The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:

M. H. L. Bell. Dated 24th October, 1894. W. H. Horsfall. Dated 24th October, 1894. F. C. Houseman. Dated 24th October, 1894.

2nd (Earl of Chester's) Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major J. Morris resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 2nd November, 1894.

1st (Brecknockshire) Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Second Lieutenant F. R. D. A. Gough to be Captain. Dated 24th October, 1894.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment, Second Lieutenant H. A. Chard to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1894.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment, Edwin Morton, M.D., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1894.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Surgeon-Lieutenant A. B. Chambers, M.D., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 21th October, 1894.

13th Middlesex (Queen's Westminster), Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant C. E. Howard Vincent, C.B., is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 24th October, 1894.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Alfred Livingston, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1894.

MEMORANDA.

The following Officers retire under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1893, viz. :-

1st Edinburgh (City), Acting Chaplain the Reverend W. H. Gray, D.D., retires. Dated 2nd November, 1894.

RIFLE.

The Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Douglas Maclagan, Knt., M.D., retires, with permission to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement, vacating at the same time his appointment in the Forth Volunteer Infantry Brigade. Dated 2nd November, 1894.

1st Roxburgh and Selkirk (the Border), Acting Chaplain the Reverend J. C. Herdman, D.D., retires. Dated 2nd November, 1894.

3rd Lanarkshire, Honorary Chaplain the Reverend D. Brown retires. Dated 2nd November, 1894.

3rd (the Buchan) Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain J. Walker retires, with permission to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 2nd November, 1894.

Acting Chaplain the Reverend W. Webster retires. Dated 2nd November, 1894.

CADET BATTALIONS.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), John Henry White Fortescue-Cole Esq., to be Honorary Major in command. Dated 24th October, 1894.

Frederick Keiling Scott, Esq., to be Honorary Captain and Acting Adjutant. Dated 24th October, 1894.

No. 26563.

Edward Riddlesdale Whitfield, Esq., to be Honorary Captain. Dated 24th October, 1894.

Alexander Thomas Scott, Esq., to be Honorary Captain. Dated 24th October, 1894.

Augustus Henry Scott-White, Esq., to be Honorary Captain. Dated 24th October, 1894.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Honorary Lieutenants:-

Hugh John Perry. Dated 24th October, 1894.

Randolph Marriott Smyth. October, 1894. Dated 24th

James Donnelly. Dated 24th October, 1894.

Alfred Hugh Burns, Gent., to be Honorary Second Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1894. Edward Mowil Worsfold, Gent., to be Acting Quartermaster. Dated 24th October, 1894.

VOLUNTEER MEDICAL STAFF CORPS. The Manchester Companies, Quartermaster B. R. Howell is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 24th October, 1894.

> (Swine-Fever.) By the Board of Agriculture.

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. From and after the commencement of this Order the provisions of the Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1894 dated the tenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four shall not extend or apply to the Districts named in the Schedule to this Order, and the Order of the Board of the same date applying the provisions of the said Markets and Fairs Order to certain Districts and parts of Districts named in the Schedule to that Order shall be read and have effect as if the Districts named in the Schedule to this Order were not included in the Schedule to that Order.

2. Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Markets and Fairs (Swine-Fever) Order of 1894, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, such Order before the commencement of this Order.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-sixth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

In witness whereofthe Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.



T. H. Elliott, Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

Districts to which this Order applies.

County of Durham.

Borough of Darlington.

Borough of Durham.

Borough of Gateshead. Borough of Hartlepool.

Borough of Jarrow.

Borough of South Shields.

Borough of Stockton-upon-Tees. Borough of Sunderland.

Borough of West Hartlepool.