order that there may be no difficulty in announcing) them to The Queen.

The number of Presentations is limited to 200

at each Drawing Room.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at the Drawing Room, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two

o'clock. LATHOM, Lord Chamberlain.

Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order, St. Jumes's Palace, May 6, 1896.

THE Queen has been pleased to nominate and appoint-

Field-Marshal His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, K.G., and

General His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, K.G.,

to be Knights Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order. San 177.1 1

Downing Street, May 6, 1896.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Henry Alleyne Bovell, Esq., Attorney-General for the Colony of British Guiana, to be one of Her Majesty's Counsel for that Colony.

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Board of Trade (Fisheries Department), London, May 8, 1896.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Cyprus, reporting forty-eight hours' quarantine on arrivals from Alexandria.

Admiralty, 5th May, 1896.

Staff Paymaster Henry Dawson has been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 17th April, 1896.

Paymaster Denham Robert Kelsey has been advanced to the rank of Staff Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 19th April, 1896.

Admiralty, 6th May, 1896.

. Acting Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Barnett Barker has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant in Her . Majesty's Fleet. Dated 14th June, 1894.

Admiralty, 7th May, 1896.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Edward Bathurst Compton has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 14th April, 1895.

War Office, 8th May, 1896.

"MILITIA. ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The South East of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division), John Henderson Younger, Gent., late Captain 3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots, to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1896.

The Cork Artillery (Southern Division), Captain E. H. D. Southby resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1896.

The Forfar and Kincardine Artillery (Southern Division), Alan Bruce Carnegie, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1896.

The Durham Artillery (Western Division), Second Lieutenant A. G. McKenzie to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1896.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain H. R. R. Robertson-Cuninghame, from the 3rd and 4th Battalions, the Highland Light Infantry, to be Captain. Dated 24th April, 1896.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second

Lieutenants:

. Cecil Key Hutchison. Dated 14th April, 1896.

Geoffrey Thomas, Marquis of Headfort. Dated 14th April, 1896.

3rd Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Lieutenant Wyndham Frederick Tufnell, from the 5th Battalion the Rifle Brigade, to be Captain. Dated 4th May, 1896.

3rd Buttalion, the King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Captain Charles James Daniel, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Captain G. W. H. Le Feuvre, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, whose period of service has expired. Dated 1st May, 1896.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant L. M. F. Gladwin resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1896.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Edward Metcalfe Beall, Gent., 10 be Second Lientenant. Dated 14th April, 1896.

3rd Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major R. Kcate resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 9th May, 1896.

4th Buttalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant P. Neville resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1896.

George Hans Sotheby Blake, Gent, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 25th April, 1896.

4th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant E. J. C. Leeming resigns his Commission. Dated 14th April, 1896.

Henry Metcalfe Appleton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 14th April, 1896.

3rd Battulion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant A. N. White resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1896.

4th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Joseph Crean, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1896.

3rd Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (York-shire Regiment), Edward Lancelot Sanderson, Gent, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1896.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Lancashire Fusiliers, Lieutenant G. B. Morris resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1896.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Captain and Honorary Major C. H. Lord resigns the appointment of Instructor of Musketry to the Battalion. Dated 18th April, 1896.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Innishilling Fusiliers, Captain A., Viscount Corry, resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1896. ...