

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 503.—It is hereby notified that Notification No. 247 of the 1st June, 1915, is cancelled so far as it relates to the declaration of war by Germany upon Italy.

No. 504.—It is hereby notified that the Consul-General for France has notified this Government that the following Orders have been promulgated by the Governor-General of Indo-China in a Proclamation of the 29th October last:—

1. The Order of the 3rd September, 1915, prohibiting the export and the re-export of coal and coke.
2. The Order of the 18th September, 1915, declaring that the provisions of the preceding Order must be made applicable to French colonies and protectorates.

Notwithstanding the above the French Government has decided to authorize:—

- (1.) The export of the materials in question if destined for France, French colonies, or allied countries.
- (2.) The export of these same goods if destined for China or the Philippines, and this export to take place under the same conditions as the export of rice, that is to say, on special request and with the reserve that exporters must produce a consular certificate.

No. 505.—The following lists which appeared in the *London Gazette* of the 10th, 17th and 24th September, and 1st October, 1915, are published for general information:—

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

(In continuation of the previous notification published in the "Hongkong Government Gazette" of the 1st October, 1915.)

LIST OF VESSELS.

Name and Tonnage.	Nationality.	Where detained.
Alexandro (12)	Greek	Malta
Mond (136)	German	The Tyne

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

(In continuation of the previous notification published in the "Hongkong Government Gazette" of the 29th October, 1915.)

LIST OF VESSELS.

Name of Vessel.	Nationality.	Cargo Detained at	Name of Vessel.	Nationality.	Cargo Detained at
Arno	Danish.....	Falmouth	Helsingborg	Swedish ...	Kirkwall
Beira.....	Danish.....	Falmouth	Lisa	Swedish ...	Kirkwall
Bergensfiord	Norwegian.	Leith	Morso	Danish.....	Newcastle
Byzantion	Greek	Malta	Morso	Danish.....	The Tyne
California	Danish.....	Leith	Muskov.....	Danish.....	Falmouth
Charkow	Danish.....	Falmouth	Ontaneda	Spanish ...	Falmouth
Cometa	Norwegian.	Ardrossan	Sirius	Norwegian.	Fleetwood
Consul Corfitzon ...	Swedish ...	Swansea	Spetzas	Greek	Malta
Eperos	Greek	Malta	Thai	Swedish ...	Glasgow
Erissos	Greek	Malta	Vitalia	Norwegian.	Plymouth