Woodhouse and Conisbrough Railway Act,

Swansea Improvements and Tramways Act, 1897.

South Eastern Railway Act, 1897. Baldock and Bygrave Benefices Union Act,

Rhymney Valley Gas and Water Act, 1897.

Bristol Corporation Act, 1897. Fylde Waterworks (Transfer) Act, 1897.

Harrogate Waterworks Act, 1897.

South Eastern Railway (Confirmation of Cator

Agreement) Act, 1897.

Lincoln and East Coast Railway and Dock

Act, 1897.

Dublin United Tramways (New Lines) Act,

Dublin United Tramways (Electrical Power) Act, 1897.

Harrogate Corporation (Waterworks Transfer) Act, 1897.

Nottingham Improvement Act, 1897. North Metropolitan Tramways Act, 1897. Weston-super-Mare Tramways Act, 1897. Manchester Corporation Act, 1897. London County Council (Improvements) Act,

1897. Dearne Valley Railway Act, 1897.

Southwark and Vauxhall Water Act, 1897. Hull and South Yorkshire Extension Railway Act, 1897.

Coventry Electric Tramways Act, 1897. Metropolitan District Railway Act, 1897. Great Western Railway (Additional Powers) Act, 1897.

Kingston-upon-Hull Corporation Act, 1897. Highgate Woods Preservation Act, 1897. Watford, Edgware, and London Railway Act,

London County Council (General Powers) Act, 1897.

City of Birmingham Tramways Act, 1897. Norwich Electric Tramways Act, 1897. Salford Corporation Act, 1897. Harrow and Uxbridge Railway Act, 1897. Whitechapel and Bow Railway Act, 1897. Cowes Harbour Act, 1897.

Colwyn Bay and Colwyn Urban District

Council Act, 1897.
Bradford Tramways and Improvement Act, 1897.

Admiralty, 5th August, 1897.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870-

Commander Henry Pearson has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 1st August, 1897.

Admiralty, 6th August, 1897.

Boatswain George Wilson Emmerson has been promoted to the rank of Chief Boatswain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 4th August, 1897.

Admiralty, 7th August, 1897.

Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Charles Dewar has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenaut in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th July, 1897.

Royal Marine Light Infantry. The undermentioned Second Lieutenants have been advanced to the rank of Lieutenant from the 1st July, 1897 :-

Barry Redmond de Waal O'Sullivan. Charles Leigh Hall.

William Edward Tolfrey Christie. Harold Gage Bewes Armstrong. Wyndham Horace Stopford. Wyndham Arthur Bucknall Shakespear. Henry Spencer Hamilton Richmond.

Admiralty, 9th August, 1897.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870-

Captain George William Hill has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request.

Commander Charles Tatton Turner has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Gunner George Morrison has been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 8th August, 1897.

War Office, Fall Mall, 10th August, 1897.

Royal Horse Guords, Surgeon-Major Henry Mitchell retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 11th August, 1897.

1st Dragoons, Lieutenant Philip Edward Hardwick, from 3rd Battalion the Hampshire Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant on augmentation. Dated 11th August, 1897.

2nd Dragoons, Captain Arthur W. M. Richards retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 11th August, 1897.

9th Lancers, To be Second Lieutenants on augmentation. Dated 11th August, 1897:—

Gentleman Cadet Eustace Henry Egremont Abadie, from the Royal Military College. Lieutenant Lord Frederick Temple Thomas

Hamilton-Blackwood, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Irish Rifles.

15th Hussars, Second Lieutenant O. B. Walker to be Lieutenant, vice L. E. Kennard, promoted. Dated 14th July, 1897.

21st Lancers, Second Lieutenant C. G. G. Hutchison to be Lieutenant, vice D. Maclachlan, placed on the temporary Half-Pay List. Dated 21st July, 1897.

Royal Malta Artillery, Lieutenant (with local and temporary rank) Walter D. Vella to be Captain (with local and temporary rank), to complete establishment. Dated 11th August, 1897.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant Frederick E. G. Ponsonby is seconded for special extra-regimental employment. Dated 30th July, 1897.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant John McNeile to be Captain, in succession to Major H. C. Surtees, appointed to the Staff. Dated 1st July,

Second Lieutenant H. A. Chandos-Pole-Gell to be Lieutenant, vice J. McNeile. Dated 1st July, 1897.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICT.

Colonel E. S. Creek, from half-pay, to be Colonel to command the 23rd Regimental District (the Royal Welsh Fusiliers), vice Colonel C. W. H. Wilson, retired. Dated 2nd August, 1897.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Second Lieutenant G. C. R. Overton to be Lieutenant, vice F. Bigg-Wither, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th February, 1897.