

through the mouth of the Psalmist, "I will deliver him and bring him to honour," "with long life will I satisfy him, and will show him My salvation" (Psalm xci, 16): and we pray that as it has been in Your Majesty's life so it may be in that of our kings and queens "to be," that length of days may be asked for and received, only as lengthened opportunities of service to the King of Kings, and that the life on earth may blend into that which is promised as the reward of faithfulness to earthly trusts—"the King asked life of Thee, and Thou gavest him a long life, even for ever and ever" (Psalm xxi, 4).

Signed on behalf of the Executive and Members of the Church of England Temperance Society.

F. Cantuar, President.
Willelm. Ebor, President.
Ernest R. Cicestr, Chairman.

And the following on the same subject:
From—

Woolwich Local Board of Health.
National Agricultural Union, Central Council of.
Great Yarmouth, Park House School.
Winchester Corporation.
Bridgnorth Corporation.
Warwick Corporation.
Knottingley, Teachers and Scholars of Day and Sunday Schools of.
North Sea, Fishermen of the Red Cross Fleet.
Bury Board of Guardians.
Hull Wesleyan Methodist Church Council.
Kensington, Court "Pride of Kensington," No. 3178, of the Ancient Order of Foresters.
Yorkley, Forest of Dean, Inhabitants and Sunday School Children of.
Merionethshire in Quarter Sessions assembled, Magistrates of.
Rams Episcopal Chapel, Homerton.
Buxton Urban District Council.
Ashford Urban District Council.
Strabane (County Tyrone) District Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 14.
Flintshire, Court of Quarter Sessions of.
Boston, Mayor and Justices of the Peace for the Borough of.
Cumberland, Chairmen of all the Public Bodies of the County of.
Ireland, Members of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in.
Irish non-subscribing Presbyterians and other Free Christians, the Association of.
Huddersfield Incorporated Chamber of Commerce.
Northwich Urban District Council.
Saudgate Urban District Council.
Fleetwood Urban District Council.
South Bank in Normanby Urban District Council.
Bridport Corporation.
Launceston Corporation.
York, Governor and Company of Merchant Adventurers of the City of.
Bournemouth Corporation.
Montgomery Corporation.
Conference of Railway Companies' Signal Superintendents and Engineers.
London, Northern Suburban Licensed Victuallers' and Beersellers' Protection Association.
West Riding of York County Council.
Tonbridge Board of Guardians.
Southampton Corporation.
Foundling Hospital.
Ireland, Royal Institute of Architects of.
Menai Bridge Urban District Council.
Bangor Corporation.

Lancashire and Cheshire, Provincial Assembly of Presbyterian and Unitarian Ministers and Congregations.

Essex, Justices of the Peace for the County of.
Ripley (Derbyshire) Urban District Council.
Romsey Corporation.
Chiswick Urban District Council.
London, Society for Improving the Condition of the Labouring Classes.
Chippenham Board of Guardians.
Stourbridge, Court Foley of the Ancient Order of Foresters, No. 2408.
Hoxne Rural District Council.
Lydney Rural District Council.
Royal Scottish Hospital.
Great Torrington Corporation.
Blaby Rural District Council.
Bridgend Urban District Council.
Leigh (Lancashire) Conservative Club.
Morpeth Rural District Council.
Maldon Corporation.
The Mallow and North-East Cork Habitation of the Primrose League.
The Pontefract and Castleford District Union of Christian Endeavour.
Twerton Corporation.
St. Saviour's District, Southwark, Board of Works.
County of Gloucester, in Quarter Sessions assembled, Justices of the Peace of.
South Shields, Nelson Lodge of the Order of Buffaloes.
Chapel-en-le-Frith, Inhabitants of.
Goole Urban District Council.
Liversedge Urban District Council.
Cockington Urban District Council.
Wells Corporation.
Torquay Corporation.
Towcester Rural District Council.
Hartlepool Queen's Head Schinnanickers Benefit Society.
Dawley Urban District Council.
North London or University College Hospital.
West Yorkshire Federated Chamber of Trade.
Wakefield Incorporated Chamber of Commerce and Shipping.
Eccleshall Bierlow Board of Guardians.
Cockermouth Urban District Council.

War Office, July 20, 1897.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:

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

James Rennell Rodd, Esq., C.M.G.

War Office, July 20, 1897.

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.

1st Berwick-on-Tweed Volunteer Artillery.
Captain - Commandant and Honorary Major
Alexander Tower Robertson.

4th Durham Volunteer Artillery
(*Western Division, Royal Artillery*).
Acting Chaplain the Reverend Edwin Robert Ormsby, M.A.