Royal Engineers, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain John H. Kenny is placed on retired pay. Dated 7th March, 1898.

Sergeant-Major Henry Cripps to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1898.

Coblstreum Guards, Captain Sir Henry S. Rawlinson, Bart., is seconded for special service in Egypt. Dated 2nd March, 1898.

Scots Guards, Gentleman Cadet Bertram Henry Samuel Romilly, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable Walter P. Hore Ruthven (Master of Ruthven), seconded. Dated 9th March, 1898.

## LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edward H. Corse-Scott, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 3rd March, 1898.

Major Morey Q. Jones to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel E. H. Corse-Scott. Dated

3rd March, 1898.

The Suffolk Regiment, Captain George H. S. Browne is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 14th February, 1898.

The Somersetshire Light Infantry, Major Arthur W. A. Pollock retires on retired pay. Dated 9th March, 1898.

Captain George H. H. Couchman, D.S.O., to be Major, vice A. W. A. Pollock. Dated 9th March, 1898.

The Prince of Woles's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant - Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles S. Gordon, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 7th March, 1898.

Major Gerald Grant-Dalton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel C. S. Gordon.

Dated 7th March, 1898.

The Leicestershire Regiment, Major Benjamin G.
Humfrey retires on retired pay. Dated 9th
March, 1898.

Captain George H. P. Burne to be Major, vice B. G. Humfrey. Dated 9th March, 1898.

The Royal Irish Regiment, Lieutenant Reginald R. Arbuthnot is seconded for service under the Foreign Office. Dated 9th February, 1898.

The Cheshire Regiment, The undermentioned Captains are seconded for service as Adjutants of Volunteers:—

Dudley C. Boger. Dated 8th February, 1898. D. B. Thomas. Dated 1st March, 1898.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Captains to be Captains:—

James R. K. Birch, vice D. B. Thomas. Dated 1st March, 1898.

William F. White, vice D. C. Boger. Dated 8th February, 1898.

The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Lieutenant John B. Cockburn is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 19th February, 1898.

The South Wales Borderers, Captain Clifton V. R. Wright is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 6th March, 1898.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Francis I. Day to be Lieutenant, vice F. M. Gillespie, seconded. Dated 5th February, 1898.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant Lionel E. A. Bennett resigns his Commission. Dated 9th March, 1898.

The Northamptonshire Regiment, Licutenant Hugh de C. Huntsman is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 6th March, 1898.

The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Captain Hugh C. W. Beeching retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 9th March, 1898.

The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Second Lieutenant Clement A. Wilkinson is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 19th February, 1898.

The Manchester Regiment, Captain Edmund H. Gorges is seconded for service under the Foreign Office. Dated 9th February, 1898.

The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, Sergeant-Major Alexander Preston Yeadon to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Lieutenant W. Young, deceased. Dated 9th March, 1898.

Staff, Captain R. C. B. Haking, the Hampshire Regiment, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, vice Captain R. N. Gamble, the Lincolnshire Regiment, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 1st March, 1898.

Captain R. G. Brooke, 7th Hussars, to be Aidede-Camp to Colonel (local Major-General) W. F. Gatacre, C.B., D.S.O., Commanding a Brigade in Egypt. Dated 11th January, 1898.

Staff College, Colonel H. S. G. Miles, M.V.O, from an Assistant Adjutant-General, to be Commandant, vice Colonel (temporary Major-General) H. J. T. Hildyard, C.B., appointed a Major-General on the Staff to command an Infantry Brigade at Aldershot. Dated 1st March, 1898.

Army Chaplains' Department, The Reverend John Hackett, B.D., Chaplain to the Forces Second Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces First Class. Dated 2nd March, 1894.

Army Medical Staff, Surgeon-Major James McM. Bolster is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 4th March, 1898.

The undermentioned Officers are seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 11th February, 1898:—

Surgeon-Captain George A. T. Bray. Surgeon-Lieutenant Charles F. Wanhill.

Army Ordnance Department, Captain F. B. Simpson, 2nd Dragoons, Ordnance Officer Fourth Class, is appointed for permanent service under the provisions of Articles 3 and 13, Royal Warrant, 16th June, 1896. Dated 5th March, 1898.

Army Pay Department, Staff Paymaster and Honorary Major H. H. Gilbert is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd March, 1898.

Army Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Lieutevant-Colonel Edward Ewing is placed on retired pay. Dated 3rd March, 1898.

Veterinary-Major John C. Dwyer to be Veterinary-Lieutenant-Colonel, vice E. Ewing. Dated 3rd March, 1898.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Veterinary-Lieutenants. Dated 9th March, 1898:—

Robert Cecil Cochrane, in succession to Veterinary-Captain J. Finlayson, deceased.

James Brenchley Souther, in succession to Veterinary-Major J. C. Dwyer.

Half-Fay, Major the Honourable Edward Noel, from the Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th March, 1898.