

**4th Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment,** The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

F. A. Leah. Dated 27th July, 1898.  
G. E. V. Smith. Dated 27th July, 1898.  
W. Chaloner. Dated 27th July, 1898.  
H. Hesse. Dated 27th July, 1898.  
R. P. Stagg. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers,** Captain T. A. Wynne-Edwards to be Major. Dated 15th July, 1898.

Lieutenant A. E. Johnson to be Captain. Dated 13th July, 1898.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

John Edwardes Griffiths. Dated 14th July, 1898.  
George Hiam Whitehouse. Dated 16th July, 1898.

**2nd Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers,** Major J. F. Evans is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**5th Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers,** Major and Instructor of Musketry G. A. Hutchins is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**1st Lanarkshire,** Captain J. Walker is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry,** Second Lieutenant W. Thomas resigns his Commission. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment),** Charles Parkinson Cass, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**2nd (Westmoreland) Volunteer Battalion, the Border Regiment,** The retirement of Acting Chaplain the Reverend W. Chaplin, B.D., which appeared in the London Gazette of 16th November, 1897, is cancelled.

**2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment,** Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry C. G. A. Nix to be Captain. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**2nd Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment,** Lieutenant R. Holton to be Captain. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**1st Volunteer Battalion, the Dorsetshire Regiment,** Second Lieutenant C. C. Hughes-D'Aeth to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment,** The retirement of Surgeon-Major Evan Jones, which appeared in the London Gazette of 28th September, 1897, is cancelled.

**3rd (Dundee Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders),** Second Lieutenant W. R. Smith to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**13th Middlesex (Queen's Westminster),** Edward Brougham Glasier, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 27th July, 1898.

**1st Wiltshire,** Second Lieutenant F. R. Ravenhill to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment),** Thomas Edward Anderson Gleadowe, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th July, 1898.

**3rd (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders),** Lieutenant L. W. Williams to be Captain. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**5th Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders),** Captain D. MacCallum resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**19th Middlesex (St. Giles's and St. George's, Bloomsbury),** The Reverend Prebendary H. W. P. Richards, M.A., is re-appointed Acting Chaplain. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**24th Middlesex,** Charles Edward Ernest Labouchere, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**1st Tower Hamlets,** George Aldridge, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1898.

**VOLUNTEER MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.** *The London Companies,* Henry Edward Lemuel Purcell, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 20th July, 1898.

House of Lords, July 23, 1898.

RULES PUBLICATION ACT, 1893.

LAND TRANSFER ACT, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Draft Order as to Fees has been prepared under the above Act. Copies may be obtained on application at the Land Registry, Lincoln's-inn-fields.

ORDER of the Local Government Board: Altering Accounts Order: Appointment of Stocktaker:—

Parish of Chichester.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Parish of Chichester;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by an Order issued by Us, the Local Government Board, dated the 26th day of March, 1896, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of the Parishes of Chichester and Leicester, it is required that certain Accounts relating to the provisions, clothing, and other stores in the Workhouse, when made up and balanced, shall be submitted to the Visiting Committee or to some Member thereof, who shall enter a memorandum at the foot of such Accounts, certifying to the same having been submitted, and to the correctness, or otherwise, of such Accounts as regards the stock remaining in store:

And whereas it is expedient to empower the Guardians of the Parish of Chichester to appoint a competent person or persons to examine the stores at the Workhouse belonging to the said Parish, and to perform the other duties hereinafter set forth:

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, We hereby Order as follows with regard to the Parish of Chichester:—

ARTICLE I.—The Guardians of the Poor of the said Parish may, as and when they shall think fit to do so, appoint a competent person or persons to perform the duties of a Stocktaker as hereinafter set forth.

ARTICLE II.—Every such appointment shall be made in the manner prescribed by the Regulations as to the appointment of Officers in force in the said Parish for the time being.

ARTICLE III.—The Guardians shall pay to the person or persons appointed under this Order such