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WAR OFFICE, February 16, 1883.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross upon the undermentioned Soldier, whose claim has been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for his conspicuous bravery during the recent Campaign in Egypt, as recorded against his name:—

Regiment.	Name.	Act of Courage for which recommended.
3d Battalion the King's Royal Rifle Corps	Private Frederick Corbett	During the reconnoissance upon Kafr Dowar, on 5th August 1882, the Mounted Infantry, with which Private Corbett was serving, came under a hot fire from the enemy and suffered some loss, including Lieutenant Howard-Vyse, mortally wounded. This officer fell in the open, and there being then no time to move him, Private Corbett asked and obtained permission to remain by him, and though under a constant fire, he sat down and endeavoured to stop the bleeding of this officer's wounds, until the Mounted Infantry received orders to retire, when he rendered valuable assistance in carrying him off the field.

DOWNING STREET, February 14, 1883.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Stubbins, Esq., to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Gold Coast Colony.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

February 15, 1883.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at a Competitive Examination for