- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Captain A. R. Holbrook is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 1st Herefordshire, Acting Surgeon Edgar Freeman Griffith Morris to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 1st Hertfordshire, Captain J. W. Melles resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 2nd Hertfordshire, The Reverend John Robbins, D.D., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 5th (Isle of Wight, "Princess Beatrice's") Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Acting Surgeon T. O. Wiley resigns his appointment. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 1st Lanarkshire, Lieutenant James Muirhead to be Captain. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 6th Lancashire (1st Manchester), Captain John Heap is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 15th Lancashire, James Urquhart Nicol, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 1st London (City of London Rifle Volunteer Brigade), William Henry Harrison, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Captain William Walters resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 17th (North) Middlesex, Thomas Eeles, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 18th Middlesex, Captain H. E. Carlyle is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 20th Middlesex (Artists'), Lieutenant Colonel R. W. Edis is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major Thomas Lancelot Reed to be Major. Dated 23rd December, 1886.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's North Staffordshire Regiment), Captain M. L. Nicholas resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1887.

Lieutenant John Thompson to be Captain. Dated 29th January, 1887.

- 5th Surrey, Acting Surgeon W. A. F. Bateman to be Surgeon. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 2nd Sussex, Herbert Thomas Lucas, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 1st Tower Hamlets (the Tower Hamlets Rifte Volunteer Brigade), Major B. Fletcher is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 1st Wiltshire, Lieutenant A. B. Pinckney resigns his Commission. Dated 29th January, 1887.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment, Lieutenant G. E. Crawshaw to be Captain. Dated 29th January, 1887.

Whitehall, January 26, 1887.
THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that the Managers of the St. Andrew's Industrial School for Girls, Winchester, have resigned the Certificate granted to that School, under the provisions of the Statute 29 and 30 Vic., cap. 118.

## TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

Interpretation Clause.

1. In this Warrant the expression "Parcel" means a postal packet which is posted as a parcel in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.

Places between which Parcels may be transmitted.

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by Post between Gibraltar and South Australia, New South Wales, and Victoria.

Rates of Postage.

3. On all parcels transmitted by Post under this Warrant between Gibraltar and the Colonies hereinbefore mentioned there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage, that is to say:—

On every parcel not exceeding two pounds in

weight two shillings.

On every parcel exceeding two pounds and not exceeding eleven pounds in weight, for the first two pounds two shillings, and for every additional pound or fraction of a pound in weight one shilling.

Provisions of other Warrants to apply.

4. Every such parcel shall be subject to the provisions of the respective Warrants of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury relating to the Parcel Post between the United Kingdom and South Australia, New South Wales, and Victoria, so far as such provisions are applicable.

Commencement of Warrant.

5. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Dated this twenty-second day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

W. H. Walrond,
Herbert Eustace Maxwell,
Two of the Commissioners of Her
Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raihes, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

Civil Service Commission, January 28, 1887.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

January 24, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPÉTITION.

Customs: Out-door Officer, William Anderson.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise, Andrew Dinnie, Daniel Patrick Joseph Dolan, John Gyle, Daniel Murphy, John Percival Watson, John Pauley Wimpress.

Post Office: Female Sorter, London, Elizabeth Jane Rolfe.

Female Telegraph Learner, London, Ada Ann Mumford.