4th (Donside Highland) Volunteer Battolion, the Gordon Highlanders, Second Lieutenant J. C. Johnstone to be Captain. Dated 14th June,

6th Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:

Lieutenant W. M. Smith. Dated 14th June,

Second Lieutenant W. A. Barclay. Dated 14th June, 1899.

5th Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Captain S. B. Barrett is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 14th June, 1899.

18th Middlesex, Acting Chaplain the Reverend B. C. Littlewood, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 14th June, 1899.

19th Middlesex, Lieutenant D. H. H. Cornfoot to be Captain. Dated 14th June, 1899.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton.

The Right Honourable Hubert George Charles, Baron Vaux of Harrowden, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1899.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

James Coates, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1899.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stirling.

James, Marquis of Graham, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1899.

Colonel Peter Blackburn to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1899.

Charles William Forbes, Esq., younger, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1899.

Treasury Chambers, June 10, 1899.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that the name of J. Thomas, 12, Hammett-street, Taunton, has been removed from the list of Public Auditors appointed under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1896," and "The Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893," for the year ending 31st December, 1899.

BRENTRY (GLOUCESTER) CERTIFIED INEBRIATE REFORMATORY. DUXHURST (SURREY) CERTIFIED INEBRIATE REFORMATORY.

THE Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby gives notice that the Regulations which he has made under "The Inebriates Act, 1898," for the management and discipline of the above - mentioned Certified Inebriate Reformatories came into force on the 18th May and the 10th June, 1899, respectively.

Copies of the aforesaid Regulations may be

purchased at the Sale Office for Official Publications, Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Hard-

ing-street, Fleet-street, E.C. Whitehall, June 12, 1899.

HORFIELD (GLOUCESTER) CERTIFIED INEBRIATE REFORMATORY.

THE Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby gives notice that he has made Regulations under "The Inchriates Act, 1898," for the management and discipline of the above-mentioned Certified Inchriate Reformatory. Whitehall, June 12, 1899.

THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

THE Board of Agriculture have appointed George Arthur Johnston to be a Temporary Assistant Inspector for the purposes of the abovementioned Acts.

Board of Agriculture, 12th June, 1899.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 10TH JUNE 1899.)

(Swine-Fever Infected Area.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:
1. The Area described in the Schedule to this

Order is hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the seventeenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.



T. H. Elliott, Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising so much of the Parts of Holland Division of Lincolnshire as lies to the east of the eastern boundary of the parish of Holbeach.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission, June 13, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Lords of the Admiralty, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. William Ellis Clayton, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to the appointment of Assistant Victualling Store Officer, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.