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War Office, October 3, 1893.

ER Majesty 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:—

NORTH EASTERN DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

2nd Durham (Scaham) (Western Division, Royal Artillery).

Captain Robert Brydon. Captain George Young.

3rd Durham (Western Division, Royal Artillery). Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Thomas Henry Chester, retired.

2nd East Riding of Yorkshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery).

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel William Lambert White.

RIFLE.

1st Volunteer Battalion, The Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment). Surgeon-Major Alfred Baker.

EASTERN DISTRICT.

RIFLE.

1st Volunteer Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment. Major Geoffrey Fowell Buxton.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment. Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Robert M. Marshall.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment. Lieutenant Robert George Burrell.

4th (Cambridge University) Volunteer Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment.

Honorary Chaplain the Venerable Archdeacon William Emery.

WESTERN DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

1st Devonshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery).

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel George Pigott Barton.

Surgeon-Major George Pycroft, retired.

2nd Devonshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery). Major Robert Tyeth Stevens. 1st Glamorganshire.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Denis O'Sullivan.

. 1st Monmouthshire.

Captain George William Wilkinson.

RIFLE.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Welsh Regiment. Lieutenant William Samuel John Bray.

THAMES DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

1st Kent (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery). Surgeon-Major Charles Arrol, M.D. Acting Chaplain the Reverend Charles E. Donne.

RIFLE.

1st Volunteer Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Stanley Williams.

Moster of the Horse's Office, Royal Mews, Pimlico, October 1, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Major the Honourable Henry Charles Legge, Coldstream Guards, Groom in Waiting to Her Majesty, to be Equerry in Ordinary, in the room of Major-General Charles Taylor Du Plat, C.B., who has resigned.

Major-General Charles Taylor Du Plat, C.B., Equerry in Ordinary to Her Majesty, to be an Extra Equerry.

Downing Street, October 2, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint General Sir Robert Biddulph, R.A., G.C.M.G., C.B., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the City and Garrison of Gibraltar.

Whitehall, October 2, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for presenting the Reverend William John Spriggs-Smith to the Vicarage of Terrington St. John, in the county of Norfolk, and diocese of Norwich, void by the cession of the Reverend Robert Frederick Cory, B.A., the last Incumbent.