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### FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 1898.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 9th day of August 1898.

#### PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Secretary for Scotland has under the provisions of the Burial Grounds (Scotland) Act, 1855, made a Representation stating that he has received a copy of an Interlocutor by the Sheriff of the Counties of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff, finding that the burial-ground of the Parish of Laurencekirk, in the County of Kincardine, is injurious to health, is overcrowded, and is offensive to public decency.

And whereas in the said Representation it is recommended that burials be discontinued in the said burial-ground.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased to give notice of such Representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the 20th day of September 1898.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order, or notice thereof, be published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and that copies of this Order, or notice thereof, be affixed, as required by the above-mentioned Act, on the doors of the Church of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the Parish affected by such Representation one month before such Representation is so considered.

J. H. HARRISON.

WAR OFFICE, August 9, 1898.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the under-mentioned Officers of the Volunteer Force, whoshave been duly recommended for the same under the terms of the Royal Warrant, dated 25th July 1892:—

#### SCOTTISH DISTRICT.

#### ARTILLERY.

1st Aberdeenshire Volunteer Artillery. Surgeon-Major Robert John Garden.

1st Argyll and Bute Volunteer Artillery.
Captain James Stewart.

1st Forfarshire Volunteer Artillery.
Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Couper, jun.
Major William Gordon Thomson.
Captain and Honorary Major Theodore George
Luis.

The Highland Volunteer Artillery.

Captain and Honorary Major Robert Anderson.

#### RIFLE.

5th Volunteer Battalion, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment).

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Johan Thomas Salvesen.

6th Volunteer Battalion, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment).

Acting Chaplain the Reverend Andrew Gray, M.A.