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PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE, May 31, 1897.

A T a Meeting of the Privy Council held this day in the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, the Right Honourable the Lord Chancellor was sworn a Lord Justice for the Government of Ireland during the absence of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant.

WAR OFFICE, June 1, 1897.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—

To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order, viz.:—

Honorary Colonel David Davidson, C.B., the Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment).

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—

Lieutenant - Colonel and Honorary Colonel Edward Wollaston Knocker, 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment).

Lieutenant - Colonel and Houorary Colonel William James Brown, 17th (North) Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps. Lieutenaut - Colonel and Honorary Colonel Robert Taylor Masefield, 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own (Shropshire Light Infantry.

WHITEHALL, May 31, 1897.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Hugh Reginald Hearson, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Imperial Order of the Double Dragon of the Third Class (Third Rank), which His Majesty the Emperor of Chinahas been pleased to confer upon him in recognition of his services while actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's Dominions as Chief Instructor at the Imperial Naval College at Nanking.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 29TH MAY 1897.)

COLINTON (MID-LOTHIAN) DISTRICT SWINE FEVER
AMENDMENT ORDER OF 1897.

The Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—