The Queen has further been pleased to approve the grant of the Medal for Distinguished Conduct in the Field to the under-mentioned Soldiers in recognition of their services at the Battle of Colenso:—

Royal Artillery.

Corporal A. Clark.
Corporal R. J. Money.
Acting Bombardier J. H. Reeve.
Driver H. Taylor.
Driver H. G. Young.
Driver J. E. Petts.
Driver G. Rockall.
Driver E. W. Lucas.
Driver F. Williams.
Driver W. Robertson.
Driver W. Robertson.
Driver W. Wright.
Driver A. C. Hawkins.
Driver J. P. Lennox.
Driver J. P. Lennox.
Driver J. Warden.
Driver A. Felton.
Driver T. Musgrove.

CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE, DOWNING STREET, January 31, 1900.

Trumpeter W. W. Ayles.

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

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

Brevet Major Charles Herbert Philip Carter, Royal Scots, in recognition of his services while in command of the Niger Coast Protectorate Force in the operations in the Kwo Ibibio Country and the Benin Territories in 1899.

WHITEHALL, January 30, 1900.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Alfred Mattei, Esq., LL.D., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Imperial Order of the Osmanieh of the Third Class, conferred upon him by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of his services as Honorary Legal Adviser to the Turkish Embassy in London.

DUBLIN CASTLE, February 2, 1900.

Her Majesty's Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland, appointing Dunbar Plunket Barton, Esquire. Q.C., to be one of the Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice in Ireland.

DUBLIN CASTLE, February 2, 1900.

Her Majesty's Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland, appointing George Wright, Esquire, Q. C., to be Her Majesty's Solicitor-General in Ireland.

DUBLIN CASTLE, February 2, 1900.

Her Majesty the Queen has been pleased to appoint, by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual, dated the 29th ultimo, Sir Percy Raymond Grace, Bart., to be one of the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests in Ireland, in the room of the Right Honourable Mr. Justice O'Brien, deceased.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 2, 1900.

TEMPORARY MEN COPYISTS IN PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS.

The Civil Service Commissioners, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the Regulations dated 22nd June 1894, respecting Temporary Men Copyists in Public Departments are cancelled, except in so far as they relate to the conditions of service of persons whose names are now on the Register.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 2, 1900.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

January 29, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Clerkship grouped under the Scheme for the Supplementary Establishment of the Secretary's Office, London—Alfred Ray.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Home Office: Porter-Arthur Edward Hawkes.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division II.—William Luscombe Parker.

Post Office: Learners—Margaret Boyce (Donegal), Catherine Colgan (Omagh), Laurence Curly (Naas), Sarah Aun Foster (Carlisle), John William Herring (Burton-on-Trent), Agnes Margaret Hingston (Belfast), Richard Oliver King (Carlisle), Walter Percy Lydford (Wallingford), Margaret Maguire (Naas), Cora Paulina Ann Margetts (Birmingham), Aunie Jane Platt (Congleton), Jeannie Pratt (Barrowin-Furness), Annie Maria Shiuton (Birmingham), David Wilson (Carlisle).

Postman, Windsor-Thomas Wilson.

Under Clause 7 of the Order in Council. of 4th June 1870.

War Office: Higher Division Clerks—Francis
William Askham, Arthur Charles Pedley,
Edmond John Riley.

January 30, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant Surveyor of Taxes—William Harrison.