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APPENDIX A

THE following are the Officers and Colour-Sergeants of the Regiment who went out on board the Majestic:

Colonel: Lt.-Col. W. J. Kirkpatrick. 2nd in command: Major F. L. Lousada. Adjutant: Lieut. M. F. Halford. Transport Officer: 2nd Lieut. J. F. Coston. Sergeant-Major Crowe. Orderly Room Sergeant: J. Briggs. Quartermaster: Lieut. M. J. Duggan. Quartermaster-Sergeant: J. Birch.

LIST OF COMPANIES AND OFFICERS:

- A. Capt. A. Cobbold, 2nd Lieut. J. Coke, Col.-Sergt. Acheson.
- B. Lieut. F. B. Isherwood, 2nd Lieut. G. H. Wedgwood, Col.-Sergt. Milgate.
- C. Lieut. W. E. Sykes, 2nd Lieut. H. W. Duckworth, Col-Sergt. Christian.
- D. Capt. A. Hyde, 2nd Lieut. A. H. C. Kearsey, Col.-Sergt. Stewart.
- E. Major H. S. Scholes, 2nd Lieuts. D. D. Wilson and A. St. John Blunt, Col.-Sergt. Mayfield.
- F. Capt. J. H. Armstrong, 2nd Lieut. L. A. Bethell, Col.-Sergt. Elliot.
- G. Capt. S. E. D. Webbe, Lieut. G. Capron, Lieut. H. R. Headlam, Col.-Sergt. Hulley.
- H. Lieut. L. Brandreth, 2nd Lieut. T. W. Parkinson, 2nd Welsh Regiment, Col.-Sergt. Gates.

APPENDIX B

CASUALTY LISTS.

Kill	led in action, Venter's	Spruit, 20th	h January, 1900.
Reg. No. 3350	Rank and Name. Sgt. Good, D. Pte. Hall, H. Millan, W. Simcock, J.	Reg. No.	Rank and Name.
4898		3280	Sgt. Bowen, B.
3025		5164	Pte. Broughten, J.
2277		815	Reid, J. H.

5233 Pte. Philpott, A., wounded and taken prisoner by the enemy. Died in Pretoria, Feb. 2nd, 1900.

Wounded, Venter's Spruit, 20th January, 1900.

2nd Lt. H. W. Duckworth, wound, leg. A. H. C. Kearsey, wound, chest.

A. II. C. Realsey, would, chest.			
Reg. No		Reg. No.	Rank and Name.
1326	Pte. Myers, T.	2619	Pte. Gribbon, J.
2608	Halley, H.	4946	O'Callaghan,
5217	LCpl. Bateson, T.		W. M.
4623	Pte. Kempster, J. F.	2983	Kitching, W.
3824	Hough, R.	3003	Precious, J.
5256	Winter, S.	3686	Sgt. Elliott, H.
3020	Mitchell, A.		Cpl. Grove, A. L.
5272	Wiseman, J. A.	5314	Pte. Davies, T.
3041	Cpl. Radford, B.	2606	Gaskill, W.
4894	Pte. Baxter, L.	5189	Hartley, T.
4651	Edley, J. E.	2677	Marshall, J.
5317	Gill, S.	1200	Shirtcliffe, G.
3895	Johns, S.	3514	Cpl. Long, J.
4119	Machin, J.	3306	Pte. Barter, A.
2768	Cpl. Wood, H.	3073	Malin, J.
5239	Pte. Fields, C.	2291	Toole, J.
2830	Smith, D.	5270	Strachan,
5310	Prout, E.		w. s.
2796	Lamb, H.	954	Cooke, G.
3628	Podmore, J.	1630	Sgt. Fleming, J. W.
4821	LCpl. Emms, H. G.	2717	Pte. Brierley, J.
3290	Pte. Hope, J.	2380	Fennell, G.
2357	Evans, A.	3460	Gardner, H.
4022	LCpl. Knox, W.	2179	Smith, J.
4975	Pte. Warden, W.	2401	Sgt. Connole, J.
2143	Gillbank, A.	3257	Pte. Hatchell, J.
2868	Jacques, G.	2391	Judson, J.
2597	Linley, J.	2628	O'Brien, J.
5329	Sunderland, N.	3365	Hakes, E.
2223	Morton, W.	3080	Hudson, H.
2803	Thomas, C.	5331	Dr. Watson, A.
1754	Bray, T.	4381	LCpl. Noonan, D.
2267	Sgt. Clare, G.	3088	Cpl. Driver, W.
5055	LCpl. Swift, W.	3410	Pte. Coleman, P.
2682	Pte. Payne, J.	5190	Pte. Marriott, G.
2569	Taylor, H.	2671	Martin, C.
4775	Cpl. Clarke,	2825	Quigley, R.
7//3	W. A. E.	3286	Hinchcliffe, E.
2663	Firth, D.	3351	Waite, J.

Wounded in action, Venter's Spruit, 21st January, 1900.

784	Pte. Kelly, P.	5239	Pte. Fields, C.
5109	Wilson, T.	1204	Yates, A.
2539	Connor, J.	4289	Pedrozolli, F.
3674	Bagshaw, J.	3304	Cpl. Baxter, J.
3018	Wooster, G.	1922	Sgt. Nolon, R.

Wounded, Jan	uary 22nd, 1900.			
Reg. No. Rank and Name,	Reg. No. Rank and Name.			
5206 Pte. Browne, A.	3272 Pte. Shirtcliffe, J. A.			
1896 Blackwell, W.	Lieut. Halford wounded in			
1910 Frith, G. L.	foot.			
3016 Jacques, J. H.	10011			
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2830 Pte. Smith, D.	4946 Pte. O'Callaghan, V.M.			
Wounded, Jan	uary 23rd, 1900.			
3727 Pte. Nichols, F.	2802 Pte. Piper, C.			
5230 Hindly, J.	5246 Keys, P.			
2817 Tuffnell, F.	5601 Cpl. Coyne, J.			
	1386 Dta Lavander A			
2926 Smith, F.	4286 Pte. Lavender, A.			
2341 Tunnicliffe, E.	2956 Russell, T.			
Wounded, Jan	uary 24th, 1900.			
4509 Cpl. Ainsworth, H.	4783 Pte. Morris, M.			
4549 Wisbey, H.	1942 Rand, G.			
2459 Crossland, A. E.	1 -74-			
Captain H. An	mstrong (head).			
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	rift, February 5th, 1900. e. Emery, G.			
Transport to the constant of t	(i)			
Wounded.				
5111 Creaser, J.	4048 LceSgt. Booth, C.			
5748 Lilley, J.	2545 Pte. Shaw, J. W.			
2992 Connorton, W.	5025 Hobson, A. E.			
2309 Martindale, W.	5313 Martin, J. F.			
3077 Sgt. Allsopp, F.	1755 Cpl. Mahar, J.			
2265 Pte. Genn, H.	3027 Pte. Hagan, J.			
2859 Jordon, J.	3427 Mulready, B.			
5684 Raby, R.	1021 CSgt. Hulley, T.			
3056 Cpl. Thompson, E.	2639 Pte. Cauling, G.			
3677 Pte. Wilson, C.	2039			
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	Wounds.			
3407 Pte. Randall, H.	3450 Pte. Short, C.			
Wounded in action, Relief of	Ladysmith, February 27th, 1900.			
3438 Pte. Drury, W.	3511 Pte. Catchpole, W.			
2395 Smedley, J.	2607 Snelgrove, E.			
5756 Matthewman, N.	5696 May, T.			
	4944 Brierley, R.			
J. 55				
7747 Etheridge, J.	2908 Helliwell, J. N.			

APPENDIX C

MENTIONED IN DISPATCHES.

From Sir C. Warren's dispatch, Feb. 1, 1900.

Spion Kop, Jan. 16 to 25, 1900.
York and Lancaster Regiment (1st Battalion).—Lieut.-Col.
W. Kirkpatrick commanding, reports with regard to action of
20th, that Lieutenant L. Brandreth, 2nd Battalion Welsh Regiment, attached, and Private W. Savage, carried a wounded man
to a place of safety under a heavy fire. Col.-Sergt. J. Stewart
stayed for three hours in fighting line with Lieutenant Kearsey,
who was wounded, till he got him on to a stretcher. LanceCpl. A. Grove carried out a wounded man under a hot fire to a
place of safety, he himself being wounded.

Sir R. Buller's Recommendations.

York and Lancaster Regiment (1st Battalion).—Colonel Kitchener commanding brigade, reports that Sergeant J. Millar did excellent work under his own personal observation; his gun was under heavy fire and he never slacked off or made a mistake; its coming into action on our right rendered advance possible.

Lieut-Col. W. Kirkpatrick (commanding): Majors F. Lousada, H. Scholes; Captain T. Gresson. Lieutenant and Adjutant M. Halford; Lieutenants E. Sykes, P. Vaughan, A. H. C. Kearsey; 2nd Lieutenant J. Coke; Privates T. Salford, G. Pitchfork.

Lieut.-Col. W. Kirkpatrick has commanded during the whole period of my command, and I have always felt the utmost confidence in him; I strongly recommend him for consideration. Major (now Lieut.-Col.) E. Lousada has been promoted to another battalion, but he merits mention as an excellent second in command. Major H. Scoles, Captain M. Halford, Lieutenants H. Headlam, A. Kearsey, Col.-Sergt. F. Hulley, Qrmr.-Sergt. J. Birch. Col.-Sergt. (Sergt.-Instr.) D. Duff, 1st V.B., has set an excellent example.

Lord Roberts's Recommendations.

April 2, 1901.

In his dispatch dated London, April 2, 1901, Earl Roberts brings forward the names of some who have in their military capacity most prominently distinguished themselves, or whose services have come under his personal observation. Lieut.-Col. H. Plumer, York and Lancaster Regiment, was sent out on special service to Rhodesia in June, 1899, since which time he

has been constantly in the field. He raised and organized a corps of irregulars, and moved on Mafeking, and acted in conjunction with Colonel Mahon in the relief of that town. He has since been actively engaged in the Transvaal, and has consistently done good work, not only as a soldier, but as an administrator of a high order. Major S. P. Rolt, York and Lancaster Regiment. Mounted Infantry officers: Captain H. P. Thurnall; Lieutenant R. M. Heath: Col.-Sergts. W. H. Skelton, H. H. Turner.

Lord Roberts's dispatch, dated London, Sept. 4, contains a further list of Regulars and Militia who have rendered special

and meritorious service:

York and Lancaster Regt.—Lieut.-Col. F. P. Lousada; Major H. S. Scholes; Capts. T. T. Gresson, M. F. Halford, F. E. Ashton; Lieuts. F. E. B. Isherwood, P. E. Vaughan, H. R. Headlam, A. H. C. Kearsey; Qrmr. and Hon. Lieut. M. J. Duggan; Qrmr.-Sergt. J. Birch; Col.-Sergts. A. Acheson, E. T. Christian, D. Duff, F. Hulley, J. Mayfield, J. Stewart; 1st Class Qrmr.-Sergt. W. Ward (A.O.C.), attached; Sergts. H. Bracken, J. Egan, T. Loftus, J. J. Randall, W. Wright; Cpls. J. Coyne, A. L. Grove, W. Hunter; Pte. W. L. Savage.

York and Lancaster Regt. (3rd Batn.).—Capt. R. B. Learoyd

(attached 1st Batn.).

Lord Kitchener's Mentions, March 8th, 1901.—From Lord Kitchener's dispatch, March 8th, 1901; the promotions of N.C.O.'s and men are by the Commander-in-Chief:

York and Lancaster Regt. (1st Batn.).—Sergt. E. J. Randell;

Lance-Cpl. J. W. Hunter.

From Lord Kitchener's dispatch, dated Cape Town, June 23rd:

Major H. N. Byass; Lieut. R. M. Heath; Lieut. E. W. Longden (Vol. Co.); Qrmr. and Hon. Lieut. J. Birch; Sergt.-Major F. Hulley; Col.-Sergt. Gilliard; Sergt. F. Carrier; Cpl. G. Hardisty; Pte. R. Moore.

HONOURS AND PROMOTIONS.

ORDER OF THE BATH-COMPANIONS (C.B.'s).

York and Lancaster Regt.—Lieut.-Cols. W. J. Kirkpatrick, F. P. Lousada.

THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

York and Lancaster Regt.—Capt. T. T. Gresson; Lieuts. A. H. C. Kearsey, R. M. Heath (now Capt., Middlesex Regt.).

MEDAL FOR DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT IN THE FIELD.

Col.-Sergts. A. Acheson, F. Hulley, J. Stewart; Sergt. J. Millar; Cpl. A. L. Grove; Pte. W. L. Savage; Cpl. W. Hunter; Pte. R. Moore.

SPECIAL PROMOTIONS.

To be Brevet Lieut.-Col.: Major S. P. Rolt. To be Brevet Major: Capt. M. F. Halford (Nov. 29th, 1900). To be Brevet Lieut.-Col.: Major H. N. Byass (Aug. 22nd).

APPENDIX D

THE following Special Army Order is published for information. Ladysmith, 3rd March, 1900.

"Soldiers of Natal,—The relief of Ladysmith unites two forces, both of which have during the last few months striven with conspicuous gallantry and splendid determination to maintain the honour of their Queen and country.

"The garrison of Ladysmith have during four months held their position against any attack with complete success, and

endured many privations with admirable fortitude.

"The relieving force has had to force its way through an unknown country, across an unfordable river, and over almost inaccessible heights, in the face of a fully prepared, well armed, and tenacious enemy."

"Special Natal Army Order. Head Quarters, Ladysmith, 5th

March, 1900.

"The General Commanding has to communicate to the troops the following telegram he has received from the Commanderin-Chief:

"Please convey to all ranks under your command my appreciation as a soldier of their splendid work at Ladysmith; they

fought nobly, and deserved the success they achieved.

"Congratulate also Sir George White and those under his command for the gallant manner in which they have maintained the old fighting reputation of our army under very trying circumstances. (Signed) WOLSELEY."

"The General Commanding has also to inform the troops, both of the defence and relief force, that he has received congratulations for them from all parts of Cape Colony, Natal, and from most of the great towns and societies of the United Kingdom, and from Lord Curzon in the name of all India; from Lord Minto in the name of Canada; Lord Ranfurly in the name of New Zealand, and from the Governors of the Australian Colonies in the names of their peoples.

"By the exhibition of the truest courage, the courage that burns steadily as well as flashes brilliantly, it has accomplished its object, and added a glorious page to the history of the

British Empire.

"Ladysmith has been held and relieved. Sailors and soldiers, Colonials and home-bred have done this, united by one desire, inspired by one patriotism. The General Commanding congratulates both forces upon the martial qualities they have shown; he thanks them for their determined efforts, and he desires to offer his sincere sympathy to the relatives and friends of those good soldiers and gallant comrades who have fallen in the fight. (Signed) REDVERS BULLER, General."

Extract, Natal Army Orders df., 19/10/00.

"I. The following Army Order is published for information: Special Army Order, South African Field Force, Army Head Quarters, Pretoria, 10th October 1900. General the Right Honourable Sir Redvers Buller, V.C., G.C.B., K.C.M.G., having relinquished the command of the Natal Field Force, and being about to return to England, the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief cannot allow him to leave South Africa without thanking him for the great services he has rendered to his country while in command of that Force, as well as for the ability with which he has carried on the operations while serving with the force under Lord Roberts's immediate command, which have resulted in the Eastern portion of the Transvaal.

By Order, KITCHENER OF KHARTOUM, Major-General, Chief of Staff."

"II. The Natal Field Force ceases to exist as a separate command from this date. In making this announcement, General Sir Redvers Buller desires to express his grateful thanks to all the officers, warrant officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of that Force, for their unvarying support and constant cooperation.

"The task set before the Natal Field Force was no small one. It has been successfully accomplished, though with the loss of many dear friends and gallant comrades, by the valour, endurance, and splendid discipline of the Troops, and the admirable

organization of the lines of communication.

"To command such a force has been the greatest possible pleasure, and Sir Redvers Buller regrets deeply that he has not been able to tell each and all of them how much he has gloried in being their commander."

Extract from Brigade Orders, Blood River, October, 1900.
[2nd Volunteer Company.]

"On departure of the Volunteer Coys. for England, the G.O.C. desires to place on record his appreciation of the good services they have rendered, while serving with the Regular Battalions of their Reguments in South Africa.

"Their arrival in April last was a welcome addition to the Brigade, and the cheerful and efficient manner in which they have always performed their duties has proved them reliable soldiers.

"Major-General Wynne wishes them a prosperous voyage,

and a safe return to their friends and relations at home."

Extract from Battn. Orders, York and Lancaster Hill, 10/10/00. [4th Volunteer Company.]

"Orders having been received for the Volunteer Coy. attached to the Bn. to proceed to England, they will leave Wakkerstrom by the next Convoy for Volksrust, en route for

"In bidding 'Good Bye' on behalf of the 1st Bn. York and Lancaster Regt., to the Volunteer Company, the Commanding Officer wishes to place on record his high appreciation of the

good work done by it during the present campaign.

"The conduct of the men has been exemplary, and the willingness they have shown for all sorts of hard work, combined with the cheerfulness with which they have put up with the hardships inevitable to a campaign like the present one, has been most praiseworthy.

"Their conduct under fire was very steady, and altogether the Volunteer Battalions of the York and Lancaster Regt. to which the respective half Coys. belong have every reason to be very

proud of their representatives.

"The Commanding Officer is very glad to have had the Volunteer Company under his command, and he feels sure that this campaign will still further cement the kindly feeling which exists between all Battns. of the York and Lancaster Regt."

Sub-District Order by Br.-General J. P. Burn-Murdoch.

"Newcastle, Natal, 22/4/01.

"The Br. General wishes to thank the Officers, Non-Coms. and men of 1st Vol. Coy. the York and Lancaster Regt. for the excellent work that they have done during the time they have been under his command.

"The safety of the section of the Newcastle Defences held by them has been well looked after. The conduct of the men has

been exemplary. There has been no crime.

"He regrets very much that they are leaving his command, but congratulates them on their return to their homes and milies. (By Order) A. H. TAYLOR, Capt., D.A.A.G.
"Newcastle. Sub-District." families.

APPENDIX E

THE York and Lancaster Section of the Eastern Company, 2nd Battalion Mounted Infantry, was composed as under:

Lieut. R. M. Heath. Section | Pte. J. Wheatley. Subsection leader.

Sergt. W. H. Skelton. Section

sergeant. Corpl. F. Owen. Section corporal.

L. Corpl. L. Townsend. Subsection leader.

Pte. L. Humphries. Farrier. W. Eccles.

W. Crowther.

L.-Corpl. J. Naylor. Subsection leader.

Pte. F. Staniforth.

R. Lowe.

J. Lee. H. Abbott. Subsection leader.

T. Jones. F. Yeardley.

T. Norburn.

leader.

G. Revill.

W. Green.

W. Stevens.

W. Coates. Subsection leader.

I. Lacey.

W. Turtle. W. H. Grasby.

A. Rutt. Subsection leader.

J. Coe.

G. Whincup. W. Currell.

A. Keyworth. Subsection leader.

H. Suffield.

C. Wright. Farrier.

A. Kilner, and

Sergt. W. Gilliard, Coy. Qrmr.-Sergt.

Thus the total strength of the section, excluding the Company Quartermaster-Sergeant, was 31.

We left York for Aldershot on Monday, 9th October, 1900, sailed from Southampton on 24th October, and disembarked at Cape Town on 19th November.

The units of which the 2nd Mounted Infantry was formed

were as follows:

Northern Company, Commanded by Capt. A. H. S. Hart, 1st E. Surrey Regiment.

Section. 2nd Lincolnshire Regiment 2nd Bedfordshire Regiment 1st Yorkshire Regiment

Section Officers. Lieut. R. H. Morant. F. A. D. Stevens. M. H. Tomlin.

F. S. Geary.

Western Company, Commanded by Capt. C. R. I. Brook,
1st Yorkshire Light Infantry.

1st Royal Welsh Fusiliers and South Wales Borderers 1st Worcester Regiment .

2nd Wiltshire Regiment .

2nd Hampshire Regiment

2nd Lt. Hon. C. Clegg-Hill. . Lieut. R. G. Palmer.

B. O. Richards. A. H. H. Wilson.

Machine Gun Section. 2nd Duke of Cornwall's L.I. . Lieut. H. Fargus.

Infantry. Section Officers. ut. L. K. Smith. W. M. White.
ut. L. K. Smith. W. M. White.
~ ~ .
C. Saunders.
G. E. Courtney.
by Capt. W. Atkins, nent.
ut. B. L. Dwyer.
R. M. Heath.
R. P. L. Vigors.
A. A. C. Taylor.

Machine Gun Section.
2nd Royal Irish Fusiliers . . 2nd Lieut. W. Haire Forster.

APPENDIX F

LIST of the Garrison on Wakkerstrom Hill and in the town. The garrison was increased at first to one and a-half, and afterwards to two companies:

Officers.		N.	C.O.'s and n	nen.
Royal Artillery. Capt. Davidson			34	
Mounted Infantry			45	
R.A.M.C. Lieut. J. H. R. B	ond		22	
York and Lancaster Regiment (15	. (•	640	
C. O. Colonel Kirkpatric	k.		10.54	
Adjutant. Capt. Gresson.				
Capt. Halford, F	. Cos	7.		
Lieuts. Bethell an				
Capt. Haines, Lieuts. Vickerman ar	nd Ha	rley. H	Company.	
Capt. Webb, Lieut. Blunt			Company.	
Lieuts. Kearsey and Corbyn .		. A	Company.	
Capts. Learoyd and Swanston .		. D	Company.	
Lieut. Chalmer		. K	Company.	
Half Company (Hospital). Capt.	Faic	hnie.		
Number of patients (variable) .	•		rage 26	
District Commissioner:				
Col. Dalrymple	Hay	•	5	
Totals .		. 20	772	
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Our total strength during our time at Wakkerstrom may be taken at 800.

There was a Mounted Infantry section under Lieut. Jeffreys (Dublin Fusiliers) and Lieut. Hyslop (Dorset Regiment).

APPENDIX G

List of Medical Officers at different posts.

Lieutenant Bond, R.A.M.C. attached 13th January, 1900.
Civil Surgeon Craster at Ingogo and Volksrust.

" Tickle " Cork Post.
" Rutherford " Klip River Post.
" Knox " "

Knox " " "
Macrae ", Ingogo.
Davidson ", Cork Post and Vrede Blockhouse,
O.R.C. 22 "