St. James's Palace, 1st December, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of Lord Belper, to appoint Colonel William Kenyon Mitford, late of the 8th Hussars, to be one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen - at - Arms, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Henry A. Fletcher, promoted.

The Queen has also been pleased, on the nomination of Lord Belper, to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Rosdew Burn, late of the 1st (Royal) Dragoons, to be one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Colonel W. Chester Master, C.B., who retires upon half-pay.

Crown Office, December 10, 1900.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Preston.

The Right Honourable Robert William Hanbury, President of the Board of Agriculture.

Borough of Dover.

The Right Honourable George Wyndham, Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

County of Surrey.

South Western or Guildford Division. The Right Honourable William St. John Fremantle Brodrick, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

December 11, 1900.

County of Suffolk. South Eastern or Woodbridge Division. Ernest George Pretyman, Esq., Civil Lord of the Admiralty.

County of Somerset. Western or Wellington Division. Sir Alexander Fuller Acland-Hood, Bart., Vice-Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household.

(F. & H. 16,668.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 10, 1900. THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Tangier, intimating that the Sanitary Council has now suspended the regulations requiring Moorish passengers to be provided with certificates.

(F. & H. 16,701.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 10, 1900. THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Bucharest of which the following is a copy, viz .:-Quarantine suppressed on arrivals from Glasgow. Certificates of origin no longer required on products from United Kingdom, but exacted on goods which might come from India, Egypt, Arabia, and countries infected with plague, such as used bags, Calcutta sacks, raw wool, &c.

Admiralty, 7th December, 1900.

THE undermentioned Carpenters have been promoted to the rank of Chief Carpenter in Her Majesty's Fleet:-

William Littleton Peain. Dated 12th November, 1900.

Richard Bartholomew Lavers. Dated 1st December, 1900.

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th December, 1900.

2nd Dragoon Guards, The appointment of Second Lieutenant J. Porter (since killed in action) is dated 15th October, 1900, and not as stated in the Gazette of 23rd October, 1900.

19th Hussars, Lieutenant George A. Egerton to be Captain, vice H. G. S. Young, promoted. Dated 23rd June, 1900.

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

2nd Buttalion, Sergeant J. Cavendish Browne
(since killed in action) to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 11th September, 1900.

4th Battalion, Sergeant E. M. Grantham to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 23rd June, 1900.

12th Battalion, Sergeaut V. C. Jonas to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 31st October, 1900.

13th Battalion, Lieutenant W. B. Du Pre resigns his Commission. Dated 24th October, 1900.

14th Battalion, Lieutenant T. L. Halls to be Captain, with the temporary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 19th September, 1900.

Colour-Sergeant G. H. Hale to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Dated 19th September, 1960.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Second Lieutenant James H. Harvey-Pirie resigns his Commission. Dated 12th December, 1900.

Robert Ballantyne Sanderson, Gent., nominated by the Governor of Victoria, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th July, 1900, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 12th December, 1900.

Captain Henry J. Brock to be Divisional Adjutant, vice Major F. W. Heath, who has vacated that appointment on promotion. Dated 231d November, 1900.

Royal Garrism Artillery, Captain and Brevet Major Arthur H. Lee retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 12th December,

Supernumerary Captain Donald F. Nicholl to be Captain, vice H. J. Cotter, seconded. Dated 10th November, 1900.

Lieutenant Cyril Hugh Mortimer, from Bethune's Mounted Infantry, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 23rd May, 1900, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 12th December, 1900.

SCOTS GUARDS.

Second Lieutenant A. H. Royds to be Lieutenant. vice A. M. Southey, killed in action. Dated 24th November, 1900.

ROYAL GUARDS RESERVE REGIMENT. Captain C. B. Balfour is seconded whilst a Member of the House of Commons. Dated 10th December, 1900.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant Charleton W. Gordon is seconded for service with the Chinese Regiment of Infantry. Dated 24th November,

The Bedfordshire Regiment, Major Henry Lysons, V.C., from the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet ('olonel W. H. Riddell, removed on appointment to the Staff. Dated 12th December, 1900.