

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 354.—The following notices which appeared in the *London Gazette* of the 4th June, 1915, are published for general information.

Blockade of the Coast of Asia Minor by His Majesty's Government.

FOREIGN OFFICE,
June 1, 1915.

His Majesty's Government have decided to declare a blockade of the coast of Asia Minor, commencing at noon on June 2nd. The area of the blockade will extend from Latitude 37° 35' N., to Latitude 40° 5' N., and will include the entrance to the Dardanelles. Seventy-two hours' grace from the moment of the commencement of the blockade will be given for the departure of neutral vessels from the blockaded area.

Blockade of the Austro-Hungarian and Albanian Coasts by the Italian Government.

FOREIGN OFFICE,
May 31, 1915.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received a telegram from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome stating that the Italian Government have declared a blockade, commencing on May 26th, of the coast comprised within the limits described below:—

1. Austro-Hungarian coast from Italian frontier on north to Montenegrin frontier on south, including all islands, ports, bays, etc.
2. Albanian coast from Montenegrin frontier on north to Aspri Ruga (Lat. 40° 9' 36" N., Long. 19° 35' 45" E.) inclusive on south.

Friendly and neutral ships will be allowed a time limit to be fixed by Commander-in-Chief of Italian Naval Force for free exit from blockaded zone.

No. 355.—The following lists which appeared in the *London Gazette* of the 11th and 18th June, 1915, are published for general information, in continuation of the lists published in the *Hongkong Government Gazette* of the 16th July, 1915.

CLAUD SEVERN,
Colonial Secretary.

6th August, 1915.

VESSELS DETAINED OR CAPTURED AT SEA BY
HIS MAJESTY'S ARMED FORCES.

LIST OF VESSELS.

Name and Tonnage.	Nationality.	Where detained.
Pax (285)	Argentine	Falkland Islands.

SHIPS WHOSE CARGOES, OR PART OF THEM,
HAVE BEEN DETAINED.

LIST OF VESSELS.

Name of Vessel.	Nationality.	Cargo Detained at	Name of Vessel.	Nationality.	Cargo Detained at
Angerona	Norwegian.	Greenock	Nordhavet	Danish.....	Kirkwall
Annie Johnson.....	Swedish ...	Kirkwall	Nordkyn	Norwegian.	Kirkwall
Athenai	Greek	Gibraltar	Santa Cruz	Norwegian.	Swansea
Ebro	Danish.....	Falmouth	Strathay	British ...	Gibraltar
Einar Jarl	Norwegian.	Kirkwall	Tula	Danish.....	Falmouth
Jemtland	Swedish ...	Leith	Tysla	Norwegian.	Kirkwall
F. J. Lisman	American ..	London	Yssel.....	Dutch	Bristol

FOREIGN OFFICE,
June 18, 1915.