

Honourable Privy Council, on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

*Privy Council Office, May 19, 1898.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty by the Council of the Borough of West Ham, praying, under the provisions of the "Municipal Corporations Act, 1882," as amended by the "Municipal Corporations Act, 1893," for an alteration of the number and boundaries of the Wards of the Borough; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

*Privy Council Office, May 19, 1898.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty by the Council of the City and Borough of Peterborough, praying, under the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1882," for an alteration of the number and boundaries of the Wards of the City and Borough; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

*Privy Council Office, May 19, 1898.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty by the Council of the Borough of Sunderland, praying, under the provisions of the "Municipal Corporations Act, 1882," for an alteration of the number and boundaries of the Wards of the Borough; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

*War Office, May 20, 1898.*

IN the Despatch from Major-General Sir F. Carrington, K.C.M.G., to His Excellency the High Commissioner, South Africa, dated Umtali, December 12, 1896, which was published in the London Gazette of 9th March, 1897, Captain the Honourable J. Beresford, 7th Hussars, Lieutenant and Local Captain H. S. Turner, Black Watch, Sergeant L. Newmeyer, and Trooper Begby, should be described as of the Matabeleland Relief Force, and not "Mashonaland Relief Force," as therein stated.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
20th May, 1898.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order and promotions in the Army, in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during the operations in Mashonaland in 1897:—

The promotions to bear date 20th May, 1898.

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order—  
Major George Albert Lade Carew, 7th Hussars.

**BREVET.**

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Henry Matthew Ridley, 7th Hussars.  
Major Percy Temple Rivett-Carnac, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment).  
Major the Honourable Frederick Rossmore Wauchope Eveleigh-de Moleyns, D.S.O., 4th Hussars.

*To be Majors.*

Captain Douglas Keith Elphinstone Hall, Army Service Corps.  
Captain Robert Montagu Poore, 7th Hussars.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
20th May, 1898.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order and promotion in the Army, in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during the recent operations in Uganda:—

The promotion to bear date 20th May, 1898.

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order:—

Captain Richard Trench Kirkpatrick, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians).  
Lieutenant Claud Vere Cavendish Hobart, Grenadier Guards.

**BREVET.**

*To be Lieutenant-Colonel.*

Major Trevor Patrick Breffney Ternan, D.S.O., the Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

*Chancery of the Order of  
Saint Michael and Saint George,  
Downing Street, May 20, 1898.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Colin Harding, Esq., Chief Inspector of Native Police, Mashonaland; and Andrew Milroy Fleming, Esq., M.B., Medical Director of the British South Africa Company and Principal Medical Officer of the British South Africa Police, in recognition of services rendered by them in connection with operations in Mashonaland last year.