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At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 7th day of August 1894.

PRESENT,

'The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the fifty-second and fifty-third years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act for the better Administration and Endow-'ment of the Universities of Scotland,' Commissioners are constituted, styled the Scottish University Commissioners :

And whereas it is further enacted in the Act aforesaid, section 13, that 'The powers of the 'Commissioners shall be in force until the first day 'of January one thousand eight hundred and 'ninety-two, but it shall be lawful for Her Majesty 'from time to time, by Order in Council, to con-'tinue the same for such time as Her Majesty 'thinks fit':

And whereas in pursuance of the said Act, the powers of the Commissioners have from time to time been continued until the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five:

And whereas it is expedient that the powers of the Scottish University Commissioners shall be further continued:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the powers of the Scottish University Commissioners shall be in force

until the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 7th day of August 1894.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS by the eleventh section of 'The VV Volunteer Act, 1863,' it is amongst other things enacted that 'Her Majesty in Council ' may from time to time declare what is requisite 'to entitle a Volunteer to be deemed an efficient 'Volunteer by an Order in Council defining for ' that purpose the extent of attendance at drill to 'be given by the Volunteer, and the course of 'instruction to be gone through by him, and the degree of proficiency in drill and instruction to 'be attained by him and his Corps, such pro-ficiency to be judged of by the Inspecting 'Officer at the Annual Inspection of the Corps, 'or otherwise, as by Order in Council is from 'time to time directed,' and that 'the draft of 'any scheme to be from time to time submitted 'to Her Majesty in Council for approval under the present section shall have been laid before 'both Houses of Parliament for one lunar month 'at least, either before or after, or partly before 'and partly after, the passing of this Act during 'the present, or for the like period, during any 'subsequent Session of Parliament before such