- Indian Staff Corps, Colonel Montague Jocelyn King-Harman is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st March, 1900.
- Army Pay Department, Lieutenant-Colonel W. Montgomery, Staff Paymaster, retires on retired pay. Dated 17th March, 1900.

MEMORANDUM.

Colonel M. W. Willson, C.B., from half-pay, to be Major-General, vice Sir C. F. Clery, K.C.B., placed on the Supernumerary List whilst retained under the provisions of Article 103A, Royal Warrant 30th May, 1899. Dated 18th February, 1900.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Captain the Honourable Lewis Arthur Milles, 3rd Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), late Captain 16th Lancers, to be Captain. Dated 17th March, 1900.

To be Lieutenants. Dated 17th March, 1900 :----George Joseph Metcalf, Gent., late Lieutenant 4th Dragoon Guards.

Lientenant William Tasker Odam, 3rd Kent Volunteer Artillery.

Lieutenant Robert Thornton Osborne, 3rd Kent Volunteer Artilery.

War Office, 16th March, 1900.

HER Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the voluntary offer made by the undermentioned embodied Militia Battalion to serve out of the United Kingdom, viz. :--

3rd Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment).

Treasury Chambers, March 14, 1900.

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed the Honourable Evelyn Hubbard to be Steward and Bailiff of the Chiltern Hundreds, in the room of Bernard Collery, Esq.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871. (34 and 35 Vict., cap. 12.) MELKSHAM FAIR.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that, by Memorial dated the 26th February, 1900, a representation has been duly made to him by the Melksham Urban District Council that a Fair has been annually held on the 27th and 28th days of July, in the Market Place of Melksham, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished.

that such Fair should be abolished. On the 14th day of April, 1900, the Secretary of State will take such representation into consideration, and any person who may desire to object to the abolition of the Fair, should intimate his objections to the Secretary of State before that day.

Home Office, Whitehall, March 14, 1900.

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THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that the Oldham School Board, as Managers of the Day Industrial School, Gower-street, Oldham, have signified their intention of resigning the Certificate granted to that School under the provisions of the Statute 39 and 40 Vic., cap. 79, and the Order in Council of the 20th March, 1877.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday, the 23rd instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, and 52 Vic., cap. 6, to the amount of £1,720,000, in replacement of Bills falling due on the 30th instant.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 30th March, 1930, and will be payable at three months, or six months, or twelve months, after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz. :--on the 30th June, 1900, or 30th September, 1900, or 30th March, 1901, respectively.

3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Saturday, the 24th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock, on Friday, the 30th instant.

Friday, the Soth instant. 6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, March 16, 1900.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896. South Staffordshire Light Railway (Extensions) Order.

THE Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade, for confirmation under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them for the construction of Light Railways in the Urban Districts of Bilston, Willenball, and Coseley, in the county of Stafford.

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order should be addressed to the Assistant-Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., and must be lodged with the Board on or before the 14th April, 1900.

Copies of such objections should at the same time be sent to the Promoters' Agent named below.

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained, on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy, from Mr. Sydney Morss, 37, Norfolk-street, Strand, London, W.C.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,

London, March 15, 1900.

ORDER of the Local Government Board : Altering General Consolidated Order : Appointment of Nurses :--

Sheffield Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Sheffield Union ;--

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order dated the 24th day of July, 1847, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of the Sheffield Union (amongst others), the Poor Law Commissioners made certain Regulations for the government of the Workhouse of that Union;

And whereas by Article 153 of the said Order provision was made for the appointment by the said Guardians of persons to hold certain offices in the said Workhouse, including the office of