

Lieutenant A. W. Robertson, 3rd Volunteer Battalion.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Captain Herbert John Collett Leland, from 5th Battalion, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 24th November, 1900.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Second Lieutenant Boyd Alexander is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 20th October, 1900.

Lieutenant the Honourable Roger Brand, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant S. A. Rickman, promoted. Dated 24th November, 1900.

The West India Regiment, Captain Noel P. Davies to be Major, vice T. P. E. Lowry, retired. Dated 7th October, 1900.

ROYAL NORTHERN RESERVE REGIMENT.

Captain G. C. R. C. Fenwick ceases to be employed with the Regiment. Dated 4th July, 1900.

ROYAL LANCASHIRE RESERVE REGIMENT.

The appointment as Lieutenant of Lieutenant W. M. Thomas, Reserve of Officers, is antedated to 1st September, 1900.

The Royal Army Medical Corps, Colonel Napoleon B. Major is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 6th November, 1900.

STAFF.

Major W. R. Robertson, D.S.O., 3rd Dragoon Guards, resumes the appointment of Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, vice Captain and Brevet Major E. M. Woodward, the Leicestershire Regiment, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 29th October, 1900.

Captain H. C. Metcalfe, the Northamptonshire Regiment, to be a District Inspector of Musketry, vice Captain H. R. Hardy, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), appointed an Assistant Inspector Army Ordnance Department. Dated 10th November, 1900.

The appointment of Captain W. F. Bonham, the Essex Regiment, as an Assistant Provost-Marshal, graded as a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, South African Field Force, is dated 17th July, 1900, and not as stated in the Gazette of 11th September, 1900.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Raban, Reserve List, Royal Engineers, to be Colonel. Dated 23rd November, 1900.

MEMORANDUM.

Sub-Conductor Robert Fred Weir Ashworth, from the Adjutant-General's Department, India, to be a Quartermaster in the Army, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 14th November, 1900.

EXCHEQUER BONDS,

Per Act 63 and 64 Vict. c. 61,
Bearing Interest at £3 per Cent. per Annum,
payable Quarterly.

Issue of £3,000,000, in amounts of £100, £200, £500, £1,000, £5,000, and £10,000, repayable at par on 7th December, 1905.

THE Governor and Company of the Bank of England are authorized by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to receive tenders for Exchequer Bonds, as above, to be created under Act 63 and 64 Vict. c. 61.

The Bonds will be for five years, and will be dated the 7th December, 1900.

Interest at £3 per Cent. per annum will be paid by Coupon, the first Coupon being payable on the 7th March, 1901.

Tenders may be for the whole, or any part, of the issue, in multiples of £100, and must be delivered at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England, before two o'clock on Friday, the 30th November, 1900. Every tender must state what amount of money will be given for every £100 of bonds, and must be at a price which is a multiple of sixpence.

In the event of the receipt of tenders for a larger amount of bonds than that to be issued, the tenders at the lowest price accepted will be subject to a pro rata diminution.

Payment in full of allotments must be made on Friday, the 7th December, 1900.

Notice will be given in the public press when the Bonds are ready.

Tenders must be on printed forms, which may be obtained at the Bank of England, and the Bank of Ireland; or of Messrs. Mullens, Marshall, and Co., 4, Lombard-street, London, E.C.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any tenders.

Bank of England, 23rd November, 1900.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

WEST HARTLEPOOL LIGHT RAILWAYS (EXTENSIONS) NOW CALLED WEST HARTLEPOOL LIGHT RAILWAYS (DEVIATIONS, &C.) ORDER.

THE Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade, for confirmation under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them to authorize the deviation of a Light Railway authorized by the West Hartlepool Light Railways Order, 1897, and for other purposes.

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 December, 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 Morse, 37, Norfolk-street, Strand, London, W.C.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,
London, November 22, 1900.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 20TH NOVEMBER 1900.)

SWINE-FEVER (MOVEMENT FROM IRELAND) TEMPORARY ORDER OF 1900.

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:

Swine-Fever (Movement from Ireland) Temporary Order of 1894 continued until 30th November 1901.

1. The Swine-Fever (Movement from Ireland) Temporary Order of 1894 shall be read and have effect as if the thirtieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and one were substituted