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THE Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned Officers of the Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same under the terms of the Royal Warrant, dated 25th July, 1892:—

EASTERN DISTRICT.

RIFLE.

- 1st Volunteer Battalion, The Norfolk Regiment.*
 Captain Frederick William Frewer.
 Lieutenant William Herbert Hampton Woodrow.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, The Essex Regiment.*
 Captain William Hopkins.
 Quartermaster and Honorary Major John Backhouse Dumbell.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, The Essex Regiment.*
 Lieutenant-Colonel Charles George Brown.

HOME DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

- 1st City of London Volunteer Artillery (Eastern Division, Royal Garrison Artillery).*
 Quartermaster and Honorary Major George Frederick James.

ENGINEERS.

- 2nd Tower Hamlets ("East London") Royal Engineers (Volunteers).*
 Major Harry Bateman, retired.

RIFLE.

- 4th (Eton College) Volunteer Battalion, The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*
 Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Walter Durnford, retired.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment).*
 Captain and Honorary Major Osborne James Ellison.
- The Prince of Wales's Own 12th Middlesex (Civil Service) Volunteer Rifle Corps.*
 Major the Honourable Derek William George Keppel.

- 15th Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps.*
 Captain and Honorary Major William Francis French.

NORTH-EASTERN DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

- 2nd Durham Volunteer Artillery (Western Division, Royal Garrison Artillery).*
 Captain George Beattie.

- Captain and Honorary Major Charles James Sutherland.
 Captain and Honorary Major John McDowell.
4th West Riding of Yorkshire Volunteer Artillery (Western Division, Royal Garrison Artillery).
 Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Allen.

RIFLE.

- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).*
 Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel George Herbert Müller.
 Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Johnston, M.D.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, The East Yorkshire Regiment.*
 Acting Chaplain the Reverend Horace Newton, M.A.

- 1st Volunteer Battalion, The Leicestershire Regiment.*
 Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Bradshaw Smith.
- 4th (Nottinghamshire) Volunteer Battalion, The Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment).*
 Captain and Honorary Major Reginald Woolley.

NORTH-WESTERN DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

- 1st Cheshire and Carnarvonshire Volunteer Artillery.*
 Major John Jones, retired.

RIFLE.

- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, The Cheshire Regiment.*
 Captain and Honorary Major Thomas Arthur Jones.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).*
 Lieutenant-Colonel John Clare Bidgway.

SCOTTISH DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

- The Highland Volunteer Artillery.*
 Acting Chaplain the Reverend Gavin Lang.

RIFLE.

- 6th Volunteer Battalion, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment).*
 Acting Chaplain the Reverend James Alexander Burdon.
 Acting Chaplain the Reverend James Boyd.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Royal Scots Fusiliers.*
 Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Andrew Jamieson Hyslop.