

Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Spalding District of the County of Lincoln.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
December 23, 1912.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. I. P. Kelly to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Rathvilly District of the County of Carlow.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
December 23, 1912.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. J. Wilson to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Anstruther District of the County of Fife.

*Downing Street,  
23rd December, 1912.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Joseph John Nunan, Esq. (Solicitor-General), to be Attorney-General of the Colony of British Guiana.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 23, 1912.*

H. 16075.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from His Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, stating that a notification was published in the Portuguese Government Gazette of the 18th December declaring the Port of Casablanca free from plague since the 8th December.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 23, 1912.*

H. 16083.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translation of a Circular issued by the Imperial and Royal Marine Board at Trieste on the 13th December:—

As, according to official news, cholera in Asia Minor and Soria is spreading more and more, all arrivals from their respective ports will be treated according to Government Circular of August the 12th, 1904, No. 12468, in which the regulations of the International Sanitary Conference of Paris (1903) were published, in so far as they refer to the Maritime Sanitary Service.

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, December 23, 1912.*

H. 16196.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 22nd December,

from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome, to the effect that the precautionary measures against plague which were imposed on arrivals in Italian ports from Terceira, Azores, have been revoked.

*Admiralty, 20th December, 1912.*

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

Rear-Admiral Herbert Edward Purey Cust, C.B., has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 19th December, 1912.

Consequent thereon the following promotions have been made from the same date:—

Captain Evelyn Robert Le Marchant to be Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Captain William Blewett Fawcner to be Rear-Admiral on the Retired List.

The undermentioned Engineer Commanders have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Captain in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Charles John James. Dated 12th November, 1912.

Francis Henry Lister. Dated 2nd December, 1912.

*Admiralty, 23rd December, 1912.*

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 9th October, 1903—

Paymaster-in-Chief Bouchier Beresford Savile has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Fleet Paymaster Frederick George Wellington Taylor has this day been promoted to the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief in His Majesty's Fleet.

Assistant Paymaster Herbert Arthur Michell has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 13th December, 1912.

With reference to the notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 20th instant, the date of the promotion of Assistant Paymaster Frederick D'Oyly Nind to the rank of Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet should be 23rd December, 1912, and not as therein stated.

*War Office,  
24th December, 1912.*

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Second Lieutenant Sir Thomas E. K. Lees, Bt., The Dorset (Queen's Own) Yeomanry, to be Aide-de-Camp (extra) to Lord Chelmsford, G.C.M.G., Governor of New South Wales. Dated 15th February, 1912.