The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Supernumerary Captain George C. S. McLeod to be Captain on augmentation. Dated 26th July, 1908.

The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment), Lieutenant Martyn B. Webb to be Captain, vice Brevet Major F. B. Maurice, seconded. Dated 1st June, 1908.

The Durham Light Infantry, Supernumerary Captain Lionel C. Soltau-Symons to be Captain on augmentation. Dated 26th July, 1908.

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), Lieutenant Roderick Laing to be Captain on augmentation. Dated 28th April, 1908.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant Forbes L. Fraser is antedated to 28th April, 1908, vice R. Laing.

The Royal Irish Rifles, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 28th June, 1908:—

Arthur J. Biscoe, on augmentation.

Percy G. W. Maynard, on augmentation.

Trevor L. B. Soutry, vice P. G. W. Maynard, seconded for service with the Egyptian Army.

Charles H. L. Cinnamond, vice T. L. B. Soutry, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Infantry.

William J. N. Cooke-Collis, vice C. H. L. Cinnamond, appointed Adjutant, 4th Battalion.

Henry R. Goodman, on augmentation.

William Eastwood, vice H. R. Goodman, appointed Adjutant.

Charles L. Master, vice W. Eastwood, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Infantry.

Captain Herbert L. Gifford, from The Royal Garrison Regiment, to be Captain, vice C. L. Master, appointed Adjutant. Dated 8th August, 1908.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

Royal Army Medical Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh B. Mathias, D.S.O., is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 23rd July, 1908.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 29th July, 1908:—

George B. Riddick. Henry Hewetson. George E. F. Stammers. Charles F. Wanhill. Wilfrid E. Hudleston. Martin P. Corkery.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Superintendent Miss Elizabeth Ann Dowse, R.R.C., to be Matron. Dated 24th July, 1908.

MEMORANDA.

Captain and Brevet Major Hugh M. Trenchard, D.S.O., The Royal Scots Fusiliers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, whilst employed as Commandant of The Southern

Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force. Dated 1st June, 1908.

Lieutenant Osmond T. D. Osmond-Williams, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 8th August, 1908.

Lieutenant Richard F. B. Knox, The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, is granted the local rank of Captain, whilst employed as a Company Commander in The King's African Rifles. Dated 2nd August, 1908.

Second Lieutenant Cornelius A. S. Carleton, The Welsh Regiment, is granted the local rank of Lieutenant whilst employed with the Northern Nigeria Regiment, West African Frontier Force. Dated 27th June, 1908.

MILITIA.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

The South-East of Scotland Royal Garrison Artillery, Captain and Honorary Major John H. Younger resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 10th July, 1908.

URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF SADDLEWORTH.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS AMENDMENT ACT, 1907.

Order of the Local Government Board on the 30th day of July, 1908, it was declared (1) that on and after the 21st day of September, 1908, Part II (Streets and Buildings), Part III (Sanitary Provisions), Part V (Common Lodging Houses), and Sections 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66 and 68 comprised in Part IV (Infectious Diseases) of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907, shall be in force in the Urban District of Saddleworth, and (2) that where any of the said parts comprises a section to which reference is made in the first column of the scholar to this Order, is a section comprised in Part II, Part III and Part V, or is one of the sections by sub-division (1) of this article described as comprised in Part IV and declared to be in force, the section shall be in force in the district subject to the following conditions and adaptations, that is to say:—

Unless and until the Local Government, Board by a further Order, made in accordance with section 3 of the said Act, otherwise declare, the said section in its application to the said district, and in relation to the exercise of the powers and to the discharge of the duties of the Local Authority under that section shall have effect as if the words and figures set forth in the second column of the said schedule opposite to the reference to that section in the first column of that schedule were added to and formed part of the section.