

3rd Battalion, *The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians)*, Cyril Triscott to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 2nd May, 1908.

4th Battalion, *The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians)*, Lieutenant Stephen H. Dix, *The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians)*, to be Adjutant, vice Captain R. M. Raynsford, and is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst so employed. Dated 4th May, 1908, instead of as notified in the Gazette of 19th May, 1908.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Major Edward D. Pickard-Cambridge, retired pay, from Brigade Major, the Portland Volunteer Infantry Brigade, to be a Brigade Major. Dated 1st April, 1908.

POST OFFICE.

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL POST.

In pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, His Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice that a Warrant, dated the 28th day of May, 1908, and coming into operation on the 15th day of June, 1908, has been made, on his representation, by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, relating to the rates of postage on letters transmitted to and posted at British Postal Agencies in Morocco.

And the Postmaster-General further gives notice that copies of the said Warrant may be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from Wyman and Sons, Fetter-lane, E.C.; or Oliver and Boyd, Edinburgh; or Edward Ponsonby, 116, Grafton-street, Dublin.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1908.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACT, 1907.

Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given that an Order was made on the 1st day of June, 1908, restoring the Letters Patent granted to Arthur Christopher Davey for an invention for "Improvements in snatch blocks, pulley blocks, and the like," numbered 21714 of 1901, and bearing date the 29th day of October, 1901.

C. N. Dalton,

Comptroller-General.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACT, 1907.

Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given that an Order was made on the 1st day of June, 1908, restoring the Letters Patent granted to William Simpkin for an invention for "Improvements in bearings for axles or shafts," numbered 1699 of 1903, and bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1903.

C. N. Dalton,

Comptroller-General.

THE URBAN DISTRICT OF CROMPTON.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS AMENDMENT ACT, 1907 (PARTS OF).

THE Urban District Council of Crompton being the Local Authority for the Urban District of Crompton hereby give notice that, by an Order of the Secretary of State, dated 12th May, 1908, the undermentioned sections of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907, are declared to be in force in the Urban District of Crompton, namely:—

Section 81. Which includes recreation grounds, places of public resort, and fenced land adjoining a street in the definition of open and public place under the Vagrancy Act, 1824, and any altering or amending Acts; also, in the definition of a street for the purposes of Section 29 of the Towns Police Clauses Act, 1847, and for the purposes of so much of Section 28 of that Act as relates to (amongst other things):—

Unmuzzled or ferocious dogs, &c.

Furious riding or driving.

Importuning by prostitutes.

Acts of indecency.

Offering for sale or exhibiting indecent or profane books, prints, &c., or singing obscene songs or using obscene language.

Wantonly discharging firearms.

Depositing objectionable litter on streets.

Section 84. Empowering the Council to grant licenses to luggage porters and to charge fee therefor; to make bye-laws regulating their conduct and charges; also as to the suspension and revocation of such licenses and other matters connected therewith.

Section 85. Providing for the registration of all persons carrying on the business of keeper of a female domestic servants registry, and also for the registration of premises where such business is carried on; enabling the Local Authority to make bye-laws for the prevention of fraud or immorality in connection with such business, and other matters connected therewith.

Section 86. Providing for the registration of dealers in marine stores and old metal, and their places of business; the keeping of books showing description, source, and price of articles acquired; as to inspection by Local Authority, and as to penalty in certain cases.

Section 90. Enabling Local Authority to enter into agreements for the common use of fire engines and appliances, and for mutual assistance at fires.

Section 91. Prohibiting the erection of sky signs, and allowing the retention of existing sky signs for a period of three years only from the date of the Order, and during that period only if the license of the Local Authority is obtained.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1908.

H. BOOTH AND SONS, Greaves-street,
Oldham, Solicitors to the Council.

Civil Service Commission,

June 2, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Army Council, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Frank Heywood Bedford, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to a Second Class Assistant Accountantship in the Army Accounts Department, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.