

Dompoassi on 6th June after he had been severely wounded.

(20) Colour-Sergeant Mackenzie, Seaforth Highlanders, 1st Battalion West African Frontier Force.—A most gallant soldier. I have already reported specially on him.

(21) Mr. G. B. Haddon-Smith, Political Officer, Gold Coast Civil Service.—An exceptionally good all-round man; he has been soldier and civilian combined, and done both most satisfactorily; will turn his hand to anything. I strongly recommend him for some mark of distinction.

(22) Mr. H. B. W. Russell, Private Secretary.—This gentleman volunteered his services at Cape Coast, and I was most fortunate in getting him; he has worked incessantly ever since I landed, and I strongly recommend him, especially as his chief object in coming was in order to have an opportunity of doing some service to the State.

The following have done good work:—

Captain (local Major) H. R. Beddoes, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, severely wounded.

Major A. F. Montanaro, Royal Artillery.

Captain H. D. Carleton, West India Regiment.

Captain MacG. Greer, Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Captain G. C. Merrick, Royal Artillery.

Captain H. Bryan, the Manchester Regiment.

Captain E. C. Margesson, South Wales Borderers.

Captain A. L. Cartwright, Durham Light Infantry.

Captain H. C. J. Biss, 5th Middlesex Regiment, wounded.

Captain C. G. D. Haslewood, 3rd East Kent Regiment, A.D.C.

Captain J. F. Crean, Canadian Artillery.

Lieutenant (local Major) A. S. Cobbe, Indian Staff Corps, severely wounded.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) C. A. Wilkin-son, Shropshire Light Infantry.

Lieutenant (local Captain) G. Loch, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

Lieutenant (local Captain) R. H. Monckmason, Royal Munster Fusiliers, wounded.

Lieutenant F. Swabey, West India Regiment, severely wounded.

Lieutenant R. H. Wilford, West India Regiment.

Mr. Hall, Gold Coast Police.

Dr. Tichborne, West African Frontier Force.

Dr. Buee, Gold Coast Service.

Dr. Langstaff, Gold Coast Service.

Surgeon-Lieutenant Fletcher, Militia Medical Staff Corps, wounded.

Dr. MacFarlane, Lagos Hausas, wounded.

Dr. De Groot, Gold Coast Service.

Colour-Sergeant Ransley, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Colour-sergeant Rose, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, wounded.

Sergeant-Major Boshier, Royal Artillery, wounded.

Colour-sergeant Foster, Devonshire Regiment, severely wounded.

Colour-sergeant Blair, Northumberland Fusiliers, wounded.

Orderly Room Sergeant Farini, Durham Light Infantry.

Sergeant A. J. Major, Grenadier Guards.

Staff-Sergeant Payne, Royal Army Medical Corps, wounded.

Naik Hira Singh (Sikh), 2nd Burmah Regiment, severely wounded.

No. 983 Private Armadu, Sierra Leone Frontier Police.

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No. 792 Private Diero, 3rd Battalion West African Frontier Force, severely wounded.

No. 1149 Bugler Moma, 1st Battalion West African Frontier Force, severely wounded.

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J. WILLCOCKS,

Colonel,

Commanding Ashanti Field Force.

Whitehall, December 3, 1900.

MESSAGES of Condolence (principally in the form of Addresses and Resolutions) on the occasion of the lamented death of His Highness Prince Christian Victor of Schleswig-Holstein, have been received by the Secretary of State for the Home Department from the under-mentioned Bodies, for presentation to Her Majesty, and have been presented accordingly:—

Aston Manor Urban District Council.

Hove Town Council.

Leicester County Council.

Oxford University.

Royal Botanic Society of London.

Surbiton Urban District Council.

Stafford Town Council.

Truro Town Council.

Board of Green Cloth, Buckingham Palace,
December 4, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to make the following appointment in Her Majesty's Household:—

Victor Christian William Cavendish, Esq., M.P., to be Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of George Richard Penn, Earl Howe, appointed a Lord in Waiting to the Queen.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
December 4, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Lloyd, Lord Kenyon, to be one of the Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of George Robert Canning, Lord Harris, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., resigned.

Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,
St. James's Palace, November 29, 1900.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointment to the Royal Victorian Order:—

To be a Member of the Fourth Class.

Dermot Howard Blundell-Hollinshead-Blundell,
Lieutenant the King's Royal Rifle Corps.

War Office, December 4, 1900.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned Officers of the Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same under the terms of the Royal Warrant, dated 25th July, 1892:—

EASTERN DISTRICT.

RIFLE.

4th Volunteer Battalion, The Essex Regiment.
Captain and Honorary Major William Richard Marchbank.