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at Hyderabad to proceed to Bombay for the benefit of his health.

The Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders that Major Tickbourne of the Madras European Regiment has forwarded a Certificate of the necessity for his further Residence at the Cape of Good Hope for the benefit of his health.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel G. Martin of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Europe on Furlough for one Year.

Ensign John Dalzell of the 2nd Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate and Lieutenant J. Manders of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed to Europe on urgent Private business, his Pay to be discontinued from the date of his departure from India.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon James of the Garrison of Tanjore to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two Months.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. L. Buchan
Chief Secy to Govt.

No. 3

Fort St. George 10th January 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain J. G. Billingham of the 8th Regiment Native Infantry and Assistant Quarter Master General

General in Mysore to proceed to Europe on Furlough for Three Years, and Ensign M. Nerving to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry J. M. Chalmers to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant, vice Wahab deceased.

Senior Major of Infantry J. Leith from the 21st Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Chalmers promoted.

21st Native Regiment.

Senior Captain Charles Farren to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Henry Burdett to be Captain of a Company, Senior Lieutenant J. Rannington to be Captn. Lieutenant and Senior Ensign John King, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Leith promoted.

7th Native Regiment

Senior Ensign Edward Reilly to be Lieutenant vice Stitt deceased, date of Rank 29th December.

Mr. William Nerving Cadet of Infantry to be an Ensign, date of Rank to be settled hereafter.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

/Signed/ G. Strachey

Secretary to Government

N°. 4

Fort St. George 14th Jany. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Mark Cubbon of the 5th Native Regiment to be Assistant under the Agent for Public Cattle

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Govt.

N°. 5

Fort St. George 14th January 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant A. Munro to be Adjutant of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, vice Turner deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

/ Signed / G. Strachey
Secy. to Government.

N°6

Fort St. George 17th Jany. 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council having recently received a Report from His Excellency the Commander in Chief of the particular Spirit and exertion which were evinced in the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, at the period of the formation of the detachment

detachment of Cavalry, lately embarked on foreign Service with an explanation that an accidental cause had prevented an earlier communication on that Subject. The Governor in Council has now great pleasure in expressing his public approbation of the Zeal and loyalty evinced by the 6th Regiment of Cavalry on the above occasion

By Order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Govt.

No 7
Fort St. George 17th January 1809

G.O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council having been pleased to transfer Major General Fuller of H.M. Service to the Staff of the Army in Bengal. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish that appointment in General Orders, and to direct that Major General Fuller shall proceed to Bengal by the earliest opportunity in conformity to the Orders of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

By order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council

Signed / G. Strachey
Sec. to Government

Fort

No. 8

Fort St. George 17th. Jany. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Appointments in General Orders.

Captain J. H. Coombs of the 25th. Native Regiment to be Assistant Quarter Master General in Mysore vice Billingham resigned.

Lieutenant William Kelso of the 13th. Native Regiment to be Assistant Quarter Master General, in the Southern division of the Army; vice Coombs.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Stracey
Secretary to Government.

No 9

Fort St. George 17th. January 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits the following Officers to proceed to Europe

Lieutenant Colonel C. Conner of the 20th. Regiment Native Infantry for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant S. H. Hatherly of the 6th. Regiment Native Infantry for the recovery of his health.

Captain M. Beaumain of the Corps

Corps of Artillery for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant J. Duff of the Madras European Regiment for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant T. L. N. Delamain of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry on Sick Certificate.

Lieutenant G. Bradley of the Corps of Engineers on Furlough.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant B. Blake of the 23d Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Bengal on urgent Private Affairs.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign W. Allan of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry, to retire from the Military Institution in compliance with his request.

The Governor in Council is pleased to permit Dr. Harris, Superintending Surgeon of the Centre Division to visit the Presidency on Leave of absence for one Month.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Govt.

N° 10 Fort St. George 4th January 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Henry Parker of the 13th Regiment

Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. Stracey
Secretary to Government.

No. 11 Fort St. George 21st Jany. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The following Officers having reported their return to this Presidency with the permission of the Honorable Court of Directors, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to readmit those Officers to their Ranks on the Establishment.

Lieut. Colonel J. G. Graham — Madras European Regt.
Lieutenant Colonel Hamilton Hale — 23d. Native Regt.
Major James Welsh — 3d. Ditto
" Matthew Hawes — 16th. Ditto
Lieutenant Robert Heming — 5th. Ditto

The Governor in Council is also pleased to publish to the Army that the following Gentlemen having produced Certificates of their Appointment to be Cadets of Cavalry, Artillery, or Engineers and Infantry on this Establishment, are admitted on the Establishment accordingly.

Cavalry

Mr. Charles Egerton Dunkinfield
" Robert Langley Highmoor

Cavalry

3 Mr J. Gordon

Artillery or Engineers

Messrs Alexander Cunningham Crichton

" Alexander Crawford

Infantry

Messrs John Gilmore Curry

John Tucker

Angus Macpherson

George Searancke

5 William Scott

William Napper Pace

Francis Maintford

Thos Alexr Crichton

John Hunt

10 John Wright

Henry Kitt

Edward Williams

John Stanley Smith

James Hodge Logan

15 Henry Bevan

James Strange Kinsey

Charles Fergusson

John Gordon Rovison

Samuel Deer

Robert Shedden

Samuel

Infantry

Samuel Sharpe

The Governor in Council is pleased to publish the return of Captain Edward Hay of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry from the Cape of Good Hope.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets of Infantry shall be promoted to be Ensigns as follows.

	Date of Rank
Messrs. R. J. Man	27th June 1806.
Thomas Clubbe	3d July 1807.
Edward Winchester	
George Birch	
Richard Colebrook	
Charles Chambers	
George Newman	
William Peyton	
T. C. Smith	
Greenville Sharpe	
E. T. Hibgame	18th March 1808
R. W. Carwardine	4th May 1808
H. A. Thompson	19th July 1808
Samuel Mansell	17th August 1808
Andrew Gray	27th August 1808
Richard Cozens	18th Septr. 1808
Henry Allen	19th October 1808

Henry

Henry Harrison . . . . 21st October 1808

Joseph Anthony . . . . . 10th January 1809.

The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that the following Corrections of Rank shall take place.

		Date of Rank
Ensign	James Brodie	3d August 1808
"	C. Charlesworth	19th Augt 1808
"	H. Cazalet	21st Augt 1808
"	James Scott	22d August 1808
"	William Stockoe	28th Augt 1808
"	J. B. Berry	4th Septr 1808
"	Alexander Twedie	9th Septr 1808
"	Christopher Bajot	2d October 1808
"	M. Clarke	5th Octr 1808
"	John Tod	12th Octr 1808
"	J. W. Cleaveland	10th Decr 1808
"	A. Hendrie	27th Decr 1808
"	T. R. Stockdale	29th Decr 1808

By order of the Honble the Governor in Council (Signed) G. Strachey Sec to Govt.

" No. 12 Fort St. George 21st Jany 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Appointments in General Orders.

Lieutenant Colonel Clarke to be Commissary of Stores at this Presidency, in conformity to the

the Nomination of the Honorable Court of Directors.

Lieutenant John Beauvoir of the 2d Native Regiment, to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion vice Gibbon.

Ensign Henry Dixon of the 3d Native Regiment, to perform the duties of Fort Adjutant of Tanjore on the usual allowances.

Captain Alexander Balmain of the 7th Native Regiment to be Brigade Major of the Troops serving in Travancore.

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit the following Gentlemen Cadets on the Establishment of the Military Institution.

Mr. Alexander Borthwick

William Low

William Henry Budd

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Conductors of Ordnance.

Sub Conductor Leonard Vandenholt

Serjeant James Thacker

Serjeant Major Wm Gore

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council
Signed G. Strachey Secretary to Govt

No. 13. Fort St. George 23d January 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to resolve that an Augmentation

of

of the European Horse Artillery shall immediately take place by Drafts from the Battalions of Artillery. The Commander in Chief is requested to give the necessary orders for carrying that Arrangement into effect.

By Order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Strachey
Secretary to Government.

No 14 Fort St. George 24th. Jany. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant C. Stewart of the 2d. Battalion of the 24th. Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed to Ceylon on Private Affairs.

By Order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council.

Signed G. Strachey
Secretary to Government.

No 15 Fort St. George 24th Jany. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other Allowances for January and the Pay for February of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th. of February and on the following days

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By Order of the Honorable the

Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey

Secretary to Govt.

No. 16 Fort St. George 25th. Jany. 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in

Council permits Mr. Surgeon James to withdraw his applic-

ation for furlough to Europe, and to return to his former

Station at Tanjore.

The Governor in Council permits

Ensign Graham Hanmer of the 7th. Regiment Native Infantry

to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.

By Order of the Honorable the

Governor in Council.

/Signed/ G Strachey

Secretary to Govt.

No. 17 Fort St. George 24th. January 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in

Council withdraws the leave granted to Lt. Col. Ges. Stanton, to

proceed to England on Furlough.

By Order of the Honorable the

Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Buchan

Chief Secy. to Government.

Fort

N°. 18

Fort St. George 29th. January 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council appoints Lt. Richard West of the 13th. Native Regt. to be Quarter Master of Brigade, with the detachment commanded by the Honorable Lt. Colonel Sir Eyre.

Captain Lieutenant De St. Macleod of the 9th. Native Regiment, is appointed Quarter Master of Brigade, with the detachment under the orders of Lieut. Colonel Gibbs of H. M. 59th. Regiment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Government.

N°. 19

Fort St. George 31st. Jany. 1809

G. O. By Government.

It has recently come to the knowledge of the Honorable the Governor in Council that Lieut. General Hay Macdowall did previously to his embarkation from this Presidency leave to be published to the Army a General Order dated the 20th. Instant, in the highest degree disrespectful to the Authority of the Government, in which that Officer has presumed to found a Public Censure on an Act adopted under the immediate authority of the Governor in Council, and to convey insinuations grossly derogatory to the Character of the Government, and subversive

subversive of Military discipline and of the foundations of Public Authority

The resignation of Lieutenant General Macdowall of the Command of the Army of Fort St. George, not having been yet received, it becomes the duty of the Governor in Council in consideration of the violent and inflammatory Proceedings of that Officer, on the present and on other recent occasions, and for the purpose of preventing the possible repetition of further acts of outrage, to anticipate the period of his expected resignation, and to annull the appointment of Lieutenant General Macdowall to the Command of the Army of this Presidency - Lieutenant General Macdowall is accordingly hereby removed from the Station of the Commander in Chief of the Forces of Fort St. George

The Governor in Council must lament with the deepest regret the necessity of resorting to an extreme measure of this nature; but where a manifest endeavour has been used to bring into degradation the Supreme Public Authority it is essential that the vindication should not be less signal than the offence, and that a memorable example should be given that Proceedings subversive of established order can find no Security, under the Sanction of Rank however high, or of Station however exalted

The General Order in question having

having been circulated under the Signature of the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army, it must have been known to that Officer that in giving currency to a Paper of this offensive description, he was acting in direct violation of his duty to the Government, as no authority can justify the execution of an illegal act, connected as that act obviously in the present case has been, with views of the most reprehensible nature—

The Governor in Council thinks it proper to mark his highest displeasure at the Conduct of Major Boles by directing that he shall be suspended from the Service of the Honorable Company.

The General Order last by the Commander in Chief for publication, under date the 20th Instant is directed to be expunged from every public Record, and the Adjutant General of the Army will immediately circulate the necessary Orders for this purpose.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ Geo. Buchan
Ch. Sec. to Govt.

N° 20 Fort St. George 31st Jany. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council appoints Major General Gowdie, to the Command of the Army of this Presidency, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Buchan
Ch. Sec. to Govt.

No. 21

Fort St. George 31st. Jany. 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Bisey of the 6th. Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed on Furlough to Europe on Sick Certificate.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign Gordon of the Madras European Regiment to proceed to Bengal on Leave of absence for four Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Government

Fort St. George 1st. Feby. 1809

No 22.

G. O. By Government

It having been made known to the Honorable the Governor in Council that the Adjutant General of the Army was materially implicated in the measure of giving currency to the offensive General Order of the Commander in Chief dated the 20th. Ultimo, it becomes the duty of the Honorable the Governor in Council to direct that Lieutenant Colonel Capper be suspended from the Service of the Honorable Company, and that Officer is hereby suspended accordingly.

The Governor in Council directs that Major Robert Barclay will take charge of the duties of the

the Office of Adjutant General until further orders

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy. to Govt.

Fort St. George 3rd Feby. 1809.

N23

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant D. C. Smith to be Adjutant of the 1st Battalion of the 19th Regiment Native Infantry vice Debamain proceeded to Europe.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. George Milsom to be a Cadet of Infantry on the Establishment from the 2nd instant in conformity to the Appointment by the Honorable Court of Directors.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy. to Government.

N24. Fort St. George 3rd February 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place.

Senior Major of Infantry Patrick Bruce of the 10th Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Darley

Darley deceased, date of Rank to be settled hereafter.

76th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Edward Boardman, to be Major — Captain Lieutenant William Furmen Blackinne to be Captain of a Company — Lieutenant Henry Erskine Somerville to be Captain Lieutenant — and Ensign Alexander Aitken to be Lieutenant in succession to Bruce promoted — date of Rank to be settled hereafter.

6th Regiment N.I.

Ensign B. McMasters to be Lieutenant vice Barkley Invalided — date of Rank 10th December 1808.

8th Regiment N.I.

Ensign George Muriel to be Lieutenant vice Carr deceased — date of Rank 10th January 1809.

Mr. Alexander McDonald Cadet of Infantry to be Ensign — date of Rank 3rd July 1807.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Alexander Bell Cadet of Infantry to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council is pleased in compliance with the request of Lieutenant C. Stuart of the 2nd Battalion 21st Regiment Native Infantry to withdraw the leave granted to that Officer to proceed to the Island of Ceylon.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Stracey
Secretary to Govt.

N25 Fort St George 4th February 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has recently received a particular account of the action which took place at Quilon on the 15th Ultimo, between the British Troops and the Troops of Travancore, in which after a severe and long contest the Travancore Troops were defeated with heavy loss — From the extent of the combined Force, which was opposed to the British Troops, this signal victory reflects the highest honor on their discipline and valour; and the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in expressing his strongest approbation of their meritorious conduct.

The Governor in Council accordingly conveys to Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers, who commanded the British detachment at Quilon in this distinguished action, his public thanks; and Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers is requested to convey the thanks of the Governor in Council to Lieutenant Colonel Picton of His Majesty's 12th Regiment, Major Muirhead, Major Hamilton, Captain Newall, Captain Pepper, Captain M.c Intosh, Lieutenant Lindsay, Lieutenant Arthur of the Engineers, and the Officers of his Staff, Captain Cranstoun, and Captain Ahmuty, with the other Officers and Troops of the Detachment, who bravely signalized themselves on the occasion.

The Honorable the Governor in

in Council also takes this opportunity of expressing his warm approbation of the conduct of a detachment of Troops Stationed at Cochin, under the Command of Majr Hewitt, who with great Skill and bravery repulsed a numerous and united force of the Troops of Travancore and Cochin, in an attack which they made on the British detachment on the 19th. ultimo.—
The Governor in Council has particular satisfaction in expressing to Majr Hewitt, and to the Officers and Troops under his Command, his public thanks for their highly deserving Conduct.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. T. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Govt.

N 26

Fort St. George 6th February 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council having lately adopted the measure of ordering the release of the Quarter Master General of the Army from Arrest; and it being desirable that the Circumstances connected with that measure, should be distinctly and publickly understood, there being reason to believe, that a great degree of misapprehension has hitherto existed; the Governor in Council thinks it proper to state, that the Quarter Master General was placed under Arrest, by the

the late Commander in Chief on charges founded on a Report which was submitted by the Quarter Master General, in Conformity to express orders; which Report having been approved and adopted by the Commander in Chief, Lieutenant General Sir John Cradock, was by him, to the late Right Honorable the Governor in Council of Fort St. George, and finally laid before the Supreme Government, under whose approbation and orders, it became the foundation of measures already known to the Army.

In these Circumstances the Quarter Master General could be considered no longer responsible for proceedings so Sanctioned; and it would have been inconsistent with the evident principles of Justice, that a public Officer, should have been liable to the obloquy of a Trial, for an Act, not his, but that of his Superiors — The question which in such case would have been submitted to the cognizance of a Military Tribunal, would not have involved only a discussion of the conduct of the Quarter Master General, but would have extended to the Measures of the principal Civil and Military authorities in this Country; measures which have undergone the maturest consideration, and all which had been carried into effect under the most formal Sanction — It must be apparent that, a discussion involving circumstances of this nature,

would

would have been contrary to law; contrary to reason; injurious of public confidence; and subversive of the foundations of Military discipline, and of public authority.

Impressed with these sentiments, it became the solemn, the bounden duty of the Governor in Council, on the facts being made known, by a communication from the Quarter Master General (which from the nature of the question, it became the right and duty of that Officer, to submit by direct reference on the Communication having been refused by the late Commander in Chief,) to interpose the Authority of the Government, for the prevention of the most fatal evils - it was his wish, it was the earnest endeavour, of the Governor in Council, to effect this object by every means of conciliation and explanation; but such means having been used in vain, and having been even repulsed under circumstances highly offensive, no alternative remained, but that of conveying a Specific order for the removal of the Arrest.

The Governor in Council desires that the Officers of this Army, will be assured, that this Government would not be less solicitous to vindicate their honor and reputation, by rejecting all injurious imputations if such could have been supposed, than the Officers of the Army could

have

have been ..... Solicitors in their own vindication. The Governor in Council has accordingly under this impression, been led to an attentive consideration of the expressions which are understood to have been deemed objectionable, and he has no hesitation in declaring that it appears in his judgment impossible under any correct construction, to attach an offensive meaning to words where injury was not meant, and where the intention of offence apparently did not exist.

Having stated this explanation, the Honorable the Governor in Council deems it his further duty to observe that the Question which has been under deliberation must be now considered as concluded. The further agitation of a Subject of this nature could be availing for no purpose but that of disturbing the established course of public affairs, and for the excitement of feelings injurious to order and authority; and it will be accordingly of importance to the public welfare, that the Circumstances connected with it, should be consigned to oblivion.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Secretary to Govt.

Fort St. George 7th. Feby. 1809.

N 27

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in

in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend Mr. Dun-
-sterville to be Chaplain of Bangalore from the 4th
January last.

By order of the Honorable the
Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Strachey
Secretary to Govt.

N28

Fort St. George 8th Feby. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in
Council appoints Captain R. Otto to the charge of the
Body Guard, during the absence of Captain James Grant.

By order of the Honorable the
Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Govt.

N29

Fort St. George 8th Feby. 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in
Council is pleased to appoint Captain J. Marshall
to the Situation of Pay Master at Vizagapatam vacant
by the promotion of Major Shawe. Captain Marshall is
directed to proceed to that station without delay.

By order of the Right Hon'ble
the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Govt.

N30 Fort St. George 6th. July. 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Assistant Surgeon Balmain to resign the office of Superintendant of the Dispensary of Fort St. George in compliance with his request, grounded on ill-disposition.

The Governor in Council directs that the following Appointments shall take place.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Sargent to be Superintendant of the Dispensary, vice Balmain; and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Peck to be Medical Officer at Pondicherry, vice Sargent.

Lieutenant Savary of the 2nd Regiment of Native Cavalry having been permitted by the Government of Bombay to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate, the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm that permission in general Orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Strachey
Secy. to Govt.

Fort St. George 6th July 1809

N31

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Honorable

L. Lt. K. Murray

Lt. G. K. Murray to take charge of the Office of Military Paymaster General.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. Stracey
Secy. to Govt.

N32 Fort St. George 15th February 1809

G. O. By Government

Lieutenant Colonel George Martin is permitted to proceed to England on his former leave of absence.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Govt.

N33 Fort St. George 16th Feby. 1809.

G. O. By Government

Major General Gowdie having arrived at the Presidency, the Honorable the Governor in Council relieves Major Barclay from the charge of the Office of Adjutant General. The duties of that Office will be conducted until further orders by the Assistant Adjutant General

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. Buchan.
Chief Secy. to Govt.

N 34

Fort St. George 16th Feby. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has the greatest Satisfaction in publishing in General Orders the following extracts of Letters received from the Honorable Lt. Colonel Senkleger, announcing the decisive and distinguished success which attended the storm of the Lines of Travancore, by the Troops under the Command of that Officer.

Extract of a Letter from the Honorable Lieut. Colonel Senkleger - to the Chief Secretary of the Government - dated the 10th February 1809.

"I had the Honor this Morning to convey to you by express a small note in pencil for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, by which you were made acquainted with the Satisfactory intelligence, of the British flags being flying on every part of the Arumbooly Lines, as well as the Commanding redoubts to the North and South.

It is impossible for me to convey in language sufficiently strong, the obligations I feel under to the personal exertions of Major Welsh Commanding 3d Regiment Native Infantry and the Detachment for escalcade under his Command.

The Southern Redoubt which presented a complete enfelade of the whole of the main Lines

Lines as far as the gate, was the object of Major Welshes enterprize, an enterprize which from the natural Strength of the approach appeared only practicable to the exertions and determined bravery of British Troops, led on to glory by Major Welsh — It was ascended under cover of the night, and our Troops had actually escaladed the wall, ere their approach was suspected, and the ascent was of such great difficulty as to require six hours of actual scrambling to reach the foot of the Walls.

On Consideration of the brilliancy of this atchievment I feel a pleasurable duty in detailing for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council a List of the names of the Officers who accompanied the detachment for escalade, it consisted of two Companies and the picquet of His Majestys 69th. Regiment commanded by Captain Symes, and the four flank and five Battalion Companies from the 3d. Regiment Native Infantry under Captain Lucas, and it did not require that Confirmation, which Major Welsh has conveyed to me in the most handsome manner to convince me, that to have accomplished such an object, every man must have done his duty.

In the list of Gallant fellows which accompanies this despatch, I have to lament the fate of poor Captain Cunningham of His Majestys 69th. Regiment whose wound I fear is mortal, which deprives his Country

of a brave Officer.

When Major Welsh had once effected his security in this Commanding position, I dispatched to his assistance by the same arduous route a Company of His Majesty's 6th. Regiment and three Companies of the 1st. Battalion 13th. Regiment under Captain Hudson to reinforce, and give confidence to his party; as soon as this detachment was perceived a detachment from his party stormed the main lines, and by dint of persevering bravery carried them entirely, and the northern redoubt was abandoned by the panic struck enemy who fled in all possible confusion in every direction, leaving me in possession of their strongest line, and I am now encamped two miles interior of the Strumboly gate.

I had ordered the remainder of the detachment to be under Arms at Midnight, and to march to the most convenient position, either to secure Major Welshes retreat, or furnish him support, and when day light permitted Major Welsh had the satisfaction to see his friends at hand ready to support him.

It would be injustice in me not to express the active Services I received from Lieut. Colonel Macleod of His Majesty's 6th. Regiment. They were such as might be expected from an Officer of his reputation, and experience, in bringing forward his

his Regiment in support of the attack with the most willing Zeal.

I feel it a duty I owe from the Report of Major Welsh of the Pioneers who accompanied him to express my entire approbation of their Conduct, and that of Lieutenant Bertram who commanded them.

In short I feel highly satisfied with the Conduct of the Officers and men who compose the detachment under my Command.

I am in possession of the Arsenal which appears well stored, with Arms, Ammunition and Military Stores with a quantity of valuable ordnance on the works which has not been as yet ascertained.

I have not been able to ascertain the loss of the Enemy but it must have been considerable."

List of Officers Composing the detachments for Escalade under Major Welsh.

Captain Symes N. M. 69th Regiment
Captain Lindsay do. do.
Captain Cunningham
Lieutenant Curry
Lieutenant Read
Lieutenant Lane
Lieutenant Boby
Captain Lucas 3d. Regiment N. J.
Captain Peppes

Captain

Captain Carfrae
Lieutenant Walker
Lieutenant Tag
Lieutenant Dawson
Lieutenant Goble
Lieutenant Inverarity
Lieutenant Jeffrey
Lieutenant Peele
Lieutenant Shepherd
Lieutenant Blake
Lieutenant A. Bertram

Extract of a Letter from The Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers to the Chief Secy. of the Government Dated the 11th. February 1809.

"In the hurry of my dispatch "of yesterday, I omitted to state for the information of the "Honorable the Governor in Council the important "Services I had derived from Majr. Lambton's ability and "well known professional Skill, an omission I feel the "more as I am fully sensible of the Services he rendered me."

The Governor in Council considering the execution of the above Service, to reflect equal honor on the judgement with which it was planned, and on the Signal Zeal and bravery with which it was carried into effect. The Governor in Council accordingly conveys to the

the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger the expression of his warmest approbation and thanks, and Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger is requested to make known to the Officers and Troops under his Command, particularly to Major Welsh who gallantly and ably conducted the party employed in the Assault, and to the other Officers mentioned by Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger, the sentiments of cordial approbation due to their meritorious Conduct.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Government.

N 35

Fort St. George 10th July 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments

Lieutenant Colonel John Cuppage to be Adjutant General of the Army from the 17th Instant.

Captain Sutherland McDowall to be Deputy Adjutant General of the Army from the 1st Instant with the official Rank of Major.

Lieutenant F. A. Balmain of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry to be Assistant Adjutant

Adjutant General of the Army.

Captain W. Monison to be Secretary to the Military Board, vice Marshall, and Captain John Carpue to be Paymaster at Hydrabad, vice Monison.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed)

G. I. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George 10th Feby. 1804

N36

G. O. By Government

The Commander of the Forces having brought under the attention of the Honorable the Governor in Council the recent irregular conduct of the following Officers of the Junior Class of the Military Institution, the Honorable the Governor in Council directs that they do join their Corps without delay.

Lieutenant Hopford
Ensign Marklone
" Heath
" Spicer
" Christie
" Williams
" Clarke
" McNeale
" Hodges
Ensign

Ensigns Macleod
" Snell
" Low
" Budd
" W. Taylor
" J. W. Taylor
" Moberly
" Grant
" Ball

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

/ Signed / G. T. Buchanan
Chief Secy. to Government.

N37 Fort St. George 10th Feby. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend Mr. Thomas to do duty as Military Chaplain at Cannanore.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. T. Buchanan
Chief Sec. to Government.

N38 Fort St. George 10th Feby. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following appointments shall take

take place from the 1st. Instant.

Captain R. Hughes 24th Native Regiment to be Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army.

Lieutenant J. Wilson, 15th Native Regiment, and Ensign R. Wilson of the 11th Native Regiment to be aids de camp to the Officer Commanding the Army.

Lieutenant J. Beaumont 5th Native Regiment to act as Assistant Adjutant General of the Army, during the absence of J. A. Balmain. The Appointments to take place from the 17th Instant.

Major John Cunnow of the 6th Native Regiment to act as Military Secretary, to the Officer commanding the Army, during the absence of Captain R. Hughes.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Government.

N39

Fort St. George 21st. July. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that when Commanding Officers of Corps shall be absent on duty, they shall be permitted to draw the full Batta of their ranks without deduction, and that the allowance granted, under these circumstances

circumstances by the General Order of the 4th. December last to the next Senior Officer in the temporary Command of such Stores shall be considered to be a public Charge

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Government.

N40

Fort St. George 21st. February 1806.

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that from and after the 1st. of March next the allowance of 36 Fanams pr. Month granted to Officers Commanding or in Charge of Troops of Cavalry European and Native for providing Shoes, Head and Neck Ropes, Gram Bags ~~&c. &c.~~, for each Regimental Horse shall be converted to Pagodas at the rate of 45 Fanams per Pagoda and discharged as such by the different Paymasters.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy. to Government.

N41

Fort St. George 21st. Feby. 1806.

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following correction of Rank shall take place.

Mr. Pickering

Mr. Richard Cozens to be an Ensign of Infantry, date of Rank the 10th. September 1807.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Government.

N42

Fort St. George 23d. Feby. 1809.

G.O. By Government.

The Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Leith to act as Agent of Supplies - The Governor in Council thinks it proper at the same time to direct that the Salary of that Situation may be reduced from 500 to 350 Pagodas per Month

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart of H.M. 30th. Regiment to the Command of Pondicherry

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Govt.

N43

Fort St. George 24th. Feby. 1809.

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain A. Townsend of

of the 6th Native Regiment to be Major of Brigade with the Detachment under the Command of the Honorable Lieut. Colonel Sentleger.

Lieutenant P. Cameron is appointed Quarter Master of the 2nd Regiment of Native Cavalry, vice Savory.

Ensign McMaster of the 2nd Battn. 6th Native Regiment is appointed Adjutant of that Corps vice Hatherly.

Ensign Murcott is appointed Adjutant of the 2nd Battalion of the 18th Regiment N.I.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Govt.

N44

Fort St. George 24th Feby. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The following Officers have reported their return to this Presidency, with the Permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Lieut. Colonel	John Bell	Artillery
"	James Innis	Infantry
Captain	T. P. Stewart	Do.
"	W. J. Jones	Do.

The Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, that the following Gentlemen

Gentlemen having produced Certificates of their Appoint=
=ments to be Cadets of Cavalry Artillery or Engineers and
Infantry on this Establishment, are admitted on the
Establishment accordingly.

Cavalry

Messrs. George Willock

Daniel Alexr. Fenning

Artillery or Engineers

Messrs. Frederick Derville

Cyrus Edward Trapaud

Henry Stuart

Henry Head Gore

Andrew Lumsden Murray

Thomas Nelson

Infantry

Messrs. Lawrence Dinwiddie

David Small Maitland

Joseph George Mitford

Simon Little

Eyre Evans Bruce

Charles Kay

James Allan

John Sexti Robinson

William Chadwick

Fredk. W. Morgan

William Roper

James

Messrs James Taylor Webbe
" George Egan
" William Tait
" John Binning

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Government.

No 45

Fort St. George 25th Feby. 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other Allowances for February and the Pay for March of the Troops at the Presidency, and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of March and on the following Days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Govt.

No 46

Fort St. George 26th Feby. 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in publishing the following Extracts of Letters received from the Honble Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger respecting the distinguished

and

and decisive success obtained by the detachment under his orders in the prosecution of the present operations in Travancore.

Extract of a Letter from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Ten Eyck to the Chief Secretary of the Government dated in Camp the 17th February 1809.

"I have the honor to inform you, that in Consequence of it's being well ascertained, that a large force of the Enemy had taken post at the Villages of Colar and Nagercoil, I yesterday made the following Arrangements to dislodge and disperse them from these Villages, where they had made every endeavour to render themselves capable of withstanding the attack, which they naturally expected I should make.

"I ordered Lieutenant Colonel Macleod of His Majesty's 69th Regiment, of whose Ability, judgement, and gallantry, I was well aware, to proceed in advance with the Flank Companies of His Majesty's 69th. The whole of the Detachment from the 3rd Ceylon Regiment under Lieutenant Colonel Monice. Three Troops of Cavalry under Major Nuthall, and the flank Companies of the 1st and 2nd Battalions 3d Regiment Native Infantry and of the 1st Battalion 13th Native Regiment with a Company of Pioneers under Lieutenant Patterson, accompanied by the Detachment of Royal Artillery with the 6 Light

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Three Pounders under Captain Bates - The Gallopers of the Cavalry, and the Brigade of Six Pounders attached to the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment, forming in all a strong, and lightly equiped detachment."

"I was prepared to expect every obstacle from the Country, thro' which the detachment had to march, as well as from the uncommon strong, and advantageous position which the enemy had occupied, with a Battery in front, Commanding entirely the entrance by which our Troops must make the attack, rendered if possible more strong by a River in front, and thick impassible Country in the rear. - All these advantages however, were of little Service to them - their lines were attacked at daylight, under a heavy fire from the Battery, and from Guns which opened in all directions, and were gallantly carried after a Smart action. - The Village, which is one of the largest, and finest I have ever seen in India, was completely scoured, and the Enemy forced to retreat, in great confusion protected in a great measure by the Strength of Country in the rear. -

"I cannot sufficiently dwell on the judgement displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Macleod in the form of attack, and gallantry of its execution, which must ever reflect on himself the highest credit, and on the Detachment under his Command.

"I cannot as yet forward a correct List of the Killed and Wounded on our side - but from a

within

"what has come to my knowledge; it appears to be Considerable
"in Numbers, altho' small when the Strength of the
"Enemies position is Considered."

"I have received no report of the
"Quantity of Canon, which fell into our hands; but I counted
"nine Pieces of Ordnance myself, and have reason to believe
"the number to be much greater."

"It was evidently the intention of the
"Enemy to make a desperate Stand at this place, as the Sieur
"in person had been present for two days, and only fled when
"it was known that we were on the way to attack them.—
"He is said to have retreated to Papanaveram, or Woodaghery.

"As the whole of the Troops have
"had severe fatigue it is my intention to halt here tomorrow,
"and then proceed in the direction of Papanaveram, and trust
"by so doing, I am endeavouring to accomplish in a Satis-
"factory manner, the objects which the Honorable the
"Governor in Council had in view."

"The loss of the Enemy, I cannot
"attempt to specify, but I am given to understand amounts
to about fifty Killed and wounded, of which however,
"by far the greater part are only slightly wounded."

"I cannot conclude without
"again expressing the obligations I feel under to Lieut.
"Colonel Macleod, and the detachment in advance,
"and indeed to the whole of the force under my Command.

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"and I have to request you will convey these my Sentiments to the
Honorable the Governor in Council."

"I feel myself much pleased with
"the Services of the Staff to the detachment; and I must not
"not omit to mention, that Lieutenant Colonel Macleod has
"particularly specifies the Services rendered to him by Captain
"Hodgson."

"My present encampment is situated
"in the midst of the Enemy, which is extremely harrassing to
"the Troops."-

Extract of a Letter from the Honble Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger to the Chief Secretary of the Government Dated in Camp this 4th February 1809.

"I have great pleasure in submitting
"to you for the information of the Honorable the Governor in
"Council, the Satisfactory intelligence of the British Flags
"being now flying on both the Forts of Wodagherry and
"Papanaveram, and without a Shot being fired. The Gates
"were left open, the Troops fled and Coul flags hoisted
"in all directions."-

"I am taking infinite pains to protect
"the inhabitants from insult, & the Sacred places from being
"even entered, and by such conciliatory Conduct I hope
"soon to be enabled to convey the tidings of perfect tranquility
"being established in Travancore."

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"I of course attribute the desertion
of the Enemy to the action of Cotar and Sagu Coil which
"by every account appears to have broken the Spirit of the
"Dewan's party on this side entirely."

The Governor in Council repeats
to Lieutenant Colonel Sen Leger and to the Officers and Men
under his orders, his warmest thanks for the Activity, Zeal,
and Bravery which have signalized their operations.—
The Governor in Council has particular Satisfaction in receiving
the further proof of the Military Skill and gallantry afforded
by that distinguished and valuable Officer Lieutenant Colonel
Macleod of H. M. 6th Regiment in the action of Cotar
and Sagu Coil, which has been followed by events of a
highly important nature.

By order of the Honorable the
Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George 27th Feby. 1804.

N47A

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor
in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Connell
to the charge of the temporary Field Hospital at Palnad
on an allowance of one Hundred Pagodas per Month to
take place from the 13th December last.— Mr. Connell
will do duty under the orders of the Superintending Surgeon
of

of the Subsidiary Force at Hydrabad

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Buchan
Chief Secy. to Government.

N47B

Fort St. George 20th February 1809.

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council appoints Lieutenant Colonel Munro to resume the Situation of Persian Translator at Head Quarters of the Army

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Government.

N48

Fort St. George 1st. March 1809.

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Alexander Falconar to be acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George during the absence of Mr. George Buchan on Public duty.

The Honorable the Governor has also been pleased to appoint Captain G.C. Barlow to be his acting Private Secretary during the absence of Mr. George Buchan on Public duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secretary to Government.

N49 Fort St. George 2nd March 1809

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army of this Presidency the following Copy of a General Order issued at Fort William by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

Fort William 30th Jany. 1809.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has received the Satisfactory intelligence that a Detachment of the Subsidiary Force of Hyderabad under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Doveton, consisting of a Corps of Horse Artillery, two Regiments of Native Cavalry, and 12 Companies of Native Infantry, employed in the province of Candeish in the pursuit of the predatory force of the Chiefs Mohiput Ram, Holkar, Wahid Alli Khan, and Dandun Khan, after a forced march of near 100 Miles, having succeeded in surprizing the Enemy at the Fort of Amulnair, on the morning of the 20th Ultimo, effected the complete dispersion of their Troops, consisting of between 4 and 5000 Men, Cavalry and Infantry, Captured the whole of their Guns, Baggage, and Camp equipage and near 1000 Horse. The loss on the part of the Enemy is stated to have been very great. on the part of the British Detachments between 20 and 30 Men killed and Wounded &c.

The Governor General in Council deems it proper on this occasion to express in the most public

public manner, the high sense which he entertains of the Zeal, judgment, and Activity manifested by Lieutenant Colonel Doveton, in planning and executing the arduous enterprize, and of the distinguished perseverance, exertion, and gallantry of the Officers and Troops under his Command, in accomplishing a March of near 100 Miles in the Space of 40 Hours, and immediately attacking and defeating a Superior force of the Enemy, whose depredations in the province of Candeish and in the territories of the Allies of the British Government, had so long disturbed the tranquility of the Dekkan — and had rendered necessary a combined Movement of Divisions of the Subsidiary forces of Poona and Hyderabad, under the general direction of Colonel Wallace, Commanding the Subsidiary force of Poona.

3d. His Lordship in Council had great satisfaction also in acknowledging on this occasion the judgment and professional ability, displayed by Colonel Wallace, in framing the plan of combined operation, between the two Divisions of the Subsidiary forces, which led to the brilliant atchievment devised by Lieutenant Colonel Doveton, and executed under his personal Command in with such exemplary success.

Published by order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

/Signed/ H. B. Edmonstone

Chief Sec. to Govt.

By

By order of the Honorable the
Governor in Council

/Signed/ A. Falconar
Chief Secy. to Govt.

N 50

Fort St. George 3d. March 1809

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in
Council directs that the following appointments shall take
place.

Major General Pater to the command of the Northern
Division of the Army.

Colonel Wilkinson to the command of the South-
ward Division of the Army.

Colonel Croker to command
in the Ceded Districts.

By order of the Honorable the
Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Secy. to Govt.

N 51 Fort St. George 3d. March 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in
Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Peter Barclay
of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant to
the Secretary to the Military Board vice Lieutenant Belmain

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By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Strachey
Secy. to Govt.

N 52

Fort St. George 3d. March 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Gentlemen as Assistant Surgeons on this Establishment from the 12th. Ultimo in conformity with their indentures.

Messrs. John Nixon, Charles Jones, Adam Napier, and John Treback Conran.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Annesly, Garrison Surgeon of Masulipatam to proceed to Hydrabad, on leave of absence for two Months; and Mr. Surgeon Cormick, doing duty with the Stud, to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for three Months.

The Governor in Council is pleased, in Compliance with the request of Major General Pater, to recal for the present the leave of absence granted to that Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Strachey
Secy. to Govt.

Fort

N 53 Fort St. George 3. March 1809

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following arrangements and appointments shall take place.

Major Hankey of His Majesty's 19th. Regiment to act as Assistant Adjutant General to the Troops serving in Travancore.

Captain Cranstoun of the 2nd. Native Regiment to be Brigade Major to the Officer Commanding the Troops in Travancore.

Captain Robertson 4th. Native Regiment to act as Commissary of Grain and Provisions.

Captain Clapham 4th. Native Regiment to act as Paymaster.

Captain Cranstoun 2d. Native Regt. to act as Superintendant of Bazars.

Captain M.c Intosh 1st. Battalion of Artillery to act as Commissary of Ordnance and Stores.

The force serving in Travancore under Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers being formed into two Brigades — Lieutenant Colonel Picton of His Majesty's 12th. Regiment to Command the 1st. Brigade

Staff { Captain Bucke 4th. Native Regiment Major of Brigade
Ensign Jenkins of H.M.s 12th. Regt. Quarter Master of Brigade

Lieutenant Colonel the Honble — Stuart

— Stuart of H. M. 19th Regt. to command the 2d Brigade

Staff { Captain Watts of H. M. 19th Regt. Major of Brigade
Lieutenant Elphinstone 2d Native Regt. Guards Major of Brigade

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ A. Falconar
Chief Sec: to Govt.

N54

Fort St. George 3d. March 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Resident at Tanjore, in a dispatch under date the 21st Ultimo having communicated an Account of the Spirit and gallantry with which a part of the British Forces encamped at Guzelon under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers, consisting of two Columns, under the respective Commands of Lieut. Colonel Picton of H. M. 12th Regiment and the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Stuart of H. M. 19th Regiment attacked the Batteries and Works erected by the Enemy in front of that position - and, after having silenced and carried the batteries, captured Seven guns; the Honorable the Governor in Council has great pleasure in recording the high sense which he entertains of the Skill and judgment evinced by Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers, in the Arrangements made by him to secure the Success of the attack upon the Enemies position, and requests that Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers would convey to Lieutenant Colonel Picton, to the Honorable

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Colonel Stuart and to the Officers and men who served under them, the public thanks of the Honble the Governor in Council for their meritorious exertions on this occasion.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. Strachey
Secy. to Govt.

Fort St. George 6th March 1809.

N55

G.O. By Government

The Appointment of Captain Turner to Command the 1st Battalion of Pioneers not having been made in Conformity with the Rules of the Service, is annulled, and Captain Robert Hughes is nominated to that Command.

Major John Vernon of the 6th Native Regiment is appointed to be Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief vice Hughes

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / T. Falconar
Chief Secy. to Govt.

Fort St. George 6th March 1809.

N56

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place.

Artillery

Mr. Cyprus C. Trapaud, Cadet for the Engineers or Artillery to be an Ensign of Engineers, Date of Rank to be determined hereafter.

Messrs. Alexander Crawford and Alexander Cunningham Crichton, Cadets for the Engineers or the Artillery, to be Lieutenant Fireworkers - Date of Rank to be determined hereafter.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief having reported Mr. John Sinclair to be qualified for the appointment provisionally conferred on him by the Honorable Court of Directors to be a Cadet of Infantry on this Establishment, as published in General Orders on the 6th July 1802 - The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Mr. Sinclair be admitted as a Cadet accordingly.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign Hansard to retire from the Military Institution in compliance with his request.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Serjeant to be absent from his duty at the Dispensary for one Month, and Cornet Irwin of the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for six Months, on private business.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Stracey
Sec. to Govt.

Fort

N57

Fort St. George 10th March 1809.

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to abolish the Appointment of Medical Registar; and to direct, that the duties of that Office, be performed by the Secretary of the Medical Board.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, that the former Register and Table of Register, as specified in G.O. under date the 3rd January 1803 be again substituted, in the room of the present printed forms, which are ordered to be discontinued, from the 1st of April next.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G Strachey
Sec. to Govt.

N58

Fort St. George 10th March 1809.

G.O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Ensign Clubbe to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Captain Alexander Grant of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry having reported his return from England with the certificate of permission

permission of the Honorable Court of Directors, the return of that Officer is published accordingly.-

The Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Alexander Bell, Cadet of Infantry to be an Ensign of Infantry - Date of Rank to be fixed hereafter.

The Governor in Council in Compliance with the request of Lieutenant Matherly of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, recals the Leave granted to that Officer to proceed to England on Sick Certificate and permits him to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant Roberts of the Artillery having been reported to be disqualified for effective duty, the Governor in Council has transferred that Officer to the Pensioned List, on the pay of his Rank.

The Governor in Council directs that the Paymasters at the different Stations shall receive and sell by Public Auction such Cast Horses and unserviceable Mares as may be delivered to them for that purpose under the authority of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/ Signed / G. Stracey
Sec: to Govt.

N59 Fort St. George 10th March 1809.

G.O. By Government.

Certain Officers in the Military Department having applied for permission to frank such Letters as they may have occasion to dispatch on the Public Service, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following directions for their information and guidance.

The Commissary of Musters to the Kings Troops - His Letters to be franked by the Town Major of Fort St. George, or by the Commanding Officers of the Station from which they may be transmitted.

The Deputy Commissary of Musters in Mysore - His Letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations from which they may be transmitted.

Military Chaplains - Their letters are to be franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations to which they may belong.

Fort Adjutants - Paymasters of Family Certificates and Commissaries of Ordnance and Stores - Their letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations to which they may belong; or by such Staff Officers at those Stations as may be authorised to frank Letters on the Public Service.

Paymasters

Paymasters of N. M. Regiments—
Their Letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of those
Regiments.

Barrack Masters—Their Letters to be
franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations from which
they may be transmitted, or by such Staff Officers at those
Stations as may be authorized to frank Letters on the Public
Service.

By order of the Honorable the
Governor in Council

(Signed) G. Strachey
Sec. to Govt.

N60

Fort St. George 14th March 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in
Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart the Com-
manding Officer of Pondicherry to be absent from his station
on leave for a Fortnight.

By order of the Governor in
Council

(Signed) G. Strachey
Sec. to Govt.

N61

Fort St. George 14th March 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in
Council is pleased to make the following appointments,

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to have effect from the 19th Day of February last.

Captain Abbott Quarter Master of Brigade, to be Assistant Quarter Master General in Travancore.

Captain Ashton of His Majesty's 12th Regiment, to command the Post and Depot at the old Fortress of Quilon.

Lieutenant Brown of the 2nd Battn. 13th Regiment N. I. to be Adjutant to the details stationed in the old Fortress of Quilon.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Stock of the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment N. I. to afford Medical aid to the details stationed in the old fortress of Quilon - and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Maxwell of the Bombay Establishment to do duty with the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment until further orders.

Captain Mears of the 17th Regiment N. I. and Lieutenant Llewellyn of H. M. 12th Regiment to do duty with the details of H. M. 12th and 17th Regiments and of Native Infantry selected to serve as Pioneers in Travancore.

Serjeant Lees of H. M. 12th Regt. to be Provost Serjeant in Travancore.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Colonel Crokat - lately appointed to the Command of the Cuddapah District, to be absent from that duty for two Months on his private business.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Colonel Tredway Clarke is appointed President of the Committee for the adjustment of Seringapatam Prize Money, in the Room of Lieutenant Colonel Corner, returned to England.

Lieutenant Herbert of the 3rd Battalion 5th Regiment N. I. is appointed to act as Adjutant to that Corps; and is permitted to draw the allowances of that situation, during the absence of Lieutenant Beaumont on Staff duty.—

Lieutenant A. S. Douglas of the 21st Regiment N. I. having been employed on a Survey in the Vizagapatam District since the 1st of January he is to continue on that duty till further Orders, and is permitted to draw a Monthly allowance of 100 Rupees — in addition to the Pay and full batta of his rank — while so employed, to commence from the 1st of January last.

Officers Commanding Native Corps, are authorized to entertain such Men as may be necessary and fit to keep up their bands of Musicians complete to the Establishment allowed by the Regulations; altho' those men may be Supernumerary for a time, on the strength of their Respective Corps.

The Men who may be entertained for this purpose are to be noted as such, in the Monthly Return and Muster Rolls — until they fall within the Establishment of their Corps.

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By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ A. Falconar
Chief Sec: to Govt.

N62 Fort St. George 4th March 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon George Baillie to be Superintending Surgeon in Malabar and Canara, vice Inglis deceased.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Tickbourne of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for Six Months from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G Strachey
Sec: to Govt.

N63 Fort St. George 4th March 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Serjeant Major Payne of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to be Conductor of Stores and Ordnance from the 6th Instant and to take charge of that Department at Cadaghery in Travancore.

By order of the Honorable the

the Governor in Council

/Signed/ G. Strachey
Sec. to Govt.

N64 Fort St. George 10th March 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. St. Peile to be Secretary in the Military Department of Government.

Mr. H. Wayte to act as Secretary in the Military Department of Government till the Arrival of Mr. Peile.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ A. Falconar
Chief Sec. to Govt.

N65. Fort St. George 21st March 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain J. Hampton of the 1st Battalion 7th Regiment Native Infantry to withdraw his application for leave to proceed to Bengal.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. — Baber Cadet of Infantry to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for four Months

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council /Signed/ H. Wayte
A. Sec. to Govt.

N66 Fort St. George 22d March 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to confirm the Appointment of the Honorable L. G. K. Murray as Military Paymaster General.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar
Chief Sec: to Govt.

N67 Fort St. George 24th March 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Appointments in General Orders.

Captain Henry Munt of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to be Agent for the purchase of remount Horses vice Captain David Fowles resigned.

Captain Sutherland Macdowall of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry to be General Agent for Cavalry Supplies vice Munt.

Captain Lieutenant T. H. S. Conway of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to be Deputy Adjutant General of the Army vice Macdowall, with the official Rank of Major.

Captain Charles Addison of

of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry to be Deputy Adjutant General to the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force vice Conway

Lieutenant John Wilson of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry to be Assistant Adjutant General in the Northern Division of the Army, vice Addison

Lieutenant Andrew Walker of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry to be Aid de Camp to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief vice Wilson.

Lieutenant Thomas Marleane of the Madras European Regiment to be Deputy Secretary to the Military Board (and Secretary to the Military Board) and Secretary to the Committee for the adjustment of the Seringapatam Prize Money vice Stock.

Lieutenant Arthur Stock of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry to be Fort Adjutant of Vellore and Paymaster of Family Certificates at that Station vice Marleane.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

No 68 / Signed / W Wayte
A. Sec. to Govt.

Fort St George 24th March 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council having received information, which he deems to be authentic that Major General Dugald Campbell was placed upon the Retired List of Colonels by the Honorable the Court of

Directors

Directors on the 25th March 1800, in succession to Colonel Commandt Massey; the Governor in Council directs in Consequence that, Major General Thomas Trent, the next Senior Colonel, shall be removed from the effective strength of the Army, and placed on the retired List, in the Room of Major General Collins deceased on the 7th April 1800.

The Governor in Council having also received information of the Death of Colonels Thomas Leighton and Lieutenant Colonel John Darley, and of the retirement, from the Service, of Lieutenant Colonel Wm Cunningham, Lieutenant Benjamin Sydenham, and Lieutenant C. Domville, is pleased to publish the following Promotion, and Corrections of Rank, which have become necessary in Consequence.

Cavalry

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Cavalry Keith Macalister to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant vice Major General Campbell placed on the retired List — date of Commission 26th March 1800.

Senior Major of Cavalry James Rourke from the 3d Regiment to be Lieut.t Colonel vice Macalister promoted — date of Commission 26th March 1800.

3d Regiment

Senior Captain J. Russell to be Major — Captn Lieutenant W. C. Campbell | in succession to

Campbell - to be Captain of a Troop
Lieutenant H. Rainsford - to be Capt. Lieut.
Cornet James Boyer - to be Lieutenant
Cadet F. L. Coveton - to be Cornet

to Rowles promoted, date of Commission 26th March 1808

Corps of Engineers

Senior Ensign Samuel Russell to be Lieutenant, vice Sydenham retired.

date of Commission 14th July 1808.

Infantry

Senior Major of Infantry Mark Wilks from the 6th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Darley deceased, date of Commission - - - - - - - - - 4th April 1808

6th Native Regiment

Senior Captain John Vernon to be Major, Captain Lieut. James Hackett to be Captain of a Company - Lieutenant Frederick Bower to be Captain Lieut. Ensign Gilbert Scott to be Lieutenant

In succession to Wilks promoted, date of Commission 4th April 1808 -

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry John Chalmers to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant, vice Major & General Trent - placed on the retired List - date of Commission 8th April 1808 -

Senior Major of Infantry William Doosse from the 8th Native Regiment to be Lieut. Colonel, vice & Chalmers - date of Commission 8th April 1808

8th Native Regiment

Senior Captain James Colebrook

to

to be Major Captain Lieutenant J.G. Bellingham to be Captain of a Company Lieut. Henry Devitt to be Captain Lieutenant Ensign John Carr to be Lieutenant — } In succession to Dyce promoted date of Rank 6th April 1800.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry Alexander Dyce to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant vice Colonel Leighton deceased, date of Commission 23d May 1800.

Senior Major of Infantry Sir David Ogilby Knt. from the 9th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Dyce date of Commission ~~23d May 1800~~

9th Native Regiment

Senior Captain J.P. Keasbury to be Major — Captain Lieut. R. Pye to be Captain of a Company — Lieut. A. M. Lord to be Capt. Lieut. — Ensign W. H. Rowley to be Lieut. } In succession to Ogilby promoted, date of Commission 23d May 1800.

24th Native Regiment

Ensign John R. Godfrey to be Lieutenant vice Domville resigned } Date of Commission 14th July 1800.

Ensign George Willoughby Doe to be Lieut. vice Dunn deceased } 14th Augt 1800

Senior Major of Infantry James Leith from the ~~24th~~ Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Cunningham — retired — date of Commission — ~~14th July 1800~~

24th Native Regiment

Senior

Senior Captain Charles Farren to be Major - Captn. Lieutenant Henry Bowdler to be Captain of a Company - Lieut. John Rummington to be Captn. Lieut. } In succession to Leith promoted, date of Commission 14th July 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Patk. Bruce, from the 18th Regt. to be Lieutn. Colonel - vice Buchan deceased date of Commission 19th Augt. 1808

18th Native Regiment.

Senior Captain E. Boardman to be Major - Captain Lieut. Wm. Blackmore to be Captain of a Company - Lieut. H. E. Somerville, to be Captn. Lieutenant, Ensign Alexander Aitkin to be Lieutenant - - - - - - - - } In succession to Bruce promoted date of Commission 19th Augt. 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Strickland Kingston from the 22d Native Regiment to be Lieut. Colonel, vice Lang retired - date of Commission - 2d October 1808.

22d Native Regiment.

Senior Captain A. McIntosh to be Major, Captn. Lieut. C. Tanier to be Captain of a Company - Lieut. J. T. Freeman to be Captn. Lieut. Ensign Edward Leigh to be Lieutenant } in succession to Kingston promoted, date of Commission 2nd October 1808.

Senior

Senior Major of Infantry Charles Trotter from the 25th Native Regiment to be Lieut. Colonel vice Baillie Invalided – date of Commission – – – – – – – – – – 2nd October 1800.

25th Native Regiment

Senior Captain C. Aldridge to be Major, Captain Lieut. T. S. Palmer to be Captain of a Company, Lieut. S. S. Gummett to be Capt. Lieutenant, Ensign Geo. Boyce to be Lieutenant } In succession to Trotter, promoted, date of Commission 2nd October 1800

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry Charles Conner to be Lieut. Colonel Commandant, vice Col. Wahab deceased; date of Commission – – – 24th Dec. 1800.

Senior Major of Infantry Robert Barclay from the 14th Native Regt. to be Lieut. Colonel vice Conner – date of Commission – – – – – – 24th Dec. 1800.

14th Native Regiment

Senior Captain Donald Mac Gregor to be Major, Captain Lieut. H. W. Sale to be Captain of a Comp., Lieut. John Simms to be Capt. Lieut. & Ensign T. Woodcock to be Lieutenant } In succession to Barclay promoted, date of Commission 24th Dec. 1800

Senior Major of Infantry Alexander Bryce from the 12th Native Regiment to be Lieut. Colonel, vice Cor. retired date of Commission ---------- 2d Feby. 1809.

12th Native Regiment

Senior Captain W. H. Vaughan to be Major, Captain Lieutenant George Cadell to be Captain of a Company, Lieut. Edmund Conry to be Captn. Lieutt. Ensign Hugh Read to be Lieutenant ---- } in succession to Bryce, promoted date of Commission 2nd February 1809.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct that the following Promotions shall take place.

17th Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant James Wahab to be Captain of a Company Lieut. John Lucas to be Captain Lieutt. Ensign Hugh Douglas to be Lieut. } in succession to Reid, deceased date of Commission 25th January 1809.

20th Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant James Waters to be Captain of a Company. - Lieutenant B. W. Lee, to be Captain Lieutenant. - Ensign William Marshall to be Lieutenant. } In succession to Vincent deceased. - Date of Commission, 7th February 1809.

Robert

2nd Native Regiment

Ensign Robert Swyer to be Lieutenant-vice Cole deceased } date of Commission 1st March 1809.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte

N 69

Actg. Sec: to Govt.

Fort St. George 24th March 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Connell to be Staff Surgeon to the Detachment serving in Berar.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Foulis of the 1st Regiment native Cavalry to proceed to Europe on Furlough.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte

N 70

Actg. Sec: to Government

Fort St. George 24th March 1809

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain H. H. Totheringham of the Engineers to the Ceded Districts in the room of Lieutt. Bradley

By order of the Honorable the

the Governor in Council

Signed W. Wayte
A. Sec: to Govt.

No. 71

Fort St. George 28th March 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowances for March and the Pay for April of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of April and on the following Days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
A. Sec: to Govt.

No. 72

Fort St. George 28th March 1808.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Ensign A. Bell of the 1st Battalion of Artillery to withdraw his application for leave to proceed to Sea.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Downes of the 11th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council directs that the following promotions and Appointments shall take place.

19th Native

19th Native Regiment

Senior Captain Daniel C. Kenny. To be Major.

Captain Lieut. Thos. Smithwaike - To be Captn. of a Compy.

Lieutenant Hy. Wm. Loftie - To be Captain Lieutenant

Ensign Wm. Henry Ridding - To be Lieutenant in Succession to Whitlie deceased, Date of Commissions 20th March 1809.

Lieutenant Henry Wahab to be Adjutant of the 2nd Battalion 19th Native Regiment vice Loftie promoted -

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. Wayte
A. Sec to Govt.

N 73 Fort St. George 30th March 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Grant, Major of Brigade to the Officer Commanding the Artillery, to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for five Months, and directs that Captain Lieutenant Pearse of the 2nd Battalion Artillery officiate as Major of Brigade during the absence of Captain Grant.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign Colebrook of the 1st Battalion 22nd Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Tuncomalee

on

on leave of absence for three Months, and Lieutenant Warburton of the 2d. Battalion 7th. Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for four Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
A. Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George 31st. March 1809

No 74

G.O. By Government

The names of Lieutenant Gore Commanding the light Company of the 1st. Battalion of the 3d. Regiment, and Ensign Meredith attached to the Grenadiers of that Corps, having been accidentally omitted in the Letter from Lieutenant Colonel The Honorable A. Sentleger dated the 10th. Instant, enclosing a List of the Officers who accompanied the Detachment employed in the escalade of the lines at Aramboody, the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in publishing to the Army the names of Lieutenant Gore and Ensign Meredith, whose conduct is equally entitled to that public approbation by which he has had great pleasure in marking his sense of the gallant exertions of all the other Officers engaged in that arduous enterprize.

By order of the Honorable

the

the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec: to Govt.

N.75

Fort St. George 4th April 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Appointments be published in General Orders.

Lieutenant Morell 10th Regiment Native Infantry to be Adjutant of the 2nd Battalion of that Corps, vice Inglis from the 1st April 1809.

Captain Thomas Douglas of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry to act as Quarter Master of Brigade to the Forces under Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage and to draw the usual allowances from the 31st Jany. 1809.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte

Acting Sec: to Govt.

N.76

Fort St. George 4th April 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council confirms the permission granted to Lieutenant & Adjutant Bowen of the 2nd Battn. 22nd Regiment native Infantry to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

The Governor in Council directs that

that the following promotions shall take place.—

8th Regiment Native Cavalry

Senior Cadet of Cavalry Robert Gordon to be Cornet vice Robinson deceased } Date of Rank 14th February 1809.

Corps of Artillery

Senior Lieutenant Fireworker C. R. McCausland to be Lieutenant vice Roberts removed to the Pensioned Establishment } Date of Rank 11th March 1809.

The Governor in Council confirms the Appointment of Mr. Surgeon Cordiner to the charge of the European and Native Sick in the Field Hospital at Palamcottah.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
A. Sec: to Govt.

N 77

Fort St. George 7th Apl. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Forbes of His Majesty's 80th Regiment to command in the Provinces of Malabar and Kanara.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
A. Sec: to Govt.

Fort

N 78 A Fort St. George 7th April 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Appointments shall take place.

Mr. Surgeon Betty to be Garrison Surgeon at Vizagapatam.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Spiers to be Medical Officer at Pondicherry vice Rich permitted to resign.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chalmers to do duty in the Garrison of Ramacottah, vice Spiers

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

/Signed/ W. Wayte
Sec. to Govt.

N 78 B Fort St. George 7th April 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain George Sandford of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for Six Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ W. Wayte
Sec. to Govt.

Fort

N 79 Fort St. George 11th April 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Ensign Alexander Gordon of the Madras European Regiment to do duty with the Resident at Nagapore until the pleasure of the Governor General in Council shall be known.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
Sec: to Govt

N 80 Fort St. George 14th April 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain Lee of His Majesty's 84th or Royal Regiment to command at Ponamallee in the absence of Major Austin, on duty at Hyderabad.

The Governor in Council appoints Lieutenant Balmain of the 2nd Battalion 11th Regiment Native Infantry to be Fort Adjutant and Paymaster of Family Certificates at Vellore, vice Stock permitted to resign.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
Sec: to Govt

Fort

N°81 Fort St. George 14th April 1809.

G. O. By Government

Lieutenant W. Biddell of the 7th Regiment of Madras Native Cavalry having been permitted by the Honorable the Governor in Council of Bombay to proceed to England for the recovery of his health, the furlough of that Officer is confirmed.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
A. Sec: to Govt.

N°82 Fort St. George 14th April 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Promotions shall take place.

4th Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant Wm. MacDonald Robertson, to be Captain of a Company — Lieutenant Benjamin Baker to be Captain Lieutenant. — } In succession to Birch deceased

Ensign Thos. Walker to be Lieutenant, Date of Commission 9th April 1809.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief having reported the undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets of Artillery and Infantry to be qualified for

for Promotion, The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that they be promoted accordingly.

Artillery

Messrs. Fred. Derville
Henry Stewart
Henry Head Gore
A. L. Murray
Thomas Nelson

To be Lieut.t Fireworkers, date of rank to be settled hereafter.

Infantry

Messrs. George Coxe
John J. Anson
Charles Hasekwill
John Myers
N. Spence
P. Corbett
R. Shanahan
D. Montgomery
John Watson
D. C. Stuart

To be Ensigns, date of Rank to be settled hereafter.

The Governor in Council further directs that the following Corrections of Rank be published in General Orders.

To be Ensigns	Date of Rank
Messrs. R. W. Carwardine	4th April 1800
N. L. Austin	9th " "
Alexander McClelland	4th May "

Henry

Messrs. Henry Alexander Thompson ... 20th May 1800
George Worthy ... 23d " " "
Richard Williams ... 4th June "
James Cleland ... 13th " "
Henry Alexander Thompson 28th " "
James Brodie ... 2nd July "
Samuel Mansell ... 5th " "
Charles Charlesworth ... 14th " "
Henry Cazalet ... 14th " "
James Scott ... 19th " "
Andrew Gray ... 3d Augt "
William Stokoe ... 17th " "
John B. Berry ... 19th " "
Alexander Speedie ... 24th " "
Chris. Bagot ... 22d " "
Henry Sergeant ... 27th " "
Marshall Clarke ... 20th " "
John Todd ... 4th Septr "
Henry Allen ... 9th " "
Henry Wilson ... 2d October "
J. W. Cleaveland ... 2d " "
Andrew Mendie ... 5th " "
T. R. Stockdale ... 12th " "
Joseph Anthony ... 19th " "
William Herring ... 21st " "
William Straker ... 15th Decr "
Thomas

Messrs. Thomas Thuellier ---- 29th Decr. 1808
John Peake ---- 2d Feby. "
Law Macdowall ---- 7th " "
Henry Carter ---- 24th " "
Avery Freeman ---- 1st March "
Henry Rice King ---- 7th " "
Robert Frew ---- 20th " "
Harry Salmon ---- 1st April "

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) W. Wayte
A. Sec. to Govt.

N 83

Fort St. George 14th April 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following distribution of Off-reckonings for the Year 1805/6 and to direct that the amount of the balances remaining to be paid, shall be issued in 8 per Cent Certificates of this Government with the exception of those under the Sum of One hundred Pagodas which are to be paid in Cash. — The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, that the amount of the Sums overdrawn shall be immediately recovered, according to the Bonds of Indemnity granted by the respective Officers and lodged with the Military Paymaster General.

Distribution

Distribution of Off reckonings for the Year 1805/6.

General Fund

Total Amount of Stoppages from the effective Cavalry, Artillery and Infantry on the regular Establishment and from the European and Native Invalids as Composed by the Military Auditor General		140,373 13 40
Deduct as follows		
Value of cloathing for former years supplied for 1805/6 and consequently chargeable to that year	067 0 35	
Ngl Mounting as Estimated from the Strength of Corps	1353 10 40	
Compensation paid in lieu of Cloathing to Casuals	1604 30 40	
Cost of cloathing supplied after deducting Pagodas 1559.6 6/32 Surplus and chargeable to the Accounts of the General Fund of 1806/7 including all Contingencies	70,619 4 69	
Amount payable to the Town Major of Fort St. George from Position Invalid cloathing	3000 " "	
The proportion of the Amount of the Renumeration granted to Major Pearse, Agent for cloathing the Army for the Years 1802-3-4 and 5. as also the difference between Staff and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member for the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 14th February 1809	1,231 37 "	
Total Surplus to be thrown into the General Fund in Bengal		70,756 9 32
		61,617 4 0

Native Invalid Fund

	Amount of each Share	Amount already received on account	Balance to be paid	Amount withdrawn to the fund
The Sum deducted from the Off-reckoning Profits of the Invalids is allotted to Captn. J. Thompson Town Major of Fort St. George from 1st. January to 31st. December 1005.	3,000 " "	3,000 " "	" " "	" " "
Total	3,000 " "	3,000 " "	" " "	" " "

Squadron of Horse Artillery

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor Generals Computation				1435	31 40
Deduct as follows					
Half Mounting as per Estimate formed on the Strength of the Corps	66	7			
Agents Charges for Clothing supplies	616	22	75 6/32		
The proportion of the Amount of the remuneration granted to Majr Pierce Agent for Clothing the Army for the years 1002-3-4 and 5 as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member for the Reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of Government under date the 11th April 1007, and 14th February 1008	13	"	"		
				695	29 75.6/32
Balance to be Allotted to Captain Noble Commanding				740	1 44 26/32

1st Extra Battalion

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor Generals Computation for Six Months		979 " "
Deduct as follows		
Agents Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies	621 " 44	
The proportion of the Amount of the remuneration granted to Major Pierce - Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802-3-4 and 5 as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member of the Off. reckoning Committee agreeably to the Orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807. and 14th February 1808.	8 36 "	
		629 36 44
Balance to be allotted to Captain N. M. Smith		349 8 36

2nd Extra Battalion

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation for Six Months		990 33 70
Deduct as follows		
Agents Charges for Clothing including all Contingencies	633 " "	
Half Mounting to 1 Sergeant paid	1 10 40	
The Proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Peace Agent for Clothing the Army for the years 1802 3. 4. and 5 as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member of the Overlooking Committee agreeably to the Orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807 and 19th February 1808	9 " "	
	643 10 40	
Balance to be allotted to Captain J. Wilson		353 23 30

3d. Extra Battalion

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor Generals Computation for Six Months		996 10 "
Deduct as follows		
Agents Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies	631 33 "	
The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Majr Pierce Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802-3-4 and 5. as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member of the Off. reckoning Committee agreeably to the Orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807 and 19th February 1808	9 " "	
		640 33 "
Balance to be allotted to Captain A. Grant		355 30 "

4th Extra Battalion

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor Generals Computation for Six Months		950 39 "
Deduct as follows		
Agents Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies	607 26 "	
The Proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802-3-4. and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath, as a Member of the Officers Committee, agreeably to the orders of the Government, under date the 14th April 1807, and 19th February 1808	8 26 "	
	1 "	616 7 "
Balance to be allotted to Captain P. Bois.		342 32 "

5th Extra Battalion

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation for Six Months		965 33 70
Deduct as follows		
Agents Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies	612 " "	
Half Advertising to 1 Serjeant paid	1 10 40	
The proportion of the Amount — p. of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802-3-4 and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Neath. as a Member of the Office Keeping Committee agreeably to the Order of Government, under date the 11th April 1800 and 19th February 1800	8 26 "	
Balance to be divided		621 36 40
Captain C. Armstrong from 1st Jany to 15th March		343 42 30
Captain J. de Morgan from 16th March to 30th June 1805		143 13 66
		200 20 44

6th Extra Battalion

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor Generals Computation for Six Months		1037 6 "
Deduct as follows		
Agents Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies	657 37 "	
The Proportion of the Amount of the remuneration granted to Major Pierce - Agent for Cloathing the Army for the years 1802 3, 4, and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a member of the off reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807 and 19th February 1808	9 10 "	
		667 2 "
	Pagodas	370 4 "

	Amount of each Share	Amount already paid on Account	Balance to be paid	Amount overdrawn to be refunded
Captain C. Farran	370 4 "	410 " "	" " "	47 4 "

Tanjore Provincial Battalion

Amount of Stoppages as Calculated by the Military Auditor General ----- 1900 " "

Deduct as follows

Clothing of 1804/5 supplied to Claimants of 1805/6 and Chargeable to the Account of this Year	140	23	5 22/32
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing to Casuals as per Vouchers	145	12	7/32
Agents Charges for Clothing supplied including all Contingencies	142	1	0 4/32
The Proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Clothing the Army for the Years 1802-3-4 & 5 as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath, as a Member of the Office Koming Committee agreeably to the Orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808.	17	"	"
	15	44	37 5 7/32
Pagodas	435	7	22 6/32

	Amount of each Share	Amount already rec'd on Account	Balance to be paid	Amount overdrawn to be refunded
Balance allotted to Captain John Burke Commanding	435 7 22	1195 " "	" "	759 37 50

1st Battalion Pioneers

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor Generals Computation		1970 7 60
Deduct as follows		
Cloathing Surplus of 1004/2, issued to Casuals for 1004 5/6 and Chargeable to the Account of that Year	190 19 53	
Half Mounting to 1 Serjeant paid	1 10 40	
Compensation paid in lieu of Cloathing	" 24 "	
Agents Charges for cloathing including all Contingencies	496 44 60	
The Proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1002, 3, 4 and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member of the Office Koning Committee agreeably to the orders of Government under date 12th 11th April 1007, and 19th February 1000	17 " "	
		714 9 3.
Balance to be divided		1255 43 57

	Amount of each Share	Amount due by each on Account	Balance to be paid	Amount overdrawn to be refunded
To Captain W. Neilland from 1st to 22nd January 1005	74 12 20	" " "	" " "	" " "
To Captain C. B. Bayshaw from the 23rd Jany. to 31st Dec. 1005	1101 31 29	1196 10 70	" " "	14 24 49
Total Pagodas	1255 43 57	1196 10 70	" " "	14 24 49

2nd Battalion Pioneers

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation				2131	1	"
Deduct as follows						
Half Mounting to Serjeants	3	28	40			
Compensation paid in lieu of Cloathing to Casuals	3	"	"			
Agents Charges for Cloathing supplied including all Contingencies	828	44	58			
The Proportion of the Amount of the Renumeration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4 and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath, as a Member of the Offreckoning Committee, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807 & 19th Feby 1808	19	"	"	859	28	18
Balance remaining to be allotted to Captain J. Fitzpatrick, Commanding for the whole Year	Pagodas			1271	17	62

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Amount of Stoppages as stated by the Military Auditor Generals Computation		3,370 6 "
Deduct as follows.		
Amount of Compensation paid to Casuals	5 12 "	
Agents Charges for Cloathing Supplies	2,946 3 67	
The Proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4 and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath, as a Member of the Office Koming Committee agreeably to the orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807, & 19th February 1808	30 " "	
		2,901 15 67
Surplus at the disposal of Government.	Pagodas	396 35 73

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By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

/Signed/ W. Wayte
A. Sec. to Govt.

N84 Fort St. George 10th April 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Appointments.

Lieutenant Powell of His Majesty's 30th Regiment of Foot to be Brigade Major to Colonel Wilkinson in Charge of the Southern division of the Army, and to draw the usual allowances from the 1st Instant.

Lieutenant N. S. Hall to be Adjutant to the 2nd Battalion 4th Regiment Native Infantry vice Baker promoted.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ W. Wayte
Actg. Secretary to Govt.

N85 Fort St. George 15th April 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following promotion shall take place.

15th Native Regiment

Senior

Senior Ensign James Noble to be Lieut.t vice Paget deceased. date of Rank 4th April 1809.

The Commander in Chief having reported Mr. Alexander Borthwick Cadet of Infantry to be qualified for Promotion, the Governor in Council is pleased to promote him to the Rank of Ensign accordingly. Date of Rank 10th January 1809.

The Governor in Council permits Cornet Clubley of the 3d Regiment Cavalry to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Cadet Sharpe to resign the Service of the Honorable Company in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) Wm. Wayte
Actg. Sec.: to Govt.

Fort St. George 25th April 1809.

No 86

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowances for April and the pay for May of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of May and on the following Days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) Wm. Wayte
Actg. Sec. to Govt.

N87

Fort St. George 25th April 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Mare Commanding at Arcot to proceed to the Sea Coasts for the benefit of his health, on leave of absence for two Months

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. Wayte

Actg. Sec. to Govt.

N88

Fort St. George 25th April 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Thomas Dickson of the 17th Native Regiment to afford Medical assistance to the Zillah Court of Tinnevelly pro tem.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. Wayte

Actg. Sec. to Govt.

N89

Fort St. George 26th April 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Ensign Poole to proceed to Bengal on Six Months leave of absence

The Honorable the Governor

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in Council is pleased to permit Major Hankey to resign the Situation of Assistant Adjutant General to the Force serving in Travancore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt

Fort St. George 1st May 1809.

No 90

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. C. Aveline Cadet of Cavalry to be Cornet of Cavalry Date of Rank to be fixed hereafter and permits him to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt

Fort St. George 1st May 1809.

No 91

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council

The Zeal and discipline by which the Military Establishment of Fort St. George has long been distinguished, induced the Governor in Council to expect that the Measures which the violent and intemperate acts of the late Commander in Chief had imposed on the Govern-

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ment, would be received by all the Officers of the Army with the Sentiments of respect and obedience prescribed by the principles of Military Subordination and due to the Government by which those measures were adopted, as well as to the Authority to which they were ultimately referred. The Governor in Council has however learned with a degree of Surprize proportionate to the confidence which he reposed in the discipline of the Army that soon after the departure of the late Commander in Chief, proceedings of the most unjustifiable nature, and correspondent to the example which he had afforded, were pursued by certain Officers of the Army.

The most reprehensible of those proceedings consisted in the preparation of a paper addressed to the Right Honorable the Governor General, purporting to be a remonstrance in the name of the Army against the acts of the Government under which it serves.

That Paper is not more hostile to the Authority of this Government than to the first principles of all Government. It maintains opinions directly averse to the Constitution of the British Service, and is calculated to destroy every foundation of discipline, obedience and fidelity. The secrecy preserved in preparing this seditious Paper, prevented for some time the discovery of the persons engaged in that proceeding, but it has now been ascertained

=certained that Captain Josiah Marshall late Secretary to the Military Board, and Lieutenant Colonel George Martin lately permitted to proceed to England, were principally concerned in preparing and circulating the Memorial in question; and that Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable Arthur Sen Leger was active in promoting its circulation, employing the influence which he derived from the important command confided to him by the Government, for the purpose of attempting the subversion of its authority and spreading disaffection among the Troops which it had entrusted to his Charge.

It has also been ascertained that Major J. De Morgan has been active in the circulation of the Memorial.

The Governor in Council is also under the necessity of noticing another paper of a most dangerous tendency lately in circulation at some of the Military Stations, purporting to be an address from the Officers of the Army to Major Boles the late Deputy Adjutant General. In this address a right is assumed to decide on the acts of the Government by condemning in unqualified terms the sentence of suspension passed on Major Boles; and an encouragement is held out to other Officers to violate their duty to the Government by affording a pecuniary indemnification not only to Major Boles, but to all such Officers as shall suffer by any act of the Government which the

Subscribers

Subscribers to the address may deem exceptionable. This Paper
so incompatible with the Military Character, and so re-
pugnant to the fundamental principles of Military
discipline and Government, was forced on the attention of
the Governor by Captain James Grant, Commandant of his
Body guard, who, while holding that confidential situa-
tion, and employed by order of the Governor in Council under
the President at Tavanore, transmitted a Copy of the Paper
to be laid before the Governor, with an avowal that he had af-
fixed his signature to it, and a defence of the grounds on
which he adopted that proceeding.

It has also been ascertained that a
Paper of a similar tendency has been circulated among the
Officers of the Corps of Artillery at the Mount, and that its
circulation has been promoted by Lieutenant Colonel
Robert Bell the Officer Commanding that Corps.

The Governor in Council regrets that
he is obliged to notice also the Conduct of Lieutenant Colonel
Chalmers Commanding in Tavanore, and Lieutenant Colonel
Cappage lately Commanding in Malabar and employed with
the Troops under his orders in Tavanore, who appear to have
taken no Steps whatever either to repress, or report to the Govern-
ment the improper proceedings pursued by part of the
Troops under their orders. It is not sufficient for Officers
holding commands to avoid a participation in such pro-
ceedings

-ceedings; it is their positive and indispensable duty to adopt the most decided measures for their suppression, and to report them to their Superior authorities.

It has further been ascertained that Captain Coombs, Assistant quarter master General in Mysore, has been concerned in these reprehensible proceedings.

It becomes the painful duty of the Governor in Council to mark with the displeasure of the Government the Conduct of the above mentioned Officers who have been engaged in a course of measures equally dangerous to the existence of discipline, to the foundations of legal Government, and to the interests of their Country.

The undermentioned Officers are accordingly declared to be suspended from the Service of the Honorable Company, until the pleasure of the Honble Court of Directors shall be known.

Lieutenant Col. the Honble Arthur Sentleger,
Major John De Morgan,
Captain Josiah Marshall, and
Captain James Grant.

Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Robert Bell is removed from all Military charge and Command until the pleasure of the Honble the Court of Directors shall be known, but he is permitted

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to draw his Regimental Pay and allowances.

Lieutenant Colonel Commandant J. M.
Chalmers is removed from the Command of the Subsidiary force, in Travancore.

The undermentioned Officers are removed from their Staff appointments, and ordered to join the Corps to which they stand attached.

Lieutenant Colonel John Cuppage Adjutant General, and

Captain J. M. Coombs.

The Governor in Council considers it to be proper to avail himself of this occasion to correct a misapprehension, highly dangerous in its tendency, which has arisen in the minds of some of the Officers of the Army with regard to the nature of the authority of the Governor in Council. This misapprehension appears to have originated in the General Order published by the late Commander in Chief on the 20th of January last, from which it might be inferred that the authority of the Governor in Council is only of a Civil Nature, whereas by the express enactment of the Legislature, the entire Civil and Military Government of the Presidency of Fort St. George and its dependencies is invested in the Governor in Council. It is therefore to be distinctly understood that no Officer of whatever Rank

rank, while serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George can, without incurring the penalties of disobedience to the legislature of his Country, issue any order in violation, or to the derogation of the Authority of the Government; and that every officer complying with an order of that description under any pretence whatever, renders himself liable to the forfeiture of the Service and to such legal penalties as the nature of the Case may demand.

While the Governor in Council deems it to be proper to afford the foregoing explanation, he feels himself at the same time bound to acknowledge that the principles to which he has adverted, had never been called in question until the publication of the above-mentioned order of the late Commander in Chief; on the contrary these principles had been invariably acted upon by the Government and by the Officers of the Army of this presidency, who have been no less distinguished for their obedience and discipline, than for their atchievments in the field. The Governor in Council also experiences the most sincere satisfaction in publishing his conviction that the majority of the Army have resisted all participation in the improper and dangerous proceedings described in this order; and it is an act of justice to the Troops of His Majesty's Service to declare his entire approbation of the order, discipline, and steady adherence to duty,

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which they have invariably manifested. The information before the Government does not enable the Governor in Council to distinguish by the expression of his approbation all the Troops of the Company's Service that have manifested the same dispositions; but he deems it to be proper to notice on this occasion the satisfactory and exemplary conduct of the part of the Army composing the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force. The Honorable the Governor in Council is also confident that such Officers as have inadvertently yielded to the misrepresentations of individuals who have been engaged in the prosecution of designs equally fatal to the honor and to the interests of the Army, will in future manifest in the Service of the Government the obedience, fidelity, and zeal which constitute the first principles of their profession, which have hitherto distinguished the Army and which are indispensable to the prosperity of the British Empire in India.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. Taleman
Chief Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George 1st May 1809.

N 92

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following Appointments

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Majr T. H. S. Conway to
be Adjutant General of the Army, with the official
rank of Lieutenant Colonel, vice Cuppage

Captain P. B. Agnew to
be Deputy Adjutant General of the Army, with the
official rank of Majr, vice Conway

Lieutenant Colonel T. Clarke
to be Commandant of Artillery with the Staff allowance
annexed to that station and a seat at the Military Board,
vice Bell.

Majr Sir John Sinclair, Bt.
Commissary of Stores, in charge of the Arsenal of Fort St. Geo.
vice Clarke.

Lieutenant A. C. Pattullo
to command the Honorable the Governors Body guard,
vice Grant.

Captain J. Doveton of the 7th
Regiment Native Cavalry to be Paymaster at Vizagapatam
vice Marshall

The following Officers who
have been suspended from the service of the Honorable
Company, until the pleasure of the Court of Directors shall
be known — are directed to hold themselves in readiness
to proceed to England, by such opportunities as the
Honorable the Governor in Council may think proper
to

to point out, viz.

Lieut. Col. the Honble A. St. Leger.
Major Thomas Boles
Major John De Morgan.
Captain Josiah Marshall
Captain James Grant.

Lieutenant Colonel St. Leger is further directed to repair to the Presidency without delay.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Henry Conran of His Majesty's Royal Regiment to command the whole of the Troops composing the Garrison of Fort St. George, the Governor in Council directs that Colonel Conran shall be considered to be entitled to the same allowances as other Officers holding commands under the appointment of the Governor in Council.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

/Signed/ A. Falconar
Chief Sec: to Govt

Fort St. George 3rd May 1809

No 93

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant John Beaumont of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Assistant Quarter Master General in Mysore, vice Comelin

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By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pile
Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George, 5th May 1809.

N94

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a detachment of Artillery consisting of one Subaltern Officer, one Serjeant, Two Corporals and eighteen Privates be held in readiness to embark for Service on His Majesty's Sloop of War Virginie at the shortest notice.

The Party to be furnished with Infantry Arms, Accoutrements and Ammunition.

Six Months pay and allowances of every description to be advanced for the Party to the Officer Commanding, who will provide Suitable Cloathing for the Men, according to instructions which he will receive from Head Quarters.

The Party is and Knight to leave Family Certificates — the Amount of which will be deducted from the Six Months Pay to be advanced in the first instance, and the Officer Commanding will make the necessary stoppages from all Subsequent Abstracts, and account for the Amount of them on his return — he will not be held answerable for payments that may be made to the Families of any Men

men who die on the expedition.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ A. Falconar
Chief Sec: to Govt.

Fort St. George 5th May 1809.

No 95

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend John Kerr to do duty at the Black Town Chapel.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ A. Falconar
Chief Sec: to Govt.

Fort St. George 5th May 1809.

No 96

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Macdonald of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to proceed to Benjeb and Prince of Wales's Island on leave of absence for Six Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ I. H. Pelle
Sec: to Govt.

Fort St. Geo.

N97 Fort St. George 9th May 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Captain J. May of the 10th Regt. Native Infantry to proceed to England on Furlough by the way of Bombay and to draw his Pay and half batta up to the day on which he embarks.

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit Mr. Conductor Neal to the Invalid Establishment in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pickle
Sec. to Govt.

N98 Fort St. George 13th May 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The necessary orders having already been issued regarding the movement to their respective stations, of the Corps and details which composed the detachments lately employed in the Field to the Southward, the General Detachment and Brigade Staff Appointments published in the General Orders of Government upon the 2d and 14th March last, are hereby declared to have ceased, and the allowances annexed thereto, to have been discontinued from the 30th Ultimo.

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By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J H Peile
Sec: to Govt.

N 99 Fort St George 16th May 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Irton of the 2nd Battn 9th Regiment native Infantry to Command the Force Serving in Travancore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt.

N 100. Fort St George 17th May 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Appointments shall take place.

Lieutenant H. J. Bowler of the 16th Regiment native Infantry to be Aid-de-Camp to Major General Pater, Commanding the Northern division of the Army

Corps of Engineers

Ensign Mc Intosh to be Asst.

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to the Superintending Engineer in the Northern Division of the Army.-

Ensign Milbourne to be Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in the Southern Division of the Army.

2nd Battalion 5th Regiment.

Lieutenant C. Herbert to be Adjutant, vice Beaumont.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N101

Fort St. George 17th May 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army the following Extracts of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors dated 7th Sept. 1808.-

To England 2d April 1805. Par. 6 and 6. Ensign Blakiston of Engineers. - A Memorial transmitted pertaining to this Rank.

Par. 4th Upon the principle we have established relative to Cadets educated at the Royal Academy at Woolwich for our Artillery or Engineer Service - Ensign Blakiston who was a Cadet of 1799 is entitled to precedence of Rank before

before Ensign Russell who was a Cadet of the following Season

12 @ 17 - Mr. Locke reinstated in his Rank pursuant to Court's orders. -

Para. 9th. From the Documents referred to, we are satisfied that Mr. Locke's resignation proceeded from ill health & only - you will therefore reinstate him with his rank conformable to our orders of the 27th June 1804.

To England - 8th Septr. 1805. (145 @ 151) Claim of Colonel Bell of Artillery to the Command of that Corps; Major General Smith being placed on the General Staff, Opinions of the Commander in Chief on the principle of General Officers not being competent to Regimental Duties. -

" 28. We concur entirely in the propriety of your decision on the claim of Colonel Bell to Command the Corps of Artillery, when Major General Smith was placed on the Staff, and appointed to the Command of the Northern division of the Army.

(542 @ 544) Assistant Surgeon Christie of H. M. 74th Regiment admitted into the Company's Service. -

" 176. Under the Circumstances here represented we acquiesce in the Measure.

502) Memorial of Mr. James Clemons Adjutant of Invalids, praying to be promoted to an Ensigncy in that Corps.

" 217. From the long and meritorious Services of Mr. Clemons and his Wounds and Sufferings therein, we have agreed to promote him to an Ensigncy in the Invalids to which he is now Adjutant, to take effect from the date of his Application.

227. We have permitted the following Military Officers to return to their Rank on your Establishment.

Lieutenant Colonel Hamilton Hall

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Colonel J. G. Graham
Lieutenant Colonel J. Bell
Captain Alexander Grant.
Captain W. S. Jones.
Lieutenant Robert Heming
Captain J. P. Stewart

234 The undermentioned Officers on your Establishment have our permission to remain in England till the departure of the first Ships of next Season.

Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Robertson
Lieutenant Colonel James Innes
Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Crane
Major F. S. Daniell
Major C. Batchelor
Captain James Colebrook
Captain William Dickson

235 Captain Benjamin Sydenham and Christopher Domville of your Establishment resigned the Company's Service, the former on the 13th July, and the latter on the 22nd June last.

236. Lieutenant Thomas Roebuck of your Establishment, had our permission on the 11th March last to remain in England two Years for the purpose of assisting Dr. Gilchrist in the Publication of a reversed Dictionary, viz.t

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237. The following Cadets for our Artillery & Engineer Corps on the Madras Establishment, having been reported to us by the proper Officer at the Royal Military Academy at Woolwich, as qualified for Commissions; they proceed to their duty this season accordingly and are to take Rank in our Service next after Mr. Archibald Crawford in the following Order, viz.t

Andrew L. Murray
Henry Stuart
Henry H. Gore
Thomas Nelson
Frederick Deville

238. We have appointed the following persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency of the Season 1807

James Radford
Archibald Campbell
Charles Jones
John Fixon
John Frederick Corman

239. We have also appointed Mr. David Henderson an Assistant Surgeon for your Presidency of the Season 1806

By order of the Honorable the

the Governor in Council

Signed/ J H Piele

Sec: to Govt.

N102 Fort St. George 17th May 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to recognize Lieutenant Hugh Scott of the 1st Battalion 20th Regiment as having acted in the Situation of Assistant Adjutant General in the Northern Division of the Army from the 23d March last the date of his nomination to take charge of the duties of that Office and directs that he be allowed to draw the allowances of that Situation for such period as he continued to act & during the absence of Lieutenant John Wilson 1st Battn. 15th Regiment Native Infantry the Officer permanently appointed to that Situation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed/ J H Piele

Sec: to Govt.

N103 Fort St. George 18th May 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following Extract of a Letter from the Secy.

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at the East India House Dated 15th Septr. 1808.—

"I am directed to acquaint you for "the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, "that Colonel Thomas Leighton of the Madras Establishment, "died in England the 22nd of May last, and that Lieutenant "Colonel John Darley of the same Establishment, died the "3d April 1808 on Board the Earl Howe, on his passage "to England."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

Signed/ J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt.

N 104

Fort St. George 19th May 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the rules contained in the following modified Paragraphs of the Medical Regulations for the Field shall be extended to the Regulations for that Department during Peace.

Para. 24. Regimental Surgeons in transmitting Reports of the Sick to the Superintending Surgeons of the Division shall include Returns of their Hospital cloathing Bedding, and Medical Servants in use with their Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt.

N105 Fort St. George 20th May 1859

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Cornet Spurin of the 5th Regiment Native Cavalry to anticipate the leave of absence heretofore granted him of two months for the purpose of proceeding to Bombay.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Baber of the 16th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to England on furlough for the period of three years.

The Governor in Council sanctions the departure of Ensign Gray of the 1st Battn 3d Regiment Native Infantry on Sick Certificate to Europe.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Superintending Surgeon Kennedy attached to the Subsidiary Force at Hyderabad to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for four Months.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Superintending Surgeon Baillie to remain at Vizagapatam on leave of absence for three Months and directs that the Senior Surgeon present in the province of Malabar and Canara, execute the Medical duties of the Division during the absence of Mr. Baillie.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon May to be absent from the duties of

of his Station at Tranquebar during such period as may be necessary for him to fulfil the Stipulations of his Contract with Government and directs that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Macdonald of the 2nd Battalion 6th Regiment Native Infantry act for Mr. Kay during his absence.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon Grant at Cananore to proceed to the Carnatic for the period of two Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

Signed J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt.

Fort St. George 23d May 1809.

N 106

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Masters of H. M. 69th Regiment to Command at Vellajahbad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

Signed J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt.

Fort St George 24th May 1809.

N 107

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor

Governor General in Council having acquiesced in the Appointment of Ensign A. Gordon of the Madras European Regiment to do duty with the Escort of the Resident at Tanjore, that Appointment is now confirmed

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ J. H. Peile
Sec.: to Govt.

Fort St. George 24th May 1809.

N 108

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowances for May, and the Pay for June of the Troops at the Presidency, and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of June and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ J. H. Peile
Sec.: to Govt.

Fort St. George 20th May 1809.

N. 109

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in publishing to the Army of this Presidency, the following Letter from Brigadier General Malcolm late envoy to the Court of Persia, containing an honourable testimony of the Conduct of

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of his Station at Tranquebar during such period as may be necessary for him to fulfill the Stipulations of his Contract with Government and directs that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Macdonald of the 2nd Battalion 6th Regiment Native Infantry act for Mr. Kay during his absence.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon Grant at Cananore to proceed to the Carnatic for the period of two Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

Signed J. H. Peile

Sec: to Govt.

Fort St. George 23d May 1809.

N 106

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Madden of H. M. 69th Regiment to Command at Vellajahbad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

Signed J. H. Peile

Sec: to Govt.

Fort St. George 24th May 1809.

N 107

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor

Governor General in Council having acquiesced in the Appointment of Ensign A. Gordon of the Madras European Regiment to do duty with the Escort of the Resident at Bassora, that appointment is now confirmed

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

/Signed/ I. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt

Fort St. George 24th May 1809

No 108

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowances for May, and the Pay for June of the Troops at the Presidency, and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of June and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

Signed/ I. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt

Fort St. George 26th May 1809

No 109

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in publishing to the Army of this Presidency, the following Letter from Brigadier General Malcolm late envoy to the Court of Persia, containing an honourable testimony of the Conduct of

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the conduct of the Officers and Men belonging to this Esta-
blishment composing part of the Force lately assembled
at Bombay - under the Brigadier's Command.

To the Honorable Sir George Barlow Bt.

Governor in Council

Fort St. George

Sir

I consider it an act of justice towards
the different details of this Presidency which composed
part of the Force assembled under my orders at Bombay to
report their meritorious and exemplary conduct during their
stay on that Island.

These details amounted to near a
thousand men and the Officers with them were about fifty -
and it will I trust be considered as highly honorable
to the character of the Coast Army that during five months
that this party of Troops were encamped near the populous
town of Bombay I had not one complaint against them
from any Officer of Police or from any of the Authorities under
Government nor had I occasion to pass a Censure on the
conduct of any one Officer or to notice the occurrence of the
slightest difference or contention between any individual
of the Detachments during the whole of that period.

I trust I shall be pardoned stating
the obligations I feel towards Major Russell, Captain
Shawers, Captain Townsend and Captain Fitzpatrick
who

who commanded the different details of Cavalry, Artillery, Horse Artillery and Pioneers under my orders as also Lieutenant Balmain, Lieutenant Patullo, and Lieutenant Little who acted on my Staff and indeed to all the Officers of the Details for they were without an exception acted by one Spirit of harmony and Zeal and their conduct was such as gave ample assurance of that degree of confidence which might have been placed in their efforts had they been called upon to act against the Enemies of their Country.

I had the highest reason to be satisfied with the great industry and science of the Officers of the Military Institution of this Presidency that were attached to my expedition who under the Superintendence of Captain Goodfellow of the Engineers completed during my stay at Bombay a very large and valuable Map of the Western frontiers of India, Persia part of Arabia Egypt and Turkey.

I have the honor to be

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Madras (Signed) John Malcolm

19th May 1809. Brigadier General

In Consideration of the Expences to which the Troops above alluded, to were exposed, while under orders for foreign Service at Bombay, The Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that the Officers and Men of all the Details

Details, European and Native, and also the public followers, shall be allowed one Months full Batta, after their arrival at their respective destinations, independently of that to which they may be entitled for marching thither.

The Governor in Council adverting to the alacrity with which the several details composing the Force proceeded on the Service in question, has been pleased to confer upon the Native Officers and Soldiers honorary Badges to be worn as a mark of distinction - and as a proof of the Sense entertained by the Governor in Council - of their attachment to the Service and of their meritorious Conduct while absent from their own Establishment.

N110

Fort St. George 20th May 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Adam Napier to resign his present situation under this Presidency, in consequence of his Nomination to the Medical Establishment in Bengal.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

Fort

N111 Fort St. George 1st June 1809.

G. O. By Government

In consequence of the return of Comet Bannerman of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry from Foreign Service the Honorable the Governor in Council directs that Officer to resume the duties of Cantonement Adjutant at Arcot.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs Mr. Conductor Bliss to proceed to Travancore and take charge of the Military Stores at that Station.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) I H Peile
Sec. to Govt.

N112 Fort St. George 2d June 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Assistant Surgeon Brown to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) I. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

Fort

N 113 Fort St. George 3 June 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant I. S. Spankie of the Madras European Regiment to be Quarter Master to that Corps, vice Maitland removed.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) I. H. Pile
Sec to Govt

N 114 Fort St. George 3d. June 1809.

G. O By the Honorable the Governor in Council

The Honorable the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in publishing for the information of the Army the following list of Officers in the Honorable Company's Service on this Establishment who have been promoted by the operation of His Majesty's General Brevet as follows

Colonels

to be Major Generals in the Army in the East Indies only

Geo. Roberts
Urban Vigors
Arch.d Brown } Date of Commissions will be published hereafter—

Robert

Robert Archer, Date of Commission 30th October 1805 –

Francis Torrens – Date of Commission 25th April 1808 –

Carey Lelande, Date of Commission 25th April 1808 –

Captains

to be Majors in the Army (in the East Indies only)

P. H. Keay – from the 25th April 1808

D M. Holford – Do. Do. Do.

N 115 Fort St. George 6th June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Appointments in General Orders. –

Serjeant Edward Atkinson to be a Conductor and attached to the Quartermaster General's Department for the purpose of taking charge of the Camp Equipage at Wallajanbad.

Serjeant Walter Francis to be a Conductor of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec: to Govt.

Fort

N116 Fort St. George 6th June 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Colonel Ross Lang Commanding at Vellore to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for a fortnight.

In consequence of the death of Captain Lieutenant Shairpe of the 1st Battalion of Artillery at Mysoor on the 25th Ultimo, the Governor in Council directs the following promotions to take place in that Corps.

Artillery

Senior Lieutenant Francis Webber Palmer to be Captain Lieutenant vice Shairpe deceased - date of rank 26th May 1809.

Lieutenant Fire Worker Thomas Henry Thoresby to be Lieutenant vice Palmer promoted date of rank 26th May 1809.

The Governor in Council directs that that part of the general orders by Government under date 24th March 1809 promoting Ensign Rufsell to the rank of Lieutenant, be cancelled, and that the following promotion shall take place in consequence.

Senior Ensign John Blackiston to be Lieutenant vice Sydenham retired date of rank 14th July 1808.

The Governor in Council directs

that

that in conformity to the regulations of the Service on the Transfer of Officers from one Corps to another that the undermentioned Ensigns of Engineers shall rank in that Corps next below Ensign Rykell in the following order, and agreeably to the date of rank now assigned to each Viz.t

Ensign Mackintosh — 4th January 1808.

" Melbourne — 4th January 1808.

" Monteith — 5th January 1808.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Read of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment Native Infantry to visit Bombay on leave of absence for four Months

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George 13th June 1809.

N 117

G. O By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint William Jones to be a Conductor Ordnance to complete the Establishment.—

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec.y to Govt.

Fort

N118 Fort St. George 13th June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Horseman Secretary to the Medical Board to proceed to Trichinopoly on leave of absence for one month and to direct that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mackinzie take charge of that Situation during the absence of Mr. Horseman from the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) I H Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N119 Fort St. George 15th June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place.

2d. Regiment Native Infantry

Captain Lieutenant F. W. Wilson to be Captain of a Company.

Lieutenant John Ford to be Captain Lieutenant and Ensign George Strachan to be Lieu-

tenant

Lieutenant in succession to Craustoun Deceased, date of Commis-
-sions 7th June 1809.

By order of the Honorable the
Governor in Council

(Signed) I H. Peile

Sec to Govt

No 120 Fort St George 16th June 1809

G. O. By Government

It having come to the know-
-ledge of the Honorable the Governor in Council that incon-
-venience has arisen to many Officers particularly to officers hold-
-ing Staff appointments at some of the principal Stations of
the Army by being subjected to Retrenchments of Signing Bills
and Abstracts of Subsistence &c to parties of Troops or
Individuals either doing duty at, or passing thro' those sta-
-tions; — and as this inconvenience has occurred from the omis-
-sion of Pay Masters to point out or Correct any errors in the
Bills or Abstracts presented to them for payment as enjoined
in the 13th Paragraph of their instructions which prescribes
it to be "the Duty of a Paymaster in the first instance Carefully
to check the abstracts or Bills of established Charges by
the Abstracts Muster Rolls and Certificates before he signs

the

the amount:— The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to
direct that the strictest attention be paid in future to those orders;
and with the view of ensuring a Compliance with this essential
part of the duty of a Paymaster, The Honorable the Governor
in Council has resolved and accordingly directs that from the
first of July next, when a Retrenchment on Account of an er-
-ror in addition or Calculation, or from not being supported by
the prescribed Documents of the Certificate of the last pay
drawn, is made from an abstract of Pay and Allowances to a
Detachment or party of Troops not commanded by a Europe-
-an Commissioned Officer, or to an Individual European or
Native Soldier who either may be upon the Route of March
or doing duty at a Station, it shall be the duty of the Mi-
-litary Auditor General to make such Retrenchment against
the Paymaster and not against the Staff Officer who Signed
the Bill or Abstract.

And the Military Auditor General
having reported to the Honorable the Governor in Council that In-
-stances have occurred of Paymasters upon this Establishment having
in disobedience to the Instructions Contained in the Paragraph of in-
-structions to Paymasters, taken upon themselves after the receipt of a
Retrenchment of an unauthorized Charge, again to disburse like

Charges

Charges, without Receiving Authority for so doing. The Honora-
-ble the Governor in Council cannot but express his displeasure at
such Conduct, and to prevent the Recurrence of it in future directs the
Military Auditor General to retrench the amount of such charg
-es not from the Officer Signing the Abstract but from the Pay-
-master, and to deduct the same from his Estimate of the ensu-
-ing Month. —

By order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pike
Sec. to Govt.

N°. 121

Fort St. George 16th June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in
Council having received Certificates of the continued ill state of
of health of Lieutenant Newal of the 6th Regiment Native Ca-
-valry and Ensign Leigh of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry
in which those Officers are declared to be incapable of return-
-ing to their duty in this Country is in consequence pleased to au-
-thorize their residence at the Cape of Good Hope so long as may
be requisite for their Recovery

By order of the Honorable the
Governor

Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

No. 122.

Fort St. George 20th June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit that the provisions of the G. O. published on the 20th November 1808 shall be considered equally applicable in all respects to both the Corps of Horse and Foot Artillery.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J H Peile
Sec. to Govt.

No 123.

Fort St. George 20th June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Bond of the 2d Battalion 16th Regiment N. I. to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for six Months.

The Governor in Council appoints Lieutenant Colonel Symons of the 17th Regiment N. I. to be President of the Seringapatam Prize Committee vice Lieutenant Colonel Clarke appointed to the Command of the

the Cantonment at St. Thomas's Mount.

By order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council

(Signed) I. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

8th 24
Fort St. George 20th June 1809.

G. O. By Government

In consequence of the long and faithful services of Soobidar Mahomed Surwar of the 1st Regiment Native Cavelry and Soobidar Noor Sahib of the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment Native Infantry and of the testimonies they have produced of their general good conduct and attachment to the Service. The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct that a Pallanqueen shall be presented in the name of the Honorable Company to each of these Officers as a mark of his approbation of their Services with an allowance of 20 Pa-godas each per mensem to maintain those equipages.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to reward the services of Soobidar Mahomed Surwar by directing that the amount of that Officer's present pay shall be continued as a Pension for life to the nearest heir of the Soobidar on his decease.

By order of the Honorable the
Governor

Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec. to Govt.

N° 125

Fort St. George 23d. June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in-
Council is pleased to appoint Major General Croker to be a
Major General on the Staff of this Establishment, and to
Command in the Ceded districts. —

By order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council

(Signed) A Falconar

Chief Sec: to Govt.

N° 126.

Fort St. George 24th. June 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor
in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowan-
-ces for June, and the Pay for July, of the Troops at the Residency
and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th.
of July and on the following Days. —

By order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec: to Govt.

Fort

No. 127

Fort St. George 3. July 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following appointments shall take place

Lieutenant Oldnall of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry to be Fort Adjutant of Seringapatam.

Lieutenant Proctor to be Quarter Master of the Corps of Horse Artillery.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pelle

Sec. to Govt.

No. 128

Fort St. George 4th July 1809.

G. O By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following Distribution of Off Reckonings for the year 1808, and to direct that the Amount of Balances to be paid be issued in 8 per Cent Certificates of this Government, with the exception of those under the Sum of One hundred Pagodas which are to be paid in Cash. The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that the amount of the Sums overdrawn be immediately recovered according to the Indemnification Bonds granted by the respective Officers and lodged with the Military Paymaster General.

Total

Total Amount for Distribution at Fort St. George

Distribution of Off Recoinings for the Year 1803.4.

Cavalry.

Major General D. Campbell from 1st January to

Colonel J Stevenson ..... Do. .....

Artillery

Colonel C. Carlisle from 1st January to 31 Decem-

Major General D. Smith ..... Do. .....

Madras Europen Regi-

Colonel J Richardson from 1st January to 31 De-

Native Infantry

Colonel A Read from 1st January to 31st December

" D McNeile ..... Do. ..... Do.,

" W. Kinsey ..... Do. ..... Do.,

" Thomas Bowser ..... Do. ..... Do.,

Major General and Colonel G. Conyngham from 1st Ja-

Colonel Barry Close 24th August to 31st December --

Major General T. Trent from 1st January to 31st December

" " R Tolson ..... Do. ..... Do.,

Colonel ..... T. Leighton ..... Do. ..... Do.

" ..... J. Oliver ..... Do. ..... Do.,

" ..... D. Burr ..... Do. ..... Do.,

Sicca Rupees 1,99,122:12:0 or Star Pagodas 61,106:14:30.

		Actual amount of each Share	Amount already received on account.	Balance to be paid	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
31st December	1803	2,546 4 27	3,040 17 75	0 0 0	494 13 48
Do,		2,546 4 27	2,898 35 60	0 0 0	352 31 33
ber	1803	2,546 4 27	2,898 35 60	0 0 0	352 31 33
Do,		2,546 4 27	3040 17 75	0 0 0	494 13 48
ment.					
cember	1803	2,546 4 27	719 10 40	1826 39 13	0 0 0
	1803	2,546 4 27	0 0 0	2,546 4 27	0 0 0
		2,546 4 27	0 0 0	2,546 4 27	0 0 0
		2,546 4 27	0 0 0	2,546 4 27	0 0 0
		2546 4 27	0 0 0	2546 4 27	0 0 0
mary to 31st August	1803	1,639 12 3	2,898 35 60	0 0 0	1259 23 57
	1803	906 37 24	0 0 0	906 37 24	0 0 0
	1803	2546 4 27	2,026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0
		2546 4 27	2,026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0
		2546 4 27	2,898 35 60	0 0 0	352 31 33
		2546 4 27	2,898 35 60	0 0 0	352 31 33
		2546 4 27	2,026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0

Distributions of Off. Reckonings for the Year 1803. 4

		Actual amount of each Share	Amount taken by receiver on account	Balance to be paid	Amount overdrawn to be refunded
"	F. Gowdie from 1st January to 31st December 1803	2546 4 27	3532 41 77	0 0 0	986 37 50
"	G. Roberts D. D.	2546 4 27	2026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0
"	A. Vigors D. D.	2546 4 27	2898 35 60	0 0 0	352 31 33
"	A. Brown D. D.	2546 4 27	2898 35 60	0 0 0	352 31 33
"	R. Croker D. D.	2546 4 27	2026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0
"	D. Campbell D. D.	2546 4 27	2898 35 60	0 0 0	352 31 33
"	G. Wahab D. D.	2546 4 27	2026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0
"	F. Terrens D. D.	2546 4 27	2026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0
"	C. Lelande D. D.	2546 4 27	2026 41 77	519 7 30	0 0 0
	Total	61,106 11 8	0 0 0	17,071 17 65	5,703 38 34

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) S. H. Peile.

Secr. to Govt.

No 129.

Fort St. George 1st July 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following Distribution of Off Reconings for the year 1804, and to direct that the Amount of the Balance to be paid be issued in 8 per Cent Certificates of this Government with the exception of those under the sum of One hundred Pagodas, which are to be paid in Cash — The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, that the Amount of the sums overdrawn be immediately recovered according to the Indemnification bonds granted by the respective Officers, and lodged with the Military Paymaster General.

Total

Total Amount for Distribution at Fort St. George — Sicca Rupees. 209,354: 1: 7 or Star Pagodas. 64,246: 7: 5.

Distribution of Off-Reckonings for the Year 1804-5.					Actual amount of each Share	Amount already received on account		Balance to be paid		Amount overdrawn to be refunded	
Cavalry.											
Major General D. Campbell	from	1st January	to 31st Dec.	1804	2,458 9 21	2,414 0 0		44 9 21		0 0 0	
Colonel I. Stevenson	"	Dr.		Dr	2,458 9 21	0 0 0		2458 9 21		0 0 0	
" I. Pater	"	1st May	to 31st December	1804	1,427 31 10	0 0 0		1,427 31 10		0 0 0	
" I. Orr	"	Ditto		Ditto,	1,427 31 10	0 0 0		1,427 31 10		0 0 0	
Artillery											
Colonel C. Carlisle	from	1st January	to 3rd	April 1804	626 15 14	0 0 0		626 15 14		0 0 0	
" R. Bell	"	4th April	to 31st Dec.	1804	1,831 39 7	1,600 0 0		231 39 7		0 0 0	
" D. Smith	"	1st January	to 31st	Dr.	2,458 9 21	2,974 21 31		0 0 0		516 12 10	
Madras European Regiment.											
Colonel I. Richardson	from	1st January	to 31st Dec.	1804	2,458 9 21	0 0 0		2,458 9 21		0 0 0	
Native Infantry.											

Colonel	A. Read	from 1st January to 18th May 1804	927	18	13¾	0	0	0	929	18	13¾	0	0	0
"	I. Haliburton	from 19th May to 20th Sep. 1804	841	38	21¾	0	0	0	841	38	21¾	0	0	0
Lieutenant Colonel and Commandant	G. Doveton	from 21st September to 31st December 1804.	606	42	62½	0	0	0	606	42	62½	0	0	0
Colonel	D M'Neile	from 1st January to 31st December 1804	2,458	9	21	0	0	0	2,458	9	21	0	0	0
"	W. Kinsey	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	0	0	0
"	J. Bowser	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	0	0	0
"	B. Close	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	1,609	16	0
"	J. Trent	"	Do			Do			840	38	21	0	0	0
"	R. Tolson	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	0	0	0
"	J. Leighton	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	0	0	0
"	J. Oliver	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	2,000	0	0
"	D. Burr	"	Do			Do			458	9	21	0	0	0
"	J. Lowdie	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	0	0	0
"	G. Roberts	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	1,520	0	0
"	M. Vigors	"	Do			Do			938	9	21	0	0	0
"	A. Brown	"	Do			Do			2,458	9	21	0	0	0
									2,458	9	21	2608	35	60
												0	0	0
									2,458	9	21	230	26	39
									2,458	9	21	0	0	0

Distribution of Off. Reckonings for the Year 1804-5.

			Actual amount of each Share.	Amount already received on account	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
" R. Croker	"	Do	Do	2,458 9 21	0 0 0	2,458 9 21	0 0 0
" D. Campbell	"	Do	Do	2458 9 21	2,000 0 0	458 9 21	0 0 0
" G. Wahab	"	Do	Do	2,458 9 21	0 0 0	2,458 9 21	0 0 0
" F. Torrens	"	Do	Do	2,458 9 21	0 0 0	2,458 9 21	0 0 0
" C. Lelande	"	Do	Do	2,458 9 21	0 0 0	2,458 9 21	0 0 0
" J. Haliburton	"	21st September to 31st December 1804		598 20 45	0 0 0	598 20 45	0 0 0
" P. A. Agnew	"	Do	Do	598 20 45	446 0 0	152 20 45	0 0 0
" R. Mackay	"	Do	Do	598 20 45	0 0 0	598 20 45	0 0 0
" H. Macleane	"	Do	Do	598 20 45	0 0 0	598 20 45	0 0 0
		Total		64,246 6 64	0 0 0	47,740 17 22	7 46 38 49

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile.

Sec. to Government

(True Copies)

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Government.

No 130.

Fort St. Georg. July 2d. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, in consequence of the increase to the Corps of Horse Artillery as directed in G. O. of the 23d January 1809 to fix its Establishment as follows.

Establishment of the Corps of Horse Artillery.

Detail.	Establishment	Ordnance	Commissioned Officers	Staff	Non-Effective Non-Commissioned Staff	Natives.	Rank and File.	Natives.	Officers	Rank and File	Horses.	Horse appointments
12 Pr. with Carriages.	2											
5½ Inch Howitzers with Dr.	2											
6 Pr. Do. Do.	10											
Tumbrils.	16											
Spare Carriages.	2											
Forge Carts.	2											
Store Carts.	2											
Captain Commandant.	1											
Captain Lieutenants.	2											
Subaltern.	9											
Surgeon.	1											
Assistant.	1											
Riding Master.	1											
Asst. Assistant Surgeon.	1											
Sergeant Major.	1											
Quarter Master Sergeant.	1											
Riding Master Sergeant.	1											
Duffadar Sergeant.	1											
2 Bengal Riders.	4											
2 Bengal Riders.	1											
Sergeants.	2											
Farriers.	9											
Trumpeters.	4											
Corporals.	4											
Gunners.	9											
Matrosses.	18											
Total.	142											
	169											
Subadar.	1											
Jemadars.	2											
Havildars.	4											
Subdivisions.	5											
Naicks.	4											
Troopers	70											
Total.	76											
Officers	26											
Regimental.	412											
Saddle and Bridle complete.	412											
Horses 12 Hds.	300											
Camels 4 Do.	1											

N.B.

N.B. The Adjutant and Quarter Master are Non Effective.

Horse keepers (on the Field) one to each Horse.

Horse keepers in (Cantonments) will be calculated on the following principle, viz.

One to each off Horse — one to each spare Horse — one to each Native Commissioned Officer, one to the Sub Assistant Surgeon, one to each European and Native Non Commissioned, Farriers, Saddlistries and Trumpeters (including Corporals & Naicks) one to each two Horses.

Grass Cutters are allowed, one to each Horse.

The Horse keeper and Grass Cutter Chaudries, are allowed one of each to a Brigade of Guns.

The Establishments of Puckallies and Artificers are to be maintained agreeably to the existing Regulations of the Service.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) I. H. Peile.

Sec. to Government.

(A True Copy)

(Signed) I. H. Peile

Sec. to Government.

No. 131

Fort St. George 7th July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following promotions do take place.

Madras European Regiment.

Ensign Patrick Brown to be a Lieutenant, vice Stovall deceased, date of Rank 29th April 1809.

The Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Lewis of the 2d Battalion 6th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to China on Sick Certificate.

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit Mr. Penn Deputy Commissary of Stores upon the Invalid List, and to continue to him the pay and allowance of his rank.

The Governor in Council is pleased to grant an additional leave of Absence for three Months to Lieutenant B. Blake 2d Battalion 25th Regiment Native Infantry now absent in Bengal on the Adjustment of his private affairs.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pole
Sec. to Government

N° 132

Fort St. George, 7th July 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that on occasion of the Military Board recommending an Advance of Money to any Engineer, Agent or Contractor, or other person on account of the public Service, they shall intimate the same to the Military Auditor General informing him of the amount, to whom, and at what place, the advance is to be made. The Military Auditor General will immediately on the receipt of such notification advise the paymaster within whose range the advance is to be made for the purpose of enabling him to estimate for Cash in time, to answer the demand. The Military Board will also apprize the person for whom the advance is intended, that their recommendation in support of it has been forwarded to Government for Sanction.

The Military Auditor General on receiving the Orders of Government sanctioning the advance will make the usual Communication to the Military Paymaster General, and also send orders direct to the Paymaster at the out Station to make the advance, transmitting with his letter a Copy of the Orders of Government on the occasion.

By order of the Honorable

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the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pile,
Sec. to Government.

No. 133. Fort St. George 13th July 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief is requested upon the arrival of the several Corps of Cavalry and Infantry at present on their march to the Race Course to give the necessary Orders for forming the Detachment into two Brigades, and to appoint the usual Brigade Staff.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Hare of His Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Dragoons to command the Force to be encamped on the Race Course.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pile,
Sec. to Government.

No. 134 Fort St. George 14th July 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Colonel Barry Close to com-

mand

Command the Subsidiary Force serving with his Highness the
Subadar of the Deckan in the room of Lieutenant Colonel Montre-
sor, who will however remain in that Command until the
arrival of Colonel Close.

By order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pile.
Sec. to Government.

No. 135. Fort St. George 14th July 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Gentlemen
Cadets having been reported qualified for Commissions, the Honora-
ble the Governor in council is pleased to promote them to the rank
of Ensign, date of rank to be settled hereafter, viz.

Ensign T. Kelly
" R. B. Dawes
" T. Howell
" A. Farquharson
" S. A. Rehé
" D. Skinner
" R. Macleod
" S. Lighton

" J. J. Masden

" R. Cocke

The Governor in Council having received official Notification of Lieutenant Stocks arrival in Bengal in consequence of his being unable to land at Ganjam, is pleased to sanction that Officers absence from the Coast, and to permit him to proceed eventually to Europe.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Ross of the 2d. Battalion of Artillery to join his Corps.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Martin of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry and Mr. Cadet Mantell to proceed to Sea for the benefit of their health.

Captain J. Moor 1st Battalion 16th Regiment Native Infantry having forwarded the prescribed Certificate from the Court of Directors, of his being allowed to return to India the Governor in Council is pleased to permit that Officer to reassume his rank in the Army on this Establishment.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets having produced the prescribed certificates from the Court

Court of Directors of their several appointments, the Governor in Council is in consequence pleased to admit them upon this Establishment

Cavalry.

Mr. Cadet Geo. Garrad,

James Buchanan,

Infantry.

Mr. Cadet David Armstrong.

John Irving James

The Honorable the Court of Directors have been pleased to appoint Mr. John Best to be a Commissary of Stores at this Presidency, and that Officer having produced the prescribed Certificate from the Court, allowing him to return to India, the Governor in Council accordingly admits that Officer upon the Establishment, with the rank of Commissary of Stores.

The return of Major Tickbourne of the Madras European Regiment having been officially reported, the Governor in Council directs that Officer to proceed to join his Corps

The Governor in Council permits Captain C. Hodgson of the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry, to resign his situation of Assistant Adjutant General,

and

and directs that Officer to join his Corps without delay.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the president of the Seringapatam Prize Committe shall have authority to Frank Letters, on busines of the Committee

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) I. H. Pelle

Sec. to Government.

No. 136. Fort St. George 15th July 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel James Hare of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Light Dragoons to command the Center Division of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

G. O. By Government. No. 137

Fort St. George 17th July 1809

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant C. Croker of His Majesty's 89th Regiment to be an Aid de Camp to Major General Croker and to draw his allowances as such, from 23d ult.

Ultimo the date of Major General Croker's appointment to the Staff.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

No. 138 Fort St. George 10th July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Annesley to be Superintendent of Vaccination in the District of Masulipatam.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Government.

No. 139. Fort St. George 10th July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Bowen of the 2d. Battalion 22d Regiment, to resign the Adjutancy of that Corps at his own request.

The Governor in Council having received the required Certificate of Mr. Bourdieu having been appointed

appointed a Cadet of Infantry is pleased to admit him on the Establishment accordingly.

The Governor in Council having received Official notification of the return of Mr. Surgeon Colin Rogers, is pleased to allow that Gentleman to resume his duties on the Establishment.

The Governor in Council having received Official intimation of the appointment of Mr. David Donaldson to be an Assistant Surgeon, is pleased to admit that Gentleman on the Establishment in that Capacity from the date of his arrival.

The Governor in Council is pleased to allow an extention of leave to Mr. Surgeon Grant for the further period of two Months.

The Governor in Council directs that Mr. Sub-Assistant Surgeon Sampson, be removed from the Corps of Horse Artillery, and appoints him to do duty under Mr. Staff Surgeon Connell at Salnah.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chalmers to visit the Residency on a leave of absence for one Month.

The Governor in Council

permits

permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Shadworth and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Towle to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two months.

Mr. Surgeon Alfred Jones having been absent from the Coast since December 1804, and one year having expired since the extention of his furlough, as notified in a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors under date the 2d September 1807, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Mr. Alfred Jones shall be struck off the List of Surgeons under this Presidency.

The Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Surgeon Steddy to proceed to England on leave of absence, for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pelle,
Sec. to Government.

No. 140. Fort St. George, 19th July 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following appointments shall take place.

Lieutenant Edmond Wallace of the

9th Regiment

2d Regiment Cavalry to be Assistant Quarter Master General to the Cen
ter Division of the Army.—

Lieutenant Richard Crewe of the 25th
Regiment Native Infantry to be Assistant Adjutant General to the
Centre Division of the Army.—

Lieutenant Lionel Hooke of His
Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Dragoons to be Brigade Major to Lieu-
tenant Colonel Hare Commanding the Center Division of the Army.

Lieutenant C. H. Leith to be Ad-
jutant of the 2d Battalion 22d Regiment Native Infantry vice
Bowen.—

Lieutenant I. W. Oliver to be Ad-
jutant of the 1st Battalion 25th Regiment Native Infantry vice Brun

By order of the Honorable the Governor
in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Peile.
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies)

(Signed) I. H. Peile.
Sec. to Government.

No. 141.

Fort St. George 21st July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor | ion Coun-
cil

Council permits Lieutenant Alves of the 1st Battalion 13th Regi-
-ment Native Infantry to proceed to Sea, for the benefit of his health.

The Governor in Council permits
Lieutenant Ross 2d Battalion 10th Regiment Native Infantry, to
proceed to China on leave of absence for Six Months, for the recovery
of his health.

The Governor in Council permits
Captain Clapham of the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment Native In-
-fantry, to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for five Months.

By order of the Honorable the Go-
-vernor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile.
Sec. to Government.

No. 142. Fort St. George 22d July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
-cil directs that the following Appointments shall take place.—

Lieutenant G. Jackson of the 16th
Native Regiment to be Assistant Adjutant General to the Southern
Division of the Army vice Hodgson.—

Lieutenant John Moncrieffe of
the 2d Native Regiment to be Fort Adjutant of Trichinopoly
vice

vice Jackson

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile.

Sec. to Government.

No. 143. Fort St. George 22d. July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army the following Extracts of a General letter from the Honorable Court of Directors Dated 11th. January 1809.

Para. 4th. — "We have permitted the following Military "Officers to return to their rank on your Establishment viz.t"

Captain John Makenzie,

" Joseph T. Johnson,

Captain Lieutenant J. Moor,

Lieutenant Thomas Crichton,

" George Spinks,

" George Forsyth.

5th. — "The following Officers on your Establishment retired from the Company's Service at the period undermentioned" —

Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Crane — 28th. September 1808

Benjamin

Council permits Lieutenant Alves of the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Ross 2d Battalion 10th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to China on leave of absence for Six Months for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Clapham of the 1st Battalion 6th Regiment Native Infantry to visit the Residency on leave of absence for five Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile.

Sec to Government.

No 142. Fort St George 29th July 1809.

G O By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Appointments shall take place.—

Lieutenant G. Jackson of the 16th Native Regiment to be Assistant Adjutant General to the Southern Division of the Army vice Hodgson.—

Lieutenant John Moncrieffe of the 2d Native Regiment to be Fort Adjutant of Vellinopoly vice

vice Jackson

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) I H Pelle.

Sec. to Government.

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Lieutenant Thomas Crichton,

" George Spinks,

" George Forsyth.

5th— "The following Officers on your Establishment retired from the Company's Service at the period undermentioned"—

Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Crane— 28th September 1808

Benjamin

" " Benjamin Harris — 20th July 1808.

" " William Cunningham — 29th June 1808.

" " Thomas Green — 11th May 1808.

6th — "Mr. K. Miller a Head Surgeon on your Establishment retired from the Company's Service the 16th August 1808."

9th — "Captain Benjamin Harding of your Establishment resigned the Company's Service the 16th December 1808."

10th — "We have resolved to appoint Fourteen Cadets for the Cavelry on your Establishment."

11th — "We have also resolved to appoint Sixteen Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency; and shall likewise appoint Fifty Six Cadets for our Artillery or Engineer Corps in India who will receive an Education suitable for Cadets intended for either of those Corps. Their destination for the several Presidencies will depend on the existing deficiencies at each, when they are reported qualified."

19th — "In consideration of the long and zealous services of Mr. John Best a Deputy Commissary of Stores on your Establishment and of the strong testimonials he has produced in his favor from Officers under whom he has served, we have been induced in consequence of an application which we have received from Mr. Best to promote him to the rank of Commissary of Stores at your Presidency."

15th —

15th

"W. Colin Rodgers a Surgeon on your Esta-
"blishment has our permission to return to his duty."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in
Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pile.
Sec. to Government.

No 144 Fort St. George 25th July 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council
is pleased to appoint Captain William Ireland Jones of the 18th
Regiment Native Infantry to be Paymaster and Commissary of
Grain and Provisions to the Troops encamped near the Mount.

By order of the Honorable the Govern-
-or in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pile.
Sec. to Government.

No 145 Fort St. George 26th July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council
permits Lieutenant Colonel Dunn of the 6th Regiment Native Caval-
-ry to proceed to Europe by way of China on sick certificate.

The Governor in Council permits Lieu-
-tenant

Lieutenant Williams of the 1st Battalion 15th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for nine Months for the adjustment of his private affairs.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following Gentleman to be Vaccine Superintendents at the Stations Undermentioned on the usual Allowances, viz.t

Cuddapah	Mr. I. Pender
Verdachellum	" I. Wyse
Onore	" I. A. Andrew
Combaconum	" John Jones
Chingleput	" W. Greaves

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pile
Sec.y to Government.

No. 146.

Fort St. George 27th July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-cil is pleased to direct that the Batta and other Allowances for July and the Pay for August of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the army shall be issued on the 7th of August and on the following Days.

By

By order of the Honorable the Govern-
-or in Council

(Signed) I. H. Peile.
Sec. to Government

No. 147. Fort St. George 27th July 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
-cil directs that the following appointments shall take place

Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Irton to Command the Troops in the Vizagapatam and Ganjam Districts.

The Honorable Lieutenant Colonel P. Stuart of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Foot to Command the Subsidiary Force in Travancore.

Captain Francis Thompson of the Madras European Regiment to be Military Secretary and In-
-terpreter to Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commanding the Center-
Division of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Go-
-vernor in Council

(Signed) I. H. Peile,
Sec. to Government.

Fort

No. 148 Fort St. George 28th July 1809.

G O By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
-cil has been pleased to promote Mr. Cadet Mantel to the rank of En-
-sign, date of rank to be settled hereafter.

The Governor in Council is pleased to
grant Leave of Absence to the several Officers undermentioned Viz.t

Lieutenant Colonel Pepy Command-
-ing Tinnivelly and Pallamcotah for two Months to visit the Presiden-
-cy.

Lieutenants Crokat of the 20th Re-
-giment Native Infantry; Agnew of the 3d Regiment Native
Infantry, and Cornet Shawe of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry to
proceed to China on Sick Certificate.

Ensign Colebrooke of the 1st Batta-
-lion 22d Regiment Native Infantry for three Months in addition
to the Period heretofore granted to that Officer.

The Governor in Council being Offici-
-ally informed that Captain Hay of the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment
Native Infantry has been under the necessity of proceeding to Europe
on board the Honorable Company's Ship True Briton by the way
of China, directs that the furlough granted to that Officer shall

commence

commence from the date of that Ships departure from China homeward bound.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile,
Sec. to Government.

No. 149

Fort St. George 30th July 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Kennedy of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons to be Postmaster to the Detachment serving in the Field under Lieutenant Colonel Kare.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies)

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Government.

No. 150. Fort St. George 1st August 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council

Council is pleased to permit the Officers undermentioned to proceed to China on Sick certificate.

Captain Clason 20th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant S. Neval 20th Regiment Native Infantry.

" G. Hunter 3d Regiment Native Infantry.

" A. McLaren 8th Regiment Native Infantry.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant G. Drew 17th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Lieutenant Fichbourne 8th Regiment Native Cavalry to withdraw the leave of absence heretofore granted to him to proceed to Bengal.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile.

Sec. to Government.

No. 151

Fort St. George 1st August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council requests that the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief will issue the necessary Orders for commuting the Guns at present attached to the Cavalry Brigade now at St. Thomas's Mount, into an Extra Squadron of Horse Artillery

Artillery and augmenting them to Ten Guns agreeable to the following Establishment.

Establishment of Extra Squadron Horse Artillery consisting of Ten Guns.

Detail.

	Staff.			Non-Effectives Non-Commissioned Staff.					Rank and File.			Natives.								Horse appointments.	
																Rank and File.					
	Captain Commanding	Acting Adjutant	Acting Dr Masters	Sergeant Major	Dr Master Sergeant	Sergeants	Trumpeter	Farrier	Corporals	Privates	Total	Subadar	Havaldars	Sallistrie	Trumpeter	Naicks	Privates	Total	Horses	Saddles	Sets of Harness
Establisment	1	1	2	1	1	5	1	1	10	51	61	1	2	1	1	2	55	57	190	190	90

NB. 1 Conicopoly

1 Horse keeper to each Horse

1 Grass Cutter to ..... ditto

1 Hors keeper Choudry to each two Guns 5

1 Grass Cutter ..... ditto 5

1 Sett of Artificers to each two Guns ..... 5 Setts

4 Puckallies (including the Officers)

2 Puckallies

2 Puckallies to Natives

The Jumbrils to move with the Infantry Guns and to have each 14 Bullocks.—

The following appointments are Ordered—

Extra Squadron Horse Artillery—

Captain Blundell of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons to Command.

Quarter Master T. Edwards of His Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Dragoons to act as Adjutant.—

Sergeant Major Brunton of the Horse Artillery and Sergeant John Conning of His Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Dragoons to act as Quarter Masters.—

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) I H Pile

Sec: to Government

No 152.

Fort St George 2nd August 1809.

G. O By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Commissary Best to be Commissary of Ordnance to the Field Detachment now forming at the Race Course.—

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Sergeant Major West and Gunner John Forsyth

of

of Artillery to be Conductors of Ordnance.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.—

(Signed) J. H. Pile.

Sec. to Government.—

No. 1581

Fort St. George 3d. August 1809.

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council

Para 1. The Honorable the Governor in Council judges it proper to announce to the Native Troops that the very improper Conduct of some of the European Officers of the Company's Service, and the refusal of others to acknowledge their Allegiance to the Government, have rendered it indispensably necessary to remove for a time a considerable number of European Officers from the exercise of authority.

2. This measure will not however affect in any respect the Situation of the Native Troops, who must know that their first duty is to the Government which they serve and from which all authority is derived.—

3. The Governor in Council entertains the same Solicitude for the welfare and Comfort of the Native Troops that has invariably been manifested by the British Government.

4. He has no intention whatever of making

any

any changes in their situation, and he expects that the Native Troops will display on every emergency the unshaken fidelity to Government which constitutes the first duty of a Soldier, that they will obey with zeal the Orders of the Officers whom the Government shall place in authority over them, that they will refuse a belief to all reports calculated to agitate their minds and diminish their confidence in the Government, and that they will not allow themselves to be involved in measures in any respect adverse to their duty and allegiance.

5. The Governor in Council is pleased to express his approbation of the good conduct which has been recently manifested by the Native Troops at the Presidency, in the Camp at the Mount, at Trichinopoly and at Vellore, and he is confident that their Behaviour will be equally correct and loyal at all the other Stations of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

No. 154. Fort St. George 3d. August 1809.

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council.

All Officers now at the Presidency or who

who have refused to Sign the Declaration required by the order of Government of the 20th July are directed to quit the Residency immediately and to repair to such Station upon the Sea Coast between Madras and Negapatam as they may have selected as their places of Residence.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 155 Fort St. George 4th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain Peterson of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Light Dragoons to be Agent for Cavalry Supplies to the Detachment under Command of Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commanding the Center Division of the Army.

The Governor in Council directs that Soobadar Narrain Savony Lately returned from Ceylon be readmitted on the Establishment with the rank he now holds.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pike

Sec. to Government

Fort

No 156. Fort St. George 5th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve that all the European Officers of the Company's Service, who may be removed from the exercise of their Military functions in consequence of their refusing or omitting to Sign the declaration required in the orders of the 26th of July last shall be permitted to Choose a place for their residence until further orders, between Madras and Negapatam both places included from which they are not afterwards to proceed beyond the distance of five Miles, without the permission of the Governor in Council.—

The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct that the Commanding Officers of Divisions, stations or Corps shall take the most effectual Measures for obliging the Officers who may be suspended from the exercise of their Military functions for the reasons above Stated, to quit the stations of their Corps without any delay whatever and to proceed with all practicable dispatch to the places which they may Choose for their residence.

Commanding Officers of Divisions &c. are directed to report to the Office of the Adjutant General of the Army the Names of the places which may be selected by the

Officers

Officers for their Residence under this order.—

By Order of the Honorable the Gover-
-nor in Council.—

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

No. 157 Fort St. George 7th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct Ensigns Monteith and Trapaud of the Corps of En-
-gineers shall join and do duty with the Corps of Artillery until fur-
ther Orders, without prejudice to their present allowances.

The Governor in Council directs Mr. Commissary Senn of the Invalids to proceed and take charge of the Commissary's Department and Laboratory at St. Thomas's Mount until further Orders.

By order of the Honorable the Govern-
-or in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pile.

Sec. to Government.

No. 158 Fort St. George 7th of August 1809.

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council.

On the march of H. M. 2d Batta-
-lion

Battalion of the Royal from the Garrison of Fort St. George. Lieu-
tenant Colonel Conran will assume the Command of the force
under orders of march to the Ceded Districts without interfering
with the Command of the Troops in the Centre Division of the Army.

The Governor in Council is pleased
to express his entire approbation of the Conduct of the 2d Battalion
of the Royal while they have been Stationed at Fort St. George.

The Governor in Council requests that
Lieutenant Colonel Conran will accept the expression of his warm-
est thanks for the able and satisfactory manner in which he
has conducted the duties incidental to the Command of the Troops
in the Garrison of Fort St. George.

Lieutenant Colonel Macleod of
H. M. 69th Regiment is appointed to succeed Lieutenant Co-
nel Conran in Command of the Troops composing the Garrison of
Fort St. George with the allowances attached to a Government Command.

The Deputy Adjutant General and
the Deputy Quartermaster General of the Army will join and do
duty with the Force under the orders of Lieutenant Colonel Con-
ran.

Mr. James Gilmour is appoint-
ed

appointed staff Surgeon to the force under Lieutenant Colonel Coman: —

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

No. 159 Fort St. George 8th August 1809

General Order By the Honorable the Governor in Council.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council be published to the Army Serving under this Presidency

General Orders By the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

Fort William, 20th July 1809.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has received private but authentic advices, that orders having been issued by Major General Gowdie, the Officer commanding in Chief on the Coast, to Lieutenant Colonel Innes, Commanding at Masulipatam, directing the embarkation of one or more detachments of the Madras European Regiments on board of his Majesty's Ships, for the purpose of serving as Marines, the Officers of the Station were induced to entertain

entertain the erroneous supposition, that the object of those Orders was to seperate, and finally to disperse that Regiment: a design which the Government of Fort St. George has formally and solemnly disavowed, and under the influence of this misapprehension, declared their resolution to resist the execution of them; that Lieutenant Colonel Innes having manifested a determination to enforce them, the Officers of the Garrison proceeded to the Barracks, and by personal representation, succeeded in seducing the Troops from their duty, and in obtaining from them a promise of support. That Major Story, the next in command, who was then in the Cantonements, proceeded to the Garrison, and having endeavoured without success to induce Lieutenant Colonel Innes to depart from the obligation of his public duty, by abandoning his resolution to carry into effect the Orders which he had received, adopted the extreme measure of placing that Officer in Arrest under the charge of European Sentries.

The Governor General in Council has deemed it necessary to apprize the Army of Bengal, of an event so deeply interesting to the feelings of every loyal subject, and especially of those who have the honor to bear a Military Commission. The Governor General in Council has received with sentiments of the deepest affliction, the intelligence of the excesses into which the Officers of the station of Masulipatam have thus been gradually led by the effects of the late prevailing agitation in the army of the coast. He trusts however that this unhap-

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unhappy event will afford a serious but a salutary warning of the danger to which the combined interests of the public and the Army must be exposed by the first and slightest departure from the established principles of Military discipline on one hand, and on the other, of a just subordination to the laws of their country and to the legitimate authority of the State.

The occurrence of the afflicting event combined with the agitation which unhappily prevails among the Officers of the Army of Fort St. George, renders it the duty of the Governor General to proceed without delay to that Residency in the hope of being enabled successfully to appeal to those sentiments of loyalty and attachment to their King and their Country, which his Lordship in Council yet confidently ascribes to the General Body of the Officers of the Coast Army, whose zeal and fidelity, and professional achievements have hitherto been the theme of just and unqualified applause, and by an accurate knowledge of all circumstances which have attended the late agitation, to devise such means as may best tend to avert the impending dangers of anarchy and insubordination, and re-establish the foundations of public security and National prosperity in this important branch of the British Empire.

(Signed) N. B. Edmonstone.
Chief Sec: to the Govt.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pele,
Sec: to Government.

Fort

No. 160 Fort St. Geo.e 8th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish the following regulations regarding the European Sick of the Force assembled at the Race course for Field Service.

1st European Sick absent from their Corps (Horse and Foot Artillery excepted) when the force is ordered to March are not to be included in the Numbers drawn for by the respective Regimental Surgeons in regard to the 60 cash per man per day the Surgeon under whose charge they may be placed is to draw from the Honorable Company for each Patient 5 fanams 40 cash with the usual stoppage of 2 fanams 40 cash, making together 8 fanams per Man per day

2d In the event of its becoming necessary after the force has marched to send any European Sick from the field into a Stationary Hospital the Regimental Surgeons are to continue to draw for them at the rate of 60 Cash each per day and the Surgeon of the Stationary Hospital is to receive from the Regimental Surgeons, respectively the Sum of 5 fanams 40 Cash per day for each man while in such Hospital besides the usual Stoppage of 2 fanams 40 Cash from the Pay of each Man.

3d The Hospital Surgeons under whose care the Sick Men may be placed are authorized to draw the allow-

-ances

-llowances mentioned in the preceding Article in two Bills for each Regiment, accom-
-panied by Rolls, Specifying the names and rank of the Men and Companies to
which they belong Viz.t One Bill for 5 fanams 40 cash and the other for 2 fa-
-nams 40 cash per day for each man so situated.—

4.th These Bills will be forwarded by Pay-
-masters of Stations to the Military Pay master General, who in the case of
the Company's Troops, is directed to transmit them to the Paymaster in
Camp or of the Garrison where the Corps, to which the Sick respectively
-ly belong, may be stationed in order that their amount may be deduct
-ed from the abstract of the Regimental Surgeon, and the officer charg-
-ed with the payment of the Companies, according to the stated pro-
-portions, and in the case of His Majesty's Troops, the Military Pay-
-master General is directed to forward the Bills (through the Kings De-
-puty Paymaster General) to the Paymasters of Regiments, by whom the
requisite deductions will likewise be made and brought to account—

5.th The Surgeon of the Horse and Foot Artillery
are to draw the established allowance for the Number of Europeans Actually
present under their Charge and the expence of the absent sick of these Corps are to be de-
-frayed by the Honorable Company at the rate of 5 fanams 40 Cash each Man per day
the usual stoppage of 2 fanams 40 Cash per day to be made from the pay of each
Man.

6.th The Dry Batta of Men who may be
removed

removed from a Regimental to a field Hospital is to be drawn and adjusted in the manner directed in the 5th and 6th Paragraphs of the Medical Regulations in the Field contained in the Book of Pay and allowances published in 1803 - Page 187 -

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) I. H. Pile
Sec to Government

No. 161. Fort St George 9th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain Lee of the 2nd Battalion of His Majesty's Royal Regiment to be Brigade Major to Lieutenant Colonel Conran - and Lieutenant Rothwell of the same Regiment to be Post Master to the force under Lieutenant Colonel Conran's Command.

The Declaration required from the European Commissioned Officers of the Honorable Company's Service by the order of the 26th July last having been tendered to the Medical Officers at several Stations of the army - and refused by some of them in consequence of which they have been removed from the exercise of their functions the Governor in Council is pleased

pleased to publish that it never was intended that the Medical
Officer should be called upon to sign the Declaration in question,
which is in no wise applicable to them, and to direct that all those
who may have been removed from their duties do immediately return
to their Stations and resume the duties of them.

By order of the Honorable the Go-
=vernor in Council

(Signed) I. H. Pile,
Sec. to Government

No. 162. Fort St. George 9th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Governor in Council having ta-
=ken into consideration the whole of the transactions that have occurred
in the Garrison of Masulipatam, and being satisfied that the
part borne by the men in those transactions is to be entirely im-
=puted to the misrepresentations and seductions of their European
Officers is pleased to proclaim a full pardon to the European
Non Commissioned Officers and privates, and to the Native
Commissioned Officers Non Commissioned Officers and pri-
=vates of the Garrison of Masulipatam who were concerned
in those improper proceedings. The Governor in Council en-
tertains a confident persuation that this act of clemity

will

well produce a proper effect in the minds of those Men and induce them to manifest in future the fidelity to the Government which constitutes the first duty and highest praise of every Soldier.—

The Governor in Council prohibits the march of any body of troops from the Garrison of Masulipatam without the orders of Major General Pater commanding the Northern Division, and directs that any Troops who may have marched from Masulipatam without due authority shall return forthwith to that station on pain of being considered to be in a State of rebellion to the Government

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec: to Govt

No 163. Fort St George 9th August 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Major P. V. Agnew the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army and at present attached to the field force under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Conran, to be Superintendant of Bazars

Bazars to that force.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec: to Government

No 164 Fort St. George 9th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon Underwood to proceed to England on leave of absence for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec: to Government.

No 165 Fort St. George 10th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mitchell to give Medical Aid to the Department under the charge of the Resident at Tanjore, and to superintend the Vaccine inoculation at Tanjore from the 5th April last.

By order of the Honorable the Governor

Governor in Council.—

(Signed) J. H. Pole

Sec. to Government.

No. 186 Fort St. George 12th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Surgeon Peterson of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Calcutta on leave of absence for six Months.

It appearing from an entry in the Bengal Newspaper, dated 2d. December last that Colonel John Cuppage on the retired list of this Establishment, died in England on the 21st. November preceding, the Governor in Council is disposed to consider the information authentic, and accordingly directs, that Colonel John Cuppage be struck off, and Major General Folson placed upon the retired list in his room, from the 22d November 1808.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant M'Laren of the 2d. Battalion 6th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope for the recovery of his health, that Gentleman having been disappointed of a passage to China.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel John Cuppage of the 1st. Battalion 15th.

Regiment

Regiment Native Infantry. to proceed to England on Sick Certificate

By order of the Honorable the Governor

in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pile

No. 167 Sec: to Government.

Fort St. George 12th August 1809.

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council.

The course of proceedings follow-
-ed for some time past by the Officers of the Honorable Com-
-pany's Army at this Residency, has obliged the Government
to adopt the most decided measures for the preservation of the
important interests committed to its charge. These proceed-
-ings may be stated to have Commenced with the trans-
-mission to the Government by the late Commander in
Chief of a Memorial addressed to the Honorable the
Court of Directors dated January 1809 and signed by a
large proportion of the Company's Officers although that
paper exhibited claims of an ungrounded nature, and contains
observations
equally improper and unjust on the Orders of the Honorable
Court of Directors and the Government the Governor in
Council was induced to permit it to pass without the
serious Censure which it appeared to demand by a confidence

in the discipline of the army and a persuation that the objec-
-tionable passages in the memorial were inadvertently and
unintentionally introduced. The subsequent Conduct of the
Commander in Chief forced the Government to vindicate
its Authority by a Signal example of punishment.
It was well known to the Company's Officers that the
whole of this Proceeding was referred to the Supreme Go-
-vernment and the authorities in Europe; that the
it would receive from their wisdom a decision conforma-
-ble to the soundest principles of reason and justice;
and that its discussion could not belong to the Cogni-
-zance of the Army who are precluded from becoming a
deliberative body. Notwithstanding these considerations
the Governor in Council anxious to remove every cause of
misunderstanding relative to a measure of so impor-
-tant a Nature, published an Order dated the 31st Janu-
-ary explaining to the Army the Grounds on which it
was adopted. The Governor in Council had a right to ex-
-pect on the most obvious grounds of discipline and respect
for the Laws, that the question would have been per-
-mitted to rest here, and receive its final award from the
only powers Competent to decide on it; and it was with feel-
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feelings of equal surprize and concern he learned that a me-
morial to the Supreme Government of the most intempe-
rate description was circulated in the Company's Army. The
Governor in Council, desirous to avoid a recurrence to measures of
severity, and persuaded that it was sufficient to apprize the
Company's Officers of the improper nature of their proceed-
ings to induce them to desist from their prosecution, Author-
ized the Commander in Chief to issue a Circular Letter
dated the 5th of March 1809. explaining to those Officers the
impropriety of their conduct and calling upon them by the
most powerful Motives of duty allegiance and honor, to
abstain from such unjustifiable Measures. A Letter
from the Right Honorable the Governor General in Coun-
cil dated the 20th of February 1809. approving of the steps
adopted by the Government of Fort St. George with respect to
the late Commander in Chief was also circulated to the Army in
the expectation that the Sentiments of the Supreme Government
would have repressed the Spirit of faction and insubordination
which prevailed. These Letters appear to have produced no effect;
the Memorial to the Supreme Government made further pro-
gress, and an address * * * * * to Major Bolo, an Officer
under Sentence of Suspension written in Language of determined

Sedetion

sedition, was circulated in the army and forced upon the Notice of the Governor in Council by a Company's Officer holding a confidential situation on his Staff. — The Governor in Council was still induced to pursue a system of forbearance by the sentiments of affection and respect which he was disposed to entertain towards the Company's Officers, and by a Conviction that the principles of zeal discipline and National attachment by which he supposed they were actuated, would lead them to relinquish the reprehensible measures in which they were engaged on being made fully acquainted with their impropriety and danger. The Commander in Chief accordingly issued the sanction of the Government, issued a Second Circular Letter dated the 10th April 1809; again calling upon the Officers of the Company's Army to adhere to their duty, Correcting the erroneous opinions which they have received regarding the powers of the Government, and describing the unjustifiable Nature and dangerous consequences of their proceedings. The Governor in Council learned with deep regret that these measures of Moderation, these Repeated and urgent appeals to the discipline, duty, National attachment, and professional honor of the Company's Officers, were entirely negatory; that the Memorials Continued to be circulated, and that Sentiments of Sedition were openly declared in many parts of the army. The further

further forbearance of the Government would have encouraged the progress of those evils; a course of explanations and exhortation had been pursued in vain and it became imperiously necessary to check by a salutary example of punishment a spirit of insubordination that threatened the most dangerous consequences to the prosperity of the Empire. The General Orders of the 1st of May last were accordingly passed. The Governor in Council is concerned to state that this example, which was confined to the persons who were principally instrumental in promoting sedition, and of whose delinquency the most ample proofs existed, and which was intended to obviate the necessity of more extensive punishments, failed to produce the beneficial effects anticipated from its adoption, and that principles of insubordination & sedition continued to prevail among the Company's Officers, if possible, with aggravated violence. The Company's Officers of the Hyderabad Subsidiary force whose good conduct in refusing to affix their Signatures to the seditious addresses, had received the approbation of the Government, intimated to the rest of the Army in an address dated in May scarcely less reprehensible than the papers which had incurred the animadversion of the Government, their participation in the disaffection which prevailed so extensively in the Company's Army. The Officers at Hyderabad followed up this act by threatening in an address da-

dated the 15th June transmitted direct to the Governor in Council to separate themselves from the authority of the Government established over them by their Country unless a submission should be yielded to their menaces by abrogating the General Orders of the 1st of May; the Company's Officers at Masulipatam imprisoned their Commanding Officer and made preparations to desert the Post entrusted to their Charge and to join the Hyderabad Subsidiary force thereby involving on account of views personal to themselves the Men under their Command in the Guilt of Rebellion and furnishing to the Native Troops a dangerous example of resistance to authority. The Governor in Council still anxious to impress on the Minds of the Company's Officers a sense of the impropriety of their Conduct, published to the army the Dispatch from the Supreme Government dated the 27th of May last, which contained an entire approval of the Measures of the Government of Fort St. George and stated the most forcible and conclusive Arguments against the system of faction and illegal Combination which had been introduced into the Coast army. This solemn decision of the Supreme authority in India has also proved to be ineffectual; The Officers at Hydrabad although they knew the Sentiments of the Supreme

Supreme Government, refused in a body in a letter to their Com-
=manding Officer dated the 8th July Obedience to the orders of Go-
=vernment for the March of a Battalion from Hydrabad, ibbing as a
Threat, that its Services might soon be useful to their Cause,
and have since forwarded to the Government in a Paper dated
the 21st July the Conditions on which they are willing to
return to their duty, and which they require the Govern-
=ment to accept in Order to avert the impending awesul
evils; evils which can results only from their own Crimi-
=nal determination to place themselves in the situation
of Enemies to their Country. The conditions on which those
Officers presume to state that they will yield Obedience to
the National Authorities, afford further proofs of the
Nature of their designs, for they demand the Public revo-
=cation of the General Orders of the 1st of May, the
restoration to their Rank and appointments of all
Officers removed by this Government however obnoxious
and criminal the conduct of those Officers may have been,
the dismission from Office of the Officers of the General
Staff who may be supposed to have advised the Govern-
=ment: the trial by a General Court Martial of the Of-

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Officer Commanding Masulipatam who was arrested by his own disobedient Officers, and finally an Amnesty for the Conduct of the Company's Army. The Garison of Masulipatam have replaced themselves in a State of rebellion, the Troops at Seringapatam and Hyderabad have followed their Example and it has been ascertained that the Military Authority entrusted to Commanding Officers has been usurped by self-constituted Committees, and that an organized System of Combination for the purpose of subverting the Authority of the Government has been Established throughout the greatest part of the Army at this Establishment.—

The Governor in Council perceives in the foregoing Course of proceedings on the part of the European Officers of the Company's Army, which has equally resisted Measures of forbearance and punishment a determined Spirit of revolt that must, unless speedily repressed, produce the most fatal Consequences to the Constitution and Authority of the Government and the interests of the Nation. No means compatible with the Honor and Authority of the Government have been omitted to recall the Company's

Officers

Officers to a sense of their duty as Soldiers and of their Al-
=legiance as British Subjects; the forbearance displayed by the Government
=der Circumstances of aggravated indignity demonstrate the
Satisfaction with which it would have Regarded any dispo=
=sition on the part of the Company's Officers to Mani=
=fest the usual obedience required from all Soldiers. No
disposition of that nature has appeared: on the contrary
those Officers by a Systematic Course of aggression and in=
=subordination have forced the Government to adopt mea=
=sures of the most decided nature for the support of its authori=
=ty.

The Governor in Council would
be guilty of a most Criminal desertion of his duty, and the
Cause of his Country, if he were Capable of Confirming
the evils of sedition and Mutiny, by a submission to the
menaces of a body of men placed by the law under his Govern=
=ment. Such a Course of proceeding would prostrate the au=
=thority of the State before a disaffected and seditious faction, it would
effectually incapacitate this and every succeeding Government
from executing the functions of administration and would
be fatal to the prosperity of the Empire in India, by

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affording an example of successful opposition to authority
and by weakening the power and dignity of the Government
which in this Country are peculiarly essential to its existance.
Influenced by these considerations, the Governor in Council
has considered it to be his sacred duty to resist every appear-
-ance of Concession to the threats of insubordination & faic-
-tion and to employ the power and means at the disposal of
the Government for the restoration of discipline and the Main-
-tenance of its honor and authority.

In this state of affairs it is a &
source of the most gratifying reflection that the zeal, loyal-
-ty and discipline of His Majesty's Troops and of many of the
most respectable Officers of the Company's Army Combined &
with the fidelity generally manifested by the Native Troops
will enable the Government to accomplish the important
object of re-establishing public order. The good conduct of
His Majesty's Troops during the dissentions that have occurred,
their zealous adherence to duty, the preference which they &
have manifested to the principles of honor virtue and patrio-
-tism over the personal views and disorderly passions which
prevailed around them, reflect the greatest Credit on their &

Character

Character and demonstrate that they are animated by the same ardent love of their Country which has distinguished their Brother Soldiers in Europe. His Majesty's Troops under this Government will possess the gratifying reflection of having deserved the approbation and gratitude of their Country and of having eminently contributed to the preservation of an important branch of the Empire—

The Governor in Council entertains a hope that the Company's Officers who have threatened the Government of their Country with the most serious evils, who have demanded as the condition of being faithful to their duty the execution of Measures degrading to the character, and fatal to the interests of the State will pause & before they attempt to proceed further in the Course of Sedition and Guilt which they have pursued. It has been the earnest wish, and anxious desire of the Governor in Council to avoid measures of extremity to reestablish order by the course of the law and to give up to Military trial the authors of the present Seditious proceedings. In the prosecution of measures so Consonant to justice, so necessary for the restoration of discipline and so conformable to

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the ordinary course of Military Government, the Governor in Council is persuaded that he shall have the concurrence of all persons in the Civil and Military Services who have not banished from their minds every sentiment of National feeling: and he exhorts the Officers of the Company's Service, by submitting to that course of measures to avert the evils which they are precipitating upon themselves. Such a result gratifying at any period would at the present Moment of National difficulty be peculiarly acceptable to the views and feelings of the Governor in Council; and adverting to the zeal and patriotism by which the Officers of the Company's Army have been distinguished, he still Encourages a hope that by manifesting obedience to the Government they will obviate the adoption of measures of extremity, arrest the certain Consequences of their past Conduct, and promote the restoration of general Confidence, order and discipline.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

Fort

No. 168

Fort St. George 15th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Medical appointments shall take place.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon George Anderson to be Field Apothicary to the Force under the orders of Lieutenant Colonel Conran upon the usual allowances of that Situation.

The Assistant Surgeon to the Garrison of Fort St. George will afford Medical aid to the Female Asylum.

Francis Gabriel is appointed a Sub Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment from this date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) S. H. Pile
Sec. to Govt.

No 169

Fort St. George 15th August 1809.

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council

All Civil and Military Officers exercising.

exercising Authority under the Government of Fort St. George, having been directed to consider all Corps moving without Orders as in a State of Rebellion to the Government and to offer every practicable obstruction to their progress, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that timely Notice shall be given by the Officers Commanding Divisions to the different Collectors and Magistrates thro' whose Districts any Troops under their Orders may have to March, in Order that such Collectors and Magistrates may be prepared to afford the Supplies and Assistance to those Corps, which they would without such Notice, Consider themselves bound to withhold.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, that the notice to the Civil Officers shall distinctly specify the strength and description of the Corps, or Party moving, and the name of the Officer in Charge of the same, who must produce a written Order, with a translation on the back of it in the Common Language of the district, Signed by the Officer Commanding the Division, without which the native Servants of the Civil Officers will withhold all supplies, and oppose every impediment to the March of the Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec: to Govt.

Fort

No. 170.

Fort St. George 15th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place.

Senior Major of Infantry James Leith from the 21st Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Cunningham retired – Date of Rank 30th June 1808.–

21st Native Regiment

Captain Charles Tarran to be Major–
Captain Lieutenant Henry Bowdler to be Captn. of a Company
Lieutenant John Remington to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign John King to be Lieutenant

in Succession to Leith promoted, Date of Rank 30th June 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Patrick Bruce from the 18th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Harris retired – Date of Rank 21st July 1808.–

18th Native Regiment

Captain Edward Boardman to be Major–
Captain Lieutenant W. F. Blackmore to be Captn. of a Company
Lieutenant H. C. Somerville to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Alexander Aitkin to be Lieutenant.–

in Succession to Bruce promoted Date of Rank 21st July 1808.–

Senior

Senior Major of Infantry Strickland Kingston from the 22d Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Buchan deceased Date of Rank 19th August 1808.

22d Native Regiment

Captain Alexander Mackintosh to be Major
Captain Lieut. Chas Senior to be Capt. of a Company
Lieutenant J. J. Freeman to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Edward Leith to be Lieutenant
} In Succession to Kingston promoted, Date of Rank 19th August 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Chas Trotter from the 25th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Crane retired Date of Rank 29th September 1808.

25th Native Regiment

Captain Chas Aldridge to be Major
Captain Lieut. J. S. Palmer to be Capt. of a Company
Lieutenant S. S. Gummer to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Geo. Boys to be Lieutenant
} in Succession to Trotter promoted, Date of Rank 29th September 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Robt Barclay from the 11th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Baillie invalided
Date of Rank 2d October 1808.

11th Native Regiment

Captain D. M'Gregor to be Major

Captain

Captain Lieutenant W. W. Sale to be Captn. of a Company } in Succession to Barclay promoted, Date of Rank 2d. October 1808.

Lieutenant John Simons to be Captain Lieutenant

Ensign Thomas Hoolcock to be Lieutenant

Senior Major of Infantry Alexr. Bryce from the 12th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Long retired; Date of Rank 2d. October 1808.

12th Native Regiment

Captain W. H. Vaughan to be Major } in Succession of Bryce promoted, Date of Rank 2d. October 1808

Captain Lieutenant G. Cadell to be Captain of a Company

Lieutenant C. Conry to be Captain Lieutenant

Ensign Hugh Reid to be Lieutenant

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry Chas. Conner to be Lieut. Colonel Commandant vice Major General Tolson placed in the Retired List vice Colonel John Cuppage deceased, date of Rank 2d. November 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Fredk. Pierce from the Madras European Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Conner promoted — Date of Rank 2d. November 1808.

Madras European Regiment

Captain Jas. Thompson to be Major } in Succession to Pierce promoted

Captain Lieut. Richd. Phillips to be Captain of a Company

Lieutenant.

Lieutenant D. Forbes to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Patk. Brown to be Lieutenant

Pierce promoted Date of Rank 22d. Novr. 1808.

14th. Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant Jns. Moore to be Captn. of a Company
Lieutenant Wm. Brown to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Wm. Birch to be Lieutenant

in Succession to Harding resigned, Date of Rank 15th December 1808.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry R. M. Strange to be Lieut. Colonel Commandant vice Colonel Wahab deceased - Date of Rank 27th December 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Wm. Henry Hewitt from the 17th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Strange promoted - Date of Rank 27th December 1808.

17th. Native Regiment

Captain Chas. Mandeville to be Major -
Captain Lieutenant Jas. Whab to be Captain of a Company
Lieutenant John Lucas to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Hugh Douglas to be Lieutenant

in Succession to Hewitt promoted, Date of Rank 27th December 1808.

17th. Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant C. Lucas to be Captain of a Company
Lieutenant A. N. Bertram to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign John Hoby to be Lieutenant

in Succession to Read deceased, Date of Rank 25th January 1808.

Senior

Senior Major of Infantry Galbraith Hamilton from the 13th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Orr retired; Date of Rank 2d February 1809 —

13th Native Regiment

Captain A. Frith to be Major —
Captain Lieut. Ing. Wm Whyte to be Captn of a Company
Lieutenant Wm Moore to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Chas Brumfield to be Lieutenant

in Succession to Hamilton promoted; Date of Rank 2d Feby 1808.

Madras European Regiment

Ensign Benjn Baker to be Lieutenant vice Newall deceased Date of Rank 28th April 1809.

15th Native Regiment

Ensign Wm Eyles to be Lieutenant vice Sweetland deceased — Date of Rank 29th July 1809 —

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec: to Government.

No 171

Fort St George 16th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council

Council is pleased to direct that the Officer Commanding the Troops in Travancore and Cochin shall consider himself under the orders of the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army, in the same manner as the Officer Commanding in the Provences of Malabar and Canara is subject to the orders of the Officer Commanding Mysore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar
Chief Sec. to Govt.

N 172 Fort St. George. 18th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Thomas Little of the 3d Regiment N. I. to proceed to England from Bombay via China on leave of absence for three years.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Honing of the 5th Regiment N. I. to proceed to England on sick Certificate.

The Governor in Council has been pleased to promote Messrs. Arthur King, John West, Thomas Brereton

Brunton and John Chadwick of the Corps of Artillery to be Lieutenant Fireworkers in the same Corps date of rank to be as settled hereafter.

The Governor in Council has been pleased to promote Mr. Thomas Edwards acting Adjutant of the Extra Squadron of Horse Artillery to the rank of Lieutenant Fireworker in the Corps of Artillery and to take rank next below Lieutenant Fireworker Arthur King.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle
Secy to Government

(True Copies)
(Signed) J. H. Pelle
Secy to Government

N 173

Fort St George the 10th of August 1809.

General Orders, By the Honorable the Governor in Council.

The Governor in Council has received intelligence that the Troops at Chittledroog consisting of the 1st Battalion of the 8th and 15th Regiments N. I. seized in the latter end of July the publick treasure at that Station, Deserted the post entrust-

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entrusted to their care, and in obedience to orders which they received from a Committee who have usurped the Public Authority at Seringapatam; marched on the 6th Instant to join the disaffected Troops in that Garrison, plundering the Villages on their route. The British Resident and the Officer Commanding in Mysore prohibited in the most positive terms the advance of the troops from Chittledroog and demanded from their European Officers a compliance with the resolution of the Governor in Council of the 26th ultimo, by either declaring that they would obey the orders of Government according to the tenor of their Commissions or withdrawing for the present from the exercise of authority. The Officers having refused to comply with this requisition, and having persisted in advancing towards Seringapatam, it became unavoidably necessary to prevent by force their entrance into that Garrison. In the contest which ensued a detachment from the British force under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs, aided by a body of Mysore Horse and 1st Battalion of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry entirely defeated and dispersed the corps from Chittledroog. During this affair a sally was made by the Garrison of Seringapatam on Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs's Camp, but was instantly dri-

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driven back by the Rickets and 6th Regiment of Cavalry under the Com=
=mand of Captain Bean of His Majesty's 25th Dragoons in
Charge of that Regiment.

Nearly the whole of the rebel force
was destroyed while one casualty only was sustained by the Bri=
=tish troops. Lieutenant Jeffries of H. M. 25th Regiment L.
D. having zealously offered his service to carry a flag of truce
which Lieutenant-Colonel Gibbs, anxious to prevent the effusion
of blood, was desirous of despatching to the rebel troops, was slight=
=ly wounded in the execution of that duty by a volley fired under
the express command of a European Officer.

While the Governor in Council par=
=ticipates in the feelings of sorrow that must have been experienced
by the British forces in acting against the rebel troops, and
deeply laments the unfortunate but imperious necessity which
existed for that proceeding he considers it to be due to the conduct
of the British forces to express his high admiration and applause
of the zeal, firmness, and patriotism which they displayed on
that most distressing occasion. Their Conduct affords a further
proof of the superior influence in their minds of the princi=
=ples of virtue honor and loyalty over every other considera=

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consideration, and eminently entitles them to public approbation Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs, Lieutenant Colonel Adams, Major Carden, Captain Bean and Lieutenant Jeffries availed themselves of the opportunities offered to them on this occasion of serving their Country.

The Governor in Council is also happy to distinguish the zeal and loyalty displayed by the 5th Regiment N. C, the 1st Battalion 3d Regiment N. I. and the Mysoor Troops who all manifested an eager desire to perform their duty. The Mysoor horse on one occasion put the Column of the Chittledroog Troops to flight, and took 2 Guns and both the Colours from one of the Battalions: a memorable proof of the weakness of men acting in the worst of causes.

That a body of British Officers should deliberately disobey the orders of their Government, seize the public treasure under their protection, abandon the post entrusted to their charge, march to join a party of men in open opposition to authority, plunder the dominions of a British Ally, and finally bear arms against their Country, must excite, grief and astonishment, but the conduct of these Officers in urging the innocent

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men under their command who had the most powerful
claims on their humanity and care, into the guilt and danger of
rebellion constitutes an aggravation of their offence that cannot
be contemplated without feelings of the deepest indignation
and sorrow. The Governor in Council is very far from wishing
to aggravate the misconduct of those deluded and unhappy
men, but he earnestly hopes that the example of their crimes
and their fate will still impress on the minds of the officers
who have joined in their plans, a sense of the danger of their
situation, and the propriety of endeavouring by their early
obedience and future zeal to efface the deep stain which
has been cast on the honor of the Madras Army.

In announcing to the Native
troops the distressing event described in this order, the Governor
in Council must express his concern that any part of the
Native army should be so far deluded by misrepresentations,
and so lost to a sense of the obligations of fidelity honor and
religion as to act against the Government which has so long
supported them. The General Orders of the 3d Instant, and
the conduct that has been observed towards the Native troops
at the Presidency, the Mount, Vellore, Trichinopoly, Bellary,

Goaty.

Gooty, and Bangalore, must convince the whole native army of the anxiety of Government to promote their welfare, and save them from the dangers into which they were likely to be plunged. The Governor in Council feels the greatest confidence in the fidelity and zeal of the native troops; and is convinced that they will not willingly sully the high reputation which they have so long enjoyed, by joining in the execution of plans that must end in their disgrace and ruin.

The Governor in Council trusts that the unhappy fate of the Chittledroog Battalions, who allowed themselves to be engaged in opposition to their Government, will have the effect of preventing any other part of the native army from suffering themselves under any circumstances to be placed in a situation so adverse to their duty & allegiance.

The Governor in Council avails himself of this occasion to express in the most public manner his high sense of the zeal, moderation energy and ability displayed by the Government of Mysore, and by the British Resident, and Commanding Officer during the transactions

transactions that have recently occured in that Country. The British Resident and the Commanding Officer in Mysoor did not permit the adoption of coercive measures until every means of expostulation and forbearance had been exhausted, and until they were compelled to embrace the alternative of employing force in order to prevent the most fatal evils to the cause of their Country.

The Governor in Council requests that the Honorable Mr. Cole and Lieutenant Colonel Davis will be pleased to accept the expression of his highest approbation and thanks for the moderation, firmness and ability which they manifested on this unprecedented and distressing occasion.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec: to Govt

N 174

Fort St. George 19th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information and

guidance

guidance of the Army the following Regulation & respecting the Police in Military Bazars and Cantonments.

A. D. 1809. Regulation VI.

A Regulation for the support of the Police in the Cantonments and Military Bazars, for defining the powers of the Civil and Military Officers in the performance of that duty, and for fixing the local limits of the said Cantonments and Bazars. — Passed by the Governor in Council of Fort St. George on the 5th May 1809, corresponding with the 25th Chittery 1729th year of Saliwakana and with the 19th Robe ul avul 1224 Wejeree.

Under the existing regulations, the charge of the Police in the Cantonments and Military Bazars is vested in the Magistrates and their Officers. This arrangement having however been in some instances attended with inconvenience, the following rules have accordingly been passed for the more effectual

Preamble,

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effectual support of the police in places of that des-
=cription; for defining the powers of the civil and
Military officers in the performance of that duty;
and for fixing the local limits of the Cantonments
and bazars.

The support of the police and the maintenance of the peace within the limits of cantonments vested in officer commanding the troops.

II. First. The support of the police and the maintenance of the peace within the limits of the cantonments and military bazars (which are to be fixed in the manner hereafter stated) are hereby vested in the officers commanding the troops quar-
=tered at such places. The commanding officers will ac-
=cordingly adopt the necessary measures, by means of the troops under their command, for preventing as far as possible, the commission of thefts, robberies, murders, and other public crimes within the limits of the said cantonments and Military bazars, and for the discovery and apprehension of persons who may at any time be guilty of any such acts.

Commanding officers or others acting under their authorities are not to interfere with

Second. Nothing contained in the preceding rule shall however be construed to authorize the com-
=manding officers of cantonments or the persons acting

under

under their authority in the support of the police, to interfere with respect to assaults and petty affrays, or other offences of inferior magnitude, unless the persons guilty of those offences shall be apprehended in the actual commission of such acts.

with respect to assaults and petty affrays

Third. Any persons apprehended under the preceding rules in any of the cantonments or military bazars on account of the commission of any public crime or offence shall be delivered over with all practicable expedition to the magistrate of the district in which such cantonments or bazars are situated, and the Magistrate shall proceed against the accused in the manner prescribed by the general regulations.

Persons apprehended under the above rules to be delivered over to the magistrate of the district and to be proceeded against in the manner prescribed by the general regulations.

III First. If any person shall have a charge or complaint to prefer against any individual resident in any of the cantonments or military bazars, who may not have been already apprehended by the persons entrusted therein with the support of the police, or if the charge or complaint be of a nature not to authorize those officers under Clause Second of the preceding section to interfere in it, the party deeming

Party aggrieved shall be at liberty to prefer his complaint against any individual, resident in the cantonments or Military bazars, to the Magistrate of the district. Magistrate to proceed against such individuals under the general regulations.

deeming himself aggrieved, is at liberty to prefer his charge or complaint directly to the Magistrate, who is hereby authorised and required to proceed with respect to it under the general regulations, in the same manner, as if the alledged crime or offence had been committed in any other part of his jurisdiction.

Magistrates may issue warrants and summonses against any persons residing in the cantonments, commanding officers on special application or otherwise required to afford protection to the officers of the civil authority, in the discharge of the duties intrusted to them.

Second. Under the foregoing clause, the magistrates are of course empowered to issue their warrants and summonses against any persons residing in the cantonments and military bazars, in the same manner as if such persons resided in any other part of their jurisdiction; and the Commanding Officers of stations are hereby required to afford every protection to the officers of the judges, magistrates, and justices of the peace, in the discharge of the duty entrusted to them, whether any special application shall have been made to them for such aid or support, or otherwise.

Limits of cantonments and military bazars, to be fixed by commanding officers in concert with the

IV. On receipt of this regulation, the limits of the cantonments including the military bazars attached thereto, at which any division or corps

the army, or any considerable detachment not being less than half of a battalion, may be quartered, shall be fixed by the commanding officer in concert with the magistrate. The commanding officer at each of those stations will accordingly submit to Government, through the usual channel, as soon as circumstances may conveniently admit, a report framed in concert with the magistrates of the district in which the cantonments may be situated upon the local limits of the cantonments, forwarding at the same time any separate remarks which the magistrate may wish to make on the subject, for the final orders of the Governor in Council.

with the magistrate of the district. Commanding officer to submit a report upon the local limits of the cantonments with any remarks from the magistrate of the station, for the final orders of government.

V. The above rules shall be considered as applicable to all cantonments, in which any considerable body of the troops not being less than half a battalion is quartered, whether the cantonments be situated at the place of residence of the judge and magistrate, or in any other part of the district.

The above rules to be considered as applicable to all cantonments.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed)

(Signed) I. H. Pelle

Sec. to Government

(A True Copy)

I. H. Pelle

Sec. to Government.

N 175

Fort St. George, 10th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
=cil is pleased to cancel the 1st and 2d Paragraphs of the
G. O. under date 13th October 1807, and to establish the follow-
=ing rules, instead.

1st Every Officer proceeding on duty on board
a Ships of War, Indiaman, or Country Ship, shall receive during
the period he continues on board, the difference between the half
and full Batta of his rank and four rupees a day as passage
money exclusive of his ordinary Garrison allowances.

2d Officers proceeding on duty, on board In-
=diamen or Country Ships shall pay to the Commanders
of these vessels the allowance of four rupees per diem above
=mentioned, in consideration of which, the Commanders
shall supply the Officers with accommodation and a

suitable

suitable table.

By order of the Honorable the Gover-
-nor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile.

Sec: to Government.

N176

Fort St. George 18th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

In consideration of the many ardous and important occasions on which Soobidar Shaik Hoosain 2d. Battalion 6th. Regiment Native Infantry, has been employed, his length of service and the testimonies of his general good character and conduct. The Honorable the Governor in Council as an incitament to emulation and a mark of his approbation of the zealous and meritorious services of Soobidar Shaik Hoosain is pleased to direct that a Palanqueen shall be presented to that Officer in the Name of the Honorable Company with an allow-ance of 20 S. Pagodas per Mensem, to maintain the equipage in adequate style; and that the Amount of his pay shall be continued as a pension for life to the nearest heir of the Soobidar after his death.

From

From motives of Compassion due to the destitute family of a deceased and faithful Officer the Governor in Council is pleased to allow a Monthly stipend of 20 Star Pagodas to Lalli Bhee, the widow of the late Commandant Syud Allee.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Reid,
Sec: to Government.

№ 177

Fort St. George 19th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information and Guidance of the Army the following Regulation respecting the Police in Military Bazars and Cantonments.—

A. D. 1809. Regulation VI

A Regulation for the support of the Police in the Cantonments and Military Bazars; for defining the powers of the Civil and Military Officers in the performance of that duty; and for fixing the local limits of the said Cantonments and Bazars.— Passed by the Governor in Council of Fort St. George on the 15th May 1809 corresponding with

with the 25th Chittery 1729th Year of Saliwakana and with the 19th Rabe ul awul 1224 Hejree.

Under the existing Regulations, the Charge of the Police in the Cantonments and Military bazars is vested in the Magistrates and their Officers. This arrangement having however been in some instances attended with inconvenience, the following rules have accordingly been passed for the more effectual Support of the polices of that description; for defining the powers of the Civil and Military Officers in the performance of that duty; and for fixing the local limits of the cantonments and bazars.— Preamble

The Support of the police and the Maintenance of the peace within the limits of Cantonments vested in Officers Commanding the Troops.—

Commanding Officers to Adopt measures for preventing the Commission of thefts or other public Crimes within the limits of Cantonments and Military bazars.

II. First, The Support of the Police and the Maintenance of the peace with the limits of the Cantonments and Military bazars (which are to be fixed in the manner hereafter stated) are hereby Vested in the Officers commanding the Troops quartered at such places. The commanding Officers will accordingly adopted the necessary measures, by means of the Troops under their Command, for preventing as far as possible, the Commission of thefts, robberies, murders, and other public Crimes within the limits of the said Cantonments and Military bazars and for the

the discovery and apprehension of persons who may at any time be guilty of any such acts.

Commanding Officers of these acting under their authorities are not to interfere with respect to assaults and petty affrays.—

Second.—Nothing contained in the preceeding Rule shall however be construed to authorize the Commanding Officers of Cantonments, of the persons acting under their authority in the support of the police, to interfere with respect to assaults and petty affrays, or other offences of inferior magnitude, unless the persons guilty of those Offences, shall be apprehended in the actotal commission of such acts.—

persons apprehended under the above Rules to be delivered over to the magistrate of the district, and to be proceeded against in the manner prescribed by the general Regulations.

Third. Any person apprehended under the preceeding Rules in any of the cantonments or Military bazars, on account of the commission of any public crime or offence, shall be delivered over with all practicable expedition to the Magistrate of the district in which such cantonments or bazars are situated, and the magistrate shall proceed against the accused in the manner prescribed by the general Regulations.

Party aggrieved shall be at liberty to prefer his Complaint against any individuals, Resident in the Cantonments or Military bazars to the Magistrate of the district.

III. First, If any person shall have a Charge or complaint to prefer against any individual Resident in any of the cantonments or Military bazars, who may not have been already apprehended by the persons entrusted herein with

with the support of the police, or if the Charge or Complaint be of a nature not to authorize those Officers under Clause Second of the preceding Section, to interfere in it; the party deeming himself aggrieved, is at liberty to prefer his Charge or Complaint directly to the magistrate, who is hereby authorized and required to proceed with respect to it under the general Regulations, in the same manner, as if the alleged crime of Offence had been committed in any other part of this jurisdiction. —

Magistrates to proceed against such individuals under the general Regulations. —

Second. Under the foregoing Clause, the Magistrates are of course empowered to issue their warrants and Summonses against any persons Residing in the Cantonments and Military bazars, in the same manner as if such persons Resided in any other part of their jurisdiction; and the Commanding Officers of Stations are hereby required to afford every protection to the Officers of the Judges, magistrates, and Justices of the peace, in the discharge of the duty entrusted to them, whether any Special application shall have been made to them for such said or support, or otherwise. —

Magistrates may issue Warrants and Summons against any person residing in the Can: tonments.

Commanding Officers on special application or otherwise required to afford protection to the Officers of the Civil Authority in the discharge of the Duties entrusted to them.

IV. On Receipt of this Regulation, the Limits of the Canton: ments including the Military bazars attached thereto, at which any division or corps of the Army, or any considerable detachment not being less than half of a battalion, may be quartered, shall be fixed by the Commanding Officer in concert with the Magistrate. The Commanding Officer at each of those Stations will according submit to Government, through the usual Channel, as soon as Circumstances may conveniently admit, a Report framed in con: cert with the magistrate of the district in which the Cantonments may be situated, upon the local limits of the Cantonments for: warding at the same time any separate remarks which the ma: gistrate may wish to make on the Subject, for the final orders of the Governor in Council. —

Limits of Cantonments and Military bazars, to be fixed by Commanding Officers in Concert with the magistrate of the district.

Commanding Officer to submit a Report upon the local limits of the Cantonments, with any remarks from the Magistrate of the District for the final Orders of Government.

V. The above Rules shall be considered applicable to all Cantonments, in which any considerable body of the Troops not being less than half a battalion is quartered, whether the cantonments be situated at the place of Residence of the judge and magistrate, or in any other part of the district. —

The above Rules to be considered applicable to all Cantonments.

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council. —

Signed J. A. Pile
Sec. to Govt. —

Fort St. George 20th August 1809.

N178

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
-cil directs the following appointments to take place.

Doctor Terence Gahagan, to be presi-
-dent of the Medical Board from the 7th Instant, vice Doctor James Anderson deceased, with the title of Physician General, until the pleasure of the Honorable the Court of Directors be known.

Mr. Alexander Watson Senior Super-
-intending Surgeon to be 2d Member of the Medical Board from the 7th Instant, vice Doctor Gahagan promoted.

Doctor Whitelaw Ainslie Senior Sur-
-geon to be Superintending Surgeon in the Southern Division of the Army vice Watson promoted from the 7th Instant and Mr. John Hay to be Surgeon to the 2d Battation of Artillery and to the Cantonment of St Thomas's Mount, from the 7th Instant, vice Ainslie promoted.

2d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Cornet C. P. Samuel to be Adju-
-tant vice Buchan deceased.

Lieutenant Lionel Hook of His
Majesty's

Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Dragoons to be acting Assistant Quar-
ter Master General of the Center Division of the Army; from the
19th Ultimo.

Captain I. T. Trewman of the 22d or
Regiment Native Infantry to be Hindostannee Instructor to
the Cadet Company, vice Stuart resigned.

Captain Pereira of the 2d Battalion
11th Regiment Native Infantry to act as Adjutant to that
Corps: and to be Paymaster of Family Certificates at Vellore; from
the 5th Instant

Captain Alexander Grant of the 24th
Native Regiment to be Commissary of Grain and Provisions to
the force in the field under the Command of Colonel Wilkinson;
without Prejudice to his Regimental Command; in Compliance
with Colonel Wilkinsons Request

By order of the Honorable the Governor
in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec: to Government.

Fort St. George 23d August 1809.

G. O. By Government

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The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
-cil directs the following appointments to take place.—

Lieutenant Mc. Alister of His Ma-
-jesty's 34th. Regiment to act as Assistant Adjutant General
in the Ceded Districts from the 2d. Instant.

Lieutenant Lyon of His Majesty's
34th. Regiment to act as Deputy Judge Advocate in the Ceded
Districts from the 2d. Instant

Lieutenant Carnegie of His Majesty's
34th. Regiment to act as Fort Adjutant of Bellary from the 2d.
Instant.—

Captain J. Moorhouse of Artillery
to be public Agent for the Manufacture of Gun Carriages &c.
at Seringapatam vice Scott resigned from the 21st. Instant—

Lieutenant Nunn of His Majesty's
30th. Regiment to act as Assistant Quarter Master General
in the Southern Division.—

Lieutenant H. Grove of His Ma-
-jesty's 80th. Regiment to be Brigade Major to Lieutenant
Colonel Davis Commanding the Troops in Mysoor from the
2d. Instant

By

By order of the Honorable the Gover-

-nor in Council.

(Signed) I. H. Pile

Sec: to Government.

N 180

Fort St. George 25th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-

-cil is pleased to permit Mr. Surgeon Dove to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope or the Island of St. Helena on Sick certifi-

-cate.—

The Governor in Council confirms the Nomination of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Moore, by the Offi-

-cer Commanding the Subsidiary Force at Hydrabad, to afford Medical aid to the General Staff attached to that Force, and is pleased to grant an allowance of 50 S. Pagodas per Mensem to that Gentleman while employed in the execution of this duty.

The Governor in Council further directs that the appointment of Mr. Moore shall have its effect from the 12th June last the date of the D. O. nominating that gentleman to the charge abovementioned.

A Certificate of the continued ill-

State

state of health of Lieutenant Leigh on leave at the Cape of Good Hope having been submitted to the consideration of the Governor in Council he has been pleased to grant an extention of six Months leave of absence to that Officer for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pile

Sec. to Government

Fort St. George 26th August 1809.

N181

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the following Appointments shall take place:-

Lieutenant A. Adamson of His Majesty's 80th Regiment to act as Commandant of the Resident's escort in Mysore from 1st Instant.

Lieutenant Frederick Grove of His Majesty's 80th Regiment to act as Commandant of the honorary Guard of His Highness the Rajah of Mysore, from the 2d Instant.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Darby of his Majesty's

69th Regiment to act as Deputy Judge Advocate to the Troops

in Wynaar from the 10th Instant without prejudice to his appoint

-ment of Fort Adjutant of Bangalore

Lieutenant Cadenskie of His Majesty's

81st Regiment to act as Adjutant of the 2d Battalion 3d Regiment

from the 9th Instant

Mr William Ingledew to take Charge

of the Establishment of public Cattle in the room of Lieu-

-tenant Hervey without prejudice to the situation as Sur-

-geon to the Residency in Wynaar

Lieutenant Brett of the Artillery to

Act as Commissary of Stores at Cannara from the date of Cn

Captain Lemonds removal

By order of the Honorable the Go-

-vernor in Council

(Signed) I H Pelle

Sec: to Government

N182

Fort St George 26th August 1809

G O By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-

-cil

Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowances for August and the pay for September of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of September and on the following Days.-

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pole

Sec. to Government

Fort St. George 26th August 1809.

N183

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council

Circumstances having occurred which induced Colonel Close to relinquish the Command of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force on his arrival there on the 3rd instant: which it was resumed by Lieutenant Colonel Montresor - The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint Colonel Close to the Command of that Force - and also to the Command of the field Force assembled in the Ceded Districts.-

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

Fort

N184

Fort St George the 30th of August 1809.

General Orders by the Honorable the Governor in Council.

A Report has been received by the Governor in Council from the Officer commanding in Mysoor stating that the Troops which composed the Garrison of Seringapatam surrendered at discretion on the 23d Instant, delivered up their Arms, and proceeded to the Stations in Mysoor allotted for their Residence.

It has been ascertained that the Native Troops which proceeded from Chittledroog were entirely ignorant of the real designs of their Officers; and marched under an impression produced by their Officers, that His Highness the Rajah of Mysoor had commenced hostility against the British Government and attacked the Fort of Seringapatam. The appearance of the Mysoor horse confirmed this opinion in the minds of those troops; and when they found in the Contest before Seringapatam which was begun by the Mysoor horse that the British force acted against them, they abandoned their Arms, and endeavored to save their lives by flight. It appears that a considerable Number escaped into the Fort of

Seringapatam

Seringapatam.—

This explanation is due to the general conduct of the Native troops under this Government who have in circumstances of peculiar difficulty manifested a fidelity and attachment to the State that reflect great honor on their character.

The Governor in Council was persuaded that it was only by deceiving the Native troops that they could be misled from their duty; and their conduct in every Situation where they had an opportunity of being made acquainted with the true Situation of affairs justifies the high opinion which he entertained of their zeal and fidelity, and entitles them to the approbation and thanks of the Government.

The Governor in Council greatly ascribes the early termination of the disturbances in Mysore to the Vigilance, energy and talents of the Acting Resident The Honorable Arthur Cole, and the Commanding Officer in Mysore Lieutenant Colonel Davis, and he judges it proper again to express his high sense of the important Services which they have

rendered

tendered to the interests of their Country in India.—

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) A. Falconar

Chief Sec. to Govt.

N 185

Fort St. George 30th August 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Officers when exercising the actual command of Regiments or Battalions in cases where the Senior Officer of the Corps may be in command of a Division, Detachment (consisting of not less than three Corps) or Brigade of the Army, shall be considered entitled to the difference between the half and full Batta of their Regimental Rank, notwithstanding the Regiment or Battalion may be stationed within the Division or composing a part of the Detachment or Brigade of the Army commanded by the Senior Officer of such Corps, and that when in the Field the Officers abovementioned shall be considered entitled to superior Batta agreeably to the G. O. of 10th June 1808.

By order of the Honorable the Governor

Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George 30th August 1809.

N 186

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the Nomination of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Spiers to the execution of the Medical duties at Pondicherry from the date of the Garrison Order issued by Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart on that subject.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Government.

N 187 Fort St. George 30th August 1809.

G. O. By Government.

Frequent applications being made to the Military Board for Supplies of Stationary from the Import Warehouse for the use of Officers and Departments not authorized to receive it, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for

for general information that the following departments only are in future to receive Stationary without payment on indents passed by the Military Board Viz.t

Commander in Chiefs' Office

Military Board Office

" Auditor Generals

" Paymaster Generals'

Adjutant Generals Office

Quarter Master Generals —

Chief Engineers

Superintending Engineers of Divisions and Stations — To be applied for through the Chief Engineer.

Commandant of Artillery

Commissary of Stores in Charge of the Arsenal at the Residency.

Town Majors Office.

The G. O. of the 4.th October 1806 directs that Adjutants of Corps in the Honorable Company's Service shall receive a certain quantity of Stationary at prime cost, and it is not intended that this order should prevent a continuance of that indulgence —

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By order of the Honorable the Gover-
-nor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

N188A

Fort St. George 1st Septr. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Superintending Surgeon Fleming to visit the Presidency on three Months leave of absence.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Colhoun to the Medical charge of the Garrison of Tranquebar vice Hay removed.

By order of the Honorable the Gover-
-nor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

N188B Fort St. George 1st Septr. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

In consideration of the inadequa-
-cy of the allowance granted to Officers in command of

Divisions

Divisions of the Army under the rank of Genral Officers to enable them to provide and carry the Camp Equipage requisite in their situations The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Officers in Command of Divisions of the Army and the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force not being General Officers on the Staff shall on lieu of the Regimental Tent allowance now granted to them be permitted to draw 3/4ths of the allowance granted to General Officers on the Staff by the Regulations of 1796 for Camp Equipage and Travelling charges while in Garrison and while in the field accordingly as they may be situated.

In consequence of the additional allowance now granted Officers Commanding Divisions of the Army not being Generals on the Staff are not to be considered as having any claim to public Quarters at the Stations where they may occasionally reside within their Divisions

By Order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Reid
Sec: to Govt

N 189

Fort St. George 2d Sept. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council

Council directs that the following appointments shall take place in the force equipping for field service under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Fane.—

Lieutenant Rich.d Crew of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry Assistant Adjutant General in the Centre Division of the Army, to be Paymaster and Commissary of Grain and Provisions; and Captain Carroll of His Majestys 69th Regiment to act as Assistant Adjutant General while Lieutenant Crew is employed as Paymaster &c.a

Captain Thomas Chadwick of His Majestys 22d Dragoons to be Assistant Agent for Cavalry supplies.—

Captain Alured Gibson of Artillery to be Commissary of Stores, with the usual allowance of that Office, and to have charge of the hired Cattle.—

The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that the following appointments shall take place.—

Captain Watts of His Majestys 19th Regiment of Foot to be Superintendent of Bazars in Travancore from the 19th of August last.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Richard West of the 13th Regi-
-ment Native Infantry to be Deputy Judge Advocate to the
Southern Division of the Army.

Sergiant Wm Hill of Effective Su-
-pernumerary to be a Conductor of Ordnance.-

By Order of the Honorable the Go-
-vernor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

N 190 Fort St George 3d Septr 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
-cil is pleased to promote Mr Conductor Gleaddow O'Con-
-nel to the rank of Lieutenant Fireworker in the Corps of
Artillery to take rank next below Lieutenant Firework-
-er Derville - date of rank to be settled hereafter.-

By order of the Honorable the Go-
-vernor in Council.-

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

Fort

No 91.

Fort St. George 9th Sept. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Coun-
-cil directs that the following appointments shall take
place.

Artillery

Captain Lieutenant J. S. Mack-
-intosh to be Brigade Major of Artillery vice Grant.

Lieutenant Fireworker King to
be Adjutant of the 1st Battalion of Artillery vice
Mackintosh.

Lieutenant Fireworker G. O.
Connell to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion of Artill-
-ry vice Cutler.

Lieutenant Murray to be Quar-
-ter Master of the 1st Battalion of Artillery vice Briggs.

Lieutenant Heckley to be
Quarter Master to the 2d Battalion of Artillery vice
Frith.

Captain Nixon of the 2d Batta-
-lion of Artillery to be Commissary of Stores at Serin-
-gapatam.

Mr

Mr. Deputy Commissary Penn to be Commissary of Stores and appointed to St. Thomas's Mount and to the charge of the Laboratory at that Station.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec. to Govt.

N192

Fort St. George 9th September 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information and guidance of the Army the following Regulations for the Post Office Department.

Government Advertisement.

Public Department.

Notice is hereby given that the Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to establish the following improved Regulations for the Post Office Department which are to take effect from the 1st December next.

Para. 1. — That all Letters of every description, not on the Public Service, shall be liable to Postage, except those from, and bearing

bearing the Signature of the Governor, a Judge of the Supreme Court, a Member of Council, a Commander in Chief of the Army or His Majesty's Naval Commander in Chief, on the envelope, or such as may be franked by the Chief Secretary to Government.

2.— That all Letters addressed to the Governor, Commander in Chief, a Judge of the Supreme Court, a Member of Council, or His Majesty's Naval Commander in Chief, shall bear the usual Postage, except such as may be exclusively on the Public Service, from an Official record, and are included in the List hereafter directed to be delivered in monthly upon honor.

3.— That no Postage be charged on Letters on the Service.

4.— That all Letters marked "On the Service," coming from the following Officers, and Offices, & bearing on the envelope the name and official designation of the person by whom they may be written, shall pass free of Postage.

The Governor,
Chief Judge of the Supreme Court,
The Commander in Chief,

The

The Admiral,

Their Secretaries,

Members of Council,

Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court,

The Chief Secretary to Government,

The Secretaries to Government,

The Secretaries of the Revenue, Commercial, Military, and Medical Boards— Letters to be endorsed "On Service" and Signed on the Envelope with the words "by order of the Board of ."

Register of the Sudder Adawlut,

Dr. of Circuit Courts,

Dr. of Zillah Dr.

The above Letters to be Endorsed "On Service" and Signed on the Envelope with the words "by order of the Court of ."

Revenue Collectors,

Commercial Residents

Residents at Durbars and Foreign Courts,

Accountant General,

Post Master General,

General Officers on the Staff,

Chief Engineer,

Commandant

Commandant of Artillery,

Town Major of Fort St. George,

Commanding Officers of Stations, Corps, or Detach-
-ments, Assistant Adjutant and Quarter Masters General of Di-
-visions.

Adjutant General,

Deputy Do. to the King's Troops,

Quarter Master General,

Military Auditor General,

Military Paymaster General,

Paymasters to Stations,

Deputy Do. to the King's Troops,

Judge Advocate General and Deputies,

General Agent for Cavalry Supplies,

Agent for public Cattle,

Agent for Gun Carriages,

Commissary of Stores in Charge of the Arsenal at
Fort St. George,

Superintending Surgeons of Divisions.

5.— All Letters from, or to, non-Com-
-missioned Officers or Privates in His Majesty's Navy and Army, or
from, or to, European non-Commissioned Officers and privates, or

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from, or to Native Commissioned or non-Commissioned Officers and Privates, in the Honorable Company's Marine, and Military Service, shall pass free of Postage, but in order to prevent any abuse of this indulgence, no Letters from the above description of persons, shall be exempted from Postage, unless they bear on the envelope, the Official Signature of their respective Commanding Officers.

With a view to prevent as much as possible any abuse of the foregoing indulgence, it is directed that the number of Letters so franked, do not exceed the proportion of one Letter daily to every two hundred Men, in quarter, and of one Letter to every hundred men, when marching or in the field and further that Letters so franked, are to be included in the Register hereafter directed to be sent monthly.

6.— That all Letters marked "On the Service" not attested as afore described, shall be liable to postage.

7.— That when a Public Officer under Government shall have occasion to correspond with individuals, not on the Public Service, but on the more immediate business of the individuals, as in the case of transmitting Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, receipts, or any other description of Government Securities &c. &c. the Public Officer forwarding the Letters, shall, in such cases superscribe on the Envelope or

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with his Official Signature, the words "bearing Postage" when Letters having such superscriptions shall be received at the General Post Office, — the Post Master of the Station to which the Letter goes, shall collect the amount from the party, to whom it may be addressed and delivered, and when vice versa, such Letters are addressed by an individual to a Public Officer of Government the Postage shall be received from the person delivering the letter at the Post Office.

8. — All Letters from subordinate Officers to their respective Boards are to be addressed to the Board, and not to the Secretary: who is, however, to frank all Letters from the Board in the form before directed, and all Letters to the other Public Officers are to be addressed to the head of the office, and not to any subordinate Officer in it.

9. — That conformable to the principle of charging 1½ fanam for each single letter for every 100 miles, the following rates to be adopted.

Letters not exceeding in weight one Rupee to be considered as single from

1 to ..... 1½ double.

1½ to ..... 2 treble.

2 to ..... 2½ quadruple

2½ to

2½ to ..... 3 or 1oz. to be consider-
-ed as a Packet; and to bear five times the original Postage and for
every additional half ounce, treble the original postage, of a
single Letter, to the place where such letter is addressed, is to be
added, to the extent of 12 ounces, beyond which all Letters are to
be sent by the Cavedy Tappal.

10.— That Postage be levied on all Ship Letters
to, or from, all parts of the world and charged conformable to
the following table of rates, with the exception of Europe Letters
from, and to, the Governor, Judges of the Supreme Court & Mem-
-bers of Council, and Naval and Military Commander in
Chief.

Single Letters weighing as marked in the pre-
ceding table to pay 3 Fanams and beyond that, to increase at the
rate of 1½ Fanam for every ½ Rupee weight till the weight
shall exceed 12 Rupees, when they are to be considered as Packets
and subject to the payment of one Pagoda.

11.— All Ship Letters for the out Stations
to be liable to the rates specified in the foregoing table, in ad-
-dition to the established inland postage, and that on all
Ship Letters for the out Stations, upon which the Ship Postage
has not been paid "Ships Postage not paid" is to be marked on

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the envelope, and the Ship Postage thereof, as well as the in-
-land Postage thereon, is to be collected by the Post Master of the
Station, at which the person resides, to whom the letter is ad-
addressed. That the Ship Postage on all Letters intended for exporta-
-tion, is to be collected from the parties at the foregoing rates by
the Post Master of the office into which the Letter is first put,
along with the inland Postage they may bear to the General Post
Office.

12.— That, as an encouragement to persons
having Ship Letters to bring them to the Post Office, a reward
of one Janam shall be paid to the person so bringing them
on delivery thereof.

13.— That all Newspapers pay Postage; that
those (with the exception of the Government Gazette) within
the weight of one ounce, be considered as single Letters and pay
according ly, and that all beyond that weight pay prorata ac-
according to their weight — That the Government Gazette,
shall be, for the present, charged only with half Postage.

14.— That the Master attendant shall im-
immediately report to the General Post Office, the arrival of all
vessels from Europe, and particularly attend to the early land-
-ing of their Letter Packets, which are to be sent to the General

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Post Office, and there opened, the Secretary to Government, or some one deputed by him, attending to receive the public despatches, and when the Letters for the Governor, Commander in Chief, and Members of Council shall have been selected, the remainder shall be Registered previous to their being delivered to the public.

15th — That the Boxes of Letters for Europe be finally closed at the Post Office, and, when closed, forwarded to the Office of the Secretary to Government in the Public Department. —

16. — That the Master Attendant shall give early intimation to the General Post Office of the intended departure of all vessels for any of the Eastern British Possessions, Cape of Good Hope, or elsewhere, with which there is no inland communication, and deliver to the Commanders of such vessels on their departure, any Letter Packets that may be sent to his Office from the General Post Office, and obtain a receipt for the same, which receipt is to be lodged in the Post Office

17th — That hereafter the hours for despatch of the Dawk shall be six in the Evening, and the hours for the General Post Office to be open to the public, shall be as follows:

From 10 A. M. to 1 P. M. for both

both the receipt and delivery of Letters and from 3 to 5 P.M. for the receipt of Letters only.

18. That no Letters or Parcels containing money, jewels, or any article of value, shall be permitted to be sent by Despatch.

19.— That no detention whatever of the mails must be suffered at any of the inland Stations; & that when the public Service requires it, an Express may be despatched, but at the risk of the person causing it to be despatched for any improper abuse of this privilege.

In order to ascertain correctly that the preceding Regulation has been acted upon to its full extent, a table will be prepared at the General Post Office shewing the distance and probable time of arrival at each Station, with which the returns to be made by the person in charge at each Station will be compared, and the Collector be held responsible for any delay which may occur.—

20.— All public Officers, both Civil and Military shall send to the Offices of the Paymaster, or other public Officer from whom he shall receive his pay, a List of the Public Letters despatched by him during the Month

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proceeding with the following attestation upon honor at the foot of the same.

"I do hereby certify upon my honor that the above is a correct List of all the public Letters despatched under my signature during the Month of and that they were solely and intirely on the public service."

24. — That no abstract of pay be charged except it be accompanied by a list to the above effect, and if it be paid without attention to this point, that circumstance alone to be considered as a sufficient cause of retrenchment.

22. — The lists given in by the Officers in the Civil Department to be forwarded to the Office of the Civil Auditor, with the Monthly accounts of the person paying the abstracts, and those in the Military Departments to the Office of the Military Auditor General.

23. — That the lists so forwarded do remain in deposit in the Office to which they are sent for the purpose of comparing, if required, with the list which will be ordered to be forwarded direct from the persons in charge of the Sub-ordinate Post Office to the Post Master General.

24. — With the view of obviating the possi-

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possibility of misconception with regard to the Letters intended to be exempted from Postage, it is to be unequivocally understood, that in with the exception of Letters from the Honorable the Gover-nor, Commander in Chief, a Member of Council, His Majes-ty's Naval Commander in Chief, the Judges of the Supreme Court, or such as are franked by the Chief Secretary to Go-vernment, all Letters and Papers that are not exclusively on the business of the Public Service, and that have not been previously entered as an Official Record, are to be subject to Post-age, and should it come to the knowledge of the Governor in Council, that any of the Officers, Civil or Military, now authorized to address Letters on the Service, make an improper use of the trust so reposed in them, by conveying Letters on their own private concerns under a Cover superscribed "On the Ser-vice," the Governor in Council will consider it to be a disqua-lification for office.

25. — Should the name of any Public Officer, obliged from his situation to carry on public correspon-dence, be omitted in the list, he will address a letter to Go-vernment stating the nature of his public correspondence, when if it is deemed of sufficient importance, his name will

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be added to the list, as some public Officer already included in the list, be directed to superscribe his letters on the service.

26.— Any Officer on duty or leave of absence, at the Residency, having occasion to correspond on public service, will carry his letter to the Adjutant General, who upon being satisfied that the letter is exclusively upon the public service, will frank the same.

27.— All Officers similarly situated at the Subordinates will apply to the Commanding Officers of the Stations where they may be.

28.— With a view of preventing the suppression of private Letters, and the misappropriation of their Postage, it is directed that in future all receipts granted at the Post Office, for letters delivered in, either at the Residency or Subordinates shall be upon stamped Paper, specifying the rate of single Postage, date of letter delivered, the place of destination, and size of letter, i.e. whether single, double or more.

Distinct Stamps shall be issued for each description of Letters which shall have engraved on them the word single, double, treble, quadruple, or packet and

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the same shall be repeated in each of the Native Languages.

With this facility of discovery, every individual, both European, and Native, whose Letter does not reach its destination will be enabled to obtain redress upon application to the Post Master General.

The Governor in Council deems it proper to repeat that any deviation from the preceding Rules will not fail to subject the offending person to the severest public displeasure.

Published by order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

Fort St. George,
November 18, 1808.

G. Buchan
Chief Sec. to Govt.

Government Advertisement

Public Department

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct that the following Regulations shall be established in the Post Office Department in addition to the Regulations published in the Government Advertisement under date the 18th November 1808.

The undermentioned Officers shall be authorized

authorized to despatch letters bona fide on the Public Service, free from Postage, subject however to the declaration upon honor prescribed in the 20th Paragraph of the Government Advertisement under date the 16th November last viz.t

The Senior Chaplain at the Presidency,

The acting Naval Officer at Madras,

The Agent for the Governm.t of Ceylon,

The Master Attendant at the Presidency,

The Treasurer of the Government Bank,

The Commissioner at Tranquebar,

Barrack Masters of Divisions when employed upon their periodical tours of inspection,

The Officer in Charge of the General Survey,

The Superintendents of the Surveys of Travancore and the Nizam's dominions,

Judges of the Provincial Courts when employed upon Circuit,

The Superintendent of Police,

The Medical Storekeeper at the Presidency in cases of an emergent nature. The letters and packets despatched by this Officer are in ordinary cases to be

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franked by the Secretary to the Medical Board.

The Conservator of Forests in Malabar.

The Superintendent of Stamps.

Officers in charge of detached branches of depart-
-ment of which the principals are autho-
-rized to frank official letters, shall be
permitted to despatch letters on the Public
Service free from Postage, subject however
to the prescribed declaration upon honor.

Letters from or to Non-Commis-
-sioned Officers or Privates of the European and Native Invalids
shall pass free from Postage under the official signature of
their respective Commanding Officers in the proportion estab-
-lished with respect to the effective troops in the 5th Paragraph
of the Government Advertisement of the 18th November 1808.

Published by order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council.

Fort St. George,
7th February 1809.

G. G. Keble,
Secretary to Govt.

In addition to the above, orders have been

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received for restoring to the Superintendent of the Government Press the privilege of franking letters, exclusively on the business of that Institution and for allowing the Government Gazettes and Books printed at the Government Press, to be forwarded by Inland Post, the former Post free, and the latter at the rate of Postage chargeable on a single letter only.

Orders have likewise been given for the receipt of letters, exclusively on the Public Service, from the Senior Officer of His Majesty's Navy, it being understood that when more than one Ship of war is at the same Station all Service Letters must be franked by the Senior Officer.

Fort St George
April 6, 1809.

The following Declaration upon honor shall be made by Officers entitled to frank the Letters of Soldiers Sailors, or Sepoys.—

I do hereby Certify upon my Honor that to the best of my knowledge and Belief the above is a correct List of all the Public Letters exclusive of Soldiers, Sailors and Sepoys Letters despatched under my Signature during the Month of and that they were Solely and entirely on the Pub-

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Public Service.—

By order of the Honorable the Go-
-vernor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Government

No 93

Fort St. George 9th September 1809.

G. O. By the Honorable the Governor in Council.

The appointment of Colonel Close to the Command of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, and to the General Command of the Field Force ordered to assemble in the Ceded Districts, will not interfere with the appoint-ment of Lieutenant-Colonel Conran to the special Command of the latter.—

Lieutenant Colonel Conran will proceed with the force under his Command to Hyderabad, and place himself un-der the orders of Colonel Close.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) A. Falconar
Chief Sec. to Govt.

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N194 Fort St George 9th September 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Major Robert Price of the 2d Battalion 24th Regiment Native Infantry to the Command of the Fort of Palamcottah and District of Tinnevelly

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pole
Sec. to Govt

N195 Fort St George 10th Sept. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Pendergast of the 9th Regiment N. I. to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion of that Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pole
Sec. to Govt

N196 Fort St George 11th September 1809.

G. O. By the Right Honorable the Governor General.

The Right Honorable Gilbert Lord Minto Governor

Governor General for all the Forces and affairs of the British Nation in India, having Judged his presence at the Residency of Fort St. George to be expedient for the Public Service, His Ld Lordship hereby Notifies to the army that he is arrived at the said Residency accordingly, and he requires all Officers and Soldiers under this Residency to obey him as Governor General in Council at Fort St. George according to the provisions of the Act of the 33d. Year of His Present Majesty, Chapter 52.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) S. H. Pole
Sec. to Govt.

N197 Fort St. George 15th Sept. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has been pleased to grant leave of absence to the Officers undermentioned:

Colonels
Lieutenant, Aldwell Taylor 15th Regiment N. I.: Samual Pitton 21st Regiment N. I. and James George Scott of the Artillery to proceed to England on furlough for three Years, in the event of Lieutenant-Colonel Taylor being unable to proceed in the next home-

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homeward bound fleet, he is to be permitted to reside and draw his pay at Chicacole until the final adjustment of his private affairs permits him to embark.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Mc Laren of the 2d Battalion 8th Regiment N. I. to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope and eventually to England on Sick Certificate. —

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that Lieutenant Atterson of the Madras European Regiment shall be removed to the Invalid List and permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pirie
Sec. to Govt.

N 198

Fort St. George 15th September 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, that the Promotions, Corrections, and alterations of Rank undermentioned shall take place.

8th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Robert Waters to be Lieutenant, &

date

date of commission 13th August 1809.

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign George Hutchinson to be Lieutenant, date of commission 7th August 1809.

Corrections and Ajustment of Rank.

Infantry.	Date of Commission.
Ensign James Brodie,	23d June 1808.
Samuel Mansell,	30th do. do.
Charles Charlesworth,	2d July do.
Henry Cazalett,	5th do. do.
James Scott,	19th do. do.
Andrew Gray,	21st do. do.
William Stoke,	3d August do.
John B. Berry,	17th do. do.
Alexander Tweedie,	19th do. do.
Chris. Bagot,	21st do. do.
Henry Sergeant,	22d do. do.
Marshall Clarke,	27th do. do.
John Todd,	28th do. do.
Henry Allen,	1st Sept. do.
Henry Harrison,	9th do. do.
J. W. Cleveland,	29th do. do.

Andrew

Andrew Hendrie,	2d October 1808.
J. R. Stockdale,	2d do. do.
Joseph Anthony,	5th do. do.
William Herring,	12th do. do.
William Strachan,	19th do. do.
Thomas Thwillian,	22d Novr do.
Alexander Borthwick,	10th Decr do.
John Bate,	27th do. do.
Law. Macdowall,	29th do. do.
Henry Carter,	10th January 1809.
Avery Inman,	25th do. do.
Henry B. King	2d February do.
Robert Frew,	1st March do.
Henry Salmon,	7th do. do.
Richard Morrison,	10th do. do.
D. C. Stewart,	20th do. do.
W. S. Darby,	7th April do.
John Wilson,	10th April 1809.
George Case,	28th do. do.
R. M'Leod,	29th May do.
Nicol Spence,	29th July do.
Wm Myers,	7th August 1809.

James

James Clemons	18th August 1809.
Corps of Artillery.	Date of Commission
Lieutenant Fireworker C. W. Black,	22d August 1808.
Alexander Cunningham Crichton,	12th Jany 1809.
Alexander Crawford,	12th do. do.
Andrew Lumsden Murray,	11th February do.
Henry Stewart,	11th do. do.
Henry Head Gore,	11th do. do.
Thomas Nelson,	11th do. do.
Frederick Deville,	11th do. do.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Bele.
Sec. to Govt

No 199

Fort St. George, 15th September 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council directs that Messrs. Samuel Oliver Smith, Frederick Hope Patterson, and James Anderson Cadets shall be dismissed from the Service of the Honorable Company in consequence of the active part they took in the late riotous and insubordinate proceedings of the Cadet

Company

Company at Cuddalore and be placed in custody of the Town Major of Fort St. George until an opportunity offers of sending them to Europe.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pole.

Sec. to Govt.

N 200

Fort St George, 22d. September 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Superintending Surgeon Kennedy to proceed to England on furlough for three years.—

His Lordship in Council directs that Messrs. John Harwood and John Monteath be admitted Assistant Surgeons on this Establishment from the 15th Instant the date of their arrival at this Presidency.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pole

Sec: to Govt.

N 201

Fort St. George 25th Sept. 1809

G. O. By the Right Honorable the Governor General.

On my arrival at Fort St George I learnt

learnt that several important changes had taken place in the affairs of this Presidency, subsequent to the Events which had come to my knowledge at the period of my departure from Bengal.

The first act of open revolt which had already been committed by the Garrison of Masulipatam, had been followed by proceedings not less criminal and desperate at some of the most considerable Stations as well as at some subordinate posts of the Army. These measures had been undertaken in connexion with a guilty combination and concert, the extent of which I cannot contemplate without the deepest concern.

I had cherished as long as Events would yet allow me to do so, that cordial Esteem for the Army of the Coast at large, which a long and uniform display of every Military virtue had, till this calamitous season, so well justified, and which had led me perhaps too pertinaciously, to ascribe the prevailing disorders rather to a partial, than to a general defection from duty.

This habitual regard for the Army of Fort St George, has much embittered the necessity of renouncing even for an interval, and I trust I may now say a short one, sentiments which were once so just and are still so grateful

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to my mind.

It is matter of satisfaction to reflect, that I have yielded these favorable impressions to the evidence of facts alone, and that it has required those scenes which have been acted in open day, without affecting even the decency of conceal=ment, to extort from me the reluctant acknowledgement of a too general participation in the late criminal confederacy, which, while it casts a colder shade over the former reputation of this Army has also given to their proceedings a more serious and awe=ful character, since the blow which the contest alone, but which success even without contest, would yet more certainly have struck into the bosom of their Country, must have been proportionably the deeper and more incurable.

The anxiety and grief which would have attended the necessity of such a contest as this state of things appeared likely to require, has however been spared me, by the re==turn of the Officers to their duty, a final renunciation of the criminal designs which had directed their late conduct, and an unqualified submission to Legal Authority before my arrival at Madras.

The leading and principal facts had been placed so entirely beyond doubt or question, by the bold, undis=

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undisguised character of the revolt and the general principles of the deliberation on which I was entering are so plain and manifest in themselves, that a resolution might perhaps have been safely taken with little reflection or delay.

The consequences however of the judgment I had to pronounce, on one hand to the public interest, and on the other to a numerous body, whose title to respect and regard could not be entirely effaced from my mind even by the culpable excesses of a short and distempered period, were so momentous, that I could not consent to hazard a decision unsupported by such previous investigation both of fact and argument, as the urgent nature of the subject admitted — It is matter of much comfort to my own mind therefore, and will I doubt not afford satisfaction to others that the measures I have now to announce to the Army, have been the result of individual enquiry as to facts and of the most mature, as well as anxious personal meditation on every point of Justice, public policy and official duty, which ought to guide the deliberations and counsels of a Government on such a Question.

I have not neglected to look back once more to the origin of these troubles, and I am constrained to repeat the sentiments already delivered on that branch of the subject — Nothing can

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justify the revolt of an Army; but I have been disappointed in my search even for circumstances of mitigation in this revolt. No injury has, in my apprehension, been done to the Army, in any stage of a conflict which began in a factious attack on Government — But if in the necessary vindication of authority any point may have arisen which might be thought interesting to the Military Body at large, the regular and legitimate recourse to the ultimate authorities was not only open, but was actually in progress — Seditious combination therefore can find no apology in the case, neither can punishments inflicted on individuals acts of sedition, furnish a just provocation to general confederacy. —

The commission of crimes draws after it the penalties attached to them, and in this process, it is Government which is driven to repeat punishments and multiply restraints by the growth and repetition of offences — It does not lye in the Offenders mouths to say that they have been driven into the commission of crimes by the repetition of punishments.

Such however appears to have been the false and inverted principle by which this contagion has spread from a partial faction to a general revolt.

The latter excesses of the revolted Officers appear

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to have sought a justification, and perhaps to have found support from an error extremely similar.

The necessary, because the only effectual means of defence which government could employ against violence with which it was threatned, have been converted into arguments of greater violence, have been treated as crimes, and as new provocations to that very rebellion, by which these measures were themselves, rendered indispensable.

On the other hand I have examined with more than impartiality, that is to say, with an earnest desire to establish the most favorable conclusions for the Officers of this Army, all the circumstances which attended and might be supposed to have influenced the sudden return of the Army to its duty. I am little inclined to pronounce an adverse and ungracious judgment on that interesting point. I will not however, either on this or any other occasion sacrifice Truth to the indulgence of my personal disposition and wishes, and I have to regret that neither the particular circumstances of the moment, nor the specific information which has fallen under my observation, can warrant as clearly as I wish, the opinion, I am desirous of entertaining, that the submission of the Army to legal authority may be exclusively ascribed to a returning sense of duty, and the mere operation of

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public principle— I am at the same time unwilling to probe that question more deeply than the occasion requires, and I am entirely disposed, amongst the complicated motives of an action good in itself, to discern at least the co-operation of worthy and honorable inducements— The latter sentiment has not been excluded from the considerations on which my judgment has been formed, and has been allowed a most welcome, and acceptable influence on the final measures that have been adopted.

It is not my intention to enlarge on the grounds of the opinions I have now delivered, and I have touched upon them only for the purpose of explaining one of the principle foundations of my decision— The acts being in themselves highly criminal, I have discovered neither in the motives that led to them, nor in the immediate inducements to submission, sufficient palliation to entitle offences so dangerous to our country and the world to simple impunity and pardon. Clear and incapable of doubt as this proposition is, I have not yielded my implicit and final assent to it without a repeated review of every consideration that could oppose that conclusion, nor without many struggles of private sensibility and feeling against the lamented consequences which must practically result from it— But these are questions not of private sensibility, but of public trust. I have in charge the discipline of future Armies— The maintenance of that fixed and

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immutable principle, that Military Bodies are subordinate to the state; in a word the fundamental securities of human association— I cannot exclude from my mind the intimate conviction that the total impunity of revolt under all the circumstances of the present events is not compatible with those securities; that the silence of the Law, in the case of Arms turned against the Government that gave them, of Fortresses seized by those who were stationed to protect them, of Troops seduced by the Officers to whose better guardianship they were committed, could be ascribed to no motive, and produce on the minds of those who should witness it, even from a distance, no impression favorable to Obedience and discipline. Upon what distinction shall we rely hereafter in the punishment of inferior offenders, and acts of minor insubordination, when impunity is the established result of mutiny, in which the officers of a whole army were the actors, and of which their Superiors and Commanders have been the principal promoters and leaders?

This painful argument is extorted from me, not for the purpose of reproach, but to satisfy my unwilling judgment in the afflicting but inevitable conclusion, that total impunity is forbidden by every obligation of my high trust.

There is yet, I hope, a mitigating principle in the most austere exercise of English justice; that justice, which, while it obeys the call of public safety, is ever accessable to the interced-

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interceding voice of clemency and mercy. A lenient and even a tender administration of justice is at once the boast and privilege of our glorious and happy country.

From its sterner duties I must not entirely shrink, but if I am prompted, by the best propensities of every human bosom, to infuse into the conviction of subdued offences the largest measures of indulgence compatible with the ends of justice, I shall be a faithful representative of our common sovereign, and shall but illustrate and exemplify the national character of his people. To this truly English virtue I shall appeal, if any one should think that, either in the gratification of personal feelings, or in emulation of the characteristic clemency of England, I may have given too wide a scope to indulgence, and have done too little for public discipline.

In pursuance of these views, the principle I have thought myself at liberty to adopt has been to limit the number of punishments, since impunity cannot be general, and to mitigate their degrees to the utmost extent of clemency not entirely incompatible with the public good, and the indispensable demands of justice.

In the execution of this principle, it has been necessary to make a small selection from a great many of delinquency.

delinquency, all subject in strictness to the penalties of the law; and that such a choice should neither be capricious nor subject to the suspicion of partiality, I have adopted general criteri-=ons, the principles of which are manifestly just, and the applica-=tion of which to particular cases is subject to no difficulty.

The first ground of selection is the commis-=sion of some overt act of rebellion or mutiny, such as seizing on Fortresses, or public treasure; actual Hostility against the troops of His Majesty, the Company, or its Allies; quitting the Station allotted to troops without orders, or the refusal to obey the orders of Government.

This principle of selection would libe-=rate a considerable proportion of the Army; but it would in-=-volve a much greater number than it enters into my views to exclude from pardon.

It is necessary therefore to select from the numerous class already described a smaller number compriz-=ed within a narrower head of distinction.

That selection is to consist of the Officers in Command of Stations, or bodies of troops, Commandants of Corps and persons + + o o = peculiarly distinguished for a forward and violent part in the most criminal acts or proceedings of the

Army

Army.—

The whole of this highly criminal and peculiarly responsible, but not numerous class, will most justly be submitted to a trial by a Court Martial.

But as the Courts Martial may of necessity be bound to pass sentences of greater severity than it is in contemplation to extend without distinction to the whole number of those submitted to trial, a more minute subdivision will yet be made; and the Officers in command of Garrisons or considerable bodies of Troops will be separated, on the ground of higher responsibility, from the Commandants of Corps. The former will be subjected at all events to trial; the latter will be allowed the option of a trial, or dismissal from the service.

In order that no anxious uncertainty may remain concerning the application of these rules of selection to individual cases, the names of all the Officers intended for punishment are expressed in the following list. It will be found not to include the Commandants of corps at Secunderabad, although the force fell too distinctly within the principle of selection, not only on account of the lead it assumed in the criminal combination and the violent proceedings of the army, but as having committed open mutiny in refusing to permit the march of the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment

Regiment to Goa.

I have however thought the example, which that force was the first to set to the revolted Officers, of an early return to their duty, and the influence of that example upon other parts of the army, may be admitted as a ground of special indulgence and pardon.

I have abstained from looking too narrowly into the variety of possible motives that may be supposed to have actuated the Senior Officer of this force in their exertions to withdraw it from further resistance to Government. In my desire to restore my first esteem to the Officers of this army, the better and more honorable inducements may be allowed at least their share in this commendable part of their conduct, and, in my solicitude to extend the principle of clemency to its utmost allowable bounds, I have deemed the benefits derived both to the public and to the army itself from the submission of the Hyderabad force sufficiently important to warrant even without regard to motives of inducements, the extention of indulgence to that body. It will be a signal testimony that Government is not unmindful of the services which are rendered to it, and that, while it is impelled, only by necessity, to the exercise of its severer functions, it seizes with satisfaction every opportunity to forgive and reward.

List

List of Officers to be Tried.

Names.	Rank.	Corps.	Station.	Remarks.
John Bell	Lieutenant Colonel	5th Battalion Artillery	Senior Officer Commanding Seringapatam	To be tried by Court Martial.
John Doveton	"	8th Regiment Cavalry	Commanding a Detachment of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force at Saulna	
Joseph Storij	Major	1st Bat. 19th Regiment N.I.	Senior Officer Commanding Masulipatam.	
Robert Munro	Lieutenant Colonel	2d Battalion 15th Regiment	Seringapatam	
David C. Kenny	Major	2d Battalion 19th Regiment	"	
J. J. De Haviland	Captain	Engineers	"	
George Cadell	Captain	19th Bt. N.I. & Town Major	"	
Hugh M.c Intosh	"	1st Battalion 6th Regiment	Marched without orders from	To be tri-

F. K. Aiskill	"	1st Battalion 15 Regiment	Chittledroog to Seringapatam	=ed by
A. Andrews	"	Madras European Regiment	Masulipatam	Court
James Patterson	"	1st Battalion 11th Regiment	Samulcottah	Martial
George Wahab	"	1st Battalion 21st Regiment	Chicacole	or dis=
James Sadler	"	1st Battalion 24th Regiment	Ellore	=missed
J. L. Lushington	"	4th Regiment Cavalry	Jaulna	the ser=
A. McLeod	"	8th Regiment Cavalry	"	=vice at
C. Hopkinson	Captain Lieutenant	1st Battalion Artillery	Senior Officer of Artillery at Jaulna	their
G. W. Poignand	"	Horse Artillery	Senior Officer of the Corps at Jaulna	option.
G. M. Gibson	Captain	1st Battalion 10th Regiment	Jaulna	
Thomas Pollock	"	1st Battalion 12th (native) Regiment	"	
Mathew Stewart	Major	2d Battalion 17th Regiment	"	
John Turner	Captain	1st Battalion 18th Regiment	Seringapatam	

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Reduced as the numbers contained in this melancholy list have been, by every consideration to which a sense of inviolable duty has permitted me to listen, it has not been without the most afflicting agitation my mind has ever experienced, that I have affixed my final signature to the order as it now stands.

It is with corresponding satisfaction and joy, I have now to perform the more grateful office of announcing to every other officer, who has been involved in any of the criminal proceedings of the army, since the 1st of May, a general and unqualified amnesty; to the benefit of which those Officers, who have hitherto declined the test, will be admitted on their signing that declaration.

This amnesty is not granted in the narrow spirit of mere pardon. It is tendered as an act of total and sincere oblivion; it offers on the part of Government a full restoration of confidence and esteem; and it invites from those, who are the objects of it, not a sullen discharge of constrained duty, but obedience which comes from the heart and the chearful, animated service of cordiality, affection and zeal.

My sentiments concerning the late events have been too clearly pronounced to admit of an amnesty thus general being so far misinterpreted as to bring in question the deep sense I continue to entertain both of the guilt and danger of those actions to which this indemnity

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is granted. It is not on a principle of justification, but of pure indulgence unmixed with any other consideration, that I have acted on this occasion; I have recollected the proneness of our common nature to error, the dominion of the passions over reason; the influence of rank, authority and talents over young and feeble minds; the powers of contagion, and the irresistable torrent of general example. I have considered the small and scarcely perceptible degrees by which innocent men are conducted, from the first slight transgression, to crimes, the enormity of which their minds would have revolted at if presented at once to their view. To resist these seductions is the part of sound judgment and manly character. Such efforts are most honorable to the distinguished few who are gifted with the union of these qualities, but they are I fear too rare to be required of all. To such considerations the extent of the present clemency must be referred.

When the Officers included in this act of Grace reflect on the happy change it has operated on their condition, I am sure the first sentiments of their breasts will be those of devout and fervent gratitude. It is my wish to point those acknowledgments to their proper objects.

Their first obligation is to the firm counsels and vigorous measures of that upright and honorable man against whom their hand has been so unjustly raised. To the fortitude of his mind

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which must challenge the respect and esteem even of his adversaries; and to the energy of the Government of Fort St. George, the officers are indebted for their narrow escape from the guilt of a monstrous and unnatural conflict with their country, and from the ruin, which in every possible issue of that contest, must have overwhelmed themselves.

Next for the recovery of life, honor, their own esteem, the confidence of Government, the regard of their countrymen, and I trust a firm security for the perpetual duration of these blessings, their grateful benedictions are due to the benevolent genius of their country, of which I am only the Organ.

If the accents of reproof have not been entirely excluded from this address, they have not been dictated by an angry or vindictive mind, and in the full assurance that they will never occur in the intercourse between the Government and the Army of the Coast, I shall conclude with the last admonitions of a truly and safer friend than any flatterer of their passions and errors can ever be.

If in this awful moment I have acquired any title to their confidence and attention, let me implore them to think less lightly than it is evident their minds have been accustomed to do, of violating the first, the most sacred, and the

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most characteristic duty of a Soldier, fidelity to the power he serves. Let them think less lightly of turning the arms they have accepted in trust, against the Government, which has reposed that confidence in their probity. Let this be the true point of a soldier's honor, which stamps with infamy every spurious pretence to that sacred title; every pretence which is in contradiction with this primary obligation, and which would strangely and unintelligibly postpone a first engagement, for the performance of legal duties, to a posterior and gratuitous pledge to commit crimes. Let them reflect on the guilt, the dishonor, and the peril, exemplified but yesterday, of this false casuistry.

I entreat them to be persuaded that no man of honor at the head of a Government will ever compromise with revolt, and that in every case the conflict must be carried to the last extremity. — My sentiments on that subject are not equivocal, and are not assumed for this occasion. — They have been pronounced long since, and previous to any indication of troubles on the Coast. My fixed and firm principle is, that the utmost evils that can flow from a contest with revolt, and even from defeat, are much inferior to the greater, more permanent and more extensive mischief of concession. In such cases the revolted party may recede, and will always do so with honor, sacrificing nothing but passions and crimes. The Government against which

which the revolt is made leaves no option but to maintain the contest, or abandon its trust, and fly from its duty.

My final and best advice is to reject the first step that leads from the beaten track of professional demeanour, as if the worst extreme of ripened and atrocious guilt were proposed at once to their acceptance— The widest stride of all is from innocence to guilt. That boundary once passed, the gradations of crime are shorter and less sensible— He who withholds his voice from early clamor, and his pen from the first irregular signature is safe and blameless. Beyond that clearly defined line, all is perplexity and danger— With these friendly suggestions prompted by a pure solicitude for the honor and welfare of those whom I address, I take leave even of admonition and of every other form of address which can imply reproof: and purging my mind of every painful recollection, embrace the happier prospect which is now presented to our view, by the final termination of public discord, violence and trouble, and the re-establishment, on a firm, and I trust secure and permanent basis, of tranquility and order.

(Signed) Minto.

N202 Fort St George 25th September 1809.

G. O. By the Right Honorable the Governor General.

At the moment when the sentiments of the

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Governor General respecting the late disorders on the Coast and his determination with regard to the Officers of the Army of Fort St. George who have been led by a train of unhappy circumstances to place themselves in a state of opposition to the Local Government of this Residency, are announced to the public, it becomes the special duty of the Governor General to publish his highest commendation to the exemplary conduct of the Officers of his Majesty's Military Service and of such of the Officers of the service of the Honorable East India Company who in the late crisis of general agitation have resisted the contagion of example and adhering to the obligations of public virtue and professional duty, have manifested their zeal and fidelity in the cause of their King and their Country.

The Governor General accordingly takes this opportunity of expressing in General Orders his acknowledgment to those highly meritorious Officers, who at such a period of public danger, have stood forth to support the dignity and vindicate the authority of the Government which they serve and to maintain those principles of Constitutional Order and Military Subordination, on which the existence of every regular and civilized government must depend.

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deeply laments an occasion on which the applause of distinguish-
-ed loyalty and fidelity so justly bestowed on one portion of the
Officers of a British Army, is unavoidably contrasted with the errors
of another, yet he confidently believes that the same honorable en-
spirit of patriotic zeal which has hitherto been inseparably con-
-nected with the character of the Officers of this establishment,
continues to pervade the minds even of those who for a moment
already past, had ceased to obey its dictates and that no memory or
impression of this unhappy season of delusion and disorder, will re-
-main, that should impair the esteem, or disturb the harmony which
have in all former times united every part of this Army.

(Signed) Minto.

N 203

Fort St. George 25th September 1809.

G. O. By the Right Honorable the Governor General.

From the first establishment of the
British power in India, the Zeal, Fidelity and Subordination of
the Native Officers and troops belonging to the Presidency of Fort
St. George, have been generally and eminently displayed — On occa-
-sions of public danger and of foreign war, they have employed their
exertions with distinguished honor and success in the service of that
Government from which they and their families derive their
support, and to which they are indebted for the enjoyment of

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benefits and advantages unknown to the Armies of the surround-
-ing state of India. But their honorable qualities of Loyalty
and gratitude have never been more conspicuously manifested
than at the period of the late commotion in the Army of the Coast; when,
exposed to the severest trial, their innate sense of honor and cor-
-dial attachment to the Government, has led them to withhold
their concurrence in the execution of measures subversive of its pros-
-perity and incompatible with the principles of their professiona-
-l duty.

The Governor General therefore has the
satisfaction of declaring to the Native Officers and Men of the
Coast Army the high sense which he entertains of their exempla-
-ry conduct on the late trying occasion; a conduct which has so
amply justified the unbounded confidence of Government in
the Loyalty and attachment of Native Troops.

Obedience and Fidelity to the Govern-
-ment is the common duty both of Officers and Soldiers; and the
particular duty of Soldiers is to yield implicit submission
to the orders of their Officers in every case in which they are not
forbidden to do so by the express prohibition of Government
— The Governor General is therefore satisfied that the Native
Troops will permanently maintain their claim to the ap-

-probation

approbation which is the object of this proclamation to bestow upon them by the merit of their accustomed subordination and attachment to those who are appointed to command them.

(Signed) Minto.

N 204 Fort St. George, 25th September 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Ensign Monteith to resume his situation in the Corps of Engineers and to relieve him from the further performance of Artillery duty.

His Lordship in Council permits Lieutenant Fraser of the Engineers to proceed to England on leave of absence for three years.

His Lordship in Council permits the undermentioned Officers to proceed to England on Sick Certificate — Lieutenants Elberton 9th Regiment Native Infantry, E. S. White of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry, and G. S. Boyne of the 19th Regiment Native Infantry.

His Lordship in Council permits Ensign D. R. Mordick of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry to resign his Commission in the Honorable Company's Service, and Cornet M. C. Chase of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry to

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proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for six Months.

His Lordship in Council directs that Lieutenant Godfrey of the 24th Regiment Native Infantry shall take Rank as Lieutenant from the 23d June 1800.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pile
Sects Government

N205

Fort St. George 29th September 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor & General in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowances for September and the Pay for October of the Troops and other Stations of the army shall be issued on the 6th of October and on the following Days.-

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pile
Sec. to Government

N206

Fort St. George 29th September 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General

General in Council permits Mr. Surgeon John Underwood to pro-
-ceed to Pondicherry on leave of absence for twenty days.

By order of the Right Honorable the
Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pele
Sec. to Government

N207 Fort St. George 29th September 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General
in Council is pleased to direct that Cadets attached to Corps of In-
-fantry, Artillery or Cavalry shall, while on actual field service,
receive the pay and allowances of Cornets, Lieutenant Fireworkers
and Engineers respectively.

By Order of the Right Honorable the
Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pele
Sec. to Government

N208

Fort St. George 30th Sept. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor Gene
-ral in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Pirrok to
Proceed to Sea on three Months leave of absence for the benefit of

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his Health.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Secy to Government.

N 209 Fort St. George 2d October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to Publish for the information of the Army the following Extracts of General Letters from the Court of Directors.—

Letter Dated 6th April 1809.

Para. 181. "We have appointed Mr. Thomas "Cadell (now a Prisoner of War at Verdeen) a Cadet for the Infan-"try on your Establishment.— The friends of Mr. Cadell have de-"livered to us the necessary Certificate of his age, and his order of "Rank will be transmitted you at a future Opportunity".

182. "We have appointed Mr. Duncan or "Montgomerie now a Cadet in the Infantry at your Presidency "to be a Cadet of Cavalry and his order of Rank will be transmitt-"ed you the first Opportunity; should Mr. Montgomerie "however prefer Continuing in the Infantry you will of Course

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notice his intention of declining the Cavalry Appointment in your first general Military letter subsequent to the receipt of this dispatch."—

183. "Lieutenant Colonel A Robertson and "Major Edward Bachellor of your Establishment retired from "the Company's Service, the former on the 28th and the latter "on the 7th February 1809."—

184. "Lieutenant James Major Boggs of "your Establishment has our permission to remain in En-"gland the time allowed by Act of Parliament."—

185 "The following Cadets for our Artillery or "Engineer Corps on the Madras Establishment, having been re-"ported to us by the proper Officer at the Royal Military Aca-"demy at Woolwich as qualified for Commissions they proceed-"to their duty this Season Accordingly, and are to take rank "in our Service next after Mr Fredk Derville in the fol-"lowing order Vizt"

Thomas Davis

Charles Patton

Thomas Bennett

Alexr C. Chrichton

186. "An Official Communication has

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"been made to us that His Majesty has been pleased to appoint
"Major General Harvey Wardle being placed upon the Staff
"of the East Indies."

187 "We have permitted Ensign Dunkin-
"field to accompany Major General Wardle as his aid De camp.

Letter Dated 21st April 1809.

303. "Major John Averind of your Establ-
"ishment who was in England on furlough died the 10th
March 1809."

304. "We have permitted the following
Military Officers to return to their Rank on your Establish-
-ment Viz.t

Lieutenant Colonel Henry Webber
Major James Colebrooke
Capt.n Lieut.t Samuel Cleaveland
Capt.n Lieut.t A. R. Hughes
Lieutenant J. Plenderleath
Lieutenant Robert Short
Lieutenant C. Cracroft
Lieut.t Brice William Lee
Lieutenant C. Godfrey

305. "We have appointed the following

persons

"Persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency of the Season 1808-

John Hanwood

John Monteath

By order of the Right Honorable the

Governor General in Council.

J. H. Pele.
Sec: to Government

N210

Fort St. George 2d October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor Ge-

neral in Council is pleased to direct Major General Warde to

do duty as Major General on the staff of the Army serving un-

der the Presidency of Fort St. George from the 16th ultimo.

His Lordship in Council is further plea-

sed to appoint at Maj. General Wardes recommendation Ca-

ptain Duckerfield to be Aid de Camp to that Officer from

the 16th ultimo.

By order of the Right Honorable the

Governor General in Council.

(Signed) A. Falconar
Chief Sec: to Govt

N211

Fort St. George 3d October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor

General

General in Council permits the Officers undermentioned to proceed to Europe.

Cornet O'Reilly 3d Regiment Native Cavalry on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant Waddle 21st Regiment Native Infantry on sick certificate.

His Lordship in Council permits Ensigns Wm Clelland of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry and Watt of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope and St Helena for the recovery of their health.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pitt
Sec. to Govt

N212

Fort St George 3d October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Officers having reported their return to this Presidency and produced the prescribed certificates from the Honorable the Court of Directors the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to readmit them to their rank on the Establishment.—

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Lieutenant Colonel Henry Webber ..... 10 Regt N. I.

Major James Colebrook ..... 6th do do

Captain J. T. Johnson ..... 6th do do

" J. G. Pater ..... 9th do do

" J Mackenzie ..... 20th do do

Captain Lieutenant A. R. Hughes ..... 5th do do

" " B. W. Lee ..... 20th do do

Lieutenant M. Pendarleath ..... 3d do N. C.

" G. O. Spinks ..... 7th do N. I.

" Robert Shirt ..... 10th do do

" Thomas Brickston ..... 20th do do

" C. Kingdon ..... 21st do do

" Chas Cracroft ..... 22d do do

" C. J. Colsfrey ..... 24th do do

Ensign John Alexander ..... 16th do do

His Lordship in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets on this Establishment in conformity to the Certificates of their appointments by the Honorable Court of Directors.

Cavalry Andrew Mitchell Campbell

" James Simpson

" John Stockwell

W. Kay

Cavalry W. Ray Macnaghten

" Francis Hunter

Artillery or Engineer Lieut. Davis

" Lieut. Bennett

" Lieut. Patton

Infantry Wm. Steward

" Lt. Leggatt

" Henry Strong

" Lt. Brock Nettleship

" Geo. Lee

" Wm. Rayford Taylor

" Chas. Marstone

" Humfry Senhouse Gale

" Andrew Williams

" Francis Fribery

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pole
Sec. to Govt.

№ 213

Fort St. George 3d October 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor
General

General in Council is pleased to make the following temporary appointments from their respective dates.-

Mr. Middleton Quarter Master His Majesty's 80th Regiment will receive charge of the Barrack Master's Department from Captain Waugh from 10th September 1809.-

Lieutenant James Smyth 2d Battalion 12th Regiment is appointed to act as Fort Adjutant of Cannanore till further Orders from 12th Septr 1809.

Captain John Edwards of His Majesty's 80th Regiment is appointed to take charge of the Superintending Engineer's Department at Seringapatam as soon as the Committee appointed to Examine the accounts are ready to deliver over charge to him from 13th September 1809.

Captain Solomon Walch of His Majesty's 80th Regiment to act as Town Major of Seringapatam vice Captain Cadell from 11th September 1809.

Lieutenant James Walch of His Majesty's 80th Regiment to act as Fort Adjutant of Seringapatam, vice Lieutenant Oldnall from 11th September 1809.

In the appointment of Mr. Stepney an omission was made in not appointing him to act as a Commissioned Officer from 15th September 1809.-

Mr. John Stepney Volunteer from His

Majesty

Majesty's 69th Regiment to act as Ensign and adjutant to the first Battalion 8th Regiment from 15th September 1809.

Captain Watts of His Majesty's 59th Regiment will act as Superintending Engineer at Seringapatam vice Captain Edwards resigned from 18th September 1809.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pele
Sec. to Government.

N214 Fort St George 3d October 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to admit Mr Lucas a Sub Assistant Surgeon upon this Establishment, and directs him to do duty under the Superintending Surgeon in Malabar and Canara.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pele
Sec. to Government.

N215 Fort St George 4th October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General

General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Eden of H. M. 22d Regt. Dragoons to be His Lordships Extra Aid de Camp during such time as His Lordship remains at this Presidency.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt.

N 216

Fort St. George, 4th October 1809.

G. O. By the Right Honorable the Governor General

The Governor General having attentively perused the Proceedings of a Court Martial, assembled by the orders of Major General Gowdie for the trial of Lieutenants M'Cormick and Rowley, has judged it expedient that the crimes and sentences should be published to the army: The sense entertained by that Honorable Tribunal of the nature and degree of criminality attached to the offence of which those two officers have been pronounced guilty, will be sufficiently evinced by those documents.—

It has become necessary to determine whether these sentences should be carried into effect, or whether the amnesty which, with some specified exceptions, has terminated the disorder of the late unhappy period, is to be considered as embracing also the cases of these two Officers.—

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In deliberating on this question, the Governor General has observed, that the proceedings of the Court Martial were closed, and the sentences pronounced, some time before the amnesty was published. He was not apprized that any proceedings of that description were either in progress, or actually concluded. The case was not in his contemplation when his General Order was issued; and he should not therefore, in strictness, consider his judgment as pledged by that order on a question which he had no opportunity of considering. —

The Governor General has, nevertheless, reflected, that the comprehensive terms in which the amnesty has been proclaimed, and especially the broad principles of oblivion and reconciliation, which characterize the whole measure, may appear to many sufficiently large to afford an interpretation favorable to these individuals, even under the circumstances adverted to. Averse therefore, as he must always be, to bring even into question the performance of a solemn promise, he has chosen rather to extend the general indemnity a little beyond its contemplated objects, and to incur the partial inconvenience of adding to the general mass of pardon, the impunity of these two offences against discipline, than to hazard the slightest deviation, either in letter or spirit, from the obligations of

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public faith.—

Under these considerations, he has requested Major General Gowdie to remit the sentences and restore the Officers to the Service, under a single condition, the indispensable necessity of which, both for public and private atonement, requires no argument.— The condition is, that an ample and distinct apology shall be made to Captain Campbell, their Commanding Officer, for the contempt of his authority and insults to his person, of which they stand convicted.

It would not be the wish of the Governor General to distribute an act of grace with any reflections that might either wound or humiliate the objects of it; but waving all retrospective reproof, as applicable to this, or any other antecedent case, he should think he neglected the future interests of the Public and the Army, if he omitted this occasion of bringing strongly to the notice and recollection of the Officers of this Establishment the culpable nature and mischievous consequences of the practice which was the subject of the trials now under consideration. That is to say, committed insult to those who have either uniformly done well, or who having fallen by the force of general example, into the prevailing disorders, have withdrawn themselves from their error,

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and returned to a faithful discharge of public duty. Such combinations against individuals, of which examples have not been wanting in the late troubles, are always reprehensible, but assume a much more criminal character in that state of things which has arisen out of the submission of the army, followed by the amnesty announced by the General Order of the 25th September.

The Governor General trusts that every disposition to this serious offence has been extinguished by those events, but as it affords the only means that now remain, either of nursing the seeds of Military disorder, or for prolonging the discord of the Army, some exposition of its dangerous and malignant tendency appears peculiarly seasonable. —

To make a return to duty the subject of concerted affront and indignity is in the first place a great breach of discipline. It requires a very clear case to render such measures of personal enmity to individuals tolerated in any circumstances. No one can be ignorant of the displeasure uniformly manifested, and of the punishment invariably inflicted in every case of such offences against discipline, by the supreme Military authority of the Sovereign

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himself. Let any one imagine, therefore, what judgment would be formed on a complaint of such an injury, the excuse alleged for which should be, that the party against whom it was levelled, had withdrawn himself from a conspiracy against his Majesty; or in a case arising in India, that he had renounced a further participation in revolt against the Company's Government.

In the next place, the continuance of such practices extinguishes all hope of cordial and general reconciliation, by which alone the traces of past calamity can be obliterated, and the individual comfort and happiness of the officers can be restored.—

But last and chiefly let it be remembered, that the offences which are the subject of these remarks are in total contradiction with every profession of a return to duty. They demonstrate the still subsisting spirit of Military combination, which is in itself a deep and dangerous offence. The combination in this case would be, to stigmatize by general and concerted measures those who relinquish criminal and therefore invalid engagements, in order to fulfil the first indefeasible obligations of professional duty.—

It must be recollected also, that those who

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persist in such practices for put every to the both to confidence and clemency. Clemency on the late occasion has been founded on the hope, that the return of those who should accept par-=don, to the paths of fidelity and duty would be sincere, and that every pledge and every combination, that has the slightest reference to the late lamented period, should be dissolved and abjured for ever. To continue therefore, or to renew similar combinations in the very moment of accepting indemnity from the penalties of past trans-=actions, must be felt to be a violation of public faith and personal honor, enhanced by the aggravation of the deepest ingratitude.

To sincere and cordial reconciliation, which authority alone cannot enforce, the Army can only be invited and exhorted by every consideration which should influence their sounder reason, and their better feelings. But to repress every open attempt to obstruct the return of public harmony by inflicting indignity upon individuals, who have the merit of an early re-=treat from error, is a fit and indispensable object both of the vigilance and power of Government.—

Under these impressions, the Gover-=

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Governor General has thought it a point of candour, to apprize, thus early every ill-advised individuals who might fall into that snare, that no future example of this offence can be exempted from punishment, and that every Officer accused of it shall be brought before a Court Martial, or if the peculiar circumstances of the case should render it more advisable, the charge shall be submitted to the investigation of a Military Court of Enquiry and if established by the proceedings of the latter tribunal, the Officer so offending must be suspended from the service, subject to the judgment of the Honorable the Court of Directors.-

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N 217

Fort St. George 6th October 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council permits the undermentioned Officers to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate

Lieutenant Hodgson	22d	Regt.	N. S.
" Wilson	14th	Do.	Do.
" McLauren	8th	Do.	Do.
" G. Scott	6th	Do.	Do.

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His Lordship in Council revokes the leave of absence heretofore granted to Lieutenant [illegible] of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry.

His Lordship in Council is pleased to announce in General Orders the leave of absence granted by the Supreme Government on the 21st July last to Captain W. C. Fraser 10th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to England on sick certificate.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Reile
Sec. to Government

N218 Fort St. George 6th October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council permits Lieutenant Gibson of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry to resign the Honorable Company's Service in compliance to his request.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Reile
Sec. to Govt

Fort

N219 Fort St. George 10th October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor Ge-
-neral in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel James
George Graham 6th Regiment N. I. to command at Pondi-
-chery during the absence of Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart order-
-ed to attend a Court Martial

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council. —

(Signed) J. H. Pille
Sec. to Govt

N220

Fort St. George 12th October 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor Ge-
-neral in Council is pleased to direct that the Officers undermention-
-ed be attached to Brigadier General Malcolm during that of
Officers Mission to Persia. Viz.t

Engineers

Lieutenant Monteith

Horse Artillery

Lieutenant Lindsay

Cavalry

Lieutenant L. Martin Cornet

Corps of Sherringhams

Infantry.

Lieutenant John Little

Surgeon.

Mr Cormack

His Lordship in Council is pleas-
-ed to direct that the undermentioned Officers attached to
Brigadier General Malcolm during his former Mission shall
continue in the former situation with the exception of Mr
Surgeon Briggs in whose room his Lordship has been pleased to
appoint Mr Surgeon Colquhon

Infantry

Captain Pasley

Lieutenant Stuart

Lieutenant Briggs

Lieutenant Macdonald

Mr Surgeon Colquhon

His Lordship in Council directs that
the Officers above stated are to be allowed to draw while
employed on the service to which they now stand appoint-
-ed the usual field allowances of their respective ranks.

By order of the Honorable the

Governor

Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N 221

Fort St. George 13th October 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place

Cavalry

7th Regiment

Captain A. D. Monteith to be Major —
Captain Lieutenant Jno. Collett to be Captn. of a Troop —
Lieutenant Robt. Bryant to be Captain Lieutt. —
Cornet Richard James to be Lieutenant —
Senior Cadet of Cavalry Archd. Kerr to be Cornet —

In succession to Overend deceased date of Rank 11th March 1809.

2d Regiment.

Cornet James Smith to be Lieutenant - - - - - -
Senior Cadet of Cavalry Wm. Henry Rudd to be Cornet

In succession to Bushan deceased date of Rank 3d August 1809.

Infantry

21st Regiment

Captain George Wilhab to be Major - - - - - - -
Captain Lieutt. Jno Rimmington to be Captn. of a Company
Lieutenant Chas. Stewart to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign Robert Calvert to be Lieutenant - - - -

In succession to Bachelor retired date of Rank 8th February 1809.

Senior

Senior Major of Infantry Robt. Brice from the 24th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Robertson retired.—

Date of Rank 1st March 1809.

24th Regiment

Captain Alexander Grant to be Major ——— } In succession to Col. Brice promoted
Capt. Lieut. James Sadler to be Capt. of a Comp. } Date of Rank 1st March 1809.—
Lieutenant Chas. Wilbein to be Captain Lieut.
Ensign George Grant to be Lieutenant.—

Madras European Regiment.

Ensign John Cursham to be Lieutenant Date of Rank 16th April 1809

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pile

Sec: to Govt.

No. 222 Fort St. George 13th October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The attention of Government being unnecessarily interrupted by the frequent applications for advances of cash made by officers about to rejoin the Corps from which they were removed by the G. O. dated 5th August the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that every Officer proceeding to

rejoin

upon his Corps at the distance of 150 Miles shall receive an advance of Cash in proportion to his rank at the rates undermentioned for every hundred Miles exceeding the distance above specified

Distance

150 Miles } one Months pay and fixed allowances
250 - - - }

350 - - - }
450 - - - } two Months pay and fixed allowances
550 - - - }

650 - - - } three Months pay and fixed allowances
750 - - - - }

Every Officer proceeding from the Presidency to join his Corps and requiring an advance of Cash is to address the Military Auditor General by letter on (stating the distance of his Corps and amount of advance) who is authorized to grant an order upon the Military Paymaster to issue the amount.-

Officers proceeding from Out Stations are to make similar application to the Paymaster within whose range of payment they may be stationed who are authorized to pay the amount.

These

These advances are to be made in the usual manner in regular abstracts which are to be entered in the disbursments of the Paymaster who is directed to make them.—

Paymasters making advances as above directed are to furnish the Officer with a Certificate specifying the amount of the advance and the date to which it is made, which shall be a voucher for the Paymaster from whom he is to receive his ~~an~~ next pay and allowances to issue them.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor Genl in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N223 Fort St. George 13th Octr 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council directs that the following appointments shall take place

Mr Surgeon Gilbert Brigg to the Medical Charge of the Stations of Negapatam and Nagore.—

Mr

Mr Assistant Surgeon Brown

to be Medical Charge of the Garrison of Tranquebar.

By order of the Right Honora-

-ble the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pele

Sec: to Govt

N224

Fort St. George 17th October 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor

General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant

Tolfrey of the 7th Regiment N. I. to be Fort Adjut-

-ant of Cannanore

By Order of the Right Honora-

-ble the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pele

Sec: to Govt

N225

Fort St. George 17th October 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Go-

-vernor General in Council is pleased to promote

Mr Surgeon Wm Norman to the rank of Su-

-perintending Surgeon

His

His Lordship in Council orders that Mr. Superintending Surgeon Bidwell take on Medical Superintendance of the Subsidiary Force at Hyderabad.

His Lordship in Council appoints Mr. Sup. Surgeon Norman to be Superintending Surgeon in Mysore.

His Lordship in Council appoints Mr. Surgeon Colin Rogers to the Medical charge of the Factories at Cingeram and Madapallum.

His Lordship in Council appoints Mr. Surgeon Gilmour to be Staff Surgeon of the Subsidiary Force in Travancore.

His Lordship in Council is pleased to direct that the Salary granted to Mr. Assistant Surgeon Anderson as Field Apothicary shall be the same as has been usually drawn by other Medical Officers in similar Situations.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt

Fort St

No. 226 Fort St. George 18th October 1809.

G. O. By Government

Lieutenant Colonel Hare is appointed to the Command of the whole of the Cavalry ordered to assemble in Berar for field service without prejudice to his permanent Command of the Centre Division of the army.

Lieutenant Colonel Lang, the Senior Officer in the Centre Division will assume the Command of it, during Colonel Hare's absence

The Division Staff will join Lieutenant Colonel Lang at Vellore as soon as Colonel Hare quits the Division.

Colonel Hare's personal Staff as Commanding the Centre Division of the army will accompany him on the present Service.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

No. 227 Fort St. George 20th October 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General

General in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Sir D.
= id Ogilby to retire from the Service of the Honorable
Company on the full pay of his rank agreeably to his
application.-

By order of the Right Honora-
-ble the Governor General in Council

(signed) J. H. Peile.
Sec: to Govt

N228 Fort St. George 23d. October 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Gover
-nor General in Council is pleased to direct that the un-
=dermentioned Staff Situations in the Field Force Command-
=ed by Lieutenant Colonel Close with the Establishment
severally attached thereto shall be abolished from the 31st Inst.-

Commissary of Stores

Commissary of Cattle

Agent for Cavalry Supplies

Paymaster and Commissary of Grain & Provisions

Deputy Paymaster

Secretary and Paymaster

His Lordship in Council is pleas-

ed

pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Peaton of H.M.
19th Regiment of Foot to the Command of the Cantonment
of Palaydad from the date of the arrival of the Regi-
-ment at that Station.

By order of the Right Honorable the
Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pile
Sec: to Government

N229 Fort St. George 24th October 1809.

G. O. By Government.

In consideration of the contrition
evinced by Messrs Smith Patterson and Anderson at
their past misconduct, their submissive acquiescence
in the justness of their punishment, and solemn assu-
-rances of future good conduct the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council is pleased to revoke the
Orders of the 15th Ultimo and to restore these Gentlemen
to their former Situations of Cadets in the service of the
Honorable Company.—

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pile
Sec: to Govt

Fort

Fort St. George 24th October 1809

N230

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to permit the undermentioned Officers and Cadets to resign the service of the Honorable Company.—

Lieutenant Wiltshire 2d Regt N. I.

Cadets

Mr. Barber

" Chadwick

" Hunt

His Lordship in Council permits the Officers undermentioned to proceed to England on Sick Certificate.—

Lieutenant Coll. Hamilton 22d Regt N. I.

Major Tichbourne M. C. Regt.

His Lordship in Council permits the Officers undermentioned to withdraw the leave of absence heretofore granted to them to proceed to Europe.—

Lieutenant Coll. Taylor 15th Regt N. I.

" " Irton 21st Regt N. I.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Mc Lauren 6th Regt N.I.

His Lordship in Council is pleased to direct that Lieutenant Mc Lauren shall resume the situation of Adjutant of the 2d Battalion 8th Regiment Native Infantry.—

His Lordship in Council directs that Mr Conductor Scott be transferred to the Invalid List.—

By order of the Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec: to Govt

N 231. Fort St George 24th October 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council withdraws the leave of absence heretofore granted to Mr Surgeon Patteson to proceed to Bengal for six Months.—

By order of the Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec: to Govt

Fort

N232 Fort St George 25th October 1809

G. O. By Government

The Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other allowances for october and the Pay for November of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of November and on the following Days.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N233 Fort St George 1st November 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council directs the following promotions to take place

5th Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant A. R. Hughes to be Captain of a Company — in succession to Gordon deceased date of Rank 10th October 1809.

Lieutenant Sir M. Blakiston to be Captain Lieutenant —

His

His Lordship in Council is pleased to grant an additional leave of absence for three Months to Ensign Pool at Present on leave in Bengal.

His Lordship in Council is pleased to admit Lieutenant Hodgkinson 2d Battalion 2d Regiment Native Infantry on the Invalid List in consequence of the ill health of that Officer having rendered him incapable of performing further effective Service

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pile
Sec. to Govt.

N 234

Fort St George 1st November 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments —

Lieutenant H. Grove of H. M. 80th Regiment to act as Assistant Adjutant General in the Mysore Division without detriment to his former appointment and to draw the allowances of that

that Situation from the 2d August last until fur=
=ther Orders.—

Captain Thorne of H. M. 25th Regiment Light Dragoons to act as Brigade Major to the Troops at Bangalore from the 15th Ultimo un=
=til further orders.

Captain Campbell of H. M. 59th Regiment to act as Town Major of Seringapa=
=tam from the 27th August last until the arrival of Captain Walch.—

By order of the Right Hono=
=rable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pelle
Sec: to Govt.

N 235 Fort St. George 3d Nov. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Go=
=vernor General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieute=
=nant Bulmain to act as Deputy Adjutant General of the Army during the absence of Major Agnew in field service with Colonel Close, and Lieutenant C. B. M. Johnson of the 20th Regt. N. I. to act as Assistant=

Adjutant

Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments.—

Lieutenant Colonel Fraser of H. M. 66th Regiment to command a Brigade of Infantry from the 24th September 1819. Lieutenant Michael Creagh of H. M. 66th Regiment to be Brigade Major, and Lieutenant Archibald Maclean of H. M. 98th Regiment to be Quarter Master of Brigade from the 24th September 1819.

Major M'Kellar of H. M. Royal Regiment to command the 3d Brigade of Infantry from the 1st of October 1819. vice Major M'Bean.—

Major M'Bean of H. M. 89th Regiment to command the Brigade of Ceylon Troops (upon their March to Fort St George) from the 1st of October 1819.—

Captain Dodgin of H. M. 66th Regiment to be Major of Brigade and Lieutenant Gordon of His Majesty's 66th Regiment to be Quarter Master of Brigade, in Major M'Bean's Brigade from the 1st of October 1819.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Rothwell of His Majes-
-tys Royal Regement to be Brigade Major to the 2d
Brigade of Infantry with Colonel Conran's Force from
the 1st October 1809 vice Captain Douglas proceeding
to join his Corps.—

By order of the Right Honora-
-ble the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt

N 240

Fort St George 7th Novr 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Go-
-vernor General in Council is pleased to make the
following appointments

Ensign Cyrus Trapaud to act
as Adjutant of the Corps of Engineers and draw the
allowances of that Situation during the absence of
Ensign and Adjutant Monteith employed under the orders
of Brigadier General Malcolm.—

Captain Carroll of H. M. 69th
Foot to act as Adjutant General and Captain Munro of the
15th Regiment N. I. to act as Assistant Quarter Master
General

General of the Centre Division during the absence of Lieutenant Hook and Crewe employed on other duty.

Lieut.t W. Jones to be Adjutant 1.st Battalion 13.th Regiment vice Moore promoted.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec.y to Gov.t

N241

Fort St. George 16.th November 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to promote Mr. W. Evatt Conductor of Stores to the rank of Deputy Commissary of Stores

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec.y to Gov.t

N242

Fort St. George 16.th November 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that Major Thom-

Boks 3d Regiment N. S. and Captain J. Marshall of the 2d Regiment N. S. shall be placed upon the Invalid List from the 20th of October last.—

His Lordship in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place—

Corps of Engineers

Captain Thomas Davis to be Ensign—date of Commission to be settled hereafter.—

Infantry

15th Native Regiment

Senior Ensign N. M'Cormick to be Lieutenant vice Gibson resigned—date of Commission 7th October 1809.

10th Native Regiment—

Captain Joseph Hay to be Major
Captain Lieutenant J. W. H. Powell
to be Captain of a Company
Lieut. Alex. Grant to be Capt. Lieut.
Ensign Arch. Wilson to be Lieutenant

} In succession to Davis deceased—date of Commission 15th Oct. 1809.

15th Native

15th Native Regiment

Captain Lieutenant Thos. Wren to be Captain of a Company

Lieutenant Hr. Y. Kent to be Capt. Lieut.

Ensign S. Yates to be Lieutenant -

In succession to Turner deceased date of Commission 24th Oct. 1809

2d Native Regiment

Ensign John Dabziel to be Lieutenant vice Wiltshire resigned - date of Commission 25th Oct. 1809

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N 243

Fort St. George 14th November 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to annul such parts of the G. O. by Government of the 5th August 1808, relative the transmission of Returns of Ordnance Stores and Camp Equipage from the several Stations of the army as refer to the Office of the Quarter Master General, and to direct that the following Regulations be in future observed, in the transmission of Returns to that Office, by

all

all Officers in charge of Camp Equipage or Carriage for the Sick.

The Quarterly Returns of Camp Equipage, Sick Carts and Doolies in Store are to be discontinued, and Monthly Returns to be transmitted in lieu of them, to the Quarter Master General of the Army.-

The Monthly Lists of Articles received and issued will be continued, as at present, and accompany the Monthly Returns.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed)

N244 Fort St. George 14th November 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to extend the indulgence granted to Officers Commanding Corps, by the G. O. 9th December last, to Officers Commanding Stations, and accordingly directs that Officers under the Rank of Colonel holding Government Commands when absent by Leave or on Sick Certificate shall continue to draw the Esta-

blished

Established Allowances annexed to the Command deduct-
-ing therefrom the difference between the half and full Bat-
-ta of the Regimental Rank of the Officers on whom the
temporary Command may devolve during their absence
but when absent from their Stations to attend Court Mar-
-tial (either as Members or to give Evidence) or on any o-
-ther Public duty, they are to draw those allowances with-
-out any deduction, and the Officers on whom the tem-
-porary Command may devolve are to draw the difference
between the half and full Batta of their Regimental Rank.

The difference between the half and
full Batta to Officers in the temporary Command of Sta-
-tions, in either of the foregoing cases, is to be drawn from
the Paymaster on seperate Abstracts supported by Copies
of the Orders placing them in Charge of the Station and
relieving them from that Charge on the return of the
respective Commanding Officers.

It is however to be clearly under-
-stood that Officers succeeding to the temporary Com-
-mand of Stations, as above, are only entitled to draw the
difference between the half and full Batta of their Regi-
-mental Rank in the event of their not being already in

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the receipt of [illegible] for Commanding Corps

By Order of the Right Ho-
-rable the Governor General in Council

(Signed)

N245 Fort St. George 14th November

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Go-
-vernor General in Council is pleased to direct that
the following alterations shall take place in the
Arrangement of the Camp Equipage Establishment
constituted by the G. O. by Government of the 3d of
May 1808.

1st Bamboo Coolies, for the Carri-
-age of the Tent Poles, are in future allowed in all cases
when Camp Equipage is conveyed on Bullocks, in
the proportion of One Cooly to four one poled Private
Tents and 2 Coolies to three two poled Tents of the same
description.—

2d One poled Tents are directed in
future, for the use of Native Troops of every description
and two Poled Tents are never to be issued to them when the
former are procurable.—

The

The allowance above granted of a number of Bullocks for the Carriage of the Tent poles, will render necessary a reduction in the Establishment of Bullocks allowed for the Carriage of the Tents and Stores attached to the Native Corps of the Army; and that part of Table — Number 7 annexed to the General Orders of the 3d of May 1808, which relates to the Bullock Establishments of those Corps, is accordingly hereby annulled, and the following proportions directed to be substituted —

	Bullocks	Camels	Buffaloes	Ponies
To a Regiment Native Cavalry	42.	1.	1.	15
Battalion Native Infantry	71.	1.	2	21
Battalion Pioneers	26	0	1	8

4th To parties of Native Troops exceeding a Detachment not amounting to the Strength of a complete Troop or Company Camp Equipage is directed to be issued in the proportion of two Private Tents to all parties exceeding the Strength of half a Troop or Company, and one Private Tent to every detachment of inferior Strength when commanded by a Native Officer. —

The

5th

The 12th Paragraph of the General Orders of the 3d May 1808 not having hitherto met with sufficient attention, wherein Committees of Survey are directed to describe the nature of the injuries sustained by the Tents subjected to their examination, and the dimensions of the broken and damaged parts that may require new materials, it is ordered that all Committees of Survey will in future be attentive to insert the above particulars with regard to every tent surveyed, in a seperate Column of the account of Tents surveyed, founded as much as possible upon actual inspection and measurement and introduced immediately before the Column of Remarks.—

6th

The estimates of all future Proceedings of Committees of survey on Camp Equipage are required, to be verified by a declaration, agreeably to the following form, signed by the President and Members of the Committee assembled, and annexed to the foot of the Estimates.—

We do hereby solemnly declare that, to the best of our knowledge, the Materials and number of Workmen required by the above Estimates are absolutely necessary for the completion of the Repairs

required

required, and that the prices of the several Articles specified
are the lowest rates procurable at this Station."—

It has hitherto been customary to obtain the Proceedings of all Committees of Survey at the Office of the Military Board, the Estimates alone, after receiving the sanction of that Board, being transmitted to the Quarter Master General to be ordered for execution— But as it is absolutely necessary that the Quarter Master General, on whom all responsibility rests for the efficient state of the Camp Equipage Department should be provided with the means of ascertaining that the repairs required have been duly executed, the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council directs that in future all proceedings of Committees of Survey on Camp Equipage after receiving the sanction of the Military Board shall be transmitted to the Quarter Master General's Office of the Estimates being previously taken in the Office of the Military Board.—

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is further pleased to direct that the above Regulations and Forms prescribed for Committees of Survey on Camp Equipage, shall be equally applicable

and

and in force for all Committees held on Carriage for the Sick.

By order of the Right Honora-
-ble the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pele

Sec: to Govt.

N246

Fort St. George 14th November 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Gover-
-nor General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Garrard to be Superintending Engineer at Seringapatam.

By order of the Right Honora-
-ble the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pele

Sec: to Govt.

N247

Fort St. George 14th November 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Cornet R. Wil-
-liams of the 7th Regiment Native Cavalry to resign the Service of the Honorable Company.

His Lordship in Council per-
-mits Ensign D. Montgomerie to accept the Cadetship

of Cavalry to which he has been recently nominated by the Honorable Court of Directors.—

His Lordship in Council is pleased to admit Mr. Conductor Lionel in the Invalid Establishment of this Presidency agreeably to his request.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.—

(Signed) J. H. Peile
Sec: to Govt.

N 248

Fort St. George 14th Novr. 1809.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to extend the indulgence granted to Officers Commanding Corps, by the G. O. 9th December last, to Officers Commanding Stations, and accordingly directs that Officers under the rank of Colonel holding Government Commands when absent by leave or on sick Certificate shall continue to draw the Established allowances annexed to the Command, deducting therefrom the difference between the half and full Batta of the Regimental rank of the Officers on whom the temporary Command may devolve during their absence, but when absent

absent from their Stations to attend Court Martial (e
=ther as Members or to give Evidence) or on any other Pub
=lic duty, they are to draw those Allowances without
any Deduction, and the Officers on whom the tempora
=ry Command may devolve are to draw the difference
between the half and full Batta of their Regimental
Rank.—

The difference between the half
and full Batta to Officers in the temporary Command
of Stations, in either of the foregoing Cases, is to be
drawn from the Paymaster on seperate Abstracts sup
=ported by Copies of the Orders placing them in Charg
of the Station and relieving them from that Charge on
the return of the respective Commanding Officers.—

It is however to be clearly understood
that Officers succeeding to the temporary Command of Statio
as above, are only entitled to draw the difference between
the half and full Batta of their Regimental Rank in the
event of there not being already in the receipt of full Ba
=ta for Commanding Corps.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Gover
=nor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pile
Secy to Govt

Fort

N249 Fort St. George 15th November 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments

Captain J. L. Caldwell of the Engineers to be Superintending Engineer of the Presidency in the room of Lieutenant Fraser on furlough to Europe.

Captain Lieutenant R. Frothingham of the Engineers and Lieutenant C. Johnstone of the 19th Regiment N. I. to be superintendants of Tank repairs in the room of Captain Caldwell on a Salary of 200 Pags. each agreeably to the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Lieutenant Brooke of the 20th Regiment N. I. to act as adjutant of the 2d Battalion of that Corps during the period of Lieutenant Johnson's absence on other duty.

His Lordship in Council is pleased to promote Serjeant Cowan to be Conductor of Ordnance in the room of Mr. Scott invalided.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor

Governor General in Council.—

(Signed) J. H. Pitt

Sec. to Govt.

N250

Fort St. George 21st November 1809.

G. O. By Government.—

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place.—

2d Native Regiment.

Capt. Lieut. John Ford to be a Captain of a Company.— } in succession to Marshall placed on the Invalid List Date of Commission 21st October 1809.

Lieutenant Chas. Elphinstone to be Captain Lieutenant

Ensign John Dalziel to be Lieutenant.

3d Native Regiment.

Captain Chas. Lucas to be Major— } in succession to Boles placed on the invalid List Date of Commission 21st October 1809.

Captain Lieutenant J. J. Stevenson to be Capt. of a Company

Lieutenant Alex. Stewart to be Captain Lieutenant

Ensign G. W. Eccles to be Lieutenant.

Senior Major of Infantry Plampin Richardson from the

The 22d Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Sir David Ogilby retired Date of Commission 21st October 1809.

2d Native Regiment

Captain G. R. A. Kelly to be Major
Captain Lieut. C. Elphinstone to be Captain of a Company
Lieutenant Edward Osborne to be Captain Lieutenant
Ensign J. C. James to be Lieutenant

in Succession to Richardson promoted date of Commission 21st October 1809.

2d Native Regiment

Ensign Wm Armstrong to be Lieutenant vice Whitshire resigned - Date of Commission 25th October 1809.

10th Native Regiment

Ensign Wm Shaw to be Lieutenant in Succession to Lieutenant Seymour deceased - date of Commission 1st November 1809.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(signed) J. H. Peile
Sec. to Govt

N 251

Fort St George 21st Nov. 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor
General in Council is pleased to direct that the fur-
-lough granted to Captain Baber 16th Regiment N. I.
in the G. O. dated 20th May last shall commence from
the date of that Officers embarkation for Europe.-

His Lordship in Council is pleased
to permit Dr. Watson 2d Member of the Medical Board
to proceed to Cordachellum on leave of absence for three Month

His Lordship in Council with-
-draws the leave of absence heretofore granted to Mr.
Assistant Surgeon Pascoe to proceed to Sea for the be-
-nefit of his health and directs that Gentleman to resume
his professional duties at this Residency.-

His Lordship in Council permits
Mr. Surgeon Rodgers to be absent from his station for the
period of six weeks from the 1st Instant.

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pelle
Sec. to Govt.

N 252

Fort St. George 21st November 1849.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor
General

General in Council is pleased to appoint Major George Mac-
-gregor of the 5th Regiment N. I. to be Agent for Public Batta

By Order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Reid
Sec. to Govt.

N 253

Fort St. George 22d November 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor
General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon
Gilmour to act as Superintending Surgeon to the Force
assembling in the Dukan from the 8th Instant.—

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Reid
Sec. to Govt.

N 254

Fort St. George 25th Nov. 1809.

G.O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor
General in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta
and other allowances for November and the Pay for De-
December of the Troops at the Presidency and the o-
-ther

other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of December and on the following Days—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N255 Fort St. George 29th November 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Montresor of H. M. 22d Regiment of Light Dragoons to the Command of the Force subsidised by His Highness the Peishwa from the 9th Ultimo.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

N256

Fort St. Georg 1st December 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following

following promotions take place.—

8th Regiment N. I.

Captain E. P. Long to be Major	in Succession to Muirhead Deceased Date of Commission 16th November 1809.—
Captain Lieutenant H. E. Somerville to be Captain of a Company	
Lieutenant J. S. Fraser to be Captn Lieutenant	
Ensign Robert Murcott to be Lieutt	

His Lordship in Council permits Ensign Stockdate of the 8th Regiment N. I. to resign the Service of the Honorable Company.—

His Lordship in Council directs the following alterations to take place in the rank of the Officers undermentioned.—

—Names—	Date of Rank
Robert Frew	24th February 1809
Harry Salmon	1st March — "
Richard Morison	1st — " — "
D. C. Stewart	10th — " — "
Wm John Darby	20th March — "
John Wilson	1st April — "
George Coce	7th — " — "

Rodk.

Rodk. McLeod ---------- 10th April 1809

Nicol Spence ---------- 29th May — "

John Myers ---------- 7th June — "

James Clemons ---------- 29th July — "

His Lordship in Council directs the Officers undermentioned to take rank from the dates set opposite their Names respectively —

Alexander Bell ---------- 7th August 1809

A. P. Russell ---------- 13th — " — "

Richard Shanahan ---------- 18th — " — "

Richard Coke ---------- 27th September "

Charles Hakewill ---------- 7th October — "

J. R. C. Mantell ---------- 9th — " — "

H. L. Harris ---------- 15th — " — "

John Watson ---------- 21st — " — "

Patrick Corbett ---------- 21st — " — "

Duncan Montgomerie --- 24th — " — "
Since appointed a Cadet of Cavalry

Neal McNeill ---------- 1st November — "

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Sec. to Govt.

Fort

No. Fort St. George 4th December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments.—

Captain J. G. Trewman of the 4th Regiment N. I. to command the Company of Gentlemen Cadets and the New and Old Towns of Cuddalore in the room of Major Wm. Geyor.—

Lieutenant G. P. Trewman of the 14th Regiment N. I. to be first Assistant to the Cadet Company vice Captain J. G. Trewman—

Lieutenant M. H. Davidson of the 25th Regiment N. I. to be second Assistant to the Cadet Company vice G. P. Trewman.—

Lieutenant S. Irton Hodgson of the 2d Regiment N. I. to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps vice Elphinston promoted

Sergeant William Evans of the 1st Battalion of the Artillery and Private Soldier Edward Bonjour to be Conductors of Ordnance in the room of Messrs. Conductors Lionel invalided and Evott promoted.—

By

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec.y to Gov.t

Fort St. George 5th December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor
General in Council is pleased to appoint the Revd. Charles
Barth to officiate as Chaplain at Hyderabad.

His Lordship in Council promotes
Serjeant Thomas Moody to be a Conductor of Ordnance,
and appoints him Hand Writer and Keeper of the Records
in the Office of the Town Mayor of Fort St. George.—

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council.—

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec.y to Gov.t

Fort St. George 6th December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Gover-
-nor General in Council directs Lieutenant Henry Mas-
-ley Cooper 1st Regiment to take charge of the Pay

and

and Victualling Departments at Secunderabad during the absence of Captain Carpenter employed in the Field and to act as Paymaster at that Station.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.—

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George 9th December 1809

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Major General Champagne to be a Major General in the Staff of the Army serving under the Presidency of Fort William.—

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pelle

Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George 12th December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the

Undermentioned

undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets attached to the Military Institution shall be promoted to the Rank of Ensigns date of Rank to be settled hereafter.—

Messrs. John Sinclair
" C. J. Ellaway
" Thomas Gifford
" Edward Williams
" Henry Bevan
" J. S. Kinsey
" L. Dunwidie
" F. W. Morgan
" J. G. Mitford
" J. J. Webbe
" William Tait
" Charles Mactane
" Andrew Williams
" H. S. Yale
" W. R. Taylor

His Lordship in Council is pleased to direct that the undermentioned promotions shall take place.—

7th Regiment

7th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Senior Cadet of Cavalry Geo. Wm. Bow-
-ness to be Cornet Date of Commission 15th November 1809.

3d Regiment Native Infantry

Ensign Robert John Maw to be
Lieutenant Date of Commission 20th November 1809.

11th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign J. Burnside to be Lieute-
-nant Date of Commission 18th November 1809.

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieut. C. Conry to be Capt. of a Company } in succession
Lieut. D. Robertson to be Captain Lieutenant } to Campbell
Ensign M. Hall to be Lieutenant ------- } deceased Date
of Commission
4th December
1809.

Artillery.

Messrs Patton and Bennet Cadets
of Artillery to be promoted to Lieutenant Fireworkers, date of
rank to be settled hereafter.

His Lordship in Council directs
that Lieutenant R. K. Cox be struck off the strength
of the 6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant Cleveland
of the Artillery having transmitted the prescribed cer-

tificate

Certificate from the Honorable the Court of Directors
His Lordship
in Council permits that Officer to resume the duties of
his Station without prejudice to his Rank.

His Lordship in Council permits
Captains W. G. Ranse of the Artillery and G. M. Gib-
-son of the 10th Regiment N. I. to proceed to Europe on
Sick Certificate.

By order of the Right Honora-
-ble the Governor General in Council.

(Signed) J. H. Pele
Sec. to Govt

Fort St. George 19th December 1809

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Gover-
-nor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Singer
to visit the Presidency
-on Annesley, on leave of absence for one Month.

His Lordship in Council permits
Mr. Tenby the Deputy Medical Storekeeper to the
Hyderabad Subsidiary Force to draw the usual allow-
-ance for a Packady for the use of the Department under
his charge during such time as he may be on field
Service.

By

By order of the Right Honorable
the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pitt
Sec. to Govt

Fort St. George 23d December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor
General in Council permits Lieutenant Crosdaile of
the 10th Regiment N. I. to proceed to England on
Sick Certificate.-

By order of the Right Honble
the Governor General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Pitt
Sec. to Govt

Fort St. George 23d December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor
Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the
Batta and other allowances for December and the Pay
for January of the Troops at the Presidency and the other
Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of Janu-
-ary and on the following Days.-

By

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in General in Council

(Signed) J. H. Peile

Secy to Govt.

Fort St. George 26th December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments.

Captain J. H. Weight of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry to be Deputy Judge Advocate in the Ceded Districts.

Lieutenant F. Cregoe to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion 21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant C. Hall to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion 16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant J. Tagg to act as Adjutant of the 2d Battalion 3d Regiment Native Infantry during the Absence of Lieutenant Hunter.

Lieutenant T. Balman of the 11th Regiment Native Infantry to act as Fort Adjutant and Paymaster of Family Certificates at Vellore during the Absence of Captain Pareira.

By

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.—

/Signed/ J. H. Peile

Secy to Govt.

Fort St. George 27th December 1809.—

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council permits Cornet C. Bannerman of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to join his Corps until further Orders without prejudice to his appointment of Cantonment Adjutant at Arcot.—

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.—

/Signed/ J. H. Peile

Secy to Govt.—

Fort St. George 27th December 1809.—

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council embraces the occasion of the embarkation of the Detachment of Royal Artillery under the Command of Lieutenant Byres, and the Detachment of His Majesty's 66th Regiment under the Command of Major Nicol on their return to Ceylon,

to

to express His Lordships entire approbation of the exemplary Zeal — discipline and public Spirit uniformly displayed by these troops while Serving under the Government of Fort St. George —

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

/Signed/ J. H. Pile

Sec.y to Govt.

Fort St. George 29th. December 1809.

G. O. By Government

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Norris of the Engineers to proceed to England on leave of absence for three Years, furlough to commence from the date of his embarkation

His Lordship in Council permits Lieut.t W. Gordon of the 1st. Battalion 2d. Regiment to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for five months. —

A Certificate of the ill health of Lieut.t Alves 1st. Battalion 13th. Regiment Native Infantry on a urgent necessity of his proceeding to China on that account having been received from that Officer His Lordship in Council is pleased to sanction his proceeding thither.

His Lordship in Council directs that the Rank of the under-mentioned Officers shall be adjusted as follows.

Ensign . . . I. Sinclair . . . . . 7th March 1809. —

" E. I. Ellaway . . . . 21st October 1809. —

" Thomas Gifford . . . . 21st October 1809. —

His Lordship in Council is pleased to direct that the following promotions shall take place. —

6th Regiment Native Infantry

Ensign. I. Molicer — to be Lieutenant Date of Commission 13th Decr. 1809.

13th Regiment Native Infantry. —

Ensign . . I. Ross . . to be Lieutentant - Date of Commission 9th Decr. 1809.

Mr. Cadet W. N. Pace attached to the Military Institution to be an Ensign, date of rank to be settled hereafter. —

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council. —

(Signed) I. H. Peile

Secy to Govt. —

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