15th Middlesex, Captain J. G. Varrall is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 25th July, 1900.

24th Middlesex, Second Lieutenant T. G. Lumley-Smith resigns his Commission. Dated 25th July, 1900.

1st Tower Hamlets, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants resign their Commissions:

P. Whiteway. Dated 25th July, 1900. F. H. Trapp. Dated 25th July, 1900.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:-

I. Cohen. Dated 25th July, 1900. A. E. B. Hovelt. Dated 25th July, 1900.

L. J. Stephenson. Dated 25th July, 1900.

2nd Tower Hamlets, Captain G. E. C. Clark is appointed Instructor of Musketry. Dated 14th Jul<u>y,</u> 1900.

Cecil Bailey Creasy, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 25th July, 1900.

VOLUNTEER MEDICAL STAFF CORPS. The Glasgow Companies, Surgeon-Captain G. T. Beatson, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, and to command under paragraph 55A Volunteer Regulations. Dated 25th July, 1900.

THE Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has appointed Joseph Little Heath, Esq., to be an Assistant-Inspector of Reformatory and Industrial Schools (Great Britain), and Chief Clerk in the Reformatory Office.

Whitehall, July 18, 1900.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, July 23, 1900.

THE Secretary for Scotland has been pleased to issue an Order, appointing Thomas Alexander Fyfe, Esq., now resident Sheriff-Substitute at Lanark, to be one of the resident Sheriffs-Substitute at Glasgow, in the Sheriffdom of Lanarkshire.

> Factory Department, Home Office, July 10, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. Gott to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Ringwood Rural District in the county of Southampton.

> Factory Department, Home Office, July 18, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. O. Harvey to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Wolverton District of Buckinghamshire.

> Factory Department, Home Office, July 18, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. W. C. Herbert to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Southwold District.

> Factory Department, Home Office, July 19, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. T. F. Hanley to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Gillingham District of Dorset.

> Factory Department, Home Office, July 20, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. P. Scatchard to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Tadcaster District of the West Riding of Yorkshire.

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Factory Department, Home Office, July 20, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. E. G. Smith to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Walton-on-Naze District of Essex.

> Factory Department, Home Office, July 21, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. T. Rimell to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Long Sutton District of Lincolnshire.

Factory Department, Home Office,

July 23, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice, that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. C. Dalley, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, at Syston, in the county of Leicester, is vacant.

> Factory Department, Home Office, June 23, 1900.

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. Richard Emmett to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the county borough of Portsmouth and the civil parish of Cosham, in Fareham Rural District.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896. OAKINGTON AND COTTENHAM LIGHT RAILWAYS 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 county of Cambridge, in the parishes of Oakington, Westwick, and Cottenham.

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 17th August, 1900.

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

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained, on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy, from Messrs. Baker, Lees, and Company, 54, Parliament-street, Westminster, S.W.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, July 20, 1900.

Civil Service Commission, July 24, 1900.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names :-

July 19, 1900.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorters, London, James Gethin, Alfred Heath.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE VII of the Order in Council of 4th June,

Second Division: Clerks, Walter Douglas, Frank Vinall Gardiner, Philip Arthur Milner.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorters, London, George William Brunton, Alfred James Melvill.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Assistant Matron, Edith Jane Bellamy.