

India Office, April 18, 1898.

THE following General Order, dated 25th February, 1898, publishing corrections in the casualty returns appended to General Sir W. S. A. Lockhart's Despatch of the 9th December, 1897 (published in the London Gazette of the 1st March, 1898), has been received from the Government of India :—

Fort William, the 25th February, 1898.

FIELD OPERATIONS.—TIRAH.

No. 219.—THE following corrections are made in the casualty returns appended to Sir William Lockhart's Despatch describing the operations of the Tirah Expeditionary Force from the 18th to the 31st October, 1897, published with G.G.O. No. 58 of 1898 :—

2nd Battalion, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Under "Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded."

For "3366 Private R. Kerr Menzies"

Read "3336 Private R. Kerr Menzies."

15th (Sikh) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.

Under "Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officer and Men and Followers Killed."

For "3208 Sepoy Jai Singh"

Read "3287 Sepoy Jai Singh."

1st Battalion, Dorsetshire Regiment.

Under "Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded."

For "1809 Lance-Sergeant T. Andrews"

Read "1802 Lance-Sergeant T. Andrews."

1st Battalion, Gordon Highlanders.

Under "Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded."

For "4404 Private Warne"

Read "4404 Private Warne."

2nd Battalion, 2nd Gurkhas attached to 1st Battalion.

Under "Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded."

For "2924 Rifleman Manikharan Gharti"

Read "1924 Rifleman Manikaran Gharti."

For "2060 Rifleman Nazr Sing Gharti"

Read "2062" Rifleman Nayar Sing Gharti.

*Privy Council Office, Whitehall,
April 21, 1898.*

THE following Scheme for the adjustment of the property, rights, liabilities &c. of the Urban District Council of the Town of Hove in the Administrative County of East Sussex, and for other purposes, as settled by a Committee of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, is published in pursuance of the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1882" :—

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act 1882" it is enacted that where a Petition for a Charter of Incorporation is referred to the Committee of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council and it is proposed by the Charter to extend the Municipal Corporations Acts to the Municipal Borough to be created by the Charter the said Committee of Council may settle a scheme for the purposes in the said Acts named and containing such provisions as are in the said Acts particularized.

And whereas certain inhabitant householders of the town of Hove in the administrative county of East Sussex on the seventeenth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six presented a petition to Her Majesty the Queen praying for a grant of a Charter of Incorporation.

And whereas the said Petition was referred to the Committee of Council and it was proposed by the Charter to create the Urban District of the Town of Hove (which is formed by and is co-terminous with the parishes of Hove and Aldrington) a Municipal Borough and to incorporate the inhabitants thereof and by the Charter to extend the Municipal Corporations Acts to the Municipal Borough to be so created. And Her Majesty by and with the advice of Her Council was pleased to approve the grant of a Charter in accordance with such Petition.

And whereas by "The Hove Commissioners Act 1873" the parish of Hove was formed into a district for sanitary local government improvement and police purposes under a Board of Commissioners incorporated under the name of "the Hove Commissioners" and the said Commissioners were constituted the Urban Sanitary Authority for the said district under "The Public Health Act 1872" and were empowered to exercise and execute all the powers authorities and duties conferred and imposed by the Sanitary Acts as defined by the said "Public Health Act 1872" as if the district were a corporate district as defined by "The Public Health Act 1848" and "The Town Police Clauses Act 1847" was incorporated with the said Act and certain special powers were given to the said Commissioners for the better government of the said district.

And whereas by "The Hove Commissioners Act 1877" "The Hove Commissioners Act 1873" was amended and certain further powers were conferred on the said Hove Commissioners.

And whereas by a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighty and confirmed by "The Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (Abingdon &c.) Act 1880" "The Hove Commissioners Act 1873" was further amended.

And whereas by a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the sixteenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three and confirmed by "The Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 5) Act 1883" "The Hove Commissioners Act 1877" was amended and further powers were conferred on the said Hove Commissioners.

And whereas by an Order of the Joint Committee of the Councils of the Administrative Counties of East and West Sussex dated the second day of May one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three and confirmed by the Local Government Board on the twenty-sixth day of September one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three it was ordered that the area of the parish of Aldrington being a part of the Rural Sanitary District of the Steyning Union and immediately adjoining the Urban Sanitary District of the town of Hove should be transferred from the said Rural Sanitary District to and should form part of the said Urban Sanitary District which Urban Sanitary District should accordingly extend to and include the area of the parish of Aldrington and it was further ordered that the provisions of the local Acts and Provisional Orders therein mentioned as amended by that Order should so far as the same should be capable of being so applied extend and apply to the said Urban Sanitary District as extended by that Order. And it was further ordered that all Bye-laws in force in the town of Hove at the coming into operation of that Order should extend and apply to the said extended District and take the place of all Bye-laws then in force in the said parish of Aldrington. And it was further ordered