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No. 1

THE SUFFOLK REGIMENT

The drawing shows a Private of the 12th Regiment of Foot in 1806.

This Regiment was raised in 1685 by James II at the time of the Monmouth Rebellion.

It was numbered 12th Foot in 1782 and received the title of "The Suffolk Regiment" in 1881.

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No. 3

THE SCOTS GUARDS

Guardsman, Scots Fusilier
Guards 1814. Formed in
1660 from Scottish Foot
Guards. It was originally
called by its present title,
but this fell into disuse and
it became the "Scots
Fusilier Guards" and the
"3rd Regiment of Foot
Guards." In 1877 the title
was restored to the Scots
Guards.

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No. 2

THE RIFLE BRIGADE

A Rifleman 1808. This famous Corps was formed in the year 1800 from men selected from fourteen Regiments.

In 1802 it was brought into line as the 85th (Rifles) Regiment.

After Waterloo, for its brilliant service, it was given the title of the Rifle Brigade.

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No. 4

THE ROYAL FUSILIERS
Fuzileer 1815. 7th Royal
Fuzileers. Raised in 1685
this Regiment was added to
the Army during the Duke of
Monmouth's Rebellion.

First titled "Our Royal
Regiment of Fuzileer's" and
"Our Ordnance Regiment,"
later it was to become the
famous "Royal Fusiliers"
(City of London Regiment).

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No. 5
THE EAST LANCASHIRE
REGIMENT

The first Battalion became the 30th Foot (Cambridgeshire) Regiment in 1782 and it was amalgamated with the 59th Foot (Nottinghamshire) Regiment in 1881 to form The East Lancashire Regiment.

The drawing shows a Private of the old 30th Foot in 1815.

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No. 6

THE BEDFORDSHIRE AND
HERTFORDSHIRE REGIMENT

The 16th Regiment of
Foot, of which we show a
Private in 1828, was raised in
1688.

In 1782 the Regiment
received the county title of
"The Buckinghamshire Regt."

The Hertford Militia be-
came a Battalion in 1881
when the Regiment became
known by its present title.

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No. 7

THE KING'S REGIMENT
(Liverpool)

When this Regiment was raised in 1685 it was designated "Princess Anne of Denmark's Regiment".

The title was changed when George I came to the Throne, this time to "The 8th Foot".

The drawing shows a Sergeant wearing the uniform of 1828.

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No. 8

THE COLDSTREAM GUARDS
The Coldstream Guards Regiment was formed in 1650 as a unit of the Commonwealth Army. It was the only Regiment of the Parliamentary Army that was not disbanded at the Restoration in 1660.

The illustration shows the uniform worn by Sergeants in 1832.

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No. 9

ROYAL WARWICKSHIRE
REGIMENT

Private 6th Foot Royal
Warwickshire Regiment.
This Regiment was raised in
1673 for Dutch service and
came on the English Estab-
lishment in 1688. In 1782 it
became 6th Foot or 1st
Warwickshire Regiment.

The title "Royal" was
granted in 1832.

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No. 10

THE GORDON HIGHLANDERS

The Gordon Highlanders were formed in 1881 by the Amalgamation of the 75th Stirlingshire Regiment and the 92nd Highlanders.

The Duchess of Gordon played an active part in the recruiting of the Regiment by bestowing a kiss on each intending recruit.

The drawing depicts a Private of 92nd about 1840.

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No. 11
THE DURHAM LIGHT
INFANTRY

The Durham Light Infantry was formed by the linking of the "68th Foot or Durham Regiment" with the 106th Bombay Light Infantry in 1881.

The 68th Foot became a Light Infantry Corps in 1808.

The drawing portrays a Private of 68th in 1846.

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No. 12

ROYAL WELCH FUSILIERS

This Regiment was raised in 1689. In the Royal Warrant of 1713 it was described as the "Royal Regiment of Welsh Fuzileers."

The present form of spelling Welch was adopted in 1920.

The drawing shows a Fusilier in 1849.

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No. 13

ROYAL BERKSHIRE REGIMENT

This Regiment was formed in 1881 and adopted the name of "Princess Charlotte of Wales Regiment."

In 1885 the Regiment was granted the title of "Royal" in recognition of the service of the 1st Battalion at the action at Tofrek in 1885.

The drawing depicts a Private of the old 66th Foot in the uniform of 1855.

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No. 14

THE SHERWOOD FORESTERS
(Notts & Derby Regiment)

The 95th Foot or Derbyshire Regiment (a Private of which the drawing depicts at the time of the Indian Mutiny) was one of six Regiments added to the British Army in the reign of George IV.

It became the 2nd Battalion Sherwood Foresters in 1881.

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No. 15
OXFORDSHIRE AND
BUCKINGHAMSHIRE LIGHT
INFANTRY

This Regiment was formed in 1881 from the 43rd Monmouthshire Light Infantry and the 52nd Oxfordshire Light Infantry under the title of "The Oxfordshire Light Infantry."

The "Buckinghamshire" was added in 1908.

The drawing shows a Private of the 52nd in 1860.

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No. 16

THE MIDDLESEX REGIMENT

The Regiment was formed in 1881 by the amalgamation of the old "57th West Middlesex Regiment" and the old "77th East Middlesex or Duke of Cambridge's Own."

The drawing shows a Private of the 57th in marching order in 1875.

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No. 17 THE SOUTH WALES BORDERERS

The old 24th Foot, now "The South Wales Borderers," was originally raised in Ireland in 1689.

The Regiment gained immortal fame during the Zulu War of 1879 at Isandlwana and the heroic defence of Rorke's Drift.

The drawing depicts a Private at this period.

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No. 18
THE BLACK WATCH ROYAL
HIGHLANDERS

This famous Regiment was raised in 1739 among several independent clan companies to form a guard or watch in the Highlands. It is the oldest Highland Regiment in the service.

The drawing shows a Private in the uniform worn at the time of the Egyptian War of 1882.

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No. 19
SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE
REGIMENT

The old 38th Foot was raised in 1702 at Lichfield and stands unique as having maintained its local connection, or renewed it again and again, for 200 years.

The illustration shows a Private in full marching order in 1890.

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No. 20

THE LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS

This Regiment was originally called the 20th Regiment of Foot or East Devonshire Regiment.

It received its present title in 1881 on the re-organization of Infantry Regiments.

The drawing depicts a Fusilier in the uniform of 1895.

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No. 21 THE HIGHLAND LIGHT INFANTRY

The 1st Battalion of this famous Light Infantry Regiment dates from 1777 as Fraser's Highlanders and later as Macleod's Highlanders.

Two Regiments of Foot were linked in 1881 to become the Highland Light Infantry.

The drawing shows a Private about 1896.

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No. 22
THE CAMERONIANS
(SCOTTISH RIFLES)
1st Battalion

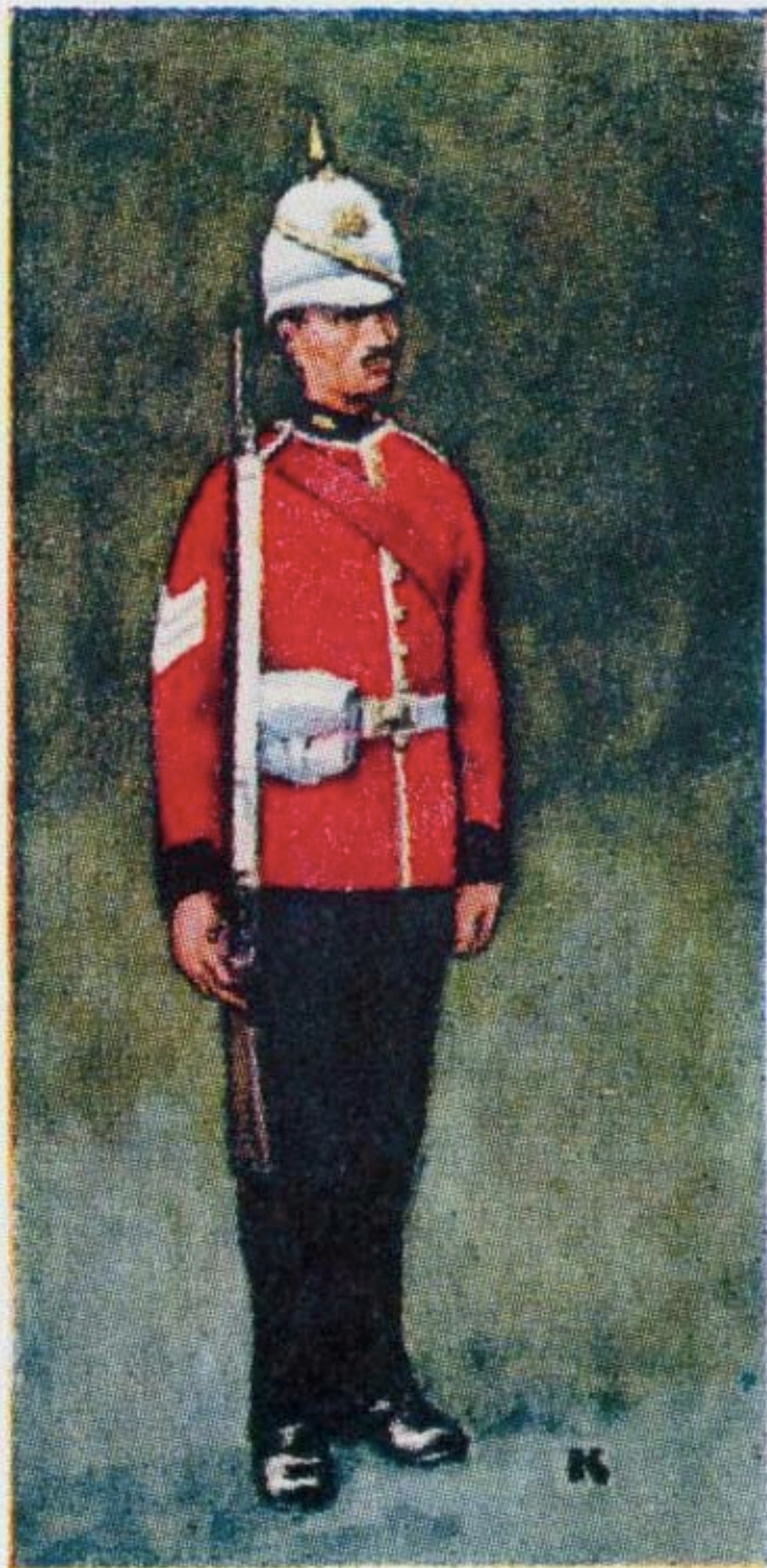
The Cameronians date from 1688 when twenty companies of sixty men each were raised to form the 26th Cameronian Regiment.

The old Cameronians and the 90th Scottish Rifles were amalgamated in 1881 to form The Cameronian (Scottish Rifles) Regiment.

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No. 23
THE KINGS OWN
(ROYAL LANCASTER
REGIMENT)

The Regiment was raised in 1680. In 1684 the Regimental title was H.R.H. The Duchess of York and Albany.

When George I came to the Throne the title was altered to The Kings Own.

The drawing shows a Sergeant in full dress for Foreign Service in 1898.

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No. 24
THE BUFFS
(ROYAL EAST KENT
REGIMENT)

The "Buffs" trace their descent from the "Holland Regiment" formed in 1572 by the London Guilds.

They became the 3rd Foot and are now "The Buffs Royal East Kent Regiment."

The drawing shows a Sergeant in the full dress of 1899.

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THE GRENADIER GUARDS

This famous Guards Regiment was raised by Charles II and named The Royal Regiment of Foot Guards.

In 1815 it received the title of The First or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards."

The drawing shows a Guardsman in 1899 wearing the White Jacketed drill order of the period.

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