

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel R. Walkey, from a Chief Instructor School of Gunnery, to be a Colonel on the Staff for Royal Artillery, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Colonel E. Lyons, who vacates that appointment. Dated 29th November, 1893.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable C. Dutton, from half-pay, to be a Recruiting Staff Officer, Class I, vice Lieutenant-Colonel G. A. W. Forrest, appointed Commandant of the Duke of York's Royal Military School. Dated 20th November, 1893.

Captain B. C. Urquhart, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable the Earl of Aberdeen, Governor-General of Canada. Dated 7th September, 1893.

Captain F. M. Beaumont, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, to be Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency General Sir R. Biddulph, G.C.M.G., C.B., Royal Artillery, Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar. Dated 10th October, 1893.

School of Gunnery, Lieutenant-Colonel A. A. Saunders, from Royal Artillery, to be a Chief Instructor, vice Colonel R. Walkey. Dated 29th November, 1893.

Army Medical Staff, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Lyons, M.D., to be Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel, vice W. H. Climo, M.D., retired. Dated 4th November, 1893.

Army Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Walker is placed on retired pay. Dated 25th November, 1893.

Veterinary-Major Alfred Ernest Queripel to be Veterinary-Lieutenant-Colonel, vice F. Walker. Dated 25th November, 1893.

Arthur Henry Lane, Gent., to be Veterinary-Lieutenant, in succession to Veterinary-Lieutenant-Colonel F. Walker. Dated 29th November, 1893.

#### MEMORANDA.

Colonel Charles G. Heathcote, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 28th November, 1893.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. M. Stevens is placed on half-pay on vacating the appointment of Assistant Military Secretary to the late General Sir L. Nicholson, K.C.B., Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar. Dated 10th October, 1893.

The undermentioned Officers are granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army whilst employed as Professors at the Staff College. Dated 29th November, 1893:—

Captain and Brevet Major G. F. R. Henderson, the York and Lancaster Regiment.

Major H. C. C. Walker, Royal Artillery.

Major F. C. Beatson, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment).

The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are cancelled, those Officers having been transferred to the Indian Staff Corps with anterior dates:—

T. C. Browning, the Royal Munster Fusiliers.

C. Godfrey, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

E. T. Carwithen, the King's Own Scottish Borderers.

W. F. Stevenson, the Bedfordshire Regiment.

A. N. Lovell, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Charles Sinclair, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 28th November, 1893.

#### ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Cayzer, 6th Lancashire Volunteer Artillery, to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th November, 1893.

Surgeon-Lieutenant William Vernon, 1st Volunteer Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 29th November, 1893.

#### COUNTY COURTS ACT, 1888.

##### CLOSING AT CHRISTMAS.

I, THE Right Honourable Farrer, Baron Herschell, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, do hereby order that the Offices of the County Courts may be closed on the 22nd, the 23rd, and the 26th days of December, 1893.

Given under my hand this 25th day of November, 1893.

Herschell, C.

#### FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1878.

IN pursuance of Section 67 of the above Act, the Right Honourable Herbert Henry Asquith, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Mr. Robert Gilchrist Broadhead to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops (under the title of Inspectors' Assistant).

Whitehall, November 27, 1893.

#### (PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

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 1893, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The following Place (namely),—all those sheds and fields at Mapesbury Farm, Willesden-lane, in the county of Middlesex, bounded by Willesden-lane, Walm-lane, and Edgware-road, in the occupation of Alfred John Pocock,—which was declared by Order of the Board dated the second day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, to be a Place infected with pleuro-pneumonia, is hereby declared to be free from pleuro-pneumonia, and that Place shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be a Place infected with pleuro-pneumonia.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

#### INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the Battle Division of Hastings Rape, in the county of Sussex,