1st Volunteer Battalion, The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry). Major Henry Arthur Fry.

### SOUTH-EASTERN DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY

2nd Cinque Ports (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery).

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Henry Stent. Surgeon and Honorary Surgeon-Major (ranking as Major) A. R. Ticehurst, retired.

## HOME DISTRICT.

RIFLE.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment).

Acting Chaplain the Reverend John Newman Harrison.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment.

Lieutenant and Honorary Captain Frank Stone, retired.

1st Middlesex (Victoria and St. George's). Surgeon-Major Francis James Pearse.

2nd (South) Middlesex.

Major Charles Henry Reid Todd.

4th Middlesex (West London).

Captain and Honorary Major Alfred James Hopkins.

13th Middlesex (Queen's Westminster) Captain and Honorary Major Edward William Bone.

# SCOTTISH DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

1st Orkney.

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Joseph Caskey. Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Robert Richard Rannie.

RIFLE.

5th Volunteer Battalion, The Royal Scots Lothian Regiment).

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Adam, retired.

1st Volunteer Battalion, The Royal Scots Fusiliers. Major Robert Mure McKerrell.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).

Captain and Honorary Major Thomas Binnie Ralston.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Robert Thomson Gillon.

3rd Lanarkshire.

Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant Henry John McDowall.

· 4th Volunteer Battalion, The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).

Major Alfred Henry Coulson.

2nd (Angus) Volunteer Battalion, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel James

1st Sutherland (The Sutherland Highland). Captain and Honorary Major John Mackenzie. Captain and Honorary Major Augustus John Thomas Box.

1st (Inverness-shire Highland) Volunteer Battalion, The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders. Captain Lachlan Ross.

Surgeon and Surgeon-Major (ranking as Lieutenant-Colonel) Kenneth Corbett, retired.

Foreign Office, December 1, 1893.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to

Pelham Laird Warren, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Hankow;

Richard Willett Hurst, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Tainan; and

Villiam Holland, Esq., to be one of Her Majesty's Vice-Consuls at Shanghai.

Foreign Office, December 5, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Julius Mergell as Austro-Hungarian Consul at Sydney; and of Mr. Rodolfo Dotzauer as Consul at Birmingham, of Mr. Guillermo Kinnear as Consul at Dundee, and of Mr. Mark Whitwill as Vice - Consul at Bristol, for the Republic of Uruguay.

Downing Street, December 9, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve the appointment of Edward John Cameron, Esq. (Acting Commissioner), to be Commissioner for the Turks and Caicos Islands.

## Whitehall, December 11, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing Alexander Peckover, Esq., to be Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Cambridge, in the room of Charles Watson Townley, Esq., deceased.

### India Office, December 11, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint James Grose, Esq., of the Civil Service of India, to be a Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George, in the room and place of John Henry Garstin, Esq., C.S.I., on his vacating the said office.

#### St. James's Palace, December 9, 1893.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Page Vance, one of the Exons of the Yeomen, to be Lieutenant of Her Majesty's Royal Body Guard of Yeomen of the Guard, in the room of Colonel the Honourable William James Colville, resigned.

(H. 9025.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 9, 1893.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated 6th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:-"Ten days' quarantine at Sinope against arrivals from Novorossisk; quarantine against arrivals from Roumanian ports reduced to five days: passengers arriving by Orient Express subject to medical visit at Mustapha Pasha; on return journey not allowed to stop before Mustapha Pasha."

> (H. 9084.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 8, 1893.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of the following Telegram, dated 6th December, 1893, from Her Majesty's Representative at