

MIRFIELD VOLUNTEERS.—On Saturday night the annual distribution of prizes took place in connection with the Mirfield detachment of the Volunteer force, at the Town Hall, Mirfield. Mrs. Riley distributed the prizes. The following were the principal prize-winners:— Sergeants Lee, Midwood, Gilson, and Woodhouse; Privates W. Cass, A. Brook, Wermald, and A. Hirst. Major Crowther presented a report, which showed the total strength of the Mirfield Company to be 103, as against 115 last year. The capitation grant amounted to £206 11s. The average shooting of the company was this year 190·92; last year 176·23. Short addresses were also given by Colonel Freeman, the Revs. J. Riley, J. Walsham How, and B. Wilson.