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TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 1905.

Westminster, March 30, 1905.

This day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to an Act agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Act, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

Consolidated Fund (No. 1) Act, 1905.

*War Office,
31st March, 1905.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned Officers of the Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same under the terms of the Royal Warrant dated 25th July, 1892:—

LONDON DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

*3rd Middlesex Royal Garrison Artillery
(Volunteers).*

Acting Chaplain Reverend Canon John Studholme Brownrigg, M.A.

ENGINEERS.

1st London Royal Engineers (Volunteers).
Major John William Evans.

RIFLE.

5th (West Middlesex) Volunteer Rifle Corps.
Captain and Honorary Major Frederick James Cousens.

19th Middlesex (St. Giles's and St. George's, Bloomsbury) Volunteer Rifle Corps.
Quartermaster (Honorary Captain) Claud Scott.
20th Middlesex (Artists') Volunteer Rifle Corps.
Surgeon-Major and Honorary Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Captain in the Army) Richard Reginald Sleman.

Cadet Corps attached to 1st London Volunteer Rifle Corps.
Captain and Honorary Major Arthur Haig Brown, retired.

SOUTHERN COMMAND.

ARTILLERY.

*1st Gloucester Royal Garrison Artillery
(Volunteers).*
Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel David Samuel Davies, M.D., retired.
*2nd Hampshire Royal Garrison Artillery
(Volunteers).*
Captain Albert Edward Jolliffe.

RIFLE.

1st Volunteer Battalion, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.
Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas John Graham.
*2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Prince Albert's
(Somersetshire Light Infantry).*
Captain and Honorary Major Arthur Durant Willcocks.