4th Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant A. C. Wellesley is seconded whilst holding the appointment of extra Aide-de-Camp to the *Earl of* Ranfurly, K.C.M.G., Governor of New Zealand. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Edward Daniel Bryce, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Nathaniel George Beauchamp Halhed, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment, Captain A. St. H. Gibbons is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Major H. A., *Duke of* Bedford, to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 44 of the Militia Regulations, 1897. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment, Major A. T. T., *Lord* Braye, to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 44 of the Militia Regulations, 1897. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Worcestershire Regiment, Captain and Instructor of Musketry P. H. A. Leggett is seconded for service in the Gold Coast Civil Police. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, Second Lieutenant A. A. Dalglish resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment, Henry Russell Sturgis, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. G. McClintock. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

S. C. W., *Lord* Aberdour. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant J. Urlwin resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), John Percy Hillier Winterscale, Esq., formerly Second Lieutenant, to be Captain. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), William Swynfen Whitehall Parker-Jervis, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, Lieutenant-Colonel A. D. Mackintosh of Mackintosh is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), George William Greer, Esq., late Lieutenant Royal Artillery, to be Captain. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

W. B. Ritchie. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

E. H. S. Thomas. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

F. E. C. Pilkington. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

M. J. Hamilton. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

7th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Maurice Howard Helyar, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

MILITIA MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant T. W. G. Kelly, M.D., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 7th November, 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant John Edward O'Connor, M.B., from the 1st Volunteer Battalion the Leicestershire Regiment, to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Hampshire (Carabiniers), Captain T. G. Best resigns Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

2nd Kent, Acting Chaplain the Reverend J. O. Bent, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

1st Forfarshire, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

James Sime Greig. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

Robert Lowson Watson. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

Charles John Cuthbert Moon. Dated 22nd December, 1897

5th Lancashire, Thomas Henry Miller, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

1st Fifeshire, William Andrew Denholm, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

1st Caithness, Captain M. Taylor, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Captain H. L. Kirke, Royal Artillery, who has vacated the appointment. Dated 20th December, 1897.

2nd Northumberland (Percy) (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Captain and Honorary Major A. P. Scott resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

1st Cornwall (Duke of Cornwall's) (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Lieutenant A. E. Williams resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

1st Gloucestershire, Lieutenant G. C. Glasson resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

Alexander Ogilvy, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Devonshire and Somersetshire, Francis William Church, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

2nd Gloucestershire (the Bristol), Surgeon-Captain J. M. M. Thomas resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

1st Lancashire, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel N. J. Lidstone resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

Captain and Honorary Major S. W. Doyle to be Major. Dated 22nd December, 1897.