

which have been drills of the whole corps, as will with the number performed in the previous year amount to 40.

3rd and 4th Years. If present at inspection 9 drills, including the inspection. If absent from inspection with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 11 drills, 3 of which have been drills of the whole corps.

Ordinary volunteers when they have completed the 38 or 40 drills, as the case may be, during the two years specified above, and have been returned four times as efficient:—

(a) *If present at inspection*, 7 drills, including the inspection.

(b) *If absent from inspection* with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 9 drills.

Attendance at a brigade drill or a review may be counted as a troop drill.

† Here insert "*present at*" or "*absent from*," as the case may be. If absent, it must be stated whether with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified. If enrolled after the date of inspection, strike out paragraph, and so state.

FORMS OF CERTIFICATES OF EFFICIENCY.

Army Form E 544 (late W.O. Form 1668).

FOR ARTILLERY VOLUNTEER CORPS.

We hereby certify:

(1.) That A. B. No. was duly enrolled in the muster roll of the Artillery Volunteer Corps on the 18, and is actually a member of the Corps on this date.

(2.) That he does not belong to the regular, militia, yeomanry, or army reserve (including enrolled pensioner) forces; and that he is not enrolled in any other Volunteer Corps.

(3.) That he attended during the twelve months ending the 31st October 18, * drills of this Corps, ordered by the Commanding Officer; each of such drills being of not less than one hour's duration,

(4.) That he possesses a competent knowledge of squad and company drill [including the manual and firing exercises†], and also of gun drill.

(5.) That he attended the gun practice of his battery, and possesses a competent knowledge of the general duties of a gunner.

(6.) That he has been instructed in the use of gysns.†

(7.) That he was § the last annual inspection of the Corps.

Commanding Officer.

Adjutant.

Head-Quarters _____

1st November, 18 .

Certificate confirmed.
} Commanding Officer of
} Administrative Brigade.

Head-Quarters _____

1st November, 18 .

* For Recruits. If present at inspection, 30 drills, including the inspection, of which 20 gun drills. If absent from inspection with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 32 drills of which 20 gun drills.

2nd Year. If present at inspection, 30 drills, including the inspection, of which 20 gun drills, or such number not less than 12 gun drills, including the inspection, as will with the number performed in the previous year amount to 60 drills, of which 40 gun drills. If absent from inspection with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 32 drills of which 20 gun drills, or such number not less than 14 gun drills, as will with the number performed in the previous year amount to 62 drills, of which 40 gun drills.

3rd and 4th Years. If present at inspection 12 gun drills, including the inspection. If absent from inspection with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 14 gun drills.

Ordinary volunteers when they have completed the 60 or 62 drills, as the case may be, during the two years

specified above, and have been returned four times as efficient:—

(a) *If present at inspection*, 9 gun drills, including the inspection.

(b) *If absent from inspection* with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified 11 gun drills.

Attendance at a brigade drill or a review may be counted as one of such drills.

† Required only from Corps armed with the artillery carbine.

‡ If the means of instruction have not been available, strike out.

§ Here insert "*present at*" or "*absent from*," as the case may be. If absent, it must be stated whether with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified. If enrolled after the date of inspection, strike out paragraph, and so state.

FORMS OF CERTIFICATES OF EFFICIENCY.

Army Form E 557 (late W.O. Form 1669):—

FOR ENGINEER VOLUNTEER CORPS.

We hereby certify:

(1.) That A. B. No. was duly enrolled in the muster roll of the Engineer Volunteer Corps on the 18, and is actually a member of the Corps on this date.

(2.) That he does not belong to the regular, militia, yeomanry, or army reserve (including enrolled pensioner) forces; and that he is not enrolled in any other Volunteer Corps.

(3.) That he attended during the twelve months ending the 31st October, 18, * drills of this Corps, ordered by the Commanding Officer; each of such drills being of not less than one hour's duration.

(4.) That he possesses a competent knowledge of squad and company drill, including the manual and firing exercises as laid down in the field exercises of infantry.

(5.) That he possesses a competent knowledge of the preliminary musketry drill laid down in the musketry regulations for the army.

(6.) That he has gone through the course of instruction prescribed for a recruit in regulations issued by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

†(7.) That he has during the above-mentioned period acquired a practical knowledge of one of the annual courses of instruction prescribed for Engineer Volunteers in regulations issued by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

(8.) That he was ‡ the last annual inspection (drill and engineering) of the Corps.

Commanding Officer.

Adjutant.

Head-Quarters _____

1st November, 18 .

* For Recruits. If present at inspection, 12 engineering and 24 other drills, including the inspection. If absent from inspection with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 12 engineering and 26 other drills.

2nd Year. If present at inspection, 12 engineering and 24 other drills, including the inspection, or such number, not less than 6 engineering and 9 other drills, including the inspection, as will with the number performed in the previous year amount to 24 engineering and 48 other drills. If absent from inspection with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 12 engineering and 26 other drills, or such number not less than 6 engineering and 11 other drills, as will with the number performed in the previous year amount to 24 engineering and 50 other drills.

3rd and 4th Years. If present at inspection, 6 engineering and 9 other drills, including the inspection. If absent from inspection with leave of the Commanding Officer, or through sickness duly certified, 6 engineering and 11 other drills.

Ordinary volunteers when they have completed the 24 engineering and 48 or 50 other drills, as the case may be,