralty, August 24, 1910.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 13th May, 1901-

Engineer Lieutenant Frank Lloyd Newhouse has been transferred to the Emergency List. Dated 25th July, 1910.

Clerk Edwin Howard Drayson has been promoted to the rank of Assistant Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 3rd August, 1910.

Admiralty, August 25, 1910.

In accordance with the provisions of Orders in Council of 8th December, 1903, and 18th October,

Commander Hubert Stansbury has been placed on the Retired List at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 24th August, 1910.

Staff Paymaster Frederick Matthew Mitchell has this day been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, August 26, 1910.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 28th March, 1903-

Lieutenant Frederick Bryant has this day been placed on the Retired List.

> War Office, August 26, 1910.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

MEMORANDUM.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer upon the Norfolk (The King's Own Royal Regiment) Yeomanry, the honour of becoming its Colonel-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER FORCE.

3RD VOLUNTEER BATTALION, THE NORFOLK REGIMENT.

Colonel The Right Honourable Charles, Lord Suffield, G.C.V.O., K.C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the King, resigns the Honorary Colonelcy of the battalion. Dated 31st March, 1908.