within the Municipal Borough of Bromley for a period of two years from the commencement of this Scheme, or until other Bye-laws for good rule and government shall have been made by the Corporation and shall have come into force, if that first occurs.

As soon as may be convenient after the commencement of this Scheme, the Council of the Borough shall prepare and submit to the Board of Education a Scheme for an Education Committee for the Borough, in accordance with the provisions of section seventeen of the Education Act, 1902.

Until the last-mentioned Scheme shall have been approved by the Board of Education the members of the Education Committee of the Urban District Council who are in office immediately before the commencement of this Scheme shall be deemed to have been elected as and shall be the Education Committee for the Borough by the style and title of the Education Committee of the Borough of Bromley.

As soon as the Scheme of the Borough Council shall have been approved by the Board of Education the said last-mentioned Education Committee shall be dissolved and cease to exist.

Savings.

Notwithstanding the incorporation of the Borough and the provisions of this Scheme, all rates, assessments, compositions, charges, mortgages, leases, conveyances, deeds, documents, acts, matters, and things made, entered into, or done before the commencement of this Scheme, by, to, or with reference to the Urban District Council of Bromley or their predecessors, shall be as good, valid, and effectual to all intents and purposes whatsoever, for, against, and with reference to the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Bromley as if the same had been made, entered into, or done by, to, or with reference to the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Bromley, instead of the said Urban District Council or their predecessors and may be proceeded on and enforced in the same manner in all respects as if the Mayor, Alder-men and Burgesses of the Borough of Bromley, instead of such Urban District Council or their predecessors, had been party or privy to the same and had been named or referred to therein.

The accounts of the Urban District Council of Bromley and their Officers shall be (as soon as conveniently may be) audited by the District Auditor in like manner, and subject to the like powers, duties, provisions and right of appeal as if the Charter had not been granted and the provisions of sections 247 and 250 of "The Public Health Act, 1875," as amended by "The District Auditors Act, 1879," and any regulations duly issued by the Local Government Board with respect to the audit of accounts of Local Boards or Urban District Councils and of their Officers shall apply to such audit, and the provisions of this Scheme with respect to the said Urban District Council shall be construed so as to admit of such exceptions as may be necessary to enable such audit to be duly made, but such exceptions shall be strictly limited in time, extent, character, and operation to the purposes of such audit. Any sums certified by the District Auditor at such audit to be due from any person shall be paid by such person to the Borough Treasurer.

Compensation for existing Officers.

In case any Officer of the District Council who shall have been employed by the District Council shall not be employed by the Council of the said Borough, nor offered by the said Council a position in their employ of a similar

character and of an equal value to that formerly held by him, he shall be entitled to be paid by way of compensation for the loss of his position out of the funds of or under the control of the Corporation, acting by the Council as the Sanitary Authority for the said Borough, and the amount to be paid in each case shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of Section 120 of the Local Government Act 1888, and Subsections 1 to 7 inclusive of that Section shall apply as if they formed part of this Scheme, with the substitution of the words "Borough Council" for "County Council," and "this Scheme" for "this Act," and with such other modifications as are necessary to make them applicable hereto. Provided, nevertheless, that if any such officer be so employed by the said Corporation, and discharged by them (otherwise than for misconduct) within two years of the commencement of this Scheme, he shall be entitled to compensation in the same manner as if he had not been employed by the said Corporation, provided that the term "officer" shall include only persons employed by the said Council whose salaries or emoluments are payable at intervals of not less than one month, and no other persons.

War Office, 30th June, 1903.

In addition to the Honours gazetted on the 26th instant, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, the King has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:

To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order :---

Colonel Edmond Bainbridge, C.B., retired pay, Chief Superintendent Ordnance Factories.

War Office, 30th June, 1903.

The following Notification relative to the appointment of Aides-de-Camp to the King is substituted for that which appeared in the Supplement to the London Gazette of 23rd June,

War Office,

26th June, 1903.

4

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following appointments:—

AUXILIARY FORCES.

To be Aides-de-Camp to the King :

.

1903 :--

IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. F., Viscount Ebrington, Royal North Devon (Hussars), Imperial Yeomanry.

MILITIA.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. E. H., Viscount Cranborne, C.B., 4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment.

VOLUNTEERS.

Colonel A. A. C., Earl of Albemarle, C.B., M.V.O., Commanding Norfolk Volunteer Infantry Brigade.