

Captain C. E. Terry, 4th Volunteer Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, from the command of the Supply Detachment, is appointed Supply and Transport Officer to the Brigade, and remains seconded in his Volunteer Battalion. Dated 14th December, 1898.

Lieutenant W. C. Deneke, 4th Volunteer Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, is appointed to the command of the Supply Detachment. Dated 14th December, 1898.

Treasury Chambers, December 9, 1898.

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed Edmund Francis Vesey Knox, Esq., to be Steward and Bailiff of the Three Hundreds of Chiltern, in the room of George Doughty, Esq.

LYNN.

LIMITS OF PORT.

WE, the undersigned Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, do hereby, under the authority of "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1876," appoint Lynn to continue and be a Port in that part of the United Kingdom called England, and do hereby declare that the limits of the said Port shall commence at the Bridge at the northern end of the Eau Brink Cut called the Free Bridge, in the county of Norfolk, and shall proceed along and include the whole of the River Ouse to its termination in the Wash at the north end of the Marsh Estuary or New Cut, thence in a north and easterly direction along the coast of the said county to a place called Brancaster Staith, and from thence along the coast in an easterly direction to Sparrow Gap, a breach in the cliff about half way between Weybourn and Sheringham, being the western boundary of the Port of Yarmouth, and from Brancaster Staith aforesaid shall extend to sea in a supposed straight line in a north-westerly direction to fourteen fathoms water, and shall extend from thence in another straight line in a south-westerly direction to a place called Fleet Haven Outfall, in the county of Lincoln, being the southern limits of the Port of Boston, and from thence in a south-easterly direction in a supposed straight line from Fleet Haven Outfall aforesaid to Terrington Church, in the county of Norfolk, and so along the said coast of Norfolk to the western side of the River Ouse aforesaid, and shall include all islands, bays, harbours, rivers, and creeks within the aforesaid limits, and between Brancaster Staith and Sparrow Gap aforesaid the limits shall extend seaward to a distance of three miles from low-water mark.

And we, the said Lords Commissioners, do hereby annul all former limits of the said Port of Lynn.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, dated this 6th day of December, 1898.

*W. H. Fisher.
Stanley.*

BOSTON.

LIMITS OF PORT.

WE, the undersigned Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, do hereby, under the authority of "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1876," appoint Boston to continue and be a Port in that part of the United Kingdom called England, and do hereby declare that the limits of the said Port shall commence at Fleet Haven Outfall, in the county of Lincoln, being the northern limits of the Port of Wisbeach, and shall continue along the east coast of the said county

in a northerly direction to the drain or canal called Trusthorpe Drain and Tunnel, dividing the parishes of Mablethorpe and Trusthorpe, in the said county, and shall include all islands, bays, harbours, rivers, and creeks within the aforesaid limits, and shall extend seaward to a distance of three miles from low-water mark.

And we, the said Lords Commissioners, do hereby annul all former limits of the said Port of Boston.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, dated this 6th day of December, 1898.

*W. H. Fisher.
Stanley.*

WISBEACH.

LIMITS OF PORT.

WE, the undersigned Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, do hereby, under the authority of "The Customs Consolidation Act, 1876," appoint Wisbeach to continue and be a Port in that part of the United Kingdom called England, and do hereby declare that the limits of the said Port shall extend and be accounted from Fleet Haven Outfall, in the county of Lincoln, being the southern limits of the Port of Boston, by an imaginary line drawn from Fleet Haven Outfall aforesaid to Terrington Church, in the county of Norfolk, the said church bearing south-east from the said Fleet Haven Outfall, and from the said line or limits up Wisbeach Channel and the river to Wisbeach Bridge.

And we, the said Lords Commissioners, do hereby annul all former limits of the said Port of Wisbeach.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, dated this 6th day of December, 1898.

*W. H. Fisher.
Stanley.*

Scottish Office, Whitehall, December 9, 1898.

THE Secretary for Scotland hereby gives notice that the following Order has been made by him under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1896, upon the application of the County Council of Dunbarton:—

SCOTLAND.—SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

The Wild Birds Protection (County of Dunbarton) Order, 1898.

WHEREAS by the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1896, as applying to Scotland, it is, amongst other things, provided as follows:—

Firstly.—Any person who, between the first day of March and the first day of August in any year, shall, knowingly and wilfully, shoot, or attempt to shoot, or shall use any boat for the purpose of shooting, or causing to be shot, any Wild Bird, or shall use any lime, trap, snare, net, or other instrument for the purpose of taking any Wild Bird, or shall expose or offer for sale, or shall have in his control or possession after the fifteenth day of March, any Wild Bird recently killed or taken, shall, on conviction of any such offence before the Sheriff, in the case of any Wild Bird which is included in the Schedule hereunto annexed, forfeit and pay for every such bird in respect of which an offence has been committed a sum not exceeding one pound, and, in the case of any other Wild Bird, shall for a first offence be reprimanded and discharged on payment of costs, and for every subsequent offence forfeit

NOTE.—By an Order of the Secretary for Scotland, dated 27th July, 1891, the close time enacted by this section has been extended, so far as regards the county of Zetland, to the 31st day of August in each year.