- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel A. L. Keller is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Surgeon-Captain C. J. Macalister, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Lieutenant W. Denton to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants :-
  - Joseph Appleby. Dated 1st February, 1896. Francis William Archer. Dated 1st February, 1896.
  - Arthur Kyrke-Smith. Dated 1st February,
- 6th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Captain and Honorary Major G. R. Hartley resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retire-Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 3rd (Cambridgeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. Fawcett resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 4th (Cambridge University) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant E. T. Dixon to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant E. F. W. Wall to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 2nd (Berwickshire) Volunteer Bottolion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers, Captain J. Nisbet resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 3rd (Dumfries) Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers, Second Lieutenant J. Young to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 3rd Lanarkshire, Lieutenant J. Thomson resigns his Commission. Dated 1st February, 1896. Second Lieutenaut T. D. Kirk to be Lieutenant.

Dated 1st February, 1896.

- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant A. T. O'B. Leslie to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Arthur Heygate Vernon, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 5th (Isle of Wight, "Princess Beatrice's") Volunteer Bottalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Lieutenant Frederick Carden Brodie, from the 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 4th (Perthshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Captain and Honorary Major D. T. Reid to be Major.

Dated 1st February, 1896.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :

R. McNaughtan. Dated 1st February, 1896. J. Watt. Dated 1st February, 1896.

- 1st (Oxford, University) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Claude Francis Waterhouse, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Edward James Dolphin, Gent., to be Scoond Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 3rd Middlesex, Captain A. C. Clay resigns his Commission. Dated 1st February, 1896 .
- th Middlesex (West London), Lieutenant C. H. Goddard resigns his Commission. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 21st Middlesex (the Finsbury), The services of Captain W. Lurcott are dispensed with. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 2nd London, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:
  - G. E. Hillman. Dated 1st February, 1896.
  - G. C. Millett. Dated 1st February, 1896. E. T. Lockett. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 1st (Inverness-shire Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, Quartermaster J. Christie is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 1st Dumbartonshire, Lieutenant F. Rorke to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1896.
- 16th Middlesex (London Irish), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants: Leo Baptiste Louis Belinfante. Dated 1st February, 1896.

Francis Jerome Sass. Dated 1st February, 1896.

## CADET BATTALIONS.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Honorary Second Lieutenant G. E. Farran resigns his appointment. Dated 1st February, 1896.

C. A. Phillimore, Gent., to be Honorary Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1896.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), The undermentioned Honorary Second Lieutenants resign their appointments:

Dated 1st February, 1896. R. B. Simmers. A. H. D. Salt. Dated 1st February, 1896.

1st Cadet Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Major W. Watts, 3rd Battalion, the Welsh Regiment, to be Acting Adjutant. Dated 1st February, 1896.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1878.

IN pursuance of Section 67 of the above Act, the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Jestyn Hume Nicholl, Esq., to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall, January 30, 1896.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred on me by "The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1894," and, upon application by the County Council of the Administrative County of Middlesex, I hereby make the following Order:

1. "The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880," shall apply within the County of Middlesex to the Wryneck (Cuckoo's Mate or Snake Bird), Swallow, Martin (2), Swift, Bearded Tit (Reedling or Reed Pheasant), Shrikes, Kestrel, Merlin, Hobby, Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Osprey, and