Half-Pay, Major G. Alban Lewes, from the Northamptonshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 16th December, 1889.

The undermentioned Majors, from the Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 17th December, 1889:-

Thomas English. Thomas Gracey. Donatus O'Brien. William Hans Rathborne. William Henry Haydon. Henry Hardy Cole.

## MEMORANDA.

The Queen has been pleased to confer the honorary rank of Major-General upon Colonel Robert M. Rogers, V.C., C.B., retired pay, in recognition of his services in the Army. Dated 18th December, 1889.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels, of the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Colonels. Dated 12th

October, 1889 :-

Robert Parry Nisbet, C.I.E. Charles Henry Tilson Marshall.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels :-Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Frederick La Coste, Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 30th November, 1889.

Major and Brevet Lieutenaut-Colonel Ralph E. Allen, East Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 9th

December, 1889.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles E. Knox, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry). Dated 9th December, 1889.

Lieutenant-Colonel George B. Meares, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment). Dated 11th December, 1889.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable George Hugh Gough, 14th Hussars. Dated 16th December, 1889.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur L. Tickell, the Duke Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment). Dated 17th December, 1889.

Colonel Henry D. Rooke, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 18th December, 1889.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas English, half-pay, Royal Engineers, retires upon retired pay. Dated

18th December, 1889.

Major F. S. L. Penno, the Welsh Regiment, has been granted the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed with the Colonial Forces in Victoria. Dated 12th December, 1889.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS

Colonel Henry John Nuthall, Bengal, has been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st December, 1889.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

Charles Robert Collins, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

# (SWINE-FEVER.)

By the Board of Agriculture.

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Board of Agriculture Act, 1889, and The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Acts, 1878 to 1886, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this

Order is hereby declared to be an Area infected with swine-fever.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the sixteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

> In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this fourteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.



G. A. Leach, Secretary.

### SCHEDULE.

An Area in the burgh of Edinburgh, comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, the road leading from Dalry Edinburgh to Gorgie towards the south, the Edinburgh Suburban Railway towards the west and north, and the Granton branch of the Caledonian Railway towards the east.

Civil Service Commission, December 17, 1889.

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

December 12, 1889.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Telegraph Learner, London, William Wheeldon.

#### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Charles Harry Bell, Sydney Henry Peake, Henry Watson.

Sorter, Dublin, John Joseph Lynch.
Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners,
Benjamin Cartwright (Brierley Hill), Martha Dean (Middlesborough), Margaret Gray (Manchester), William John Hutchinson (Galway),

Robert Robinson (Londonderry).

Postmen, George Crothers Brooks (Carnforth), Francis Henry Holmes (Newbury), Fred Powls (Howden), Isaac Robinson (Howden), George Walker McCourtie Shand (Fort George Station).

### December 13, 1889.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, London, Rose Miriam Watkins.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Education Department: Inspector's Assistant, Francis Sydney Marvin.

Post Office: Postman, London, Thomas William

Stephen Shorter Sawyer.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Walter James Codd (Lincoln), James Evans (King's Lynn), John Spence (Gloucester), Alfred Topham (Lincoln).

Postmen, Thomas Anderson (Dalry), James Scott (Hamilton), Ernest Vincent (Eden Bridge), John Worth (Launceston).

December 14, 1889.

WITHOUT COMPETITION. risons Department, England: Subordinate Officers, Division I, William Firth, David Prisons

Post Office: Postman, Dublin, Denis Bryan. Tube Attendants, Frederick Miller, Charles Phillip Randall.

Postman, Ardrosson, William Currie.