

MIRFIELD VOLUNTEERS.—On Saturday the annual distribution of prizes to the 6th West York Rifle Volunteers (the Mirfield detachment) took place at the Town Hall, Mirfield. Captain Williamson, who is in command of the corps, stated that the efficient numbered 101, non-efficient one, proficient officers and sergeants six; enrolled since the formation of the corps in 1864 518, passed through the ranks and retired 416, leaving the present annual strength 102; capitation grant £189 6s. Sergeant John Ledgard having completed fifteen years' service in the corps was entitled to wear a badge and three stars and received a certificate of such length of service. The prizes, which were valued at £60, were distributed by Mrs. Grenside, of Mirfield.