Messrs. E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton | Street, Dublin.

Whitehall, 1st September, 1913.

Factory Department, Home Office, August 28, 1913.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. W. Pilcher to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Boston District of the County of Lincoln.

Factory Department, Home Office, August 28, 1913.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. N. D. Mackay to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Aberfeldy District of the County of Perth.

Factory Department, Home Office, August 28, 1913.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. H. Dingle, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Barmouth, in the County of Merioneth, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, August 28, 1913.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Ballindalloch, in the County of Banff, is vac.nt.

Factory Department, Home Office, September 1, 1913.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. H. E. Smith to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the East Manchester District of the County of Lancaster.

Factory Department, Home Office, September 1, 1913.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. W. E.

McFeeters an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Raphoe, in the County of Donegal, is vacant.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 1, 1913.

H. 11782.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated the 29th August, from His Majesty's Ambassador at Berlin, stating that it is reported from Bremerhaven that owing to the outbreak of cholera at Smyrna vessels coming from Asia Minor to Weserport are subjected to quarantine regulations.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 1, 1913.

H. 11804;

The Board of Trade have received a copy of a Notice, issued by the Government of Malta, dated the 27th August, to the effect that Smyrna is regarded as a place infected with cholera.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 1, 1913.

H. 11734.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated the 28th August, from His Majesty's Acting Consul-General at Trieste, transmitting the following translation of a Circular, dated the 8th August, issued by the Imperial and Royal Marine Board at Trieste, respecting arrivals from Servia and Bulgaria.

By Ordinance of the Imperial and Royal Ministries of the Interior, Commerce, and Finance (B.L.J., No. 160), dated August the 8th, 1913, and according to Article VII. of the Customs law of February the 13th, 1906, is prohibited, respectively limited the importation and transit of the following goods and articles from Servia and Bulgaria:—

- '(1) Soiled body linen, old and worn clothing (personal effects), old bedding (used bed feathers). If these articles are forwarded as travelling luggage, or in consequence of change of domicile, on crossing the frontier, they are subject to the special prescriptions in force of sanitary police.
- (2) Rags. Of such prohibition are excluded: (a) Rags sent as goods pressed in iron-hooped bales for trade. New coaste from spinning, weaving, cloth, bleaching artificial wool, shoddy, and new paper waste.