

copy of a Despatch, dated the 21st September, from His Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that, by a Royal Decree recently issued, the importation of live stock of all kinds and of products of the same from Samsun is prohibited.

It is also stated that the three days' quarantine imposed on persons crossing the frontier by land from Turkey is increased to five days' quarantine with disinfection.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, October 2, 1911.*

H. 12465.

The Board of Trade have received a copy of the following Notice, dated the 25th September, issued by the Government of Malta:—

GOVERNMENT NOTICE No. 291.

Information having been received that an infectious or contagious disease, dangerous to mankind, to wit cholera, exists at Salonica, it is hereby declared that Salonica is an infected place, within the meaning of article 1 of the Regulations made under the Fourth Sanitary Ordinance, 1908, re-published by Government Notice No. 207 of the 13th July, 1911, and amended by Government Notices No. 224 of the 29th July, 1911, and No. 252 of the 22nd August, 1911.

By command,

E. P. S. ROUPELL,

Acting Lieutenant-Governor
and Chief Secretary to Government.
Lieut.-Governor's Office,
The Palace, Valletta,
September 25, 1911.

MERSEY CONSERVANCY ACT.

Mersey Conservancy,
66, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.,
3rd October, 1911.

I hereby give Notice, pursuant to the 9th section of the Act 5 and 6 Victoria, cap. 110, intituled "An Act for better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey," that I have received a Notice from the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Wallasey, given pursuant to the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, of their intention to construct a jetty for pleasure boats at New Brighton, in the River Mersey, in accordance with plans and sections deposited at this Office, a copy of which Notice is subjoined.

A. Mostyn Field, Vice-Admiral,
Acting Conservator of the
Mersey.

To Vice-Admiral Sir A. Mostyn Field, K.C.B.,
F.R.S., &c., Acting Conservator of the
Mersey.

In pursuance of an Act for better preserving the navigation of the River Mersey (5 and 6 Vic., cap. 110), we, the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Wallasey, hereby give you notice that we propose to construct at New Brighton, in the county of Chester, in accordance with plans and sections deposited at the Office of the Mersey Conservancy, a jetty for pleasure boats, at a distance of 100 feet north-west of New Brighton Pleasure Pier, and extending riverwards parallel with the said pier a distance of 275 feet from the slipway of the marine promenade. The structure will be 8 feet in width over all, and be constructed of open steel framework and timber with reinforced concrete floor.

Dated this 27th day of September, 1911.

H. W. Cook, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Wallasey.

Admiralty, 28th September, 1911.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Bandmaster and Warrant Officer Benjamin Stephen Green to be Second Lieutenant.
Dated 13th September, 1911.

Admiralty, 30th September, 1911.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of the 16th May, 1904—

Engineer Lieutenant Gilbert John Parr has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 29th September, 1911.

Chief Artificer Engineer Thomas Killick has been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant in his Majesty's Fleet. Dated 29th September, 1911.

Surgeon Alexander Charles William Newport has been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 21st November, 1910.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant William Gerald Byrne Jones to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1911.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Lieutenant William John Cleere has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 21st September, 1911.

Admiralty, 2nd October, 1911.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

George Lionel Davidson.
Arthur Wilfrid Blaker.