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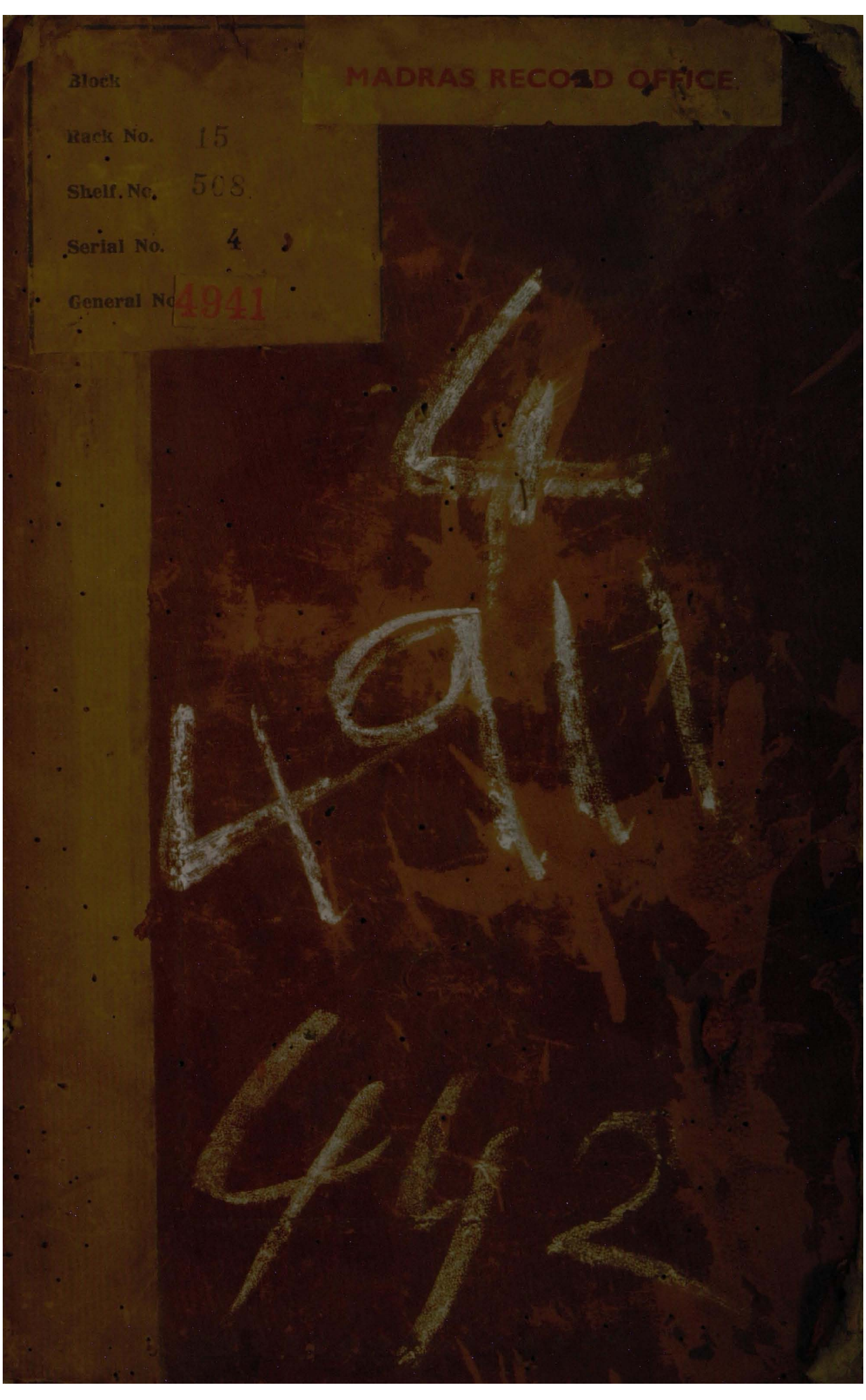
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No. 119

Fort St. George, 21st July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The casualty of Lieutenant Greaves of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry having become known at the Office of the Adjutant General of the Army on the 14th instant;—The Honorable the Governor in Council in conformity with the rule laid down in General Orders on the 7th instant, is pleased to promote Ensign Moberly to be a Lieutenant in that Corps, and to direct that he take rank between Lieutenant Jones and Lieutenant Tolson; his commission bearing date the 15th of October 1809.

The undermentioned Officers having reported their return to this Presidency with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the functions of their rank.

Lieutenant Colonel T. Hayes of the Artillery.

Lieutenant G. S. Boyn of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the Establishment in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names.

CAVALRY.

Mr. John Price, to be Cornet,—date of rank to be fixed hereafter.

INFANTRY.

Messrs. W. Denholme Dalzell
Edward Busby
Henry Gem
David Mansfield
George Hutton
Robert Fergusson

To be Ensigns,—date of commissions the 11th of June 1812.

Mr. John Jones is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his covenants.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 121

Fort St. George, 25th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council 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 6th of August and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 120.

Fort St. George, 24th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign William Wotherspoon of the Corps of Engineers, is appointed Assistant to Captain Cleghorn, Superintending Engineer in the Centre Division.

Lieutenant Dynely of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, having reported his return to this Presidency with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

Lieutenant Waters of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bengal* on leave of absence for six months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 123.

Fort St. George, 28th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Carwardine of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, having reported his return to this Presidency with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

The following Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable Court, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names.

CAVALRY.

Mr. John Lockhart,—To be a Cornet; date of rank to be fixed hereafter.

INFANTRY.

Mr. Valentine Hale Mairis,
„ James Low,
„ R. T. Hannah Carter,
„ James Forrest,
} To be Ensigns; date of rank the 11th of June 1812.

The following appointments are directed to take place.

Lieutenant Nattes of the Engineers, will superintend the works at *Bangalore*, during the absence of Captain Garrard on field service.

Ensign Nattes of the Engineers, will superintend the works at *Seringapatam*, during the absence of Lieutenant Nattes.

The undermentioned Officers having been permitted by the Government of the *Mauritius* to proceed to *England*, the leave granted to them is published and confirmed.

Lieutenant Chavasse, 6th Regiment Native Infantry, on private affairs.
Lieutenant Milner, do. do. do.
Lieutenant Moberly, 10th Regiment Native Infantry, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 124

FORT ST. GEORGE, 31*st July* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Artificers and Followers Supernumerary to the Peace establishment, attached to the Madras Volunteer Battalion, shall be discharged from this date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 122

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28*th July* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following very favorable Report received from the Committee appointed for the examination of Officers, Assistant Surgeons and Cadets in the Hindostany Language.

To WILLIAM THACKERAY, Esq.
Chief Secretary to Government.

SIR,

In conformity with the directions conveyed to us in the letters from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 16th and 27th ultimo, we proceeded to examine Mr. Assistant Surgeon Monteath and Ensign Lee in the Hindoostanee Language; and we have now the honor to report the result, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

2.—The course of examination pursued on a former occasion was adopted by us; and we required Mr. Monteath and Mr. Lee to translate from Hindoostanee into English, and from English into Hindoostanee.

3.—The exercise which we selected for translation into English was an extract of considerable length from the Hindoostanee version of the Arabick work entitled the Ikhwan-oos-sufa.

4.—For translation into Hindoostanee we presented, 1st a Dialogue, in which were introduced many of the degrees of relationship and some of the fractional parts of numbers; and 2dly an anecdote related of the Khaleefee Mamoon.

5.—Mr. Monteath's translation into English was performed with great correctness. The few inaccuracies, which it contains, are of a very trifling nature.

6.—In his translations into Hindoostanee Mr. Monteath has not always expressed himself with strict idiomatic propriety; some of the words are misspelt; and he has in a few cases had recourse to a periphrasis, where he might more properly have used a single appropriate term.

7.—With these defects, which it is obvious to remark, are of comparatively trifling importance, Mr. Monteath's Hindoostanee compositions exhibit no inconsiderable acquaintance with the genius and idiom of the language; while the correctness of his English translation shews that he possesses a knowledge of words which could be acquired only by extensive reading; his pronunciation is correct and he reads with sufficient fluency and ease.

8.—With these observations we have no hesitation in recommending that the Honorable the Governor in Council may be pleased to bestow on Mr. Assistant Surgeon Monteath the established reward—a distinction to which we consider his successful diligence in the prosecution of his studies to have given him a fair title.

9.—Mr. Lee's translation into English does him great credit; it is written with a freedom which evinces a perfect acquaintance with the spirit of the original, although he seems not to have understood the precise signification of a few of the words.

10.—In his Hindoostance translations Mr. Lee has shewn himself to possess a very accurate knowledge of the idiom of the language: The correctness of diction, by which these exercises are distinguished, and the facility and readiness with which they were executed, have impressed us with a high opinion of this Gentleman's proficiency; and we doubt not, that the Honorable the Governor in Council will concur with us in considering these * early proofs of assiduity and talent to be highly creditable to Mr. Lee's character: with these sentiments, we have particular satisfaction in recommending that Mr. Lee may receive the established reward.

** Note.—Mr. Lee has not yet attained his 19th year.*

We have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servants.
(Signed) J. LEITH,
" W. OLIVER,
" P. V. AGNEW,
" R. B. OTTO.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
11*th July* 1812.

The Governor in Council has much satisfaction in conferring, on Ensign Lee of the 2d Battalion 8th Regiment, and on Mr. Assistant Surgeon John Monteath the honorable reward, which they have so fully merited.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 125

Fort St. George, 31*st July* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Cocke of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate,

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 126

Fort St. George, 3*d August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Lieutenant Ormsby shall take charge of the Offices of Judge Advocate General of the Army and of Persian Interpreter to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, until the return of Lieutenant Colonel Leith from *Bengal*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 128

Fort St. George, 4*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain G. L. Nixon of the Madras European Regiment, is transferred to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 129

Fort St. George, 4*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Goldie, to perform the duties of a Superintending Surgeon in the Centre Division of the Army, from the 10th ultimo, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 127

Fort St. George, 4*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Cunningham of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, by the way of *Bombay*, on furlough for three years.

The Reverend Mr. Thomas, Military Chaplain, is permitted to visit the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 130

Fort St. George, 5*th August* 1812.

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 general letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated the 2d April 1812, received by the Ship City of London.

Para. 3d. "The undermentioned Officers on your establishment have our permission to remain in "*England*, till the departure of the first ships of next season, viz."

Brevet Major David Foulis.
Lieutenant Arthur Stock.

4th. "We have permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to their rank on your establishment, "viz."

"Lieutenant Robert Heming.
"Lieutenant Richard G. Wilson.
"Lieutenant George Skene Boyn."

5th. "We have appointed Mr. David Reid an Assistant Surgeon for your Presidency."

6th. "We have reserved an Infantry Cadetship on your establishment for Mr. John Cambridge "Stedman, now a Midshipman on board the Cuffnells bound to *Coast* and *China*; the friends of Mr. "Stedman having produced to us the necessary certificate of his age, his order of rank will be forwarded "to you by the first conveyance after the 8th October next, the day on which Mr. Stedman will be "qualified by age to take up his appointment in our Military Service."

The Honorable the Governor in Council is also pleased to publish the following Paragraph which will be inserted in the next general letter to *Fort St. George*, dated the 4th April last,

"Since writing the 3d Para. of our letter of the 2d instant, we have permitted Lieutenant Henry "Parker of your establishment, to remain in England till the departure of the first ships of next season."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 131

FORT ST. GEORGE, *7th August* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Colonel Dighton, Commanding Officer of the Cantonment at *Wallajahbad*, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence, from the 5th instant, to the 1st of November next.

Ensign Searancke of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

The following promotions are directed to take place.

18th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Jeffrey Prendergast to be Major, Captain Lieutenant George Jeffreys to be Captain of a Company, and Lieutenant Hume Mackenzie to be Captain Lieutenant, in succession to Long, deceased; date of commissions the 4th of August 1812.

Madras European Regiment.

Captain Lieutenant P. Lawless to be Captain of a Company, and Lieutenant Gilbert Maitland to be Captain Lieutenant, in succession to Nixon transferred to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion; date of commissions the 5th of August 1812.

In consequence of the abovementioned vacancies, the following promotions are also directed to take place, conformably with the principle established in General Orders on the 7th ultimo.

Ensign G. Babington to be a Lieutenant in the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, and to take rank as such between Lieutenants O'Reilly and Bradford; date of commission the 30th of September 1811.

Ensign Benjamin Swain Ward to be a Lieutenant in the Madras European Regiment, and to take rank as such between Lieutenants Williams and Clarke; date of commission the 24th of April 1811.

Captain R. Davis of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed Paymaster in the Ceded Districts, vice Mr. Robson transferred to the Commercial Department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 132

Fort St. George, *7th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

1st. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following paragraphs of a general letter from the Honorable Court of Directors in the Military Department, dated 10th July 1811, for general information.

Para. 11. "It appears that the Senior Colonels who by our orders of the 20th April 1803, were to "be placed on the retired list from the 1st January of that year have been considered as actually retired "from that date and full shares of the Off-reckonings have been allotted to their successors altho' three of "the former, Major Generals Nixon, Collins, and Conyngham were continued on the effective strength of "the Army until April 1804, owing to the delay in carrying our orders of April 1803 into execution."

12. "In Bengal a different arrangement has been adopted, the Officers whose promotion was retarded "by the delay above mentioned have received compensation at the rate of £500 per annum, for the "period between 1st January 1803 and 30th April 1804, which is conformable to the directions "contained in our letter to Bengal of 12th July 1805 and in that to *Fort St. George* of 30th July "1806. *Para.* 340."

13. "Considerable difficulty has been experienced from these different modes of distributing the "Off-reckonings at the two Presidencies, for if the plan of distribution at *Fort St. George* be confirmed, "the Officers who are not placed on the retired list before April 1804 will have some reason to complain "of being deprived of their full shares of Off-reckonings from 1st January 1803, seeing that they were "continued on the effective list liable to be called on for actual service, and the Officers of the Bengal "Establishment who were kept from the receipt of full shares by the continuance on the effective list of "some of their Seniors, who should have retired receiving only compensation at the rate of 500£ per "annum will expect that the rule which has been followed in regard to the Madras Officers, shall have "effect at that Presidency."

14. "On the other hand, if the principles of distribution observed at *Bengal* were generally followed, "whereby compensation at £500 per annum was allowed to the Officers whose promotion was retarded "by the delay in carrying our orders into effect, the Madras Officers in the same predicament who have "been paid full shares of Off-reckonings would be liable to refund the difference, which must necessarily "be productive of great inconvenience and disappointment to the survivors and render it extremely "difficult to recover from the estates of those who were deceased, the balances that may be due from "them.

15. "To remove these difficulties, and with a view of affording ample justice to all concerned, we have "determined that Officers who should have retired from 1st January 1803, but were continued on the "effective list until April 1804, as well as those who would have been promoted from the date first mention-"ed, if the others had retired in strict conformity to our orders of April 1803, shall be included in the "distribution making the share to each Colonel on the whole in a small sum less than it would otherwise "be, but distributing no more than the amount of the surplus of each year."

16. "We have also determined, that our orders of 20th April 1803 relative to the formation of the "Cavalry into brigades shall be considered as in operation from the 1st January 1803, and that all the "Colonels of those brigades, shall participate in the Off-reckonings from that date, except in regard to the "fourth brigade at *Fort St. George*, one Regiment of which (the Eighth) was not raised before October "1803, and the Colonel of that brigade is to draw his share from the 1st November following."

17. "We forward in the Packet a computation made on the foregoing principles, by which you will "adjust the Off-reckonings for 1803, and the first four months of 1804, deducting any over-payment that "may have been made to the Colonels at *Madras*, from their Off-reckonings of subsequent years."

18. "We direct that in future, no payments be made at *Fort St. George* on account of Off-reckonings "for Officers who are in *Europe*."

2. In conformity to the preceding orders of the Honorable Court of Directors, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following revised statements of the distribution of Off-reckonings at this Presidency for the years 1803 and 1804, be published in General Orders.

3. The Accountant General in the Military Department of Accounts will take the necessary measures for paying the Officers of this establishment now in *India*, or to the Representatives of Officers who have died in *India*, the balance which appears due to them respectively, and also for the recovery of the sums overpaid to Officers or their Representatives, as contained in Statements No. 2 and 3 of the year 1803 and 1804 respectively.

No. 1 of 1803.

STATEMENT *exhibiting the Names of the Colonels belonging to the Presidency of Fort St. George, who are entitled to share in the General Off-reckoning Fund of* 1803, *and the amount of the share of each Officer.*

				Share under the present distribution.
Major General	Nixon	from 1st January	to 31st December 1803.	2,474 15 37
,,	Collins	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Conyngham	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Trent	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Tolson	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
Colonel	Burr	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Gowdie	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Roberts	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Vigors	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Brown	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Croker	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Wahab	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Leighton	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Oliver	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Torrens	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Lalande	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	David Campbell	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Richardson	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Reade	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	M'Neile	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Kinsey	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Bowser	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Close	from 24th August	to ditto	881 12 22
Major General	D. Smith	from 1st January	ditto	2,474 15 37
Colonel	Charles Carlisle	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
Major General	Dugald Campbell	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
Colonel	Stevenson	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Pater	ditto	ditto	2,474 15 37
,,	Orr	from 1st November	to ditto	413 23 32
			TOTAL, PAGODAS	68102 3 13

No. 2 of 1803.

STATEMENT *shewing the sums recoverable on account of the Off-reckonings of* 1803 *from the Colonels of the Presidency of Fort St. George who are in India, and received payment in India for* 1803, *and from the Heirs, Administrators or Assigns of those Colonels who have died in India.*

				Sums to be recovered.
Major General	Croker, Share for 1803 published in General Order 4th July 1809,			2,546 4 27
	Share under the present distribution,			2,474 15 37
				71 33 70
Colonel	Wahab	ditto	ditto	71 33 70
,,	Torrens	ditto	ditto	71 33 70
,,	Lalande	ditto	ditto	71 33 70
			TOTAL, PAGODAS	287 0 10

No. 3 of 1803.

STATEMENT *shewing the amount not included in the former distribution of the Off-reckoning Fund for* 1803, *and now payable to the Officers of the Madras Establishment who are now in India, or had received payment in India, or to the Heirs, Administrators or Assigns of such as have died in India.*

			Amount now payable.
Major General	J. Pater, Share under present distribution		2,474 15 37
,,	E. Collins do.	do.	2,474 15 37
	Note—Under the former distribution these Officers did not participate in the Off-reckoning for 1803.	TOTAL, PAGODAS	4,948 30 74

No. 4 of 1803.

STATEMENT *shewing the excess formerly allowed to Colonels of the Madras Establishment who were in Europe under the former distribution of the Off-reckoning Fund for* 1803, *compared with the present distribution.*

				Amount of the former and present Shares.			Excess.		
Major General Trent, Share for 1803, published in General Order 4th July 1809				2,546	4	27			
Share under the present distribution				2,474	15	37			
							71	33	70
,,	Tolson, the same as Major General Trent						71	33	70
Colonel ,,	Burr	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Gowdie	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Roberts	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Vigors	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Brown	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Leighton	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Oliver	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	David Campbell	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Richardson	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Reade	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	M'Neile	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Kinsey	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Bowser	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
,,	Close, Share for 1803 published in General Order 4th July 1809,			906	37	24			
,,	Share under the present distribution			881	12	22			
							25	25	2
Major General D. Smith, Share for 1803, published in General Order 4th July 1809				2,546	4	27			
Share under the present distribution				2,474	15	37			
							71	33	70
Colonel	Charles Carlisle, the same as Major General Smith						71	33	70
Major General	Dugald Campbell	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
Colonel	Stevenson	ditto	ditto				71	33	70
			TOTAL, PAGODAS				1388	38	52

No. 5 of 1803.

STATEMENT *shewing the difference short allowed to Colonels of the Madras Establishment, who are in Europe, under the former distribution of the Off reckoning Fund for* 1803, *compared with the present distribution.*

				Amount now payable.		
Major General Conyngham, Share under present distribution			2,474	15	37	
Share of 1803 published in G. O. 4th July 1809			1,639	12	3	
						835	3	34
,,	Nixon, Share under present distribution					2,474	15	37
Colonel	Orr	ditto	ditto			413	23	32
			TOTAL PAGODAS.			3,722	42	23

Note—Under the former distribution the two latter Officers did not participate in the Off-reckonings for 1803.

No. 1 of 1804.

STATEMENT *exhibiting the Names of the Colonels belonging to the Presidency of Fort St. George, who are entitled to share in the General Off-reckoning Fund for* 1804, *and the amount of the Share of each Officer.*

				Amount of the Share of each.
Major General	Nixon	from 1st January	to 30th April 1804,	799 9 71
,,	Collins	ditto	ditto	799 9 71
,,	Conyngham	ditto	ditto	799 9 71
,,	Trent	ditto	to 31st December,	2,417 21 31
,,	Tolson	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
Colonel	Burr	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Gowdie	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Roberts	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Vigors	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Brown	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Croker	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Wahab	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Leighton	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Oliver	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Torrens	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Lalande	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	David Campbell	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Richardson	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Reade	ditto	to 18th May,	918 5 6
,,	Haliburton	from 19th May	to 31st December,	1,499 16 25
,,	M'Neile	from 1st January	to ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Kinsey	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Bowser	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Close	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Agnew	from 21st September	to ditto	673 32 41
,,	Mackay	ditto	ditto	673 32 41
,,	Maclean	ditto	ditto	673 32 41
,,	Doveton	ditto	ditto	673 32 41
Major General	David Smith	from 1st January	to ditto	2,417 21 31
Colonel	Charles Carlisle	ditto	to 3d April,	620 39 49
,,	R. Bell	from 4th April	to 31st December,	1,796 26 62
Major General	D. Campbell	from 1st January	to ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Stevenson	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Pater	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
,,	Orr	ditto	ditto	2,417 21 31
			TOTAL, PAGODAS	67,946 40 63

No. 2 of 1804.

STATEMENT *shewing the sums recoverable on account of the Off-reckonings of* 1804, *from the Colonels of the Presidency of Fort St. George, who are in India, and received payment in India for* 1804, *and from the Heirs, Administrators or Assigns of those Colonels who have died in India.*

					Sums to be recovered.
Major General	Croker,	Share for 1804 published in General Order 4th July 1809,		2,458 9 2	
		Share under present distribution,		2,417 21 31	
					40 32 70
Colonel	Wahab	ditto	ditto		40 32 70
,,	Torrens	ditto	ditto		40 32 70
,,	Lalande	ditto	ditto		40 32 70
,,	R. Bell,	Share for 1804 published in General Order 4th July 1809,		1,831 39 7	
		Share under present distribution,		1,796 26 62	
					35 12 25
			TOTAL, PAGODAS		191 8 65

No. 3 of 1804.

STATEMENT *shewing the amount short allowed in the former distribution of the Off-reckoning Fund for* 1804, *and now payable to the Officers of the Madras Establishment who are now in India, or had received payment in India, or to the Heirs, Administrators or Assigns of such as have died in India.*

			Amount now payable.		
Major General J. Pater, Share under present distribution	2,417	21 31			
Do. of 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809,	1,427	31 10			
			989	35	21
,, Collins, Share under present distribution,			799	9	71
Note.—Under the former distribution this Officer did not participate in the Off-reckonings for 1804.	TOTAL, PAGODAS.		1,789	0	12

No. 4 of 1804.

STATEMENT *shewing the excess formerly allowed to Colonels of the Madras Establishment who are in Europe under the former distribution of the Off-reckoning Fund for* 1804, *compared with the present distribution.*

				Amount of the former and present shares.			Excess.		
Major General Trent, Share for 1804 published in General Order 4th July 1809				2,458	9	21			
Share under present distribution.				2,417	21	31			
							40	32	70
,, Tolson, the same as Major General Trent							40	32	70
,, Colonel Burr	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Gowdie	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Roberts	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Vigors	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Brown	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Leighton	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Oliver	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, David Campbell	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Richardson	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, W. Kinsey	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Reade, Share for 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809				929	18	13			
Share under present distribution				918	5	0			
							11	13	13
,, Doveton, Share for 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809				686	42	62			
Share under present distribution				673	32	41			
							13	10	21
,, M'Neile, Share for 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809				2,458	9	21			
Share under present distribution				2,417	21	31			
							40	32	70
,, Bowser	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
,, Close	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
Major General D. Smith	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
Colonel Carlisle, Share for 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809				626	15	14			
Share under present distribution				620	39	49			
							5	20	45
Major General Dugald Campbell, Share for 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809				2,458	9	21			
Share under the present distribution				2,417	21	31			
							40	32	70
,, Stevenson	ditto	ditto					40	32	70
			TOTAL, PAGODAS				761	5	59

No. 5 of 1804

STATEMENT *shewing the difference short allowed to Colonels of the Madras Establishment, who are in Europe under the former distribution of the Off-reckoning Fund for* 1804, *compared with the present distribution.*

		Amount of the present and former shares	Difference short allowed.
Major General	Nixon, Share under present distribution		799 9 71
,,	Conyngham ditto ditto		799 9 71
Colonel	Orr ditto ditto	2,417 21 31	
	Share of 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809	1,427 31 10	
			989 35 21
,,	Haliburton ditto ditto	1,499 16 25	
	Share of 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809	1,440 13 69	
			59 2 36
,,	Agnew, Share under present distribution	673 32 41	
	ditto of 1804 published in G. O. 4th July 1809	598 20 45	
			75 11 76
,,	Mackay the same as Colonel Agnew		75 11 76
,,	Maclean, ditto ditto		75 11 76
	TOTAL, PAGODAS		2,873 3 27

Note—Under the former distribution Major Generals Nixon and Conyngham did not participate in the Off-reckonings for 1804.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true copy.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 133

Fort St. George, 7th August 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following Statements No. 1, 2, 3, shewing the names of the Officers of the Presidency of *Fort St. George* who are entitled to share in the remaining Surplus Off-reckonings of the year 1806, and the amount of the share of each Individual, the sums payable *in India*, the *Sums* payable in *Europe*, and the Sums to be recovered on account of over-payments for the same year.

No. 1.

TOTAL AMOUNT for DISTRIBUTION at FORT ST. GEORGE, Pagodas 61,813 6 60.

				Total Amount of each Share.
		CAVALRY		
Major General	D. Campbell	from 1st January to 31st December 1806.		2,060 19 58
,,	John Pater	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
Colonel	T. Dallas	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	John Orr	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
		ARTILLERY.		
Major General	D. Smith	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
Colonel	R. Bell	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
		EUROPEAN REGIMENT.		
Colonel	J. Richardson	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
		NATIVE INFANTRY.		
Colonel	G. Doveton	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	D. M'Neile	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	W. Kinsey	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	T. Bowser	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	Alexander Cuppage	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
Major General	Trent	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	R. Tolson	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
Colonel	T. Leighton	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	J. Oliver	ditto	to 19th November	1,823 15 49
,,	A. Taylor	from 20th November	to 31st December	237 4 9
Major General	D. Burr	from 1st January	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	F. Gowdie	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	G. Roberts	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	U. Vigors	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	A. Brown	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	R. Croker	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
Colonel	D. Campbell	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
Major General	G. Wahab	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
Colonel	F. Torrens	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	C. Lalande	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	B. Close	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	P. A. Agnew	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	R. Mackay	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
,,	H. M'Lean	ditto	ditto	2,060 19 58
			Total, Pagodas	61,813 6 60
To Major General E. Trapaud Chief Engineer, being equivalent to a full Share of Off-reckonings to a Colonel of a Regiment for the year 1806				2,060 19 58

STATEMENT *of the Balance of Shares of* OFF-RECKONINGS *for the year* 1806, *payable to Colonels of the Presidency of Fort St. George, who are* in India, *or to the Heirs, Administrators or Assigns of such as have died* in India.

No. 2.

				Balance Payable.		
Major General John Pater—Amount of his share	2,060	19	58			
Deduct received in advance,	1,520	0	0			
				540	19	58
Colonel R. Bell—Amount of his share	2,060	19	58			
Deduct received in advance,	1,600	0	0			
				460	19	58
Colonel A. Taylor—Amount of his share	237	4	9			
Deduct received in advance,	168	0	0			
				69	4	9
Major General R. Croker—Amount of his share				2,060	19	58
,, G. Wahab ditto				2,060	19	58
Colonel F. Torrens ditto				2,060	19	58
,, C. Lelande ditto				2,060	19	58
Total, Pagodas				9,311	32	37
Major General E. Trapaud—being an equivalent for his share	2,060	19	58			
Deduct received in advance,	1,520	0	0			
				540	19	58

STATEMENT *of the Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund of the year* 1806, *to Colonels of the Presidency of Fort St. George, who are in Europe, or who have died in Europe, and shewing the sums to be deducted from the Shares of such of these Officers to whom advances had been made in India, for the year* 1806.

No. 3.

				P.	F.	C.
Colonel	T. Dallas			2,060	19	58
,,	John Orr,			2,060	19	58
Major General	D. Smith,			2,060	19	58
Colonel	J. Richardson,			2,060	19	58
,,	G. Doveton,			2,060	19	58
,,	D. M'Neile,			2,060	19	58
,,	W. Kinsey,			2,060	19	58
,,	T. Bowser,			2,060	19	58
,,	A. Coppage,		2,060 19 58			
	Deduct received in advance,		1,600 0 0			
				460	19	58
Major General	Trent,			2,060	19	58
,,	R. Tolson,			2,060	19	58
Colonel	T. Leighton,			2,060	19	58
,,	J. Oliver,		1,823 15 49			
	Deduct received in advance,		1,520 0 0			
				* 303	15	49
Major General	D. Burr,			2,060	19	58
,,	G. Roberts,			2,060	19	58
,,	U. Vigors,			2,060	19	58
,,	A. Brown,			2,060	19	58
Colonel	D. Campbell,			2,060	19	58
,,	B. Close,		2,060 19 58			
	Deduct received in advance,		1,520 0 0			
				540	19	58
Colonel	P. A. Agnew		2,060 19 58			
	Deduct received in advance,		1,600 0 0			
				460	19	58
Colonel	R. Mackay,			2,060	19	58
,,	H. M'Lean,			2,060	19	58
	Total amount payable, Pagodas			38,852	24	67

Over-payments, viz.

NATIVE CAVALRY.

Major General	D. Campbell,	Amount of his share,	2,060 19 58			
		Advances received in India,	2,400 0 0			
				339	25	22

NATIVE INFANTRY.

Major General	F. Gowdie,	Amount of his share,	2,060 19 58			
		Advances received in India,	2,520 0 0			
				459	25	22
	Total Amount overdrawn to be refunded, Pagodas			799	51	44

* *This sum is not to be paid to the late Colonel Oliver, as the Sum of Pagodas* 364 *was advanced in India on account of his Off-reckonings up to the* 20*th June* 1807 *under the G. O. 1st July* 1807, *and he will still remain indebted to the Government in the Sum of Pagodas* 260 *and* 31 *to be recovered from his Agent in India.*

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true copy.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 134

Fort St. George, 11*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Maurice Farmer of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Joseph Stewart of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 135

Fort St. George, 11*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. James Archibald Casamaijor having returned to *Fort St. George*, will resume the charge of the Paymaster's Office at the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 136

Fort St. George, 11*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Lieutenant R. G. Wilson of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, having produced a certificate from the Honorable the Court of Directors of permission to return to *India*, will resume the duties of his rank, as an Officer on this establishment.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the establishment in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank of Ensign, dates of commissions to be fixed hereafter.

INFANTRY.

Messrs. John Warren Corbould,
James Peter Auber,
Robert Dormer,
John Jones,
George Harrison,
Charles Maddison Bird.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 137

Fort St. George, 14*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Major Keasberry of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Java* on leave of absence for six months, from the date of his embarkation.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the establishment, and are promoted to be Ensigns, the dates of their commissions to be determined hereafter.

Messrs. Edward Dickson,
Thomas Walters,
Charles Holland Baddeley.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 138

Fort St. George, 14*th August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Gentlemen are admitted Assistant Surgeons on the establishment in conformity to their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Mr. David Ogilvy,
,, Thomas Bradbury,
,, David Reid,
,, Edward King.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 139

Fort St. George, 18th *August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Assistant Surgeon Provan to afford medical aid at the Residency in *Travancore*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 140

Fort St. George, 18th *August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions have taken place.

7th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign J. W. Taylor to be Lieutenant, vice Farmer resigned, and to take rank as such between Lieutenants Bonnette and Hendrie; date of commission the 27th of June 1812.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign W. Henderson to be Lieutenant, vice Stewart resigned; date of commission the 12th of August 1812.

The undermentioned Officers will take rank as Ensigns of Infantry from the 11th of June 1812.

Ensign J. Warren Corbould of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry,

and

Ensign C. Maddison Bird of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Captain Carstairs of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe* on furlough for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 141

Fort St. George, 18th *August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant George Paterson of the Madras European Regiment, to be Quarter Master of Brigade at *Goa*, vice Cunningham.

9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant C. A. Elderton to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion, vice Prendergast.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 142

Fort St. George, 21st *August* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions are directed to take place.

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Samuel Smithson to be Lieutenant, vice Abbey deceased; date of commission the 17th of August 1812.

22d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Edward de Heaume to be Lieutenant, vice Scouler deceased; date of commission the 14th of August 1812.

Lieutenant Colonel Neale, Commanding Officer of the Cantonment of *Arcot*, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for ten days.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Jones of the 1st Battalion of Pioneers, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey
Sec. to Government.

N°. 143

FORT ST. GEORGE, 22d *August* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain J. M. Coombs of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry is placed under the Orders of the Honorable the Governor of *Prince of Wales' Island*, and on proceeding to that Presidency will be returned *Absent from his Corps on Staff duty*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT

N°. 144

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24*th August* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in 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 5th of September and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 145

FORT ST. GEORGE, 25*th August* 1812.

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 1807, and to direct that the amount of the balance 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 Accountant General, in the Military Department of Accounts.

DISTRIBUTION of OFF-RECKONINGS for the Year 1807.

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 computed by the Military Auditor General,				1,50,153	23	30
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.						
Half Mounting as estimated from the strength of Corps,	1,694	10	0			
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing,	2,036	37	11			
Agent's charges for Clothing supplied, 76,326 13 23						
,, Contingent charges, 2,496 36 2						
	78,823	4	25			
Amount paid for repairing Clothing of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry for 1805-6 and 1806-7,	75	0	0			
Contingent charges paid by Lieutenant Colonel Innes,	2	11	40			
Amount payable to the Town Major of Fort St. George as per G. O. by Government, from profits on Invalid Clothing,	2,257	22	34			
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1807, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date 20th December 1808,	1,175	32	42			
				86,064	27	72
Total surplus to be thrown into the General Fund in Bengal, Pagodas				64,088	10	38

The Sum deducted from the Off-reckoning profits of Invalids for the Town Major of Fort St. George is allotted to Major Robert Barclay, viz.

From 1st January to 4th April 1807 at 3,000 Pagodas per annum - - - - - - PAGODAS	772	25	25
From 5th April to 31st December 1807 at 2,000 do. do. - - - - - -	1,484	39	9
TOTAL, PAGODAS	2,257	22	34

SQUADRON of HORSE ARTILLERY.

				P.	*F.*	*C.*
Amount of Stoppages as computed by the Military Auditor General - - -				1,455	0	0
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.						
Half Mounting as per estimate formed on the strength of the Corps - - -			65 41 0			
Agent's charges for Clothing supplied - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -			318 19 32			
Agent's contingent charges -			4 38 68			
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1807, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date the 20th December 1808. - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -			11 17 54			
				400	26	74
PAGODAS				1,054	18	6

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance to be allotted to Captain J. Noble, Commanding	1,054 18 6	472 0 0	58. 18 6	0 0 0

FIRST BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General		2,083 1 20
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.		
Half Mounting as per estimate	9 39 0	
Agent's charges for Clothing supplied	764 36 29	
Agent's contingent charges	14 39 39	
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1807, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date 20th December 1808	16 19 2	
		805 43 70
PAGODAS		1,277 2 30

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance payable to Captain E. B. Bagshaw, Commanding	1,277 2 30	800 0 0	477 2 30	0 0 0

SECOND BATTALION PIONEERS.

		P. F. C.
Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General		2,131 1 0
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.		
Half-Mounting as per estimate	8 28 40	
Agent's charges for Clothing supplied	789 42 69	
Agent's contingent charges	11 20 62	
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1807, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date 20th December 1808	16 36 4	
		826 38 15
PAGODAS		1,304 7 65

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance payable to Captain John Fitzpatrick, Commanding	1,304 7 65	666 0 0	638 7 65	0 0 0

STORE and TENT LASCARS.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General		3,058 18 0
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.		
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	213 36 72	
Agent's charges for Clothing supplied	1,216 14 32	
Agent's contingent charges	16 9 77	
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1807, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date 20th December 1808	24 24 4	
		1,470 40 25
Surplus at the disposal of Government, PAGODAS		1,587 22 55

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 146.

Fort St. George, 28th August 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Baber Commanding the troops in the District of *Wynaad*, is permitted to be absent from his Station, on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Baillie of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and Lieutenant Bell of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Captain Walker of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, Captain Patishall of the 15th, and Captain Lucas of the 17th, are permitted to proceed to *Europe* on furlough for three years.

The Garrison Assistant Surgeon of *Masulipatam* is directed to afford medical aid to the Civil departments in *Guntoor*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 147

Fort St. George, 28th August 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

The Commissary General, Major William Morison, is promoted to the official rank of Lieutenant Colonel; and the Assistants Commissary General, Major A. Mackintosh, Major A. Grant, and Captain H. A. Purchas, to be Deputies Commissary General.

The Governor in Council is also pleased to confer on Captain H. A. Purchas the official rank of Major, and to direct, that these promotions shall have effect from the date of this Order.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 148

Fort St. George, 28th August 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant Grove of His Majesty's 80th Regiment (at present Commanding the Guard of His Highness the Rajah of *Mysore*) to Command the Guard of the Resident at *Mysore*, vice Adamson.

Lieutenant William Ward of the 14th Native Infantry, to Command the Guard of His Highness the Rajah of *Mysore*, vice Grove.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 149

Fort St. George, 1st September 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following extracts from letters addressed by the Honorable the Court of Directors to this Government and to the Government of *Bombay*, dated the 25th of April 1810 and 17th of January 1810, respectively.

Letter dated 25th April 1810.

147 & 148. *On the employment of General Officers not on the Staff and the batta allowed them.*

29. Upon the subject of these paragraphs we have to observe, that our orders to which they are a reply, appear to have been misconstrued, for it was not our intention that the directions contained in our letter of the 20th April 1803, by which General Officers not on the Staff, or employed on other service, were restricted from receiving batta should be rescinded, this however is evidently the effect of your resolution, communicated in the 148th paragraph—and it must be obvious on the smallest attention to the 345th para. of our letter of the 30th July 1806, that altho', we explained the grounds upon which we had been induced to determine, that Officers when promoted to the rank of Major General should discontinue the exercise of regimental duties, we did not mean to make any alteration in that determination, you will therefore on receipt of this letter shape your proceedings in conformity to the present observations.

Letter dated 17th of January 1810.

56. *Major General Waddington whilst unemployed, allowed the full batta of his rank, subject to Court's confirmation.*

139. The Government of *Fort St. George* on whose example you have acted in this case have misunderstood our orders on the subject of allowing batta to General Officers not employed. We have in our dispatches to that Government, signified our resolution, that no batta be allowed to any General Officer not employed, and we direct this regulation to be strictly observed at your Presidency also.

In obedience to the foregoing orders of the Honorable Court, General Officers under this Presidency, when not employed, will cease to draw batta from the 1st of October next.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 150

Fort St. George, 1st *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Cornet Chase of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry and Adjutant of the Body Guard, has been permitted to proceed to *Bengal* on leave of absence for three months.

Major Newall of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been permitted to proceed, from the Isle of *Mauritius* to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 152

Fort St. George, 3d *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Leith having returned to *Fort St. George*, will resume the charge of the Offices of Judge Advocate General of the Army, and of Persian Interpreter to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 151

Fort St. George, 1st *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Officers, Assistant Surgeons and Gentlemen Cadets, to whom the Honorary Reward of Five Hundred Pagodas shall have been adjudged for their proficiency in the study of the Hindoostanee Language, will make known to the Accountant General in the Military Pay Department the Station at which they may desire to receive it, when the Paymaster will be furnished by that Officer with the requisite instructions for discharging the amount.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 153

Fort St. George, 4th *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant Colonel Dowse of the 2d Battalion 8th Regiment Native Infantry, to Command the Force assembled for Field Service in the Ceded Districts.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 154

Fort St. George, 4th *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Lambe of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the Isle of *Bourbon* and eventually to *England*, on sick certificate.

Lieutenant C. Mitchell of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence for three months.

Lieutenant Hall of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *England* on furlough for three years, without Pay, from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 155

FORT ST. GEORGE, *8th September* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain Bishop of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant Johnston of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay*, on leave of absence for three months.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Mackenzie is permitted to visit the Presidency, and eventually to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 156

FORT ST. GEORGE, *9th September* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Fireworker W. Aston of the Corps of Horse Artillery, to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 157

FORT ST. GEORGE, *11th September* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following Division Orders issued by the Officer Commanding the Forces in the Ceded Districts.

HEAD QUARTERS: CEDED DISTRICTS, Bellary, 28th August 1812.

DIVISION ORDERS BY COLONEL TAYLOR.

Colonel Taylor is pleased to direct, that the undermentioned Corps and Detachments shall be immediately relieved from their duties as composing part of the garrison of *Bellary*, and that they may be placed from this date, under the orders of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, Commanding the Field Force.

Detachment of Artillery.
His Majesty's 1st Battalion 56th Regiment.
1st Battalion 22d Regiment Native Infantry.
1st Battalion 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
Detachment of Pioneers.

The Sub Assistant Commissary General of the Division, and the Commissary of Stores will accompany the Field Force in their respective situations, and the undermentioned Officers will perform the Staff duties hereafter specified until further orders.

Lieutenant J. Low to be Major of Brigade to the Field Force.
Lieutenant J. Scott to be Quarter Master of Brigade to the Field Force.
Lieutenant Malton of the Pioneers to be Paymaster to the Field Force.
Mr. Surgeon Fallowfield to be Staff Surgeon to the Field Force, without prejudice to his present appointment as Surgeon to the 1st Battalion 22d Regiment Native Infantry, and to the Detachment of Artillery.
Captain Powell to act as Major of Brigade to the Ceded Districts during the absence of Lieutenant J. Low, and Lieutenant Power to act as Paymaster in the *Ceded Districts* until the arrival of Captain Davis at the Head Quarters of the Division.

(Signed) J. LOW,
Major of Brigade
Ceded Districts.

DIVISION AFTER-ORDERS BY COLONEL TAYLOR.

The following appointment will take place until further orders.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Conwell to be Field Apothecary to the Force under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse without prejudice to his being in medical charge of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment Native Infantry.

(Signed) J. LOW,
Major of Brigade
Ceded Districts.

True Copies.
(Signed) CHARLES POWELL,
Acting Major of Brigade
Ceded Districts.

True Copies of Copies.
(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,
Adjutant General of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 158

Fort St. George, 11*th September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign John Henry, attached to the Military Institution, is permitted to proceed to *China* on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Jobson of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

Major Keasberry of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Java* by way of *Bombay*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 159

Fort St. George, 11*th September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain M'Dowall Military Paymaster at *Trichinopoly*, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence from his Station until the 6th of November next.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 160

Fort St. George, 15*th September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following Regulations regarding the Commands, to which they respectively refer, shall take effect, on and from, the 1st of October next.

On the appointment of an Officer to the Government Command of *Travancore*, if proceeding with Troops towards the Head Quarters, and if Senior to his Predecessor, he shall be entitled to assume the functions of the Command, and to draw the allowances annexed to it, from the date of his entrance within the defined limits of the *Travancore* Country.

Should, on the contrary the relieved Officer be the Senior, and if, on the arrival of his intended Successor at the Head Quarters, he be instructed to retire from *Travancore*, at the head of a Battalion, or of other Troops, he shall in such case, be entitled to retain the Command, and to receive its established allowances until the date of his actual departure from the District.—In either event, it will of course be understood, that the Officer exercising the Command, shall alone be entitled to receive the allowances. The existing Regulations of the service on this head, will continue to obtain, in the cases of Officers proceeding *alone* to assume the Command of *Travancore*.

The Governor in Council is also pleased to extend the operation of this principle, to the Government Command of *Malabar* and *Kanara*.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has farther resolved that a similar rule shall be observed, with respect to the Command of the *Hyderabad* Subsidiary Force, limiting however the assumption of that Command by the succeeding Officer (if Senior, and situated as described above) to the date of his arrival at *Secunderabad*, or *Jaulnah*, according to the circumstances of his march, or to that of his taking personal Command of any Detachment of the Subsidiary Force of strength proportionate to his rank, within the Dominions of His Highness the Nizam.

On the approaching relief of the preceding Commandant (if Senior, and under the circumstances particularized above) he shall, on similar principles, be permitted to retain the Command, until the date of his actual departure from *Jaulnah*, or *Secunderabad*, or of his resignation of the Command of any proportionate Detachment of the Force, within the Nizam's Territories.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, that in all cases when Officers, specially appointed to Government Commands, may be detached from their Stations *on public duty*, they shall nevertheless be authorized during their absence to receive the established salaries of their Commands, inclusive of the Table, or Brigadier's, allowances, which the existing Regulations would enable them to draw in the event of their remaining at their Station.

The allowance, however, which may be established for the performance of the duty, on which they may be detached will not be drawn during the period of such detachment, unless it may be greater than that of their Commands, in which case the superior allowance will be authorized.

The next Senior Officer will, at the same time, be permitted to receive the superior batta of his rank, during the temporary absence of the Commandant; but he will communicate with the latter, on all points of duty, and receive his orders in every case, where the delay may not be likely to prove injurious to the public service.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°161

Fort St. George, 15th *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to order, that quarterly reports of Cots shall be transmitted in future to Quarter Masters of Divisions, instead of direct to the Quarter Master General's Office as heretofore, the former Officers being hereby directed to prepare from those documents, a general report of Cots for the information of the Quarter Master General of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°162.

Fort St. George, 18th *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Turton of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay* on sick certificate.

Captain Wilkinson of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

The Reverend Mr. Dunsterville Military Chaplain at *Bangalore*, is permitted to proceed to the Sea Coast for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°163

Fort St. George, 19th *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Peter Scott is directed to proceed on board His Majesty's Ship Cornelia, for the purpose of discharging the medical duties of that vessel.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°164

Fort St. George, 22d *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Major General James Hare of His Majesty's Service having been appointed to the Staff of *India*, and having been attached to the establishment of *Fort St. George*, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to admit him on the establishment as a Major General on the Staff from this date, and to direct, that he shall remain in command of the Centre Division of the Army until further orders.

The Governor in Council is also pleased to appoint Major General Aldwell Taylor of the Honorable Company's Service to be a Major General on the Staff from this date, vice Major General Pater who is relieved from Staff duty.

The usual period of four years for which Major Generals in the Service of the Honorable Company are appointed to the Staff having been completed by Major General Pater on the 22d September 1811, the foregoing arrangement will be considered to have taken place in conformity with the established usage, but the Governor in Council avails himself of the occasion to express in General Orders his entire approbation of the conduct of Major General Pater, as an Officer of the Staff, especially while in Command of the Army during the late absence of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and Major General Pater is requested to be assured that he retires from Staff duty in full possession of the confidence and esteem of the Government, which he has faithfully and honorably served.

Major General Taylor will continue to Command the Forces in the Ceded Districts.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°165

Fort St. George, 22d *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

In compliance with the request of His Excellency the Governor of the *Isles* of *Mauritius*, *Bourbon* and their dependencies, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the furlough granted to Lieutenant Yates of the Infantry, for a further period of three months.

The Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Mr. Thomas to officiate as Military Chaplain at *Bangalore*, during the absence of the Reverend Mr. Dunsterville on sick certificate.

Major *Sir* Charles Burdett, *Bart.* of His Majesty's 56th Regiment, is permitted to proceed with his Corps on Field Service, without prejudice to his appointment as Commanding Officer of *Poonamallee*.

The name of the late Lieutenant Delamain of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is struck off the list of the Army from the 17th of March 1809, being the date of the last intelligence received of the Honorable Company's Ship *Bengal*, on which that Officer embarked for *England*.

The following alteration of rank and promotion will take place in the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Lieutenant	W. H. Ridding (deceased) to take rank from		18th March	1809.
,,	Thomas Ball	do.	20th ,,	,,
,,	D. Donaldson	do.	15th March	1810.
,,	James Bannatyne	do.	5th April	,,
,,	William Peyton	do.	18th May	,,
,,	Henry Mathews	do.	6th June	,,
,,	George Heath	do.	15th ,,	,,
,,	Samuel Mansell	do.	27th ,,	,,
,,	J. W. Cleaveland	do.	17th Nov.	,,
Ensign	William Strachan to be Lieutenant, date of commission 4th June 1812.			

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 166

FORT ST. GEORGE, *22d September* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

1. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish the following regulations respecting advances of Cash to Officers and Assistant Surgeons in His Majesty's Service, and to Assistant Surgeons and Cadets in the Honorable Company's Service on their *first* arrival at this Presidency from *Europe*.

2. Officers, Assistant Surgeons and Cadets on their *first* arrival from *Europe*, are permitted to receive an advance of one month's regimental pay and allowances, and a further advance, when proceeding to join their respective Corps, according to the distance, viz. if under 300 Miles, one month's pay and allowances; if above 300 Miles, two months pay and allowances.

3. These advances are to be obtained by application in writing to the Military Auditor General.

4. The application for the *first* advance is to be supported by a certificate from the Adjutant General of the Army, or the Deputy Adjutant General King's Troops, to the following effect.

" This is to certify that Captain (Assistant Surgeon or Cadet,) A. B. reported his arrival on the " Honorable Company's Ship ——— on the ——— day of ——— 1812.

5. In the application for the *further* advance, the Corps and Station to which the Officer, Assistant Surgeon or Cadet (if not previously promoted) is proceeding must be mentioned, referring also to the order or enclosing a copy of the letter directing him to proceed to join his Corps or Station.

6. The advances are to be made on regular abstracts signed by the parties, with exception of that to the Cadets, which is to be drawn, as at present, by the Officer appointed to take charge of them.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 167

FORT ST. GEORGE, *24th September* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the batta and other allowances for September and the pay for October of the Troops at the Presidency, and the other Stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 6th of October and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.



N°168

FORT ST. GEORGE, 25th September 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant Robert Hunter, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion 4th Regiment Native Infantry, vice Hall.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°169

FORT ST. GEORGE, 25th September 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant W. Oliver of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, by the way of *Bombay*, on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Heude of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bengal* on leave of absence for three months, from the date of his departure from the Coast.

Lieutenant Colonel Forbes of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, having returned to *India*, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to be Ensigns of Infantry, dates of rank to be determined hereafter.

Mr. W. Bogle,
" R. Budd,
" Edwin Julius Johnson,
" Charles Hewetson.

Mr. George Hewetson is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the establishment in conformity with his indentures.

The following extract from Division Orders, by the Officer Commanding the Force in the Ceded Districts, is approved and confirmed.

Extract of Division Orders by Colonel Taylor, dated Bellary 7th September 1812.

" Private Samuel Clark of His Majesty's 56th Regiment, to act as a Conductor of Stores during the " period the Field Force, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, may be employed, he is " therefore directed to join the Ordnance Department of that Force as an acting Conductor."

(A true extract.)

(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,
Adjutant General of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°170

FORT ST. GEORGE, 29th September 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain Lieutenant Raynsford of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry; Captain Torriano of the Corps of Engineers, and Lieutenant Blackman of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to *England* on sick certificates.

Lieutenant King of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay*, on sick certificate.

Captain Charles Harvey Powell of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed Aid de Camp to Major General Taylor, from the 22d instant.

The following promotions are directed to take place.

3d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Cornet J. K. Clubley to be Lieutenant, vice Locke deceased—date of commission the 3d of September 1812.

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant Charles Hall to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant George Jackson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Samuel Holder to be Lieutenant, in succession to Jenkins, deceased; date of commission the 14th of September 1812.

24th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign L. W. Watson to be Lieutenant, vice Harrison, deceased; date of commission the 20th September 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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No. 171

Fort St. George, 29th *September* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Native Detail of Horse Artillery lately employed in *Persia*, having returned to this Presidency, and their accounts having been examined and adjusted, The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to take into consideration their further claims on the public service as brought most forcibly to his notice by the British Ministers successively deputed to the Court of *Persia*, and by His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

The Governor in Council is pleased to mark his high approbation of the conduct of Subidar Sheikh Mohiuddin Khan Bahauder, by granting to that Officer a pension of one hundred and ten Star Pagodas monthly, inclusive of his present pay and Palanqueen allowance. The Governor in Council has also resolved, that on the decease of the Subidar, a monthly pension of fifty Pagodas shall be granted to his nearest heir for the maintenance of his family.

The Governor in Council has further resolved, that a Palanqueen and Horse, with appointments complete, shall be presented to Subidar Sheikh Mohiuddin Khan Bahauder, and that a grant of sixteen Cawnies of Land shall be conferred on him; as a site for a dwelling house for himself and his family for ever.

The Governor in Council has been also pleased on the recommendation of the Commander in Chief to resolve, that the Non-Commissioned Officers and such of the Privates of the Detail in question as are fit for effective duty shall be promoted to the rank of Jemadar and Havildars of Cavalry respectively, and that such of the Privates as are now no longer capable of Field Service shall be pensioned on the full pay of Naigues of Cavalry.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 172

Fort St. George, 2d *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Trotter of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command the Troops in *Tinnivelly* and the Garrison of *Palamcottah*, vice Brice deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 173

Fort St. George, 2d *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having lately learnt, that the distribution of the property captured at *Amulnair* in 1808, by Detachments of the *Hydrabad* and *Poonah* Subsidiary Forces, has not yet taken place, in conformity with the decisions passed on the subject by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council; and the Prize Agents having declared their inability to realize the property for division, in consequence of the omission of those who made purchases at the Prize Sales to refund what they thus received in excess of their shares; is pleased to direct, that the Prize Agents transfer to the *Seringapatam* Prize Committee, the accounts and prize rolls in their possession, and to empower and instruct that Body to take the steps necessary for collecting and distributing at the earliest period practicable, the whole of the *Amulnair* Prize Money, agreeably to the rules of division which have been already determined by the Supreme Government, and passing the shares of Corps, Detachments and Individuals, on abstracts in the forms which have been observed in the late payments of *Seringapatam* Prize Money, to Colonels Brown and Read's Detachments.

The share of the Officers and Troops of the *Bombay* establishment entitled to participate, the Committee will hold disposable, until directions regarding it can be given.

In cases where the amount to be recovered from any Individual, but particularly from those in the Native Ranks of the Army, be considerable, the Committee will, at its discretion, allow of payment being made within one year by equal monthly instalments.

Officers Commanding Corps and Stations are required to afford to the Committee, every assistance in their power, in effecting these objects, and Paymasters are directed to receive any sums which may be tendered to them on account of the purchases before noticed, and to bring the same to account in a column to be opened in their books, under the head of "*Amulnair* Prize Money."

The Accountant General in the Military Department of Accounts will also forward quarterly statements of the sums thus received for the information of the Prize Committee.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey
Sec. to Government.

N°. 174

Fort St. George, 2d October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant M'Konochie of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 175

Fort St. George, 2d October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Captain R. West of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Paymaster at *Masulipatam*, vice Savage transferred to the Commercial Department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 176

Fort St. George, 6th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Major General Wilkinson being under orders to proceed to his duty as a Major General on the Staff of the Army of *Bombay*, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to relieve that Officer from the Command of the Southern Division of the Army.

The Governor in Council is pleased at the same time to publish in General Orders, his high approbation of the conduct of Major General Wilkinson during the period of his employment under the authority of the Government of *Fort St. George*, and to convey to him the cordial acknowledgments of the Government for his zealous and valuable services.

The following appointments will take place.

Lieutenant Colonel John Dighton of the Native Infantry, to Command the Southern Division of the Army, vice Wilkinson.

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Fletcher to Command the Cantonment at *Wallajahbad*, vice Dighton.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 178

Fort St. George, 6th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain Alexander Grant of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Superintendent of Bazars at *Secundrabad*.

The appointment of Provost Martial at *Jaulna*, will be discontinued from the 31st instant.

Lieutenant Perry of the 16th Regiment, Lieutenant Dowton of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Parrock, are permitted to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 179

Fort St. George, 6th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has permitted Lieutenant J. S. Tulk of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 177

Fort St. George, 6th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following alteration in the boundaries separating the Centre Division, from the Southern and *Mysore* Divisions; all the country

below the *Ghauts* South of *Caveryporam*, the *Tapoor* Pass, *Attoor*, *Verdachellam* and *Porto Novo*, will be considered hereafter as forming part of the Southern Division of the Army, and the Company's Territory above the *Ghauts*, from the *Muglee* Pass to that of *Guzzlehatty*, including the Post of *Ryacottah* will form part of the *Mysore* Division, agreeably to a plan of demarkation which will be furnished to the Officers Commanding the aforementioned Divisions respectively, by the Quarter Master General of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N.O. 180

FORT ST. GEORGE, *6th October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has permitted Lieutenant R. Young of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N.O. 182

FORT ST. GEORGE, *9th October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The following promotions are directed to take place.

Senior Major of Infantry James Welsh to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Brice deceased,—date of commission the 24th of September 1812.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Joseph Knowles to be Major, Captain Lieutenant George Hunter to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Alexander Turner to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Edward Williams to be Lieutenant, in succession to Welsh promoted,—date of commission the 24th of September 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 183

Fort St. George, 9th *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant J. Warburton to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant G. Scoones to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant W. Bruce of the 2d Battalion 4th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Postmaster with the Subsidiary Force at *Jaulnah*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 184

Fort St. George, 13th *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The following Battalions having been fixed upon by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to perform the duties of Light Infantry, they are to be denominated,

The 1st Battalion 3d Regiment, or *Palamcottah* Light Infantry.
1st..... 12th ,, *Wallajahbad.*
1st..... 16th ,, *Trichinopoly.*
2d..... 17th ,, *Chicacole.*

These Battalions are to be reformed and organized under instructions from the Commander in Chief, and are to be entitled to take the right agreeably to their respective seniority, of all other Corps of Native Infantry.

The establishment of a Battalion of Light Infantry is fixed as follows

BATTALION.		*STAFF.*	
10	Subadars	1	Serjeant Major
10	Jemadars	1	Quarter Master Serjeant
50	Havildars	1	Native Adjutant
50	Naigues	1	Drill Havildar
10	Drummers	1	Drill Naigue
10	Fifers	1	Drum Major
10	Buglers	1	Fife Major
20	Puckallies	1	Bugler Major
700	Privates	1	Vackeel
70	Sepoy Recruits,	2	Native Dressers,

With an establishment of Artificers the same as other Battalions of Native Infantry, to be formed into ten companies and numbered from 1 to 10.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that all expenses attending the necessary alterations in the arms, accoutrements, dress and appointments of the Light Infantry Battalions, shall in the first instance be defrayed at the expense of Government, and that the Native Commissioned, Non-Commissioned, rank and file shall be supplied with Europe Broad Cloth Cloaks once in six years.

The Cloaks to be supplied by the Agent for Army Clothing, and charged to Government.

With a view also to enable the Light Battalions to act in the Field with vigour and celerity, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to resolve, that on all occasions of their being employed on *actual Field Service*, that public cattle shall be supplied for the carriage of their knapsacks.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 184

Fort St. George, 13th *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant F. N. Balmain of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Superintendent of the Gunpowder Manufactory, vice Bishop permitted to proceed to *Europe*.

The Salary of the Superintendent is reduced from four hundred Pagodas to three hundred Pagodas monthly, in conformity with the General Order of the 9th of October 1810.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 185

Fort St. George, 13th *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Adams Commanding at *Bangalore*, is permitted to visit the Presidency, and to be absent from his Station for three months from the 1st of November next.

Lieutenant Colonel Haslewood of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalions and Major Aldridge of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Sea, the former Officer for four months, as stated in his request, the latter on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Willows of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Ensign A. Young of the 7th

Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to *Europe* on furlough; the former Officer for one, the latter for two years, and both without pay, from the dates of their embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 188

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15*th October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Warburton of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *England* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 181

FORT ST. GEORGE, 9*th October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The object of the Government in establishing a General Hospital at *Arnee* for the reception of the Native Sick returned from Foreign Service, having been fully accomplished, the Honorable the Governor in Council has directed that the establishment shall be discontinued from the 30th ultimo.

The result of that arrangement is considered to be in the greatest degree creditable to Mr. Surgeon Annesley the Medical Officer in charge of the Hospital, and to its Military Superintendent Captain Rochead of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry; and the Governor in Council is pleased to express his highest commendation of both those Officers for the zealous and humane attention which they have shewn in the discharge of their respective duties.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 186.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 13*th October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council being desirous of affording every encouragement, to the Junior Officers of the Military and Medical Services under this Presidency to study the Hindoostanee Language, has been pleased to resolve, that they shall be furnished with Books from the Board of Superintendence for the College of *Fort St. George*, under the following regulations.

1st. All Officers, who may be resolved to study the Hindoostanee Language, with a view to obtain the honorary reward held out to the Army by the G. O. of the 9th October 1810, shall notify to the Officer Commanding the Regiment in which they may be serving, their intention to apply themselves to that purpose, stating at the same time, whether they have made any, and what, progress in the acquirement of the Language. This communication will be forwarded to the Adjutant General of the Army, by whom it will be submitted to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, who will determine how far it may be advisable to comply with the several applications.

2d. Under the authority of His Excellency, the Adjutant General will transmit to the Board of Superintendence, a list of the Officers, with a statement of the progress which they may each have reported to have made in the study of the language, and that Board will decide, what Books shall be furnished to those Officers respectively.

3d. The Secretary of the Board will send to the Adjutant General, a list of the Books which may be considered requisite for each Student, and the Adjutant General is authorized to forward them to the Head Quarters of the Corps, addressed to the Officer Commanding; by whom a receipt will be transmitted to the Adjutant General, for the purpose of being lodged with the Board of Superintendence. This receipt will specify the state in which the Books are, when received, and with a view to ensure a proper attention being paid to their preservation, it is to be understood that if they are lost, or damaged, otherwise, than what may reasonably be expected from their being made use of, the person in whose possession they may have been, will be liable to refund the whole amount value as borne on the Books of the College.

4th. As the detention of the Books beyond a reasonable period might be attended with inconvenience, Officers Commanding will report, quarterly, for the information of the Commander in Chief the degree of progress which each Student may have made, and also, whether it be the intention of the Students to persevere in the acquirement of the Language. On these reports, it will be determined, whether the Books shall be returned to the College, or the Student be permitted to retain them for a longer period.

5th. All Officers who may obtain Books in the manner above laid down, and who may arrive at the Presidency on furlough, or otherwise previously to the conclusion of their studies shall report to the Adjutant General of the Army the progress which they may have made, in order that they undergo such examination, as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may deem requisite.

6th. If, in the opinion of the Committee of Examination, any Officer shall not have made the progress which might be expected from the period of his study, or does not evince a capacity for acquiring the Language, orders will be given for returning the Books to the College.

Although the foregoing arrangement is generally confined to the Junior Officers of the Army and of the Medical Service, the Governor in Council will be happy to extend it occasionally to Officers of higher rank on the special recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 198

Fort St. George, 30th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Cornet M'Donald of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 202

Fort St. George, 4th November 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits the Reverend Mr. C. H. Sampson, Military Chaplain at *Cannanore*, to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health on leave of absence for six months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 199

Fort St. George, 3d November 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant John Fulton of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps, vice Little.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Charles Jones is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 200

Fort St. George, 3d November 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following paragraphs of a general letter, from the Honorable the Court of Directors, to the Military Department, dated the 1st May 1812, for the information of the Army.

Para. 9.—"We have permitted Lieutenant Colonel Frederick Pierce of the Infantry of your "establishment, to return to his duty."

12.—"Lieutenant Colonel R. J. Hudleston of your establishment, retired from the Company's Service "(with our permission) from the 21st February last."

13.—"A memorial has been addressed to us by Mr. Edward J. Bannerman, late a Cornet of Cavalry "on your establishment, who was Cashiered by the sentence of a Court Martial on the 14th December "1810, expressing his sorrow and contrition for the conduct which was the cause of his trial, and praying "to be restored to the Service, under an assurance that his future conduct will prove that our lenity has "not been misapplied."

14.—"Having perused the proceedings of the Court Martial by which Mr. Bannerman was tried, "and duly considered all the circumstances of the case, we are of opinion that it is one of that description, "in which our lenity may be exercised towards the party offending, without injury to the good order "and discipline of the Military Service; and as the ends of justice have been sufficiently answered by the "punishment he has suffered, in being for a long period deprived of rank and emoluments, we have on "these grounds, with the concurrence of the Board of Commissioners for the affairs of *India*, (as required "by the act of the 51st of His Present Majesty Cap. 75) agreed to restore Mr. Bannerman to the service, "without prejudice to his rank, his pay to commence from the 25th March last."

15.—"But notwithstanding we have been induced thus to extend our clemency to Mr. Bannerman, we "feel it incumbent on us to express our decided disapprobation of the un-soldierlike and unbecoming stile "of that Officer's defence before the Court Martial."

16.—"We have permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to their rank on your establishment, viz.

Captain H. Townsend.
Lieutenant Charles Waddell.

"Captain Townsend proceeds to his duty overland."

17.—"We have permitted Lieutenant Gilbert Scott of your establishment, to remain in *England* till the "departure of the first ships of next season."

18.—"Mr. Alexander Kennedy Superintending Surgeon on your establishment, retired from the Com-"pany's Service (with our permission) from the 1st of April 1812."

The Governor in Council is also pleased to publish the following copy of a paragraph, which will be inserted in the next general letter to *Fort St. George*, dated the 4th May 1812.

"We have desired Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Munro of your establishment, to remain in *England* "until he shall receive further orders from us."

Cornet Bannerman will resume the duties of his rank in the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, in conformity with the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 189

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19th *October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain G. L. Nixon of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, to proceed to *England* on furlough for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 190

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th *October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant John Scott of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant Adjutant General of the Army, vice Balmain.

Captain G. Jackson of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Quarter Master of Brigade in the Ceded Districts, vice Scott.

Lieutenant C. B. M. Johnston of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Brigade Major in the Southern Division of the Army, vice Jackson.

Lieutenant John Little of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be an Assistant in the office of the Adjutant General of the Army, vice Johnston.

Lieutenant W. Marshall of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion, vice Johnston.

Lieutenant S. M'Cormick to be Adjutant of the 1st Battalion of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Warburton.

Lieutenant Benjamin Blake of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion, vice Young.

Lieutenant Richard Crewe of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry, to act until further orders as Aid de Camp to Major General Hare. This appointment to have effect from the 22d ultimo.

Ensign W. J. Darby of the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, to do duty with the Escort of the Resident at *Hyderabad*.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Major Blair of the Engineers, at Sea, on the 23d of March last, the following promotions will take place in that Corps.

Captain (Brevet Major) Fotheringham to be Major, Lieutenant John Blakiston to be Captain, and Ensign Duncan Sim to be Lieutenant, in succession to Blair, deceased; date of commissions the 24th of March 1812.

The health of Captain Lieutenant John Smith of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, not permitting him to proceed to *Europe* by the present Fleet, the furlough granted to that Officer in General Orders of the 2d of June last, is cancelled in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 191

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23d *October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Ensign Alexander Grant of the Corps of Engineers, to be Assistant under the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 192

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23d *October* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Major Custance of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay*, and eventually to Sea on sick certificate.

Ensign Cunningham of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence, until the 1st of January next.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Duncan is permitted to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence from the Ceded Districts, for three months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 193

Fort St. George, 23d *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Adverting to the augmentation recently made by the Honorable the Court of Directors to the establishment of Chaplains, the Honorable the Governor in Council is of opinion, that no necessity can in future exist, for the performance of the Ceremony of Marriage by any Military Officer, and accordingly directs that all Military Officers do consider themselves precluded from discharging that part of the duty eventually assigned to them, in the General Orders dated the 27th of March 1805.

The Governor in Council likewise directs, that the same restriction may be considered applicable to the Ceremony of Baptism, except, in the case of such Children as may be in a weak or precarious state of health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 194

Fort St. George, 23d *October* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Invalided and Pensioned Gun Lascars attached to the Garrison of *Fort St. George*, shall be transferred to the charge of the Town Major from the 1st of the ensuing month.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 195

Fort St. George, 26th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor 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 day of November and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 196

Fort St. George, 27th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant C. B. M. Johnston Brigade Major to the Southern Division of the Army, to do duty in the Adjutant General's Office, and to draw the allowances of Assistant Adjutant General, until the arrival of Lieutenant Scott.

Captain Jackson, Brigade Quarter Master in the Cedeil Districts, to do duty as Brigade Major with the Southern Division of the Army, and to draw the allowances, until the arrival of Lieutenant Johnston at the Head Quarters of the Division.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 197

Fort St. George, 27th October 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. John Cambridge Stedman having attained the prescribed age, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to admit that Gentleman as a Cadet of Infantry on the establishment, from the 8th instant.

Mr. Henry Luttrell, Conductor of Ordnance, is permitted to resign the service of the Honorable Company in compliance with his request, and in consideration of his exemplary conduct is further permitted to remain in *India*, until the pleasure of the Honorable Court of Directors shall be known.

Lieutenant C. Bowen of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Dunn of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Rio Janeiro* on leave of absence for nine months; his pay and allowances to cease from the date of his departure from his Corps.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant Henry Turton of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and Lieutenant John King of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, have been permitted by the Government of *Bombay* to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Swanston of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment N. I. has proceeded from the *Isle of Mauritius* to *England* on public duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

" follows, and the undermentioned appointments will take place immediately, but are to be subject to the " approval of His Excellency the Commander in Chief."

" The Right Brigade to consist of—

" The 1st Bat. 56th Regiment } Lieutenant Colonel Barclay 56th Regiment to Command.
" 1st 12th Regt N. I. } Captain Grant 56th Regiment to be Major of Brigade.
Captain Nixon 24th N. Rt. to be Quarter Master of Brigade.

" The left Brigade to consist of—

The 1st Bat. 22d Rt. N. I. } Lieutenant Colonel M'Donnell 22d Rt. to Command.
" 1st 24th } Lieutenant Beard 22d Regt. to be Major of Brigade.
Captain Henry 12th N. Rt. to be Quarter Master of Brigade.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 203

FORT ST. GEORGE, 10*th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that the Senior Officer present with the Troops at *Jaulna* during the absence of the Commanding Officer of the Subsidiary Force of *Hydrabad*, shall be permitted to draw the same allowances as have been granted to the Officer Commanding the Cantonment of *Secunderabad*, who will cease to draw those allowances when the Commanding Officer of the Subsidiary Force shall be present in that Cantonment.

The Senior Officer at *Jaulna* will only draw these allowances when the Force under his immediate charge shall consist of the Head Quarters of not less than two Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 207

FORT ST. GEORGE, 10*th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Sewell of His Majesty's 89th Regiment, to command at *Poonamalee*, during the absence of Major *Sir* Charles Burdett, *Bart.* on Field Service, and to permit him to draw the established allowances of that command, from the date of the arrival of the Head Quarters of His Majesty's 89th Regiment at *Poonamalee*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 208

FORT ST. GEORGE, 13*th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following promotions and corrections of rank shall take place, in consequence of various casualties which have occurred; and of the restoration of Cornet Bannerman to his rank in the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry.

CAVALRY.

Senior Major (Brevet Lieutenant Colonel) F. A. Daniell from the 4th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Hudleston retired from the Service, date of commission 22d February 1812.

4th Regiment.

Captain A. J. Davidson to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Robert Palin, to be Captain of a Troop, Lieutenant Thomas Darke to be Captain Lieutenant, and Cornet George Maquay to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Daniell promoted, date of commissions 22d February 1812.

4th Regiment.

Captain George Gillespie to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Thomas Darke to be Captain of a Troop, Lieutenant Hugh Newall to be Captain Lieutenant, and Cornet Henry O'Brien to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Davidson deceased, date of commissions 1st April 1812.

2d Regiment.

Cornet E. P. Samuel to be Lieutenant, vice Montgomerie deceased, date of commission 21st October 1812.

Cornet H. B. Doveton, to take rank in the 4th Regiment from the 1st January 1811.
" W. D. M. Naghten, " in the 5th ditto from the 6th April "
" D. Montgomerie, " in the 7th ditto from the 3d May "
" A. M. Campbell, " in the 7th ditto from the 7th September "
" Francis Hunter, " in the 1st ditto from the 19th " "
" W. C. Brunton, " in the 2d ditto from the 24th October "
" Samuel Croft, " in the 4th ditto from the 22d January 1812.
" James Mudson, " in the 2d ditto from the 24th " "
" David Walker, " in the 3d ditto from the 22d February "

N°. 201.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *3d November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to extend the leave of absence granted to Lieutenant Colonel Neale, Commanding the Cantonment of *Arcot*, to the 5th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 202.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *10th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Colonel Browne of His Majesty's 69th Regiment, to command the Auxiliary Force at *Goa* on his arrival at the Head Quarters of his Corps; when Lieutenant Colonel Ogg will be relieved from that command.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Mr. Surgeon Norman; Senior Supernumerary Surgeon James Howell Jones, is brought on the effective list, with his former rank bearing date the 23d of September 1807.

Serjeant John Shepard of the Effective Supernumeraries, is appointed a Conductor of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 204.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *10th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Doubts having occurred with respect to the persons, entitled under the existing regulations of the service to receive Rice from the public stores, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following list of those persons, for the information and guidance of the Commissariat Department and of Officers Commanding Corps and Stations, or in charge of any Public Establishments.

List of persons entitled to receive rice as fighting men.

1. Native Officers and men of Corps of Native Cavalry and Infantry.
2. Native Officers and men of the Golandauze and Gun Lascars.
3. Native Officers and men of the Pioneers.
4. The Ministries and Bearers of the Dooly Corps.
5. The Corps of Guides.
6. Drummers, Fifers, Trumpeters and Puckallies, attached to Native Corps.
7. Native Invalids.
8. All Pensioners whether European or Native, who have been transferred from Corps, and who *actually* reside at Stations where Rice is issued; the Europeans of course, receiving the quantity allowed to troops of that description, viz. ½ a measure per day, and the Natives one seer.
9. Families of Troops on Foreign Service, or actually in the Field at the rate of 1 seer per day to each family, but it would probably be more acceptable to them to receive compensation whilst this plan would be less liable to abuse than the other.
10. Sepoy Recruits, at half the allowance of fighting men.

The following persons to receive Rice in Garrison as Public Followers.

1. Tent and Store Lascars.
2. Horsekeepers and Grass Cutters of Horse Artillery and Regiments of Cavalry.
3. Artificers of Corps.
4. Native Dressers and Toties of the fixed establishment of Surgeons of Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 205.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *10th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to confirm from their respective dates, the following Orders issued by the Commanding Officer of the Field Force from the Ceded Districts, and submitted for sanction by His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

"BELLARY, *1st September* 1812."

"Under authority from Head Quarters of the Army, Captain Burn of the 2d Native Regiment is "appointed to be Post Master to the Force, and to conduct the Intelligence Department, and Lieutenant "John Low of the 24th Regiment to be Persian Interpreter to the Officer Commanding the Force."

"CAMP AT BALAWOONEY, *11th September* 1812."

"Under authority from Head Quarters of the Army, the Infantry of the Force will be brigaded as

INFANTRY.

7th Native Regiment.

Ensign Richard Cuxton to be Lieutenant, vice Russell deceased, date of commission 18th October 1812.

10th Native Regiment.

Ensign T. R. Mantell to be Lieutenant, vice Sterer deceased, date of commission 28th September 1812.

The Governor in Council is pleased to assign to the undermentioned Cornets the dates of rank annexed to their respective names.

Cornet Christopher Cookson, in the 2d Regiment to take rank from the 3d September 1812.
" H. P. Keighly, in the 3d ditto " from the 21st October "
" Richard Bridges in the 4th ditto " from the 31st " "

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 208

Fort St. George, 17th November 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain W. H. Loftie of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate and to embark from *Bombay*, or from the *Malabar Coast*; and Ensign W. Stewart of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

The furlough granted to Lieutenant A. Chambers of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, on the 30th of June 1812, is cancelled in compliance with his request.

Senior Supernumerary Surgeon Daniel Ainslie, is brought on the effective list, with his former rank bearing date the 12th December 1807, vice [illegible] already retired.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 209

Fort St. George, 17th November 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The honorary reward established by the General Orders of the 9th of October 1810, for the study of the Hindostanee Language, having been confined to such Officers and Gentlemen Cadets as should have arrived in India subsequently to the 1st of May 1809, and the period for their attainment of the Language having been limited to three years from the date of their arrival, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel those limitations and to declare the reward open from this date, to all Subaltern Officers in the service of the Honorable Company without distinction.

With a view also to encourage the Junior Officers of the Army in the study of the Persian Language, The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that an honorary reward of five hundred Pagodas shall be given for its attainment under the same regulations in every respect, as have been established for the grant of a similar reward for the attainment of the Hindostanee Language.

It is however to be understood, that no Officer or Gentleman Cadet will be entitled to undergo an examination in the Persian Language who shall not have previously obtained the reward for his knowledge of the Hindostanee.

Adverting to the nature of the studies and pursuits of the Medical Profession to which it is the duty of Assistant Surgeons to devote their leisure, the Governor in Council has deemed it inexpedient to extend the reward for the attainment of the Persian Language to Gentlemen belonging to that branch of the Public Service.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 210

Fort St. George, 17th November 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following Extract from a Report, submitted by the Military Committee of Examination, and to direct that the honorary reward for the attainment of the Hindostanee Language be presented to

Ensign A. Williams of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry.

EXTRACT.

"We beg to have the honor of reporting, that in conformity to the instructions contained in Mr. "Secretary Strachey's Letter to our address of the 29th of September, we have proceeded to the "examination of Ensign A. Williams of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry, as to the proficiency which "he has made in the study of the Hindoostanee Language."

"After a very particular examination, we are enabled to say, that Mr. Williams has attained a very "satisfactory and competent knowledge of that Language. He both reads and writes it with considerable "accuracy, and speaks it with peculiar fluency and precision, and we accordingly beg leave to recommend "that the established reward be granted to this Gentleman."

Fort St. George,
10th November 1812.

(Signed) J. LEITH,
W. OLIVER,
P. VANS AGNEW,
R. B. OTTO.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 211

Fort St. George, 17th November 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant C. E. Trapaud to be Superintending Engineer in the Ceded Districts, vice Torriano.

Lieutenant T. Davis to be Superintending Engineer at *Jaulnah* after the conclusion of the service upon which that Officer is at present employed.

Private James Clarke is promoted to the rank of a Conductor of Ordnance, and is placed on the Invalid list.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°213

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20*th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Ensign W. Allen to be Lieutenant in the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Tombs deceased, date of commission the 8th of November 1812.

Gentleman Cadet J. C. Stedman to be an Ensign of Infantry, date of commission to be fixed hereafter.

The undermentioned Ensigns of Infantry will take rank from the 11th of June 1812.

Ensign	William Bogle	20th Regiment N. I.
,,	George Harrison	10th ,, ,,
,,	J. P. Auber	17th ,, ,,
,,	C. H. Baddeley	13th ,, ,,
,,	Robert Dormer	24th ,, ,,
,,	Charles Hewetson	7th ,, ,,
,,	Thomas Walters	11th ,, ,,
,,	John Jones	19th ,, ,,
,,	Richard Budd	3d ,, ,,
,,	E. J. Johnson	16th ,, ,,

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°214

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20*th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Fitzgerald of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Fort Adjutant at *Vingerlah*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°216

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24*th November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Batta and other allowances for November, and the Pay for December, of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 5th of December and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 215

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24th *November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Hargrave of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *England* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 217

FORT ST. GEORGE, 27th *November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Bowen of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 219

FORT ST. GEORGE, 1st *December* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following extract from a letter addressed by the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Government at *Fort William*, under date the 1st of May 1812.

EXTRACT.

12.—"We have removed Mr. Andrew Reid now on our Military Establishment at *Fort St. George*, to our Civil Service at your Presidency, and have appointed him a Writer on the *Bengal* Establishment, you will be informed by a future opportunity of what season he is to rank."

A true extract.
(Signed) C. M. RICKETTS,
SEC. TO THE GOVERNMENT.

In conformity with the directions contained in the foregoing extract, Cornet Andrew Reid of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is removed from the Military Establishment of this Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 218

FORT ST. GEORGE, 27th *November* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that such articles, as under the General Order of the 2d of September 1806 were provided for the use of Lock Hospitals by Military Paymasters, in their capacity as Officers of Supply, shall, in future be furnished by the Commissariat Department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 220

FORT ST. GEORGE, 1st *December* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that monthly returns, according to the annexed form, of Guard Room Furniture at the several Stations of the Army shall be prepared by Staff Officers of Garrisons or Cantonments, and transmitted by the Commanding Officers, who will countersign them, to the Secretary of the Military Board. At Stations to which Staff Officers of this description may not be attached, this duty will be performed by Officers Commanding. Similar returns of Guard Room Furniture at *Fort St. George*, will be made to the Military Board by the Town Major.

FORM.

MAIN GUARD.	Serviceable.	Repairable.	Unserviceable.	Total.	REMARKS.
Guard Room Benches or Cots.....					
Tables.....					
Chairs.....					
Couches.....					
Shades.....					
Lamps, Globe.....					
Do. Country Glazed.....					

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 221

Fort St. George, 1st *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions and appointments will take place.

13th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Henry Swayne to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. Macleod to be Lieutenant, in succession to Bennett deceased; date of commissions the 17th of November 1812.

22d Regiment N. I.

Ensign T. B. Jones to be Lieutenant, vice [illegible] deceased; date of commission the 9th of November 1812.

Corps of Engineers.

Ensign Alexander Grant to act as Adjutant during the absence of Lieutenant Monteath.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 222

Fort St. George, 1st *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the 13th Paragraph of the Code of Pay Regulations, Page 105, respecting the payment of Batta and other Field allowances to Troops when warned for Field or Foreign Service, and to direct, that under such circumstances no extra allowance shall be drawn in future beyond the amount of Batta, authorized by the former regulations of the Service, viz. "Three days Batta previous to the actual march of the Troops."

Although it has been deemed expedient to re-establish this general rule, yet as it has been also ascertained, that in particular cases, extraordinary expense must unavoidably be incurred by Corps and Individuals warned for service; the Governor in Council will not object in such cases to receive applications for relief, when submitted for consideration through the prescribed channel of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to cancel the 14th Paragraph of the Code of Pay Regulations, Page 105, respecting the employment of Public Followers, for Field or Foreign Service, and to direct, that in all practicable cases, persons of that description shall not be entertained beyond the Peace establishment, without the previous authority of the Government. In cases of emergency, when it may be necessary to entertain Public Followers without previous authority, the charge incurred, with the requisite explanations, is to be submitted for the sanction of the Government with the least possible delay.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 223

Fort St. George, 8th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon James Chalmers is appointed to the medical charge of the Zilla of *Tinnevelly*, vice Jones deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 224

Fort St. George, 11th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Farquharson of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

The following promotions will take place.

ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant Henry Lindsay to be Captain Lieutenant, and Lieutenant Fireworker Henry Gregory to be Lieutenant, in succession to Briggs deceased, dates of rank the 20th of November 1812.

4th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Cornet James Goodrich to take rank from the 2d December 1812, vice Reid transferred to the Civil Establishment of *Bengal*.

Messrs. Walbancke and Higham, Conductors of Stores, being unfit for effective duty, are transferred to the Invalid Establishment, in compliance with their request.

The appointment of Fort Adjutant of *Vingorlah* is abolished.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 225

Fort St. George, 15th December 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon John James is permitted to proceed to *England*, on furlough for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 226

Fort St. George, 15th December 1812.

G. O. By Government.

With reference to the 8th Paragraph of the G. O. of the 9th October 1810, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to extend to Surgeons of European Corps on actual Field Service, the indulgence of receiving the supplies of Arrack requisite for the sick, from the public stock in Camp, at the rate of 2 Pagodas per gallon, to be paid for on delivery. Surgeons of Native Corps on actual Field Service, will also be permitted to receive supplies of Arrack in this manner, and at the same rate; but in both cases, the Superintending Surgeon, or the Senior Medical Officer in Camp, whose duty it will be to ascertain the amount of the supplies that are absolutely necessary, must countersign the indents of the Medical Officers requiring the supply, and it will ultimately rest with the Commanding Officer to pass such indents for compliance, consulting of course the convenience of the service, and being responsible that no injury shall arise to any other part of the service by such indents being complied with.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 227.

Fort St. George, 18th December 1812.

G. O. By Government.

With a view to regulate the proceedings of Military Paymasters of Stations, on their appointment, resignation, removal, or occasional leave of absence, and to define their responsibility on every occasion, as well as of their Substitutes, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following regulations for the guidance of all the Public Officers concerned in the Pay Department.

On the appointment of a Paymaster, and publication thereof in General Orders, the Officer standing appointed, will immediately communicate with the Accountant General in the Military Pay Department upon the subject of his Securities, whom he will name in order that the Accountant General in the Military Pay Department may enquire into the credit and circumstances of the Securities proposed, before he shall submit them for the approval of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

Paymasters on being appointed, will proceed to the Presidency for the purpose of entering into the obligations required, unless the state of the Service, or other circumstances shall prevent it, which is to be explained to the Accountant General in the Military Pay Department; who, in such latter cases, will cause to be forwarded to the Commanding Officer of the Station, or any other Public Officer the papers for execution, which are to be returned to the Office of the Accountant General.

After the due execution of these security obligations, a Paymaster will be competent to take upon him the duties of his Office and he will be considered responsible for all receipts and disbursements.

On receiving charge, a Paymaster is to be careful to take an exact account of the balance of cash up to the day on which he receives charge, comparing the same with the balance of account current at the close of the month preceding and the transactions that may have taken place from that period to the day of taking charge.

As the balance of account current and balance of cash in the chest may not agree, a Paymaster will take an account of the vouchers, &c. &c. composing the difference, and he will forward a statement of the same to the Accountant General in the Military Pay Department, accompanied by a statement of the amount in hand, on account of the recovery of retrenchment, as likewise, one of those unrecovered. The Paymaster will also submit at the same time similar statements to the Military Auditor General.

Should it be impracticable for a Paymaster immediately to join his Station, he may, after having given the required security, nominate any Officer to transact the duties of his Office during his absence, for whose acts the Principal will be considered responsible, and the Substitute being approved of, will be authorized to receive charge of the Office of Pay from the party immediately retiring, which he is to do according to the mode prescribed.

On occasions of Paymasters desirous of acting by substitute, they will submit for approval by Government through the Accountant General in the Military Pay Department, the name of such Substitute.

Paymasters on being transferred to other situations, resigning, or vacating their office by promotion or from other causes, will continue to act until relieved by their Successor or Substitute; but in cases where such Ex-Paymaster may for his own convenience wish to retire, it will be incumbent on him to provide his Substitute, under the same regulations as laid down for Substitutes in the preceding articles.

Officers Commanding Divisions, Detachments or Stations, who may nominate individuals to take upon them the charge of the Pay Department, are to report the same to the Honorable the Governor in Council.

In cases where Paymasters are required by the exigency of the Service, or by the orders of Government to relinquish their situations, so that the responsibility of naming a Substitute cannot fall upon the newly appointed Paymaster, it shall be competent for the Officer Commanding the Division, Detachment or Station to name a Substitute to act, who shall take charge of the Office of Paymaster, and the responsibility will rest on him until relieved by the Successor appointed by Government or his Substitute, it being understood in such case that the Paymaster retiring cannot be held responsible for acts not done within the period of his charge of office, the same will prevail on occasion of the death of a Paymaster.

Paymasters applying for leave of absence, will follow the usual course for obtaining the permission of Government, at the same time naming their Substitute, who is to be approved of by the Honorable the Governor in Council, and the publication thereof in General Orders will be sufficient notification to the Public Officers concerned.

To prevent inconvenience, confusion and embarrassment, either by the death or non-return of Paymasters to their Stations, Substitutes are in the first instance to receive from their Principals a full charge of the department, together with a statement of the balance of cash, an exposition of the balance of account current, amount of cash recovered on account of retrenchments, accompanied by another of those unrecovered to the period the Paymaster has received the audits upon his account; statements of which are to be forwarded to the Military Auditor General and to the Accountant General in the Military Pay Department in the same manner as directed in the 6th paragraph of these Regulations.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 228.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 18*th December* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders of the 1st of September last to Cornet Chase of the Body Guard, has been extended for the further period of one month.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 229

FORT ST. GEORGE, 22*d December* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Private Soldier James Black of Effective Supernumeraries, is appointed a Conductor of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 230

FORT ST. GEORGE, 22*d December* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the provisions of paragraphs 28, 29 and 30, of Section XI of the Commissariat Regulations, shall in future be considered applicable to the Grain Department in Garrison as well as in the Field; and with a view to facilitate the examination and adjustment of the accounts of the Commissariat in this branch, the following rules have been established and are to be invariably observed.

The Registers of Grain issued to the Troops, &c. which the Commissariat Officers are directed to forward to Paymasters at the end of each month, shall be made out in duplicate, and shall exhibit an additional column according to the annexed form to be left blank for the purpose of enabling Paymasters to fill up the same, by shewing the number of deserters, their rank, and the Corps and Company to which they belonged, as well as the quantity and value of the Grain issued to them. This information is necessary, in order that the Officers of the Commissariat may be apprized of any difference between the Registers transmitted by them of Grain issued to the Troops, &c. and the drafts which the Paymasters furnish for the amount of stoppages made on that account. The prescribed endorsements on the back of the pay abstracts will afford Paymasters the means of accomplishing this object.

One of the Registers received from the Commissariat Officers when thus filled up, will be disposed of by Paymasters as directed in the 30th paragraph of Section XI of the Commissariat Regulations, and the other will be returned to the Commissariat Officer making the supply, who will transmit the same together with the draft for the amount, to the Commissary General.

FORM.

REGISTER OF GRAIN *issued by the Assistant Commissary General at* *to different Corps and Public Followers from*

CORPS, &c.	FIGHTING MEN.				PUBLIC FOLLOWERS.				TOTAL.			DEDUCT on ACCOUNT of DESERTERS.				
	Rice.		Paddy.		Rice.		Paddy.									
	Quantity.	Amount at 70 Pagodas per Garce.	Quantity.	Amount at 55 Pagodas per Garce.	Quantity.	Amount at 80 Pagodas per Garce.	Quantity.	Amount at 40 Pagodas per Garce.	Quantity of Rice.	Quantity of Paddy	Amount.	Corps, Rank, &c.	Quantity of Rice received by the deserters.	Quantity of Paddy received by the deserters	Rates.	Amount.
	G. M. S.	P. F. C.	G. M. S.	P. F. C.	G. M. S.	P. F. C.	G. M. S.	P. F. C.	G. M. S.	G. M. S.	P. F. C.		Seers.	Seers.		P. F. C.
TOTAL.												TOTAL.				

N. B.—Amount of Rice and Paddy issued to Fighting men and Public Followers—Pagodas ,, ,, ,,
Deduct on account of Deserters .. .. ,, ,, ,, ,,
Nett amount for which a Bill is given on the Accountant General .. .. .. ,, ,, ,, ,,

Station and date

Signature of the Commissariat Officer.

Signature of the Military Paymaster

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 231

Fort St. George, 28th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following paragraphs of a general letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors in the Military Department, dated the 27th May 1812, for the information of the Army.

Para. 10.—We have permitted Lieutenant James Smith to return to his rank on your establishment.

11.—Captain Garner Warburton of your establishment, retired from the Company's Service (with our permission) from the 5th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 232

Fort St. George, 28th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor 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 7th of January and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 233

Fort St. George, 29th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Superintending Surgeon Alexander Boswell to be Third Member of the Medical Board, vice Doctor Berry permitted to proceed to *Europe*; date of appointment the 10th of July 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 234

Fort St. George, 28th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having received a report from His Excellency the Commander in Chief on the present state of the Army Clothing, and with a view to expedite the adjustment of the accounts of the Clothing Department, as well as to prevent, as much as possible, the accumulation of arrears, is pleased at His Excellency's recommendation, to direct, that a compensation in money, be paid for the year 1811-12 to the following Corps and Departments of the Army.

To the whole of the Native Infantry Corps (with exception of the Light Infantry Battalions.)

The Madras Volunteer Battalion, the two Battalions of Pioneers, the Effective Supernumeraries and Garrison Staff not on the strength of Corps; and the Native Invalids of every description.

Payment of the compensation in lieu of Clothing abovementioned will accordingly be made by Paymasters, under the usual communication from the Office of Audit.

The Honorable the Governor in Council requests, that the Commander in Chief will give the necessary directions for carrying the preceding Order into effect.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 235

Fort St. George, 29th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that Medical Officers attached to Corps of Cavalry, when permitted to proceed to other Presidencies on leave of absence and not on sick certificate, shall cease to draw Cavalry allowances from the date on which they shall cease to do duty with such Corps; or if absent from their Corps at the period of obtaining the permission, from the date of the General Order in which it may be published.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 236

Fort St. George, 29th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Ternon of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *England* on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Gore of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea, on sick certificate.

Gentleman Cadet Robert Bell of the *Bengal* Establishment, is permitted to do duty with the Corps of Artillery, until further orders.

Information having been received that Lieutenant Plenderleath of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, died at Sea on the 18th September last, the name of that Officer will be discontinued in the List of the Army.

The following promotions will take place.

3d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Cornet John Tracey O'Reilly to be Lieutenant, vice Plenderleath deceased; date of commission the 19th of September 1812.

Cornet Henry Bryan Williams to take rank as Cornet from the 19th of September 1812.

15th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant Johnson Napier to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant William Ormsby to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Richard Shanahan to be Lieutenant, in succession to Warburton retired; date of commissions the 6th of May 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 237

Fort St. George, 29th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

9th *Regiment Native Infantry.*

Captain Lieutenant Thomas Hicks to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant George Rose to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign William Slade to be Lieutenant, in succession to Porter deceased; date of commissions the 11th December 1812.

22d *Regiment Native Infantry.*

Ensign Carlos Crowther to be Lieutenant, vice Oliver deceased; date of commission 6th December 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 238

Fort St. George, 29th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to determine, that, from and after the 1st day of February 1813, the distribution, custody, and issue of Arrack, within *Fort St. George*, and at the several Out-Stations of the Army, shall be placed under the Commissariat; the following outline of the regulations which have been adopted in consequence of this arrangement, is now published for general information.

1.—On the receipt of this Order, or as soon after as may be practicable, the Arrack in store at *Fort St. George* and at the several Stations will be transferred to the Officers of the Commissariat, under the survey of Committees to be assembled for that purpose.—The quantity of Liquor will be ascertained by a stamped gallon measure which will be sent by the Military Board to Officers Commanding Stations, and its quality will be ascertained by hydrometer when practicable. The proceedings of these Committees, together with receipts of the Officer who takes charge, for the quantities expressed therein will be prepared in triplicate, one set to be delivered on the spot to the Agents for the Contractors, one set to be sent to the Commissary General by the Officer of his department, and one set to be forwarded by the Officer Commanding to the Military Board. The proceedings and receipts will of course include the number, description and quality of the casks and utensils transferred by the Contractors. The whole quantities transferred will be brought on the returns of the Commissariat, and a general return will be made to the Military Board by the Commissary General, who will also forward a quarterly return of the Arrack Department as well as of the other branches of the Commissariat, as directed in the General Order of the 8th October 1810. The accounts and returns to be made to the Commissary General, will be regulated by that Officer.

2.—The Arrack Department will accordingly be conducted from the 1st of February 1813, until further orders, under the following regulations, viz. The Arrack having been received in the course of the month of January, the Officers of the Commissariat will be prepared to make the issues to the Troops on the 1st of February 1813, in the regulated proportion of two drams per man, per diem, and which shall be paid for as usual, at the rate of 45 Cash per dram or 22½ Fanams per gallon.

3.—Any extra Arrack which may be issued to the Troops at the discretion of Officers Commanding Stations on established holidays, shall be paid for at the above regulated rate; but all extra Arrack issued on any other occasion, shall be paid for at the rate of 40 Fanams per gallon, at every Station of the Army.

4.—The daily payments, however, instead of being made by individuals, as has sometimes been the case, shall always when practicable, be rendered by Corps or Companies, for which Commanding Officers will make the necessary arrangements, and it shall be considered as an invariable rule, that all payments for Arrack shall be made in the coins, which the Troops may have received from the Paymaster. The amount of their payments will be paid by the Commissariat into the hands of the Military Paymasters, who will grant their bills in favor of the Commissary General, whose duty it will be to dispose of such bills when they reach his Office, according to the regulations of the service.

5.—When a supply of Arrack is sent to any of the Out-Stations, musters will be sent along with it, and on its arrival, the Commanding Officer of the Station will order a Committee of Officers to ascertain that the contents are equal to those musters, as also the quantities deficient.—The proceedings of these Committees shall be made out in duplicate according to form A, the original of which is to be sent by Officers Commanding to the Commissary General, and the duplicate to the Officer of the Commissariat under whose charge the Arrack is to be immediately placed.

6.—Any Arrack which may be found on examination by a Committee of a quality inferior to the muster will be noted in the proceedings, and it will be the duty of the Commissary General to adopt measures for recovering the value from the person under whose custody it may have been despatched. As the quantity which may be deficient will also be ascertained by the Committee, it will be the especial duty of the

Commissary General to recover the value of any quantity, the loss of which may not be accounted for in a satisfactory manner.

7.—The Commissariat Officers will issue Arrack to the European Troops on the indents of Quarter Masters of Corps and countersigned by the Officers Commanding the Corps and Garrison. The indents are to express the number of men in words as well as figures, and no indents are to be complied with which are not drawn out in all respects according to form B. Indents for extra Arrack to be of the same form, but superscribed with the words "Extra Indent."

8.—Indents for Details are to be made out by the Officer under whose charge they may be, and to be countersigned by Officers Commanding the Garrison or Station.

9.—The expense godown in the different Garrisons and Cantonments for the use of the European Troops shall not be kept open but from the hours of 7 to 9 in the morning, and from 4 to 6 in the afternoon, when they are to be shut, and the keys lodged in the guard-room—nor shall the godowns be opened at any intermediate hour for the purpose of making extra issues, which should be served out at the regular hours abovementioned.

10.—All Officers belonging to Garrison and Cantonments shall be permitted to supply themselves from the Company's stores at the rate of 1½ Pagoda per gallon. The Indents of Officers must be in writing, with their proper signature annexed and countersigned by the Commanding Officer of the Garrison or Station, who of course will regulate the quantity at his own discretion. These indents will be superscribed by the words "Officers' Indents."

A.

PROCEEDINGS of a COMMITTEE of SURVEY held by order of Lieutenant Colonel A. B. Commanding at ————, to ascertain the quality and quantity of Arrack received by the Sub-Assistant Commissary General from the Commissary General.

January 1813.

Captain C. D. 1st Battalion 15th Regiment N. I.—PRESIDENT.
Lieutenant E. F. of 2d Bat. 7th Regiment, } MEMBERS. { Ensign G. H. of 2d Battalion 4th Regiment.

The Committee having assembled according to order, proceed to inspect the 211 Casks laid before them, and after an attentive examination of them have subjoined the following remarks.

ARTICLES.	No. of Casks.	Original quantity contained in each Cask.		Found on examination by the Committee		REMARKS.
		Gallons	Drs.	Gals.	Drs.	
Arrack.....	427	90	10	88	25	
	428	95	0	91	0	
	435	83	20	81	30	
	452	81	25	80	5	
Total						

Stations, &c.

(Signed) { C. D. Captain 1st Bat. 15th Regiment—President.
E. F. Lieut. 2d Bat. 7th Regiment—Member.
G. H. Ensign 2d Bat. 4th Regiment—Member.

B.

INDENT on Captain A. B. Assistant Commissary General at

Sir,

Please to order the delivery of seventeen Gallons and thirty-six Drams of Arrack for the use of 538 men of His Majesty's ———— Regiment of Foot, paying for the same.

COMPANIES.	No. of Men	Quantity of Arrack.		Signature of Officers Commanding Companies.
		Gals.	Drs.	
Captain C. D.	70	3	20	
,, E. F.	50	2	20	
,, G. H.	68	3	16	
,, I. J.	80	4	0	
,, K. L.	90	4	20	
Total	358	17	36	

Stations, &c.

(Signed) { M. N. Quarter Master.
O. P. Commanding H. M. ——Regiment.
(Signed) R. S. Commanding the Garrison.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 239

Fort St. George, 29th *December* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following copy of a Report from the Committee appointed for the Examination of Officers and Gentlemen Cadets in the Persian Language.

To The Honorable
Sir GEORGE HILARO BARLOW, *Bt. and K. B.*
Governor in Council.

Honorable Sir,

Para. 1st—In conformity with the instructions conveyed to us in the letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 4th instant; we have the honor to report the result of our examination of the proficiency made by Cornet Macnaghten in the Persian Language.

2d—We required Mr. Macnaghten to translate into English, an extract of considerable length from the celebrated historical work, entitled the Hubeeboos Seeyur and to turn back into its original language the greater portion of an English translation of a letter from Nizam ool-Moolk to Mohummed Shah.

3d—These translations, notwithstanding their great length were executed with facility in the course of a few hours, and the inaccuracies which they exhibit, are too few and too trifling to deserve any notice.

4th—A reference to the former report of this Committee dated the 6th May 1811, will shew, that even at that time, Mr. Macnaghten possessed a knowledge of the Persian language beyond the bounds of ordinary acquirement: his ready and correct performance of the exercises which we required of him, was therefore no more than what might be reasonably expected, but we should be unjust to his merits, were we not to mention that his Persian composition, independently of its general accuracy as a translation, displays a command of language and an elegance of expression, which evince his intimate acquaintance with the style and phraseology of the best authors, and reflect the highest credit upon his judgment and taste.

5th—With this view of Mr. Macnaghten's attainments in the Persian Language, we have particular pleasure in recommending, that the honorary reward established by the General Orders of the 17th October last, may be bestowed upon him.

Fort St. George,
19th *December* 1812.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,

(Signed) J. LEITH,
W. OLIVER,
P. V. AGNEW,
R. B. OTTO.

The Governor in Council has much satisfaction in conferring on Cornet Macnaghten the honorary reward to which, as formerly in the attainment of the Hindoostannee Language that Officer has established his early claims, in a very distinguished manner.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council
(Signed) C. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

C. Strachey
Sec. to Government.

No. 1

Fort St. George, 4th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Sewell of His Majesty's 89th Regiment, to Command the Troops composing the Garrison of *Fort St. George*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 3

Fort St. George, 5th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

To be Deputy Judge Advocates to the Army.

Major James Colebrooke, 8th Regiment N. I.
Captain Richard Burne, 2d " " "
" S. Lutwidge, 11th " " "
" Thomas Wren, 15th " " "
" Joseph Nixon, 24th " " "

Captain Charles Elphinstone of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry, to be Quarter Master of Brigade in *Travancore*, vice Osborne.

Lieutenant Osborne of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry, to be Major of Brigade in *Mysore*, vice Webster.

Cornet F. L. Doveton of the 3d Regiment Native Cavalry, to be Adjutant of that Regiment, vice Plenderleath.

Lieutenant James Bayley 11th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Assistant in the Office of the Quarter Master General of the Army.

Lieutenants J. J. O'Donoghue 17th Native Infantry, A. Stewart 16th Native Infantry, and J. Cameron 12th Native Infantry, to be Assistants in the Quarter Master General's Department, Survey branch, 2d Class.

The appointment of Lieutenant Cameron to take place from the 1st May 1813, when the period of his temporary assistance to the Mathematical Instructor of the Military Institution will terminate.

Major Munro of the Madras Volunteer Battalion, to Command at *Poonamallee*, during the absence of Major Sir Charles Burdett, *Bart.* on Field Service, and to draw the established allowances of that Command from the 4th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 4

Fort St. George, 5th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

5th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Charles Turner to be Lieutenant, vice Travis deceased, date of commission the 13th of August 1811.

11th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant Richard Evans to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Josiah Stewart to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign John Peake to be Lieutenant, in succession to Poignand, deceased; date of commissions the 20th of December 1812.

The following corrections of rank will take place, in consequence of the decease of the late Lieutenant Plenderleath of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry.

NATIVE CAVALRY.

Cornet H. P. Keighly,.. 3d Regiment, to rank from 19th September 1812.
" R. Bridges,..... 4th..... 21st October 1812.
" James Goodrich,... 4th..... 31st October 1812.
" H. R. Williams,... 3d..... 2d December 1812.

Captain Brown of the 14th, and Ensign Gifford of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificates.

Lieutenant Brown of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea, for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 2

Fort St. George, 5th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm, from the 11th ultimo, the following appointments made by Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, Commanding the Force in the Field.

Captain Nixon of the 24th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Quarter Master of Brigade to the Field Force, vice Scott.

Captain Henry of the 12th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Quarter Master of Brigade to the Right Brigade, vice Nixon.

Lieutenant Cracroft of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry, to be Quarter Master of Brigade to the Left Brigade, vice Henry.

Ensign Jones of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry, to act as Adjutant to the 1st Battalion, during the period Lieutenant Cracroft is employed on Staff duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 5

Fort St. George, 8th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Turton of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and Captain Lea of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to *England* on sick certificate.

Ensign J. Wright of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 6

Fort St. George, 12th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to fix the pay of Bugle Majors and Bugle Men with the Battalions of Light Infantry at the rates established for Drum Majors and Drummers of Native Corps.

The following promotion has taken place.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign John Gordon Rorison to be Lieutenant, vice Dixon, deceased; date of commission the 27th of December 1812.

The following correction of rank assigned in General Orders of the 5th instant to Ensign Charles Turner of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is directed to take place.

Ensign Charles Turner to be Lieutenant, vice Travis, deceased, date of commission the 13th of August 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 9

Fort St. George, 15th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to grant to Lieutenant Colonel Adams Commandant of *Bangalore*, an extension of his leave of absence from the 1st of February to the 1st of March.

Lieutenant Edmonds of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

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

Mr. Surgeon Goldie to be Superintending Surgeon with the Subsidiary Force of *Hyderabad*, vice Boswell, date of rank the 10th of July 1812.

Mr. Surgeon Horsman to be Medical Storekeeper at the Presidency from this date, vice Goldie.

Mr. Surgeon Alexander Stewart to be Secretary to the Medical Board and Vaccinating Officer at the Presidency, vice Horsman.

Mr. Surgeon Sherwood to afford medical aid to the Judicial Courts at *Chittoor*, vice Stewart.

The appointment of Assistant to the Medical Storekeeper at the Presidency is abolished from this date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 7

Fort St. George, 12th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Captain R. Burn of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry and Deputy Judge Advocate, to proceed to the *Cape of Good Hope*, or *St. Helena* and eventually to *England*, on sick certificate; and Lieutenant Colonel T. Gurnell of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 8

Fort St. George, 15th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Captain F. P. Stewart of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as a Deputy Judge Advocate during the absence of Captain Burn, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 10

Fort St. George, 19th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Colonel W. Macleod of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on furlough for three years; and Ensign T. M'Carthy of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on leave of absence for twelve months, without pay, from the date of his embarkation.

Ensign George Skipp of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 11

Fort St. George, 19th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Hilton of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 12

Fort St. George, 20th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Heward to be Garrison Surgeon of *Bangalore*; date of appointment the 15th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 13

Fort St. George, 25th January 1813.

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 5th of February, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 14.

Fort St. George, 26th January 1813.

G. O. By Government:

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to *England*, on sick certificate.
Captain Lieutenant J. Smith of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry.
Captain G. J. Pepper of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry.
Ensign Shedden of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, and
Mr. Assistant Surgeon David Henderson of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Ensign Laurie of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea, for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 15.

Fort St. George, 26th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having received most satisfactory representations of the meritorious conduct of the Native Officers and Troopers belonging to the Detachments of the Body Guard and of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry lately employed in *Persia*, is pleased to mark his approbation of their services, by publicly conferring on them, or on their families, the undermentioned distinctions and rewards.

Detachment from the Body Guard.

Sied Hussain, Subidar, that he be presented with a Palanqueen and the usual allowance for the support of that equipage, and that his nearest Heir may, after his decease, be allowed a pension equal to the full pay of a Subidar of Cavalry.

Mahomed Hussain, Trooper, to be pensioned on the full pay of a Naik of Cavalry.
The family of Mahomed Isoff, Trooper, deceased, to be allowed a pension of three Star Pagodas, per month.
The family of Mahomed Khossim, deceased, to be allowed a pension of one and a half Pagoda per month.
Abdul Khader, Havildar, to be promoted to Jemadar and pensioned on full pay of that rank.
Sied Mohdeen, Havildar, to be promoted to Jemadar.
Meer Ghoolam Hussain, Private, to be pensioned on half pay.
Gull Mahomed, Naik, to be promoted to Havildar.
Mohadeen Khan, Naik, to be promoted to Havildar.
Shaik Ally, Naik, to be promoted to Havildar.
Shaik Ramgunny, Private, to be promoted to Naik.
Shaik Meerah, Private, to be promoted to Naik.
Abdul Khader, Private, to be promoted to Naik.
Khan Mahomed, Private, to be promoted to Naik.
Sied Farreed, Private, to be promoted to Naik.

Detachment from the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry:

Jemadar Mohideen Khan, to be promoted to Subidar.

The families of Mahomed Tippoo, and Mahomed Hussain, deceased; to be allowed a pension of three Pagodas per month each.

Jemadar Madar Cawn to be promoted to Subidar and pensioned on the half pay of that rank, in consequence of a weakness in his eyes, contracted in *Persia*.

The Governor in Council further directs, that the Native Officers and Troopers of the two Detachments, shall receive a gratuity of three months pay and batta of their rank, the individuals promoted by this order having the benefit of that promotion.

A similar gratuity will be drawn for the deceased Troopers in favor of their respective families.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 16.

Fort St. George, 26th January 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Fraser of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Lieutenant Waddell of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, having been permitted by the Honorable the Court of Directors to return to *India*, will resume the duties of their rank.

The following promotions will take place.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign W. Roper to be Lieutenant, vice Shepherd, deceased; date of commission the 17th of January 1813.

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Ewen Macpherson to be Lieutenant, vice Edye, deceased; date of commission the 27th of December 1812.

The following appointment by the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army, is confirmed from the 8th instant.

Lieutenant Page of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Major of Brigade to the Southern Division until relieved by Lieutenant Johnston.

The furlough granted in General Orders of the 24th of July 1812, to Lieutenant Waters of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended to a further period of two months.

Mr. Edward Jackson is admitted a Cadet of Cavalry on the establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and is promoted to the rank of Cornet; date of commission to be determined hereafter.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Cornet Jackson to remain in *Bengal* for a period of six months, for the purpose of studying the Native Language.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 17

FORT ST. GEORGE, *26th January* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Paymaster to the troops in *Malabar* and *Canara* shall, in future reside at *Cananore*, the Head Quarters of the two Provinces.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT,

No. 18

FORT ST. GEORGE, *26th January* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to suspend the operation of the General Order of the 23d of October last, respecting the Marriage of Non-commissioned Officers and of Private Soldiers, and the Baptism of their Children, until it shall be found practicable to provide for the performance of those duties at every Station of European Troops by Military Chaplains, or by other Clergymen regularly appointed for the purpose.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend Mr. Ringletaube, Protestant Missionary in *Travancore*, to officiate as Military Chaplain to the European Force at *Quilon*, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 19

Fort St. George, 29th *January* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant R. Heming of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, having returned to *India* with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

The following promotions will take place.

Senior Major G. A. Muat from the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry, vice C. D. Bruce, deceased; date of commission the 25th of January 1813.

4th Regiment Native Infantry:

Captain James Moore to be Major, Captain Lieutenant W. Harris to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant G. Moore to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign T. Watson to be Lieutenant, in succession to Muat promoted; date of commissions the 25th of January 1813.

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign D. C. Stewart to be Lieutenant, vice Hughes, deceased; date of commission the 20th of January 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N° 20

Fort St. George, 2d *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Wright of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

Ensign Prendergast of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence for four months.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain Smith of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to proceed to *Prince of Wales Island* on private business.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N° 22

Fort St. George, 2d *February* 1813.

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 general letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 9th July 1812.

Para. 2d—" We have permitted Captain Charles Ferrior of your establishment, to remain in *England* " till the departure of the first ships of next season."

4th—" We have permitted Lieutenant Colonel Henry Nash of your establishment, to remain in *England* " till the departure of the first ships of next season."

The Governor in Council is also pleased to publish the following information received in a letter from the Secretary at the East India House, dated the 28th July last.

" Lieutenant George Drew of your establishment, has our permission to remain in *England* till the " departure of the first ships of next season."

" We have appointed Mr. Peter Crawford an Assistant Surgeon for your Presidency."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N° 21

Fort St. George, 2d *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Captain Cleghorn of the Corps of Engineers, and Lieutenant Rule of the 3d Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N° 23

Fort St. George, 5th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following copy of a Report from the Committee, appointed for the examination of Military Students in the Hindoostanee Language, and to direct, that the established honorary reward be presented to Cornet James Morison of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry.

To the Honorable
Sir G. H. BARLOW, Bart. & K. B.
Governor in Council,
&c. &c. &c.

Honorable Sir,

Agreeably to the instructions contained in Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter of the 19th ultimo,—We have proceeded to the examination of Cornet Morison 2d Regiment Native Cavalry, in the Hindoostanee Language, and are enabled to declare, that the proficiency of that Gentleman is such, as to render him entitled, in our opinion, to the usual reward. Cornet Morison having been as yet little more than two years in the country, deserves considerable credit for his translations, which indicate a very competent knowledge of the vocables and general idiom of the Hindoostanee language.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
With great respect,
Your very obedient humble Servants.
(Signed) J. LEITH,
" W. OLIVER,
" R. B. OTTO.

Fort St. George,
2d February 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 25

Fort St. George, 5th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Captain T. A. S. Ahmuty of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Paymaster in *Mysoor*.

Lieutenant Duncan Stewart of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, having returned to the Coast, the Commander in Chief is requested to relieve that Officer from Artillery duty and to direct him to join his Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 26

Fort St. George, 9th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Newell of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Bannatyne of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence for three months, from the 15th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 24

Fort St. George, 5th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mather having been appointed on the 2d of October last, to afford medical assistance to the Civil Department at *Cochin*, the name of that Officer will be discontinued on the returns of the 1st Battalion of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 25

Fort St. George, 9th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Reverend Mr. Dunsterville having reported his convalescence, will resume his functions as Military Chaplain at *Bangalore*, as soon as he can conveniently proceed to that Station.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Mr. Thomas to be Military Chaplain at *Arcot*, and Visiting Minister to the European Troops at *Vellore*, and at *Wallajahbad*, under instructions which will be furnished for his guidance, by the Senior Chaplain at the Presidency.

The Commanding Officers of *Vellore* and *Wallajahbad* will be duly apprized by the Chaplain at *Arcot*, of the days in every month on which he may propose to visit their respective Stations, and in the meantime, will continue to perform, as far as may be necessary, the ceremonies of Baptism and Marriage, under the provisions of the General Order of the 26th ultimo.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 27

Fort St. George, 9th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel P. Bruce of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, to leave the Presidency, and to proceed to Sea and to the Islands of *Mauritius* and *Bourbon* for the recovery of his health, without prejudice to his appointment as Military Auditor General.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 29

Fort St. George, 12th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Dickson of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, having been appointed a Prize Agent for the Army employed on the Expedition against *Java*, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit him to proceed to *England*, for the purpose of discharging the duties connected with that trust.

Captain Dickson will draw the subsistence of his Regimental rank during his absence on this duty.

Lieutenant Colonel Pierce, of the Infantry, having reported his return to this Presidency, will resume the duties of his rank.

Mr. J. Robins is admitted a Cadet of Infantry on the establishment, in conformity with the certificate of his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and is promoted to the rank of Ensign: date of commission to be determined hereafter.

The following promotions will take place.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign David Armstrong to be Lieutenant, vice Gore deceased; date of commission the 31st of January 1813.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant H. Swayne to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant E. Malton to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Richard Seward to be Lieutenant, in succession to James, deceased: date of commissions the 3d of February 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 30

Fort St. George, 12th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant Mackintosh of the Corps of Engineers, to be Superintending Engineer in the Coast Division of the Army.

Ensign J. G. Proby of the Corps of Engineers, to act as Adjutant to that Corps, vice Grant, relieved, in consideration of his other duties as Assistant under the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 91

Fort St. George, 16th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in conferring the following rewards on those Individuals who distinguished themselves by their fidelity to the Government, during the late Conspiracy in *Travancore*.

Jemidar Jalloo of the 2d Battalion 14th Regiment, who first reported the Conspiracy, is promoted to the rank of Subidar, and the Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, that he be presented with a Pallankeen and the usual allowance to maintain that equipage, and with a Gold Medal and one thousand Rupees, and to grant a pension of ten Pagodas per month to his nearest Heir after his decease.

Venketram, Private of the 2d Battalion 14th Regiment, who discovered the Conspiracy to Jemidar Jalloo, is pensioned on the full pay of a Jemidar of Infantry, and will receive five hundred Rupees.

Hussein Khan, Private of the 2d Battalion 14th Regiment, who also reported the discovery of the Conspiracy, is pensioned on the full pay of a Havildar of Infantry.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 92

Fort St. George, 16th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Mr. Superintending Surgeon Tait to retire from the Service, on the full Pay of a Surgeon, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 93

Fort St. George, 19th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Wakefield of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *England* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 93

Fort St. George, 16th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

With a view to the accommodation of the Officers of the Army, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Officers of His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Service, will be supplied in future from the Honorable Company's Import Ware-House with Broad Cloth, Cambletts, Kerseymeres and Woollens of all kinds, on Indent, signed by the Officer from whose abstract payment is to be made, and countersigned by the Officer Commanding the Station, Department or Corps.

Issues made upon such Indents are to be paid for by monthly instalments of one-sixth of the amount, and the adjustment will be made by the Accountant General.

Indents regularly signed according to the following Form, will be received at the Import Ware-House, and the articles issued to the bearers of them.

FORM.

INDENT *on the Superintendent of the Honorable Company's Import Ware-House,*
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Please to order the delivery, to the Bearer, of the undermentioned articles for my use, for payment by instalments according to the regulated prices.

Articles.	Quality.	Quantity.	From whose Abstract to be paid.	Remarks.

(Station and Date.)

(Signed) A. B.
Lieutenant *Company's*
1st Battalion *Regiment.*

(Signed) C. D.
Lieutenant Colonel Commanding
1st Battalion *Regiment.*

The Person receiving the articles will pass his Receipt on the back of the Indent.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 35

Fort St. George, 19th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Davis, Paymaster in the Ceded Districts, to proceed to the Sea Coast for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant J. Power of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, will officiate as Paymaster in the Ceded Districts, during the absence of Captain Davis.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 36

Fort St. George, 19th *February* 1813.

G. O By Government.

Ensign Watson of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay on sick certificate.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant R Inverarity of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice Agnew.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 37

Fort St. George, 20th *February* 1813.

G. O By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Innes of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to England, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 38

Fort St. George, 22d *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

As it is expected that the Honorable Company's Ships under despatch for *England* will sail on or before the 3d of the ensuing month, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Pay and allowances which will be due on the 28th instant to Officers and other Military persons proceeding to *England* by the present Fleet, shall be issued to them in advance.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 39

Fort St. George, 23d *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The furlough to Bengal granted in General Orders of the 10th July 1812, to Captain Parlby of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended for a further period of one month.

Lieutenant D Stewart of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry is permitted to proceed to Bengal on unlimited leave of absence, for the purpose of adjusting the accounts of the several departments, in which he was recently employed to the Eastward.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 41

Fort St. George, 24th February 1813.

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,
Sec. to Government.

No. 42

Fort St. George, 26th February 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Major Dod of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *England* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 44

Fort St. George, 26th February 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign W. Rainsford Taylor to be Lieutenant, vice Dumas cashiered; date of commission 11th February 1813.

Ensign Joseph Leggatt to be Lieutenant, vice Goble deceased; date of commission 15th February 1813.

8th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Henry Kitt to be Lieutenant, vice Ridley deceased; date of commission 9th February 1813.

17th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign John Tod to be Lieutenant, vice Scoones deceased; date of commission 6th February 1813.

The Governor in Council is pleased to nominate Serjeant Conroy of His Majesty's 89th Regiment, to act as a Conductor of Ordnance on the pay of that rank, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 43

Fort St. George, 26th February 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant A. Tulloh of the 7th Regiment Native Infantry, and Lieutenant J. L. Page of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Assistants in the Quarter Master General's Department, Surrey Branch, Second Class.

Serjeant Major Patrick Clossey to be a Conductor of Ordnance, vice Shepherd, deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 40

Fort St. George, 23d *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following regulations for the Recruit Establishment attached to Corps, be substituted in lieu of those in the 18th Section of the Code of the 11th of March 1806.

RECRUIT ESTABLISHMENT.

Para. 1.—Exclusive of the Effective Establishment of Corps, the undermentioned number of Boys are in future to be attached to each, under the following regulations.

	Boys.		
	1—Recruits	1—Pensioners	Total
To a Regiment of Native Cavalry	8	10	18
To a Battalion of Native Infantry	30	40	70
To each Battalion of Foot Artillery	30	40	70
To a Battalion of Pioneers	30	30	60

2.—These Boys shall be enrolled, mustered, paid and returned, under the denomination of Recruit Boys and Pensioned Boys.

3.—The Recruit Boys are to be considered as attached to Corps for the purpose of completing the Establishment and are to be selected from the sons and brothers, or near relations and connexions of the old Soldiers of the several ranks, or of such other men of Corps as are inclined to enter the Service, giving the preference to the sons, brothers and relations of men who have lost their lives in it, and those of Native Officers of good family and connexions.

4.—Recruit Boys are not to be entertained under 11 years of age, nor unless they are healthy, well limbed and of size equal to their age.

5.—The admission into the Service and transfer to the Effective Establishment of each Recruit Boy, shall be particularly noted in the muster rolls.

6.—Each Recruit Boy shall receive one Star Pagoda monthly pay, until he is dismissed from the Drill and is found fit to take his tour of common duties, when he shall be transferred to the Effective Establishment of the Corps to which he belongs, and be entitled from that period to the pay, clothing, and all other allowances of an Effective Soldier—No stranger is on any account to be entertained to fill up a casualty in a Corps if there be a Recruit Boy fit for the Effective list, or who will become so, within three months.

7.—Any Recruit Boy, who at the age of 18, may not have attained either height or strength to be transferred, is to be reported to Head Quarters in order that he may be discharged.

8.—Every Recruit Boy transferred to the Effective strength of a Corps shall within one week of the transfer take an oath of fidelity to the Company, to be administered by a Priest of his own cast, in front of the Corps and under it's Colours—The Articles of War also shall be read to him immediately after this ceremony, which must be performed with the solemnity due to the occasion.

9.—Pensioned Boys may be admitted on that Establishment at any age. They are to be selected by Commanding Officers of Corps under the sanction of the Commander in Chief, from among the sons of deceased Native Officers and Soldiers, but if the Establishment be at any time incomplete and there be no children of this description, the sons of Native Officers and Soldiers who may have large Families without adequate means of maintaining them, may be admitted.

10.—It is to be understood as a fixed principle, that an Orphan is on all occasions to have the preference, and if necessary the eldest child on the Establishment, whose Father may be still living, must be removed to make way for him, but will be eligible to be re-admitted on the next vacancy if the claim of any other Orphan should not interfere.

11.—Pensioned Boys on having attained the age of 11 years and being in other respects eligible, are to be transferred as vacancies will admit to the Establishment of Recruit Boys; should they, however, be unhealthy, deformed, or in any other respect unfit for the Service at the age of 14 years, they must be reported to Head Quarters, to be discharged.

12.—Each Pension Boy to receive one Star Pagoda monthly pay, and to be mustered, paid and returned as such.

13.—Commanding Officers of Native Corps shall twice a year, viz. on the 1st of January, and on the 1st of June, transmit to the Adjutant General's Office a report of the Recruit and Pensioned Boys admitted under this regulation, stating their age, and size, and the probable time of each Boy becoming effective.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 45

Fort St. George, 27th *February* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Jackson, Quarter Master of Brigade in the Ceded Districts, is permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope or to St. Helena, on leave of absence for seven months, for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 46

Fort St. George, 2d *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Court of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to the Island of Java on leave of absence, for six months.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Mackenzie is permitted to proceed to England on furlough for three years.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon P. Scott having been relieved from employment on board His Majesty's Squadron, will return to his duty at the General Hospital.

The following appointments will take place.

Mr. Surgeon James Gilmour to be Superintending Surgeon in the Northern Division of the Army, vice Tait retired.

Lieutenant Paterson of the Madras European Regiment, to act as Quarter Master of Brigade in the Ceded Districts, during the absence of Captain Jackson.

That part of the General Order of the 12th ultimo, under which Captain Dickson was permitted to draw the subsistence of his rank during his absence in *England* is cancelled, and he will accordingly cease to draw pay from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 47

Fort St. George, 2d *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Slade of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 48

Fort St. George, 3d *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government:

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon D. Scot of the 1st Battalion of Artillery, to proceed to Ceylon on private business, and to be absent from his Corps for the space of two months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 5[illegible]5

Fort St. George, 6th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant General the Honorable John Abercromby having been appointed by His Majesty and the Honorable Court of Directors to the Command of His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Forces serving under this Presidency, The Honorable the Governor in Council orders and directs, that all Officers and Soldiers on the Establishment of Fort St. George, shall obey Lieutenant General the Honorable John Abercfomby, and that all returns shall be made to him as Commander in Chief accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 5[illegible]6

Fort St. George, 6th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits the Reverend C. H. Sampson to proceed to England, on his private affairs.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. [illegible]

Fort St. George, 6th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel P. Bruce of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry and Military Auditor General, to proceed to Europe for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 48

Fort St. George, 6th March 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following appointments shall take place, at the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

Lieutenant Hugh Scott of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief.

Captain William Moray of His Majesty's 17th Regiment of Light Dragoons, and Lieutenant Henry Stracey of His Majesty's 65th Regiment of Foot, to be Aides de Camp to the Commander in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 49

Fort St. George, 5th March 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Munro of the Artillery, is appointed Commissary of Stores at Secunderabad, on the allowances of a Commissary of Stores of the lowest Class, viz. Pagodas 50 per month.

Lieutenant Munro is placed under the orders of the Commissary of Stores with the Subsidiary Force of Hydrabad.

Captain Lieutenant Russell of the Pensioned List, being fit for Garrison duty, is transferred, with his rank, to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion.

Mr. John Smith, appointed by the Honorable the Court of Directors a Cadet for the Cavalry, of this Establishment, is admitted on the Establishment accordingly, from the 1st ultimo, being the date of his arrival on the Coast.

Gentleman Cadet John Smith, is promoted to the rank of Cornet, date of commission to be determined hereafter.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 52.

Fort St. George, 5th March 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to rescind such parts of the 5th Section of the Code of Regulations of March 1806, which under the *Head* of *Clothing* authorize the supply of *Leather Breeches, Helmets* and *Europe Boots*, to serve for certain periods as therein set forth.

The Governor in Council is, in consequence pleased to resolve, that the expense of supplying Leather Breeches, Helmets, and Europe Boots for the Horse Artillery and such ranks of the Cavalry (as wear them) be charged to Government, and that these articles be considered as Government Appointments and not Articles of Clothing.

That, under the provisions of this Regulation, the Leather Breeches, Helmets and Boots already issued to the Horse Artillery for the period commencing with 1809 and ending with 1811, and to the Cavalry for that commencing with 1810, and ending with 1812, shall be charged to Government.

Each Serjeant, Trumpeter, Farrier, Corporal, Gunner and Private of Horse Artillery will receive once in every two years one pair of Leather Breeches, and once in every three years one Helmet and one pair of Boots, shod with Iron and Nails at the toes.

Each Serjeant and Trumpeter of Native Cavalry will receive once in every two years one pair of Leather Breeches, and once in every three years, one Helmet and one pair of Boots, shod with Iron and Nails at the toes.

Each Havildar, Farrier, Naigue, and Private of Cavalry will receive once in every three years one pair of Boots, shod with Iron and Nails at the toes.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct that, in consideration of the advantages arising to the contract for keeping in repair the Horse Appointments in Cavalry Regiments from the abolition of the use of Carbines, the provision of Spur Leathers and the repair of Boots (the property of Government) in the Horse Artillery and Cavalry Corps be considered in future as forming part of that contract, to be performed accordingly without further expense to the Public or the Soldier by the Officer charged with it.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 53

Fort St. George, 8th March 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Major J. Prendergast to be Military Auditor General.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 50

Fort St. George, 5th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions have taken place.

10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant Rowland Gwynne to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Robert Short to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Neal M'Neill to be Lieutenant, in succession to Brown deceased; date of commissions the 24th of February 1813.

17th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Samuel Oliver Smith to be Lieutenant, vice Brown deceased; date of commission the 28th of February 1813.

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Ewan Macpherson, to take rank from the 30th of October 1812.

Ensign Richard Allen to be Lieutenant, vice Edye deceased; date of commission the 27th of December 1812.

Ensign A. Macdonald to be Lieutenant, vice Douglas deceased; date of commission the 19th of February 1813.

Mr. Conductor Hopkins having received a Commission in His Majesty's 56th Regiment of Foot, his name will be discontinued in the list of the Ordnance Establishment of this Presidency.

Lieutenant Fitzgerald of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Ceylon on leave of absence, for four months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 53

Fort St. George, 5th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency the Commander in Chief having recently brought to the notice of the Honorable the Governor in Council, the highly meritorious services of the undermentioned Native Officers, the following rewards are conferred on them, in compliance with His Excellency's recommendation.

"Cawder Cawn" Pensioned Commandant, will receive a Palanqueen and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on two-thirds of his pay after his decease.

"Ball Kistna" Pensioned Commandant, will receive a Palanqueen and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on two-thirds of his pay after his decease.

"Shaik Tippoo" Pensioned Subidar, will receive a Palanqueen and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on the half pay of a Subidar of Infantry, of the First Class, after his decease.

"Vencatrow" Subidar of Invalids, will receive a Palanqueen and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on the half pay of a Subidar of Infantry, of the First Class, after his decease.

"Nabby Cawn" Pensioned Subidar, will receive a Palanqueen and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on the half pay of a Subidar of Infantry, of the First Class, after his decease.

"Hyder Saib" Subidar of Invalids, will receive a Palanqueen and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on the half pay of a Subidar of Infantry, of the First Class, after his decease.

"Syed Hyder" Pensioned Subidar, will receive a Palanqueen, and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on the half pay of a Subidar of Infantry, of the First Class, after his decease.

"Letchman Sing" Subidar of the 1st Battalion of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, will receive a Palanqueen and the usual allowance; and his family will be pensioned on the half pay of a Subidar of Infantry, of the First Class, after his decease.

"Syed Cawder" Subidar of the 1st Battalion of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, and "Syed Mohdeen" Subidar of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and "Tonna Beg" Subidar of Invalids, will receive Palanqueens and the usual allowance for supporting that conveyance.

The Governor in Council is further pleased, in consideration of the services of the late Commandant Ameen Sahib, and of the late Subidar Muckram Sing of the 1st Battalion of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, to grant to the family of the former a pension of twenty Pagodas per month, being two-thirds of the pay of a Commandant; and to the family of the latter, a pension equal to the half pay of a Subidar of Infantry, of the First Class.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 57

Fort St. George, 5th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Corporal R. Maxwell of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Light Dragoons, to act as a Conductor of Ordnance, and draw the pay and allowances of that rank.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

G. O. No. 59

Fort St. George, 9th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish, the following Extracts of Letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 9th September 1812.

Letter to England dated 24th October 1808.
Para. 12.—Cadet Buckworth's Rank fixed on grounds of general convenience, request Court's sanction that the arrangement may be final.

Para. 6.—"We approve your proceeding on this subject, and direct that "the arrangement be considered final."

Para. (50 and 51). Losses sustained by Officers and Men of the Pioneers in the storm of December 1807, a proportion of the loss made good.

9.—"We shall not object to the allowance you have made to the men of a "month's pay, and to the European Officers of a compensation for public "property destroyed in the storm of December 1807."

10.—"We at the same time think, it necessary to remark, that individuals can have no claim upon the "Public for losses sustained by storms, fire or other accidents, and we desire that no allowance be made "on such occasions, except in very particular cases, and after reference to us."

Para. 84.—Complaints of Lieutenant Colonel M'Neil against the Pay and Audit Departments unfounded and improper.

15.—"On a perusal of the documents referred to in this paragraph, we "agree with you in opinion, that the proceedings of your Military Auditor "and Paymaster Generals were not censurable and that the hardships of which "Lieutenant Colonel M'Neil has complained, arose from his inattention to "the Pay Regulations of Government, which it is the peculiar duty of your "Military Auditor and Paymaster Generals, to enforce."

16.—"We have on this, and many other occasions observed, that very unmerited, insinuations are "thrown out by Officers against our Military Auditors General under, we believe, a mistaken idea, that a "considerable degree of discretion rests with those Officers in enforcing the Pay Regulations of "Government."

17.—"We conceive it to be of importance, that the Officers of our Army should clearly understand, "that the Military Auditor General has no discretionary authority, but is bound to enforce the "Regulations of Government respecting the Pay and Allowances of the Troops with the utmost strictness "and precision."

18.—"With this view, as well as with a view to relieve the Military Auditor General as much as "possible, from the odium, which a strict attention to his duty is too apt to produce, as also with a view "to secure, as far as may be practicable, a continuance of that meritorious discharge of public duty "which has hitherto distinguished our Military Auditors at all our Presidencies, we direct, that the "Military Auditor General take an Oath of Office to the following effect: "That he will diligently and "faithfully execute the duties of his Office, and apply the Regulations of Government impartially, and "without favor or affection to any one, according to the best of his judgment and ability."

"A similar Oath must be taken by the Deputy Military Auditor General and by the Assistant Deputy "Auditor, whenever, from the sickness or absence of the Military Auditor General and his Deputy, the "Assistant Auditor may be in charge of the Office."

19.—"And we direct, that this Regulation, together with our reasons for directing it, be notified to "the Army in General Orders."

Para. 249 & 50.—Conductors of Ordnance recommended to be allowed furlough to Europe, on pay.

112.—"Having granted this indulgence to the Conductors of Ordnance on "the Bengal Establishment, we shall of course, not refuse it to the "Conductors of Ordnance on the Establishments of the other Presidencies."

Para. 5.—Memorial from the Widow of the late Lieutenant Colonel Smart, praying that her Son may be educated for the Artillery, and appointed a Cadet for that Corps, strongly recommended.

281.—"We have consented to the appointment of Mr Hamilton Edmund "Smart, son of the late Lieutenant Colonel Smart, to be a Cadet of Infantry "on your Establishment, but we cannot comply with the application for "his appointment to the Artillery.

Letter dated 9th September 1812.

Para. 2.—"Being of opinion, that there is no longer any reason to prevent the return of the "undermentioned Officers with their rank in our Military Service on your Establishment, we have "accordingly permitted them to return by the Ships of the ensuing season, viz.

Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Boles.
Lieutenant Colonel George Martin.
Major John De Morgan.
Major Josiah Marshall.
Captain James Grant."

3.—"Lieutenant Colonel Poole H. Vesey of your Establishment, retired from the Company's Service "(with our permission) from the 2d June last."

4.—"The undermentioned Officers on your Establishment have our permission to remain in *England* "till the departure of the first Ships of this season."

Lieutenant Colonel James George Scott.
Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Tichborne.
Captain William G. Pearse.
Lieutenant W. Lowther Church.

6.—"We have permitted Lieutenant William Lowther Church and Ensign William Raynsford Taylor, "to return to their rank on your establishment."

Letter dated 16th September 1812.

Para. 2.—" Lieutenant W. L. Church and Ensign W. R. Taylor of your Establishment (who have our " permission to return to their duty) have been appointed by us to take charge of the Recruits embarked " on board the Inglis during the voyage, and in consideration of the trouble and responsibility of that " duty, we have complimented Lieutenant Church and Ensign Taylor, with the sum of £ 150 each, and " the latter is to draw the regimental pay of his rank during the voyage, although under the regulations " for pay on furlough and the permission granted to him to come to *Europe*, he is not otherwise entitled " to such pay."

3.—" Major Thomas Little of your Establishment, has our permission to remain in *England* till the " departure of the last Ships of this season."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 60

FORT ST. GEORGE, 12*th March* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Reverend Mr. Thomas, Military Chaplain on this Establishment, is permitted to proceed to England on furlough, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies)

G Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 61

G. O. By Government. Fort St. Geo

The following promotions and appointments will take place orge, 16th March 1813.

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Andrew Rochead to be Major, Captain Lieutenant N. H. Hatherly to be ,
Lieutenant J. Kennett to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. Tweedie to be Li
to M'Dougall, deceased; date of commissions the 3d of March 1813.

Mr. Surgeon Wynne Peyton to be Superintending Surgeon in Mysoor, vice M Captain of a company,
proceed to Europe.

Mr. Samuel Clark, late of His Majesty's 56th Regiment, to be a Conductor of eutenant, in succession
the Establishment.

Lieutenant Cleaveland of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to ackenzie permitted to
leave of absence for four months.

Captain J. Ford of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, absent on Staff duty at I Ordnance to complete
the immediate directions of the Supreme Government.

Captain Clarke of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, having returned to thi proceed to Ceylon on
permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his i
Ensign Cozens of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, who was permitted to r Poona, is placed under
the year 1810, but was subsequently restored to it by the authority of the Hon Presidency with the
Directors, having reported his arrival at Fort St. George, with the permission of th ank.
the Governor in Council is pleased to re-instate him in his former place in that Corps esign the Service in
he shall take rank as a Lieutenant next after Lieutenant Sharp, date of commission, orable the Court of
1810.
Lieutenant M'Neill of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, will retain his prese e Honorable Court,
will be returned as Supernumerary. and to direct that
the 29th of January

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACI nt commission, and
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No. 62

HEY,
TO GOVERNMENT.

G. O. By Government. Fort St. George

It having been ascertained from the frequent loss and destruction of the Bedding hith 16th March 1813.
Doolies, that the issue of that article is in most cases superfluous, the Soldier being g
with a substitute of his own. The Honorable the Governor in Council has been please
a Bedding and Pillow shall be no longer considered the necessary accompaniment of the erto furnished with
If particular cases should occur which may render the issue of these articles indispens enerally furnished
duty of the Medical Officer in charge to ascertain the same, to indent for the number o d to direct, that
absolutely required, and to pass his receipt for them.—The Medical Officer becomes thu Doolie.
the preservation of this article of equipment, for which he will be authorized to deman able, it will be the
the Officer of Custody, to whom the Doolies will be delivered at the end of the march. f sets of Bedding
s responsible for
By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRA d a receipt from
Sec. t

No. 63

CHEY,
o Government.

G. O. By Government: Fort St. George, 1

The following corrections of rank and promotions are ordered to take plac 9th March 1813.

INFANTRY.

Senior Major James Welsh from 3d Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice
date of commission 3d June 1812.

3d Native Regiment.

Captain Joseph Knowles to be Major, Captain Lieutenant George Hunter to be Captain Vesey retired;
Lieutenant Alexander Turner to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Edward Williames to be
succession to Welsh promoted; date of commissions 3d June 1812.
Senior Major George Alexander Muat from the 4th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant of a company,
Brice deceased; date of commission 24th September 1812. ieutenant, in

4th Native Regiment.

Colonel, vice
Captain James Moore to be Major, Captain Lieutenant William Harris to be Captain
Lieutenant George Moor to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Thomas Watson to be
succession to Muat promoted; date of commissions 24th September 1812.
Senior Major John de Morgan from the 22d Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel a company,
deceased; date of commission 25th January 1813. ieutenant, in

, vice Bruce

22d *Native Regiment.*

Captain (Brevet Major) John Fortune to be Major, Captain Lieutenant John Turner Trewman to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Robert M'Craith to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Lloyd Gwynne to be Lieutenant in succession to de Morgan promoted; date of commissions 25th January 1813.

25*th Native Regiment.*

Captain Edward P. Stevenson to be Major, Captain Lieutenant William Seton to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant George Sydenham to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Thomas Gifford to be Lieutenant, in succession to Aldridge deceased; date of commissions 16th March 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 64

Fort St. George, 19th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, the following copy of a General Order issued at the Presidency of Fort William, for the Distribution of the Off-reckoning Fund for the year 1807.

The Accountant General in the Military Pay Department will take immediate measures for the payment of the Shares due to Officers on this Establishment, as exhibited in the accompanying Statement No. 5, subject to such deductions as may be necessary for sums already advanced to those Officers, on account of the Fund in question.

GENERAL ORDERS by the RIGHT HONORABLE the GOVERNOR GENERAL in COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 20th February 1813.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, that the following Statements prepared by the Military Auditor General, of the surplus Off-reckonings for the year 1807, and of the distribution of them among the Officers of the Presidencies of Fort William, Fort St. George and Bombay, who are entitled to share in the General Fund of that year, shall be published in General Orders, for the information of the Armies at the three Presidencies.

No. 1.

STATEMENT *of the* SURPLUS OFF-RECKONINGS *of the* PRESIDENCIES *of* FORT WILLIAM, FORT ST. GEORGE *and* BOMBAY, *for the year* 1807, *shewing the* STIPENDS *payable to the* OFFICERS *on the* RETIRED LIST, *and the* AMOUNT *which remains to be divided among the* COLONELS *of the three* PRESIDENCIES.

	Sa. Rs.	A.	P.	Sa. Rs.	A.	P.
FORT WILLIAM.						
Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the Cavalry, Artillery, European and Native Infantry, Gun Lascars, European Artillery and Infantry Invalids, from 1st January to 31st of December 1807 - -	3,38,490	15	10			
FORT ST. GEORGE.						
Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the Cavalry, Artillery, European and Native Infantry, and European and Native Invalids per Statement of the Military Auditor General at Fort St. George, received with Mr. Secretary Adams' Letter dated 19th September 1812, Pagodas 64,088 40 38, equal to Sonaut Rupees 2,05,084 7 8, or	196,244	10	2			
BOMBAY.						
Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the Artillery, Gun Lascars, European and Native Infantry including the Marine Battalion and European Invalids, per Statement and Communication of the Military Auditor General at Bombay, received with letters from the Secretary to Government dated the 30th January 1809, and 6th March 1810, Bombay or Sicca Rupees 73,182 0 84, equal to - - - -	70,027	12	9			
				604,762	6	0
DEDUCT STIPENDS of OFFICERS on the RETIRED LIST.						
FORT WILLIAM.						
9 Officers on the Retired List. Major Generals Morgan, Jones, Johnstone, Forbes, Hussey, Popham, Stuart, Deare, and * Nicol at £543 15 each - - - - £	4,893	15	0			
FORT ST. GEORGE.						
8 Officers on the Retired List. Major Generals Bridges, Collins, Bilcliffe, Conyngham, Geils; Colonels Cuppage, Wynch, and Massey, at £543 15 each - - -	4,350	0	0			

* *Paid in India.*

BOMBAY.							
4 Officers on the Retired List.							
Colonels Bowles, Pecke, Brownrigg and Nicholson, at £ 543 15 each.	2,175	0	0				
	11,418	15	0				
Equal to St. Rupees 91,350, or Sicca Rupees				87,412	8	0	
Total remaining Surplus to be divided among the Colonels of the Effective Establishments of the Presidencies of Fort William, Fort St George and Bombay, Sa. Rs.				5,17,350	14	0	
Number of Shares for the Presidency of Fort William - - 35							
,, ,, ,, of Fort St. George - 30							
,, ,, ,, of Bombay - - 11¼							
The above amount Surplus being divided by 76¼ the total Number of Shares for the three Presidencies, gives for one Share for the whole year Sa. Rupees				6,762	12	2⅜	

No. 2.

STATEMENT *shewing the* NAMES *of the* OFFICERS *of the* PRESIDENCIES *of* FORT WILLIAM, FORT ST. GEORGE *and* BOMBAY, *who are entitled to* SHARE *in the remaining* SURPLUS OFF-RECKONINGS *of the year* 1807, *and the* AMOUNT *of the* SHARE *of each* INDIVIDUAL.

	NAMES.	Share of each Officer.			Amount of the Shares of the Officers of each Presidency.		
	FORT WILLIAM.						
Major Generals	T. Nichols from 1st January to 31st December 1807	6,762	12	1½			
	G. Russell ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	Sir E. Baillie ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Macdonald ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	W. Palmer ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	E. Clarke ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Dunn ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Dickson ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
Colonels	S. Watson ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Collins ,, to 11th June	3,001	8	10			
	Samuel Bradshaw from 12th June to 31st December	3,761	3	3½			
	R. Rayne 1st January ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	R. Macan ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	G. Hardyman ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Pringle ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Fenwick ,, to 26th September	4,984	0	11½			
	George Wood, from 27th September to 31st December	1,778	11	2			
	H. Stafford 1st January ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Morris ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	P. Powell ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	R. Phillips ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	R. Bruce ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	H. C. Palmer ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	R. Blair ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Macintyre ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Gordon ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	William Kirkpatrick ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Gardiner ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	H De Castro ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	B. Marley ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	William Burn ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	T. Hawkshaw ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	T. S. Bateman ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	N. Carnegie ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	J. Horsford ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	D. Marshall ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
	D. Conyngham ,, ,,	6,762	12	1½			
					2,36,696	7	10⅔

	NAMES.	Share of each Officer.	Amount of the Shares of the Officers of each Presidency.
	FORT ST. GEORGE.		
Major Generals	Dugald Campbell from 1st Jan. to 31st Dec. 1807	6,762 12 1½	
	John Pater ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	David Smith ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Thomas Trent	6,762 12 1½	
	Richard Tolson	6,762 12 1½	
	Daniel Burr	6,762 12 1½	
	Francis Gowdie	6,762 12 1½	
	George Roberts	6,762 12 1½	
	Urban Vigors	6,762 12 1½	
	Archibald Brown	6,762 12 1½	
	Robert Croker	6,762 12 1½	
	George Wahab	6,762 12 1½	
Colonels	John Orr from 1st Jan. to 31st December 1807	6,762 12 1½	
	Daniel M'Neile ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	William Kinsey ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Thomas Bowser ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	David Campbell ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Francis Torrens ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Carey Lalande ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Barry Close ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Thomas Leighton ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	John Richardson ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
Lieut. Colonels	Commandant Robert Bell ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Aldwell Taylor ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Alexander Cuppage ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	P. A. Agnew ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Robert Muckay ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Gabriel Doveton ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Hector M'Lean ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Thomas Dallas ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	BOMBAY.	— —	2,02,882 11 4
Colonels	Waddington from 1st Jan. to 31st December 1807	6,762 12 1½	
	Bellasis (the late) ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	M'Pherson ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Kerr ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Gore ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Wiseman ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Oakes ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Marshall ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Reynolds ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Boles ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
	Anderson ,, ,,	6,762 12 1½	
Lieut. Colonel	Hunt half a Share for 149 days } For the Marine	1,380 5 6	
Major	Lewis do. for 216 do. } Battalion.	2,001 0 0 2/3	
		— —	77,771 11 3½
			5,17,350 14 6
	Lost by Fractions		3
	Total Sicca Rupees		5,17,350 14 9

No. 3.

STATEMENT *of the* BALANCE *of* SHARES *of* OFF-RECKONINGS *for the year* 1807, *payable to* COLONELS *of the* PRESIDENCY *of* FORT WILLIAM, *who are in* INDIA, *or to the* HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS *or* ASSIGNS, *of such as have died in* INDIA.

Major Generals	J. M'Donald, Amount of his Share	6,762	12	1½			
	Deduct received in advance	4,000	0	0			
		—	—		2,762	12	1½
	W. Palmer Ditto				2,762	12	1½
Colonels	S. Watson Ditto				2,762	12	1½
	J. Collins, Amount of his Share	3,001	8	1½			
	Deduct received in advance	1,775	5	0			
		—	—		1,226	3	1½

Colonels	R. Macan, Amount of his Share				6,762	12	1⅓	
	Deduct received in Europe in advance £ 500, equal to Sonat Rupees 4,000, or Sicca Rupees				3,827	9	5	
								2,935 2 8⅔
	H. Stafford	ditto						2,935 2 8⅔
	James Morris as M'Donald,							2,762 12 1⅓
	H. C. Palmer as M'Donald,							2,762 12 1⅓
	R. Blair as M'Donald,							2,762 12 1⅓
	B Marley	ditto						2,762 12 1⅓
	D. Marshall	ditto						2,762 12 1⅓
	John Horsford	ditto						2,762 12 1⅓
	John Gordon	ditto						2,762 12 1⅓
	George Wood, Amount of his Share				1,778	11	2	
	Deduct received in Europe a proportionate advance of the 500£, equal to Sicca Rupees				1,006	11	4	
								771 15 10
	Total Sicca Rupees							35,496 1 8

No. 4.

STATEMENT *of the* SHARES *in the* OFF-RECKONING FUND *of the year* 1807, *payable to* COLONELS *of the* PRESIDENCY *of* FORT WILLIAM, *who are in* EUROPE, *or who have died in* EUROPE, *and shewing the* SUMS *to be deducted from the* SHARES *of such of those* OFFICERS *to whom* ADVANCES *have been made in* INDIA.

Major Generals	T. Nichols, Amount of his Share							6,762 12 1⅓
	George Russell							6,762 12 1⅓
	James Dunn							6,762 12 1⅓
	James Dickson							6,762 12 1⅓
	E. Baillie				6,762	12	1⅓	
	Deduct advanced in India				4,000	0	0	
								2,762 12 1⅓
	E. Clarke	ditto						2,762 12 1⅓
Colonels	Robert Rayne, Amount of his Share							6,762 12 1⅓
	George Hardyman	ditto						6,762 12 1⅓
	James Pringle	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	John Fenwick	,,						4,984 0 11⅓
	P. Powell	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	R. Phillips	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	R. Bruce	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	W. Kirkpatrick	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	J. M'Intyre	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	J. Gardiner	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	W. Burn	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	Thomas Hawkshaw	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	D. Conyngham	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	N. Carnegie	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	T. S. Bateman	,,						6,762 12 1⅓
	H. De Castro, Amount of his Share				6,762	12	1⅓	
	Deduct advanced in India				4,000	0	0	
								2,762 12 1⅓
	S. Bradshaw, Amount of his Share				3,761	3	3⅓	
	Deduct received in advance				2,224	10	0	
								1,536 8 9⅓
	Total Off-reckonings for the year 1807 to be adjusted in Europe on account of Officers belonging to the Presidency of Fort William, Sa Rupees							136,538 8 0⅔

No. 5.

STATEMENT *of the* BALANCE *of* SHARES *of* OFF-RECKONINGS *for the year* 1807, *payable to* OFFICERS *of the* PRESIDENCY *of* FORT ST. GEORGE, *who are in* INDIA, *or to the* HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS *or* ASSIGNS *of such as have died in* INDIA.

Major Generals	J. Pater, Amount of his Share							6,762 12 1⅓
	R. Croker							6,762 12 1⅓
	George Wahab							6,762 12 1⅓
Colonels	Francis Torreus							6,762 12 1⅓
	Carey Lalande							6,762 12 1⅓
Lieut. Colonel	Commandant Robert Bell							6,762 12 1⅓
	Aldwell Taylor							6,762 12 1⅓
	Total Sicca Rupees							47,335 4 9⅓

No. 6.

STATEMENT *of the* SHARES *in the* OFF-RECKONING FUND *of the year* 1807, *payable to* OFFICERS *of the* PRESIDENCY *of* FORT ST. GEORGE, *who are in* EUROPE, *or who have died in* EUROPE, *and shewing the* SUMS *to be deducted from the* SHARES *of such of those* OFFICERS *to whom* ADVANCES *have been made in* INDIA.

Major Generals	Dugald Campbell, Amount of his Share					6,762	12	1 1/3
	D. Smith					6,762	12	1 1/3
	T. Trent					6,762	12	1 1/3
	R. Tolson					6,762	12	1 1/3
	Daniel Burr					6,762	12	1 1/3
	F. Gowdie, Amount of his Share				6,762	12	1 1/3	
	Deduct advanced in India				3,454	0	2	
						3,308	11	1 1/3
	G. Roberts					6,762	12	1 1/3
	U. Vigors					6,762	12	1 1/3
	A. Brown					6,762	12	1 1/3
Colonels	John Orr					6,762	12	1 1/3
	Daniel M'Neile					6,762	12	1 1/3
	W. Kinsey					6,762	12	1 1/3
	T. Bowser					6,762	12	1 1/3
	T. Leighton					6,762	12	1 1/3
	J. Richardson					6,762	12	1 1/3
	D. Campbell					6,762	12	1 1/3
	Barry Close, Amount of his Share				6,762	12	1 1/3	
	Deduct advanced in India				3,454	0	2	
						3,308	11	1 1/3
Lieut. Colonel	Commandant T. Dallas					6,762	12	1 1/3
	A. Cuppage					6,762		1 1/3
	P. A. Agnew, Amount of his Share				6,762	12	1 1/3	
	Deduct advanced in India				3,827	9	5	
						2,935	2	8 1/3
	R. Mackay					6,762	12	1 1/3
	G. Doveton					6,762	12	1 1/3
	H. M'Lean					6,762	12	1 1/3
	Total Sicca Rupees					144,807	12	9 2/3

No. 7.

STATEMENT *of the* BALANCE *of* SHARES *of* OFF-RECKONINGS *for the year* 1807, *payable to* OFFICERS *of the* PRESIDENCY *of* BOMBAY, *who are in* INDIA, *or to the* HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS *or* ASSIGNS *of such as have died in* INDIA.

Colonels	Waddington, Amount of his Share					6,762	12	1 1/3
	Bellasis (the late)					6,762	12	1 1/3
	Macpherson					6,762	12	1 1/3
Lieut. Colonel	Hunt					1,380	5	6
Major	Lewis					2,001	0	6 2/3
	Total Sicca Rupees					23,669	10	4 2/3

No. 8.

STATEMENT *of the* SHARES *in the* OFF-RECKONING FUND *of the year* 1807, *payable to* OFFICERS *of the* PRESIDENCY *of* BOMBAY, *who are in* EUROPE, *or who have died in* EUROPE, *and shewing the* SUMS *to be deducted from the* SHARES *of such of those* OFFICERS *to whom* ADVANCES *have been made in* INDIA.

Colonels	J. Kerr					6,762	12	1 1/3
	R. Gore					6,762	12	1 1/3
	J. Wiseman					6,762	12	1 1/3
	H. Oakes, Amount of his Share				6,762	12	1 1/3	
	Deduct advanced in India				3,827	9	5	
						2,935	2	8 1/3
	T. Marshall					6,762	12	1 1/3
	C. Reynolds					6,762	12	1 1/3
	B. Boles					6,762	12	1 1/3
	A. Anderson					6,762	12	1 1/3
	Total Sicca Rupees					58,274	7	6 2/3

The Military Paymaster General will take the necessary measures for the payment of the balances of Shares of the Off-reckoning Fund due to Officers of the Bengal Establishment for the year 1807, as contained in the Statement No. 3.

(Signed) C. W. GARDINER,
Sec. to Govt. Mil. Department.

True Copy.
(Signed) C. W. GARDINER,
Sec. to Govt. Mil. Department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 66

Fort St. George, 23*d March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions and corrections of rank are ordered.

17th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant John Ogilvie to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant T. Roebuck to be Captain Lieutenant [illegible] William Allen to be Lieutenant, in succession to Mears deceased; date of commissions 16th Septem[illegible]

Lieute[illegible] Tod to take rank from 8th November 1812.

Lieutenant [illegible]el Oliver Smith to take rank from 6th February 1813.

Ensign [illegible]ers to be Lieutenant, date of commission 28th February 1813.

25th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Thomas Gifford to be Lieutenant, vice Clode deceased; date of commission 29th July 1812.

Ensign Angus M'Pherson to be Lieutenant, in succession to Aldridge deceased; date of commission 16th March 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 65

Fort St. George, 23*d March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend J. Mousley to be Military Chaplain at Arcot, and Visiting Minister at Vellore and Wallajahbad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 67

Fort St. George, 25*th March* 1813.

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 day of April, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 68

Fort St. George, 26*th March* 1813

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant C. Rundall of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Deputy Military Auditor General.

Lieutenant F. Whannell of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant Military Auditor General.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 69

Fort St. George, 26*th March* 1813

G. O. By Government.

Major General Hare, Commanding the Centre Division of the Army, is permitted to proceed to Mysore, on leave of absence for two months.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Gilmour is permitted to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence for three months.

The undermentioned Ensigns of Infantry will take rank from the 11th of June 1812.

Ensign Edward Dickson, of the 19th Regiment N. I.
" James Robins.....3d " "
" J. C. Redman.....17th " "

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 70

Fort St. George, *26th March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following Report from the Committee of Examiners, and to direct that the honorary reward for the attainment of the Hindoostanee Language be conferred on

Lieutenant Higgins of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry.

To
The Honorable
Sir GEORGE HILARO BARLOW, *Bart. and K. B.*
Governor in Council,
&c. &c. &c.
Fort St. George.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to report to you, that in conformity to our instructions, as conveyed in Mr. Secretary Strachey's letter of the 12th instant, we proceeded to the examination in the Hindoostany Language of Lieutenant Higgins of the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry, and are happy in being enabled to state that, that Officer has acquitted himself in the several tasks assigned him, with no common ability; his translations from the Hindoostany into English were made with the greatest exactness, and his version from the latter to the former Language, exhibited an extensive knowledge of words, although the idiom which he adopted was not always in strict conformity to the usage of the Carnatic dialect.

Lieutenant Higgins appears to converse in the Language with perfect fluency.—We beg accordingly to recommend him for the usual honorary reward.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
With great respect,
Your very obedient humble Servants.
(Signed) J. LEITH,
W OLIVER,
H. MORTLOCK.

Fort St. George,
22d March 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 71

Fort St. George, *29th March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Peter Cherry to succeed Mr. J. A. Casamajor as Military Paymaster and Paymaster of Extraordinaries at the Presidency, and Mr. Cherry is accordingly directed to receive charge of the Office.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey
Sec. to Government.

No. 72

Fort St. George, 30th *March* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Dun of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay and eventually to Europe, on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Knott of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for one year.

As Lieutenant Knott has not served in India for the prescribed period of ten years, the subsistence of that Officer will cease from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 73

Fort St. George, 2d *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Addison, Deputy Adjutant General to the Subsidiary Force of Hydrabad, and Lieutenant Richardson of the Corps of Pioneers, are permitted to proceed to Bombay for the recovery of their health.

Captain Hampton and Lieutenant Smyth of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence, the former Officer for six months, the latter for four months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 74

Fort St. George, 2d *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having considered, that it will promote the efficient conduct of the Barrack Department to have the Public Buildings placed in charge of Staff Officers whose duties attach them to Stations, has been pleased to rescind that part of the 5th paragraph of the G. O. under date the 9th October 1810, which constitutes the Officers of the Quarter Master General's Department, Officers of Custody with regard to Barracks.—It is accordingly ordered that, on the 1st of May next, the Public Buildings under charge of Quarter Masters of Brigade at the Stations of Masulipatam, Trichinopoly, and Bellary, and of the Major of Brigade at Cannanore, shall be delivered over to the Fort Adjutants of those places respectively; and that the latter Officers shall draw each the existing stationary allowance of 5 Pagodas per mensem, instead of the former, from and after the above date; Officers in charge of Public Buildings will address the usual quarterly returns to the Officer in charge of the Quarter Master General's Department in the Division, who will exercise the general superintendence and controul over the Barrack Department, and prepare the division quarterly return of Public Buildings for transmission to Head Quarters.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 75

Fort St. George, 2d *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Subidar Husmaun Khan of the Pensioned Establishment, having been reported by His Excellency the late Commander in Chief to be fit for effective duty, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, on His Excellency's recommendation, to replace that Native Officer with his rank on the strength of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry.

The Junior Subidar of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry will be returned supernumerary, until the occurrence of the first vacancy, when he will be brought again on the strength of the Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 76

Fort St. George, 6th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to direct, that the usual Staff allowance of 4 Pagodas per mensem, of the several Arrack Godown Serjeants on the Establishment, shall be paid to them in future by the Commissariat, and included in the disbursements of that Department; the entry of these charges in the disbursements of Paymasters is to be discontinued after the receipt of this Order.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 77

Fort St. George, 6th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Hodge of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea, on sick certificate.

Sub Assistant Surgeon Stephenson is transferred to the Non-effective Establishment on full pay, and will be relieved at the General Hospital by Sub Assistant Surgeon Palmer, from the Subsidiary Force of Hydrabad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 78

Fort St. George, 9th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain W. C. Campbell of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, has the permission of the Honorable the Governor in Council, to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 79

Fort St. George, 9th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Boys of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

The following promotions will take place.

4th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign W. Scott to be Lieutenant, vice Le Page deceased; date of commission the 29th of March 1813.

15th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant W. Ormsby to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant J. S. Williams to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign R. Cocke to be Lieutenant, in succession to Kent deceased; date of commissions the 3d of April 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 80

Fort St. George, 9th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that, from and after the 1st May next ensuing, the Donations and Subscriptions on account of the Medical Fund shall be remitted by the Paymasters collecting the same, to the Secretary to the Fund, by Bills for the amount drawn in his favor on the Accountant General.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, that all Bills drawn by Paymasters, as above directed, shall be dated on the 1st of the month in which the amount shall have been received and bear interest from that period.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 81

Fort St. George, 13th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

With reference to the 17th Paragraph, Page 304 of the Code of Pay Regulations, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that in future, all Abstracts for Pay and Allowances presented for payment at the Presidency, whether of Detachments of Corps, of Individual Officers, or other persons, not forming a part of the Garrison of Fort St. George, shall be countersigned by the Town Major, or in his absence by the Fort Adjutant, previous to payment.

Abstracts for the Regimental Pay and Allowances of Officers in Staff situations at the Presidency, are to be countersigned by the Heads of the Offices or Departments, to which such Officers respectively belong.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 82

Fort St. George, 13th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Adams Commandant of Bangalore, is permitted to be absent from that Garrison, within the limits of the Division of the Army to which it belongs, until the 1st of June next.

Lieutenant Rand of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for six months.

Mr. Surgeon Jeffries is brought on the effective list of Full Surgeons with his rank, from the 23d of December 1807, vice Tait retired.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 83

Fort St. George, 15th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

A Tent of a new Pattern, for the accommodation of the European Troops having been established, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to order and direct, that Camp Equipage of that description shall be allotted to the Service, according to the following proportions, viz. one Tent for every 20 Horse Artillery-men or Dragoons, and one for every 25 Foot Artillery, or European Infantry.

The Carriage required for the new Tents, together with the Poles, Pins, and Mallets is to be calculated at 3 Bullocks or 3 Camels for every two Tents, and that proportion of Carriage shall include the spare Cattle.

The Pins are on no account to be rolled up in the Tents, but are to be carried in seperate Gunnies which will be furnished for the purpose.

Lascars are to be allowed in the proportion of one to each Tent.

Bamboo Coolies for the carriage of the Tent Poles of this description of Camp Equipage when conveyed on Bullocks, are to be allowed, in the proportion of two Coolies to three Tents; but if carried on Elephants or Camels, no Bamboo Coolies will be authorized.

When it may not be practicable to issue Tents of the new muster, indents for Camp Equipage, &c. will be made out on the principles established by the Regulations of the 3d May 1808, and the G. O. of 14th November 1809.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the establishment of Tent Lascars shall be fixed as follows :—

Syces.	1st Tindals.	2d Tindals.	Lascars.
11	15	60	1,200

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey
Sec. to Government

No. 84

Fort St. George, 20th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Harrison of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the Isle of Mauritius, on leave of absence for four months.

Lieutenant Stone of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to remain at Goa, under the directions of the British Envoy, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 85

Fort St. George, 20th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Boys from the Male Asylum and the School in Fort St. George, are admitted on the Establishment of Medical Apprentices.

1	George Gordon	Military Male Asylum.
	John Augustus Binger	
	Alexander M'Kay	
	John Lawrence	
5	Joseph Vitas	
	Thomas Tyers	
	John F. Clessendorf	
	William Gallop	
	Robert M'Andrew	
10	Nicholas Bazely	
	Isaac Chapman	
	Peter Murray	
	Thomas Miles	
	Robert Shaw	Fort School.
15	J. George Williams	
	David Burke	
	John Collins	
	William Hart	
19	Anthony Lowe	

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 86

Fort St. George, 23d *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The furlough granted in General Orders of the 9th of February last to Lieutenant Bannatyne of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended to the 15th of July next.

Mr. Robert Dean O'Dell is admitted a Cadet of Infantry on this Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors and is promoted to the rank of Ensign, date of commission the 11th of June 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 87

Fort St. George, 23d *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following Report from the Committee appointed for the Examination of Officers in the Hindoostanee Language, is published for the information of the Army.

To
The Honorable
Sir GEORGE HILARO BARLOW, *Bart. and K. B.*
Governor in Council,
&c. &c. &c.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor of reporting to you, that agreeably to our instructions, as conveyed in Mr. Secretary Strachey's Letter of the 5th Instant, we have proceeded to the examination, in the Hindoostanee Language, of Lieutenant Fireworkers Lewis and Mackenzie of the 1st Battalion of Artillery and Lieutenant Mallandaine of the 1st Battalion 18th Regiment; of these Gentlemen, Lieutenants Lewis and Mackenzie performed the usual exercises with great exactness and facility. The translation of Mr. Lewis from English, into Hindoostanee, was rendered with a degree of spirit and felicity of expression, that reflects the greatest honor on his acquirements. Mr. Mackenzie's translations displayed, at the same time a very satisfactory knowledge of the Language.

The written versions of Mr. Mallandaine were not made with that perfect exactness, which we might have been led to expect from his standing in the Service (being a Lieutenant of 1805) and formerly employed as one of the Instructors to the Cadet Company.

When called on, however, to converse in the Language, he displayed a particularly prompt and unembarrassed elocution, and such as could only have resulted from a full knowledge of the colloquial idiom and phrases of the vernacular dialect.

We accordingly beg leave to include him in our recommendation, with the two Gentlemen abovementioned, for the usual honorary reward.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
With great respect,
Your very obedient humble Servants,
(Signed) J. LEITH,
W. OLIVER,
R. B. OTTO.

Fort St. George,
22d *April* 1813.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to confer the Honorary Reward for the attainment of the Hindoostanee Language on Lieutenant Fireworker Lewis of the Artillery, also on Lieutenant Fireworker Mackenzie of the same Corps, and on Lieutenant Mallandaine of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 88

Fort St. George, 23d *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the 8th Para. of the 1st Section of the Commissariat Regulations, and to direct, that it shall in future be considered the duty of the Commissary General, to submit for the decision of Government, the expediency of storing Grain for the use of the Troops at Fort St. George and at the Out-Stations of the Army, and as the reports of the Officers of the Commissariat, with respect to the state of the seasons and the crops as well as the probable rates at which it may be practicable to provide the necessary supplies, will always place in the possession of the Commissary General the best information on the subject, it will be expected, that, in submitting any arrangements for storing Grain, he will always afford to the Government the fullest explanation regarding the expediency or necessity of the measures proposed.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 89

Fort St. George, 24th *April* 1813.

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 day of May, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey.
Sec. to Government.

N°. 90

Fort St. George, 27th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant William Kelso of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Quarter Master of Brigade to the Southern Division of the Army, vice Nun deceased.

Lieutenant J. Dalgairns of the 7th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Department, Survey Branch, 2d Class, vice Le Page deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 91

Fort St. George, 30th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Vakeels of Native Corps, and Puckallies attached to European Corps, having been erroneously omitted in the list of persons entitled to receive Rice from the Public Stores, as published in General Orders on the 10th of November last; the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the error be rectified, and that those Followers shall receive Rice as formerly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 92

Fort St. George, 30th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following corrections of rank and promotions are ordered to take place.

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant N. H. Hatherly to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant John Kennett to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. Tweedie to be Lieutenant, in succession to Townsend deceased, date of commissions the 2d of October 1812.

Captain Lieutenant John Kennett to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Penford King to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Joseph Anthony to be Lieutenant, in succession to Rochead promoted, vice M'Dougal deceased, date of commissions the 3d of March 1813.

5th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign John Watson to be Lieutenant, vice Heming deceased, date of commission the 15th of April 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 93

Fort St. George, 30th *April* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Instances having occurred, of two or more claims for Pensions centering in *one* person as the nearest Heir of deceased Native Officers and Soldiers, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that no Claimant under such circumstances shall be permitted to draw more than *one* Pension, although such person may be the nearest heir to two or more deceased Native Officers or Soldiers; in such cases however, the Claimant will have a right to the Pension of the highest rank; for instance, a person being the nearest heir of a Havildar and a Sepoy will be entitled to a Pension on account of the Havildar, but not on account of both the Havildar and Sepoy.

It is to be observed, that all claims for Pensions under the above regulation will be subject to the provision of the G. O. dated 22d October 1802, which directs, that no Native Officer or Private Soldier, or other person receiving pay in the Service of the Honorable Company shall be entitled to any Pension on account of deceased Native Officers or Soldiers, such bounty being intended for the relief of those persons exclusively, who by the loss of their deceased relations may be left destitute of support.

In the event of a person already pensioned in an inferior rank establishing a claim to a higher rate of Pension, the descriptive certificate originally granted is to be cancelled, and a new certificate issued according with the increased rate of Pension, and with the name, rank, &c. of the deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 94

Fort St. George, 4th *May* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The furlough granted in General Orders of the 2d ultimo to Captain Hampton of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is cancelled, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Bruce of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay on sick certificate.

Serjeant Conroy, late of His Majesty's Service, is appointed a Conductor of Ordnance; date of appointment the 25th ultimo.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 95

Fort St. George, 7th *May* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Baber, Commanding the Troops in Wynaad, has been permitted to proceed to the Sea Coast for the recovery of his health.

Cornet Goodrich of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Ensign W. R. Taylor of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, having returned to India with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 96

Fort St. George, 14th *May* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the undermentioned advances, being two-thirds of the computed amount of shares of Off-reckonings, to the Officers *in India*, who are entitled to participate in the Off-reckoning Fund of this Presidency for the year 1812, and to authorize the payment of the different sums, to the parties entitled to receive them.

STATEMENT *of* ADVANCES *equal to two-thirds of the computed amount of* SHARES *of* OFF-RECKONINGS *at this* PRESIDENCY, *to the undermentioned* OFFICERS *in* INDIA, *who are entitled to participate in the* OFF-RECKONING FUND, *for the year* 1812, *conformable to the G. O. 24th August* 1810.

NATIVE CAVALRY.			
Major General.. J. Pater, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	1,400	0	0
HORSE ARTILLERY.			
Captain..... J. Noble, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	700	0	0
ARTILLERY			
Colonel..... R. Bell, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	1,400	0	0
MADRAS EUROPEAN REGIMENT.			
Major General.. R. Croker, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	1,400	0	0
NATIVE INFANTRY.			
Major General.. F. Torrens, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	1,400	0	0
ditto .... C. Lalande, ditto .. .. ditto	1,400	0	0
ditto .... A. Taylor, ditto .. .. ditto	1,400	0	0
ditto .... J. M. Chalmers, ditto .. .. ditto	1,400	0	0
ditto .... J. J. Durand, ditto .. .. ditto	1,400	0	0
1st BATTALION PIONEERS.			
Captain..... R. F. Hughes, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	800	0	0
2d BATTALION PIONEERS.			
Captain..... T. Smithwaite, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	800	0	0
MADRAS VOLUNTEER BATTALION.			
Major..... W. Munro, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	900	0	0
Pagodas..	14,400	0	0
Major General.. E. Trapaud, Chief Engineer, being equivalent to the 2-3ds of a Share of Off-reckonings to a Colonel of a Regiment, from 1st January to 31st December 1812.....	1,400	0	0
Total, Pagodas..	15,800	0	0

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N° 97

Fort St: George, 14*th May* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The mode of payment, by the Officers of the Army, for the supply of Broad Cloth, &c. from the Honorable Company's Import Warehouse, as prescribed in the General Orders by Government of the 16th of February last, having been found in some instances, to occasion inconvenience in the final adjustment of the accounts, the Honorable the Governor in Council has deemed it expedient to revive the provisions of the G. O. abovementioned to the following effect.

Officers indenting for any of the articles mentioned in the foregoing Order, the price of which may not exceed 3 Pagodas, shall pay for the same in ready money.

Should the cost of the articles supplied, exceed 3, and not amount to more than 5, Pagodas, the payment will be made by stoppage, on the succeeding issue of pay to the Army.

In all other cases, where the amount may exceed the sum of 5 Pagodas, the payment will continue, as heretofore, to be exacted by six monthly instalments.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 98

Fort St. George, 14th May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotion and appointments are ordered to take place.

Ensign G. Coxe to be Lieutenant in the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Hall deceased; date of commission the 29th of April 1813.

The Reverend Mr. Dunsterville to be Military Chaplain at Cananore, and to do duty at Seringapatam until the state of the weather shall admit of his proceeding to his Station.

Lieutenant W. Low of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Postmaster to the Field Force under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse.

The provisional appointment by Lieutenant Colonel Dowse of Lieutenant John Low of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, to the charge of the Intelligence Department with the Field Force, vice Burn permitted to proceed eventually to England on sick certificate, is confirmed from the 26th ultimo.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 99

Fort St. George, 18th May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Davis, Military Paymaster in the Ceded Districts, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate, and to be absent from the Coast for six months, from the date of his embarkation.

The suspension of Captain Marshall from the Service having been removed by the Honorable the Court of Directors, the following correction of rank will take place in the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, to which Corps that Officer belonged, at the time of his suspension.

The commission of Major granted to Captain Kelly under date the 27th of May 1809, is cancelled from the 5th instant; and Captain Marshall is promoted to the rank of Major from the 27th of May 1809, vice Richardson promoted.

The following promotions will take place,

Senior Major of Infantry Thomas Steele from the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Richardson deceased; date of commission the 7th of May 1813.

2d Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain G. R. A. Kelly to be Major, Captain Lieutenant C. Elphinstone to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant L. Osborne to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. Borthwick to be Lieutenant, in succession to Steele promoted; date of commissions the 7th of May 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 101

Fort St. George, 19th May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Hodge of the 2d Battalion 14th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Govt.

N°. 103

Fort St. George, 21st May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency Lieutenant General The Honorable John Abercromby having received charge of the Government of Fort St. George and its dependencies in conformity to the appointment of the Honorable the Court of Directors, all Officers and Soldiers under this Presidency are hereby ordered and required to obey the said Lieutenant General Abercromby as President in Council and Governor of Fort St. George.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 104

Fort St. George, 21st May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the same Military Honors as heretofore, shall continue to be paid to *Sir* George Hilaro Barlow, *Baronet* and *K B* until the period of his departure from this Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 102

Fort St. George, 21st May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Captain J. S. Fraser of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Military Secretary to the Governor, and to be Town Major of Fort St. George.

Lieutenant Spinks of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Cornet W. Barlow of the Native Cavalry, to be Aids-de-Camp to the Governor.

The Governor in Council has been also pleased to appoint Lieutenant Stracey of His Majesty's 65th Regiment of Foot, to be His Excellency's Private Secretary.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 100

Fort St. George, 18th May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following alterations, promotions and appointments, shall take place in the Commissariat, from the date of this order.

The present Sub Assistants are ordered to be promoted to be Deputy Assistants without any change in the allowances now drawn by those Officers; the Deputy Assistant Lieutenant Cumming, is promoted to the rank of an Assistant Commissary General, and Lieutenant J. Low of the 24th Regiment Native Infantry, is appointed a Deputy Assistant, vice Cumming; Captain H. G. A. Taylor, Superintendent of Bazars with the Head Quarters of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, is also appointed a Deputy Assistant.

It being resolved, that an additional Class of Officers to be denominated Sub Assistants shall be formed and annexed to the Commissariat, the following appointments to that rank are accordingly ordered to take place, viz.

Captain A. Grant, 10th Regiment N. I.
Captain H. M'Kenzie, 18th Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant M'Laren, 8th Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant T. Cox, 14th Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant A. Tulloh, 7th Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant M. H. Davidson, 25th Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant J. Fyfe, 3d Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant J. Noble, 15th Regiment N. I.

The appointments of Superintendents of Bazars are abolished from the date of this order, and the duties of those situations will be conducted in future by the Commissariat, under the existing regulations for Military Bazars.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 105

Fort St. George, 21st May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Prendergast of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Hadaway of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope and eventually to Europe, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 106

Fort St. George, 25th May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Hanson of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation at the Isle of Java, with the concurrence of the Government of that settlement, under whose orders he at present serves.

Major Mackintosh Deputy Commissary General with the Subsidiary Force of Hydrabad, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for six months, on urgent private business.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 108

Fort St. George, 26th May 1813.

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 5th day of June and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 107

Fort St. George, 25th May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to approve of a new Code of revised Regulations for the conduct of the Ordnance Department, it is pleased to direct, that these Regulations shall be strictly attended to, and that copies be distributed, under the orders of the Military Board, to Officers Commanding Divisions and Stations, and to the Heads of Departments and Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 109

Fort St. George, 28th May 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council with a view to the convenience of the Native Troops, is pleased to authorize the pay of the current month to be drawn for all Details of Native Corps under the strength of a Troop or Company, when detached between the 25th and the end of a month.

The abstracts for the above pay to be drawn under the general regulations of the Service in regard to vouchers, with the exception, that the muster rolls are to be authenticated by Officers in command, or charge of the Corps as in the months of regimental musters.

It is however to be understood, that the above payments are left to the discretion of Commanding Officers of Corps, who are at liberty to withhold their approval if the short distance to which a Detail may be detached, appears to them to render such anticipated payment unnecessary.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to authorize, in all cases of Individual Officers and of Details or Detachments, whether of European or Native Troops, requiring to leave their Station between the 1st of a month and the date fixed in G. O. for the regular issue of pay to the Army, that such Individual Officers, Details and Detachments shall be authorized to draw the pay, which may then be due to them on regular abstracts, vouchers, &c; the muster rolls in such cases, to be authenticated in the manner directed in the second paragraph.

The foregoing regulation to be considered as applicable to all Public Followers of the fixed establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°111

Fort St. George, 28th *May* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions and corrections of rank will take place.

4th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant Robert Close to be Captain Lieutenant, and Cornet Thomas Greenhill to be Lieutenant, in succession to Newall deceased; date of commissions the 22d November 1812.

Cornet H. B. Williams of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, will take rank from the 22d of November 1812; and Cornet John Taylor of the 4th Regiment, from the 2d of December 1812.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Roderick M'Leod to be Lieutenant, vice Ferns deceased; date of commission the 11th of May 1813.

15th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign F. H. M. Wheeler to be Lieutenant, vice Yates deceased; date of commission the 7th of May 1813.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders of the 13th ultimo, to Lieutenant Colonel Adams Commandant of Bangalore, is extended to the 1st of October next.

The leave of absence granted in the same General Orders to Lieutenant Rand of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation for Bengal.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°110

Fort St. George, 28th *May* 1813.

G. O By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the effect of the Regulation, which entitles the wives of European Soldiers, "permitted to accompany their Husbands to India," to a daily allowance of 1½ fanam, to all women born of European Parents, who may marry Soldiers, either "in India" or "during the passage from Europe."

Officers Commanding Regiments, &c. will at the same time be held strictly responsible, that no *Native* woman shall in any case, benefit by the provision in question.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°112

Fort St. George, 1st *June* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Church of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, having reported his return to India with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

Lieutenant Field of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

The following appointments will take place.

Lieutenant H. J. Wilkinson of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Brigade Major in the Ceded Districts, vice Low.

Captain Gilbert Waugh of the Madras European Regiment, to be Brigade Major to the Cantonment of Bangalore, without prejudice to his appointment as Barrack Master at that Station.

Lieutenant James Leighton to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Cox.

Captain G. J. Goreham of the Artillery, to be Commissary of Stores to the Field Force under Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, vice Taylor, whose services are required at his Station, Bellary.

Ensign Anderson of the Corps of Engineers, to be Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in Malabar and Canara.

Lieutenant *Sir* John Gordon, *Bart.* of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, to be Honorary Aid de Camp to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor.

Lieutenant St. John Blacker of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Command the Escort of the Resident in Travancore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 113

Fort St. George, 8th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council judges it expedient to direct, in conformity with the renewed orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors, that all persons who may be permitted to resign, or may be dismissed from the Service of His Majesty, or of the Honorable Company, shall proceed to Europe by the next earliest opportunity; and the Town Major of Fort St. George is authorized and enjoined, to require all such persons to repair to the Presidency without delay, and to report to him on their arrival their places of abode; The same Officer is further charged with the duty of warning such persons, finally to embark for Europe.

The Commander in Chief is requested to give directions, that the names of all persons who may resign or be dismissed from His Majesty's or the Honorable Company's Service, shall be reported to the Town Major of Fort St, George.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 114

Fort St. George, 8th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions will take place.

CORPS of ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant Thomas Samuel Watson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Lieutenant Fireworker P. Montgomerie to be Lieutenant, in succession to Beauchamp deceased; date of commissions 24th May 1813.

25th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieutenant George Sydenham to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Duncan Stewart to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Simon Little to be Lieutenant, in succession to Seton deceased; date of commissions 22d May 1813.

The furlough granted to the Reverend Mr. Thomas in General Orders of the 12th March last, is cancelled, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 115

Fort St. George, 8th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Committee appointed for the purpose of examining Officers and Gentlemen Cadets in the Persian and Hindostanee languages having recently reported some instances, in which Candidates have failed to establish their claim to the honorary reward; with the view of obviating similar disappointment in future cases, and of securing the Committee from unnecessary trouble, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to define in General Orders the degree of proficiency in either language, which is requisite to ensure a successful examination.

It is expected, that the Candidate shall read and translate a common paper with ease, that he shall be able to translate correctly from and into the language which he has made the object of his study; that he shall write in the Persian character legibly and spell, with at least, tolerable correctness, and that he shall be able to converse with fluency.

His Excellency in Council is further pleased to signify his desire, that Officers and Cadets shall not apply for leave of absence to the Presidency for the purpose of undergoing an examination in the Native Languages, unless they shall be confident of success, as they otherwise incur unnecessary expense.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 119

Fort St. George, 11th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Hughes of the Corps of Pioneers, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Nicholson of the Madras European Regiment, is permitted to proceed to England on furlough for twelve months; his pay to cease from the date of his embarkation.

The Reverend Mr. Ringletaube is relieved, in compliance with his request, from the duties of Officiating Chaplain to the European Troops at Quilon.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 120

Fort St. George, 11th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Instances having recently occurred in which doubts have arisen, as to the dates on which Officers, Gentlemen Cadets and Assistant Surgeons, who, on their first arrival from Europe may have landed within the territories under this Presidency, are to be considered effective on the Establishment, and consequently to receive the Indian allowances of their respective ranks; the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that all Officers, Cadets, and Assistant Surgeons shall be recognized and entitled to draw their allowances from the date of their arrival on any part of the Coast, subject to the Madras Government on reporting themselves to the Adjutant General of the Army, and receiving from that Officer the orders of the Commander in Chief, with respect to their eventual destination—and Commanding Officers or other constituted authorities, at the Station where such arrivals may take place, are hereby directed to make known the tenor of this order to all Officers, Cadets, and Assistant Surgeons who may land under the above circumstances, within the range of their controul; it is however to be clearly understood, that the indulgence granted by this order, shall not be considered applicable to any Officer, or other person, who may re-embark after his first landing and proceed by a circuitous voyage to the Presidency, or to any other part of India; in such case the date of service, as well as of the receipt of Indian allowances, shall conform to the pre-existing regulations.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 116

Fort St. George, 8th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, the following Extract from a Letter addressed by the Government of Fort St. George to the Honorable the Court of Directors, and a Copy of the Reply received from the Honorable Court.

Extract from a Letter to the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 27th January 1809.

Para. 10.—"We had the honor to bring to your particular notice in our letter of the 28th June 1808, the General Order which had been issued under date the 10th of June 1808, regarding the payment of full Batta to Officers Commanding Corps. We have recently resolved, on the recommendation of the Commander in Chief to continue that allowance to Commanding Officers, when absent from their Corps by leave, on their paying to the next Senior Officers present, the difference between the full and half Batta of their regimental rank, and at the suggestion of the Military Auditor General this arrangement has been rendered retrospective in both cases."

Extract from a Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 21st of October 1812.

Para. 14.—"We are of opinion that the Senior Officer present with the Corps should draw the superior Batta and that no such allowance should be made to Officers absent from their Corps, unless specially granted to them on account of their being employed elsewhere, by order of Government."

15.—"We desire that this Regulation may obtain in future, instead of the Regulation notified in this paragraph."

In conformity with the intention of the foregoing Order, the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the 70th paragraph of the second Section of the Code of Pay Regulations (Page 23,) and to direct, that under the circumstances stated in that paragraph, the Senior Officer present with any Corps shall alone draw the full Batta of his rank attached to the command of it.

His Excellency in Council further directs, that the above Regulation shall have effect from the 30th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 125

Fort St. George, 22d June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Fireworker Lewis of the Coast Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Cornet and Quarter Master Russell of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for six months, from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant Isacke of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, having reported his return to this Presidency with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank, and be considered as present for duty on the 12th instant.

Lieutenant A. E Spicer of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice M'Laren.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 127

Fort St. George, 25th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 126

Fort St. George, 22d June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

It being necessary, that immediate measures should be taken for adjusting the balance outstanding in the Military Books of this Presidency, for payments made on Family Certificates, the Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that a special Committee shall be assembled at the Presidency for the purpose of investigating those accounts.

The Committee will consist of the undermentioned Officers :—

Lieutenant Colonel Marriott of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry.
Major Thompson of the Madras European Regiment.
Major Agnew Deputy Adjutant General of the Army.
James White, Esq. Paymaster to His Majesty's 89th Regiment, and
Captain Stevenson of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry.

The Accountant General will transmit progressively to the Committee separate accounts for each Corps and Department, which may have returned from Field or Foreign Service, and have any balance outstanding against it, on account of Family Payments, and all Officers concerned in such payments, are directed to furnish every information on the subject, which may be required by the Committee, and which it may be in their power to afford. The Committee are further authorized to correspond directly with the Accountant General and the Military Auditor General, and to call on all Paymasters, Commanding Officers and Staff Officers, for information on the subject of their enquiry.

When the Committee shall have been placed by these means in full possession of the requisite explanations, they will draw up separate Reports on the account of each Corps and Department, shewing the particulars and the amount of the balances due, the deficiencies arising from casualties, desertion, &c. which are charges against the Public, being stated separately from those, if any such deficiencies should appear, for which Commanding Officers of Corps or the Paymasters of families shall be responsible under the established regulations.

The Committee will confine the Reports to the balances only which may be outstanding in the Public Books, on account of each Corps or Department, that is to the payments for which remittances have not been received, or credits ascertained to have been given :—the Reports to be made out in the accompanying Forms No. 1, 2, and 3, and each Report to be submitted to the Governor in Council as soon as it is complete.

FORM No. 1.

REPORT *of a* COMMITTEE *appointed to investigate the balance outstanding in the* PUBLIC BOOKS *on account of* FAMILY PAYMENTS.

1st BATTALION 18th REGIMENT NATIVE INFANTRY.

The following payments on account of Family Certificates of the above Corps for which no remittances

have been received, appear to be chargeable (under the 7th Para. Page 113 of the Code of Regulations) to Major A. B. who commanded (or was in charge of) the Corps.

Names.	Rank.	Amount of the Family Certificate. P.	F.	C.	Period for which the balance is outstanding.	Amount P.	F.	C.	Remarks.
Shaik Tippoo	Havildar	1	22	40	From January to June 1811, both inclusive, being six months.	9	0	0	
Ameer Cawn	Sepoy	1	0	0	From 1st February to 31st May 1811, both inclusive, being four months.	4	0	0	

FORM No. 2.

REPORT *of a* COMMITTEE *appointed to investigate the balance outstanding in the* PUBLIC BOOKS *on account of* FAMILY PAYMENTS.

1st BATTALION 18th REGIMENT NATIVE INFANTRY.

The following payments on account of Family Certificates of the above Corps, for which no remittances have been received, appear to be chargeable (under the 8th Para. Page 113 of the Code of Regulations) to Captain A. B Paymaster of Family Certificates.

Names.	Rank.	Amount of the Family Certificate. P.	F.	C.	Period for which the balance is outstanding.	Amount P.	F.	C.	Remarks.
Shaik Tippoo	Havildar	1	22	40	From January to June 1811, both inclusive, being six months.	9	0	0	
Ameer Cawn	Sepoy	1	0	0	From 1st February to 31st May 1811, both inclusive, being four months.	4	0	0	

FORM No. 3.

REPORT *of a* COMMITTEE *appointed to investigate the balance outstanding in the* PUBLIC BOOKS *on account of* FAMILY PAYMENTS.

1st BATTALION 18th REGIMENT NATIVE INFANTRY.

The following payments on account of Family Certificates of the above Corps, for which no remittances have been received, appear to be chargeable to the Public, in consequence of the decease, desertion, &c. of the individuals on whose account the payments were made.

Names.	Rank.	Casualty.	Date of Casualty	Casualty Roll when received.	Amount of the Family Certificate. P.	F.	C.	Period for which the balance is outstanding.	Amount P.	F.	C.	Remarks.
Shaik Beny,	Havildar	Deceased	14th Nov. 1810	25th May 1811	1	22	40	From November 1810 to April 1811, both inclusive, being six months.	9	0	0	
Mahomed Ghouse,	Sepoy	Deserted	27th Aug. 1811	16th February 1812	1	0	0	From August 1811 to January 1812, both inclusive, being six months.	6	0	0	

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 117

Fort St. George, 8th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

With reference to the G. O. by the Commander-in Chief, under date the 2d August 1810, by which Officers Commanding Native Corps were directed to transmit for countersignature their bills for hutting money the day previous to their march for a new Station, they are hereby ordered in case of the occurrence of any casualties during the march to pay the hutting allowance which may be drawn for those men into the hands of the Paymaster of the new Station, whose receipt for the same they will transmit to the Quarter Master General of the Army, in order that it may be deposited in the proper office.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 121

Fort St. George, 15th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Garrisons of Seringapatam and Bellary are established as Government Commands from this date.

The following appointments will take place,

Colonel Brown of His Majesty's 69th Regiment, to command the Garrison of Seringapatam.

Lieutenant Colonel N. Forbes of the 1st Battalion of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to command the Garrison of Bellary.

Ensign Proby of the Engineers, to be Adjutant of that Corps, vice Monteath.

Captain L. S. Smith of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the appointment of Paymaster to the Troops in Travancore and Tinnevelly, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 122

Fort St. George, 15th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excelleney the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following extract from a letter dated the 21st October 1812, from the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, shall be published in General Orders.

Para. 17.—" Sir Harford Jones having stated to us, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent had " been pleased to confer on the Subidar of the Horse Artillery left by General Malcolm and on Syed " Hoossein and Hoosseinee Beg, the Jemidars of Sir Harford's Escort, Gold Medals of the Order of the " Sun, we direct, as a special mark of our favor, that our permission to wear these honorable testimonies " of their good behaviour, be publicly announced to these persons."

18.—" And, as Sir Harford Jones has strongly represented to us the orderly and exemplary conduct of " the Native Officers, and men composing his Escort, during the three years they were with him, as well " as the great hardship they patiently underwent from the extreme severity of the winters at Tauris; " and as we are desirous, on all occasions, to reward and encourage such a disposition in our Native " Troops, particularly when employed on distant service, we direct, that Syed Houssein and Hoosseinee " Beg, the Jemidars abovementioned, be promoted to the rank of Subidars and that Syed Mobed " Deen, who acted as Orderly to Sir H. Jones, be promoted to the rank of Jemidar; and although we " have directed these promotions to take place in consequence of the good behaviour of these persons " in Persia, it is nevertheless satisfactory to us to know that the Native Officers thus promoted, have " distinguished themselves on former occasions in our services."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 118

Fort St. George, 8th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following extracts of letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 9th September 1812.

To England dated the 21st October 1808.
186 & 7.—Lieutenant Johnson's name erased from the Army, he being supposed to have perished on his passage to Bombay.
Promotions in consequence of the supposed deaths of Lieutenant Berrington and Lieutenant Colonel Macfarlane.

Para 83.—Lieutenant Johnson died the 10th January 1808; Lieutenant Berrington and Lieutenant Colonel Macfarlane died at the dates mentioned by you.—Your proceedings were therefore proper.

202.—Memorial from the Field Officers and Captains of the Invalid Establishment, praying that the shares of Off reckonings taken from them by a rearrangement of 1803 may be restored to them.

127.—We must admit that the general arrangement relative to the surplus Off-reckonings which we thought proper to adopt in 1803, has borne hard upon the Field Officers and Captains of the Invalid Establishment of your Presidency, who formerly received certain proportions from the surplus of the stoppages of the European Invalids.

128.—We do not think it proper that the principle of the arrangement of 1803 should be disturbed, but we authorize you to grant from the Off reckoning Fund a sum equal to the amount of what each Invalid Officer, now alive, actually benefitted from that source of emolument previous to the introduction of our regulations of 1803. It is however to be clearly understood, that this allowance is not to be made to the heirs or representatives of any Invalid Officer since deceased, nor to any Officer invalided since our arrangement of 1803 took effect.

Letter dated the 21st October 1812.

Separate Letter to England dated the 24th of October 1808.
10.—Send home Officers who have been made Prisoners of War, the Steps to exchange may be effected in England.

5.—Such of the Officers specified in the list referred to as are in the Company's Service, viz.

Captain T. F. De Havilland,
" John Macbean,
Lieutenant John Gibson,
" M. W. Byam,
" C. A. Walker, and
Cornet Robert Rashleigh,

have been exchanged and their exchange notified to them in Europe.

To England dated the 27th of January 1809.
86.—Lieutenant Colonel Orr retired from the Service; application of his contract expressed in General Orders.

38.—We desire your attention to the following extracts from our Orders to Bengal contained in Para. 75 of our Military Letter dated the 7th September 1808, and Paras. 10 to 12 of our Military Letter dated 27th February 1811.

Para. 75.—In future we direct that Officers be not permitted to retire from our Service in India, but that "those who intend to quit the Service be first allowed to come to Europe on furlough, that their applications for the purpose of retiring may be submitted to the Court."

Military Letter to Bengal dated 7th February 1811.

10.—"You acted correctly in not granting an advance of pay to Lieutenant Colonel Hutchinson, "he having previously drawn three years pay when on furlough."

11.—"In reserving to ourselves the power of granting pensions after certain periods of service to our "Officers, we did not intend to refuse them the pay of their several ranks during their passage home. In "all cases therefore, where we shall allow Officers to retire on the pensions of their ranks, we shall also "allow them pay, from the date at which it shall appear from their several certificates they shall have "ceased to draw it in India."

12.—"But as Officers may some times quit India with an intention of requesting our permission to "retire on the pensions of their respective ranks, and may yet afterwards decline to prefer, or may "withdraw those requests, we direct that no advance of pay be in any case made to Officers who have "already drawn three years pay on furlough, but that the adjustment of their claims after leaving India "be left to us."

To England dated the 27th of January 1809.
141.—Memorial from Surgeon Sherwood relative to his rank transmitted to the Court.

99.—In conformity with your suggestion, we confirm the recommendation of the Medical Board that "the admission of Mr. Surgeon Sherwood to the "Service be dated from the 11th October 1800, being the period at which "the passengers of the Kent arrived at the Presidency of Bengal."

115.—Lieutenant Hugh Newall and Mr. John Steddy a Surgeon, both of your Establishment, have our permission to return to their rank.

Letter dated the 18th December 1812.

2.—We have permitted Lieutenant William Bazett Isacke to return to his rank on your Establishment.

3.—The undermentioned Officers of your Establishment have our permission to remain in England till the departure of the last ships of this season

Brevet Colonel Colin Macaulay,
Lieutenant Alexander Cuninghame Crichton,
Ensign Hector Greig.

5.—Ensign William Roper of your Establishment, resigned the Company's Service (with our permission) the 7th October 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 123

Fort St. George, 18th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders of the 26th of March last, to Major General Hare Commanding the Centre Division of the Army, is extended for one month for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant Hodgson of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Mr. Acting Conductor Maxwell having been promoted to an Ensigncy in His Majesty's 78th Regiment, his name will be discontinued in the list of Ordnance Officers under this Presidency.

The following appointments will take place.

Lieutenant C. F. Peile to act as Assistant in the Office of the Quarter Master General of the Army, until the return of Lieutenant Bayley from Java.

Captain F. Bowes of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Paymaster to the Troops in Tinnevelly and Travancore, vice Smith permitted to resign.

Captain Bowes is directed to proceed to the Presidency without delay, and in the mean time the duties of the Pay Office will be discharged by Lieutenant Barclay Sub Assistant Commissary in Travancore, as the substitute of the late Paymaster Captain Smith, and on the responsibility of that Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 124

Fort St. George, 22d June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

As Major General Croker will have completed the usual period of service as a General Officer on the Staff on the 24th instant, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to relieve him from Staff duty from that date.

Major General Chalmers is nominated a Major General on the Staff, vice Croker: and his appointment will be considered to have taken place on the 24th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 128

Fort St. George, 25th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Bannatyne of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England on furlough for one year, his pay being discontinued from the date of his embarkation.

The following alterations of rank and promotions will take place.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant D. Armstrong to take rank from 17th January 1813.
" W. R. Taylor ditto 31st " "
" Joseph Leggatt ditto 11th February "
Ensign George Walker to be Lieutenant, date of commission 15th February "

11th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain James Brodie to be Major, Captain Lieutenant J. Stewart to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Francis Green to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign J. G. Festing to be Lieutenant, in succession to Winfield deceased; date of commissions 12th June 1813.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant Charles Wilson to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant W. P. Cunningham to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Charles Short to be Lieutenant, in succession to Smyth deceased; date of commissions 7th June 1813.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign S. A. Rôbe to be Lieutenant, vice Henderson cashiered; date of commission 9th June 1813.

22d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign R. Colebrooke to be Lieutenant, vice De Heaume deceased; date of commission 9th June 1813.

The Reverend Mr. Thomas is appointed Military Chaplain at Bangalore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 129

Fort St. George, 2d July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Ogg of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed to command the Troops composing the Garrison of Fort St. George.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 190

Fort St. George, 2d July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Guille of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

The following appointments will take place.

Captain Robertson of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Aid-de-Camp to Major General Chalmers, from the 24th ultimo.

Lieutenant Lethbridge of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps, vice Green.

Lieutenant Colonel Doveton of the 5th Regiment Native Cavalry, is appointed to command the Cantonment of Arcot, vice Lieutenant Colonel Neale of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry, relieved from that duty, for the purpose of proceeding with his Regiment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 191

Fort St. George, 6th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Major Russell of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant Colonel Haslewood of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is permitted to proceed to Pulo Penang, on leave of absence for six months from the 15th instant.

Lieutenant Burges of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 192

Fort St. George, 9th July 1813.

G. O. By Government,

The 79th Paragraph of the second Section of the Code of Regulations for the Pay Department being cancelled under the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors published to the Army on the 8th ultimo; the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Lieutenant Colonels Commanding, or Senior Officers of Corps on their arrival from Europe, shall not draw the full batta of their rank, except for the regulated period of travelling, until they join the Head Quarters of their Corps, unless they shall be employed on special duty.

Consistently with the spirit of the same orders, and with a view to avoid the additional expense incurred by the Public on such occasions, it is hereby further directed, that when Officers appointed to Government Commands shall be absent from their Stations for more than three days, either on leave, or on sick certificate, they shall draw only the ordinary allowances of their regimental rank and that the established allowances of the Command shall be drawn by the Officer whose temporary succession to the charge, shall have been sanctioned by the Governor in Council.

Officers holding Government Commands, Commanding Officers and Senior Officers of Corps, when absent on leave, if employed under competent authority on the duties specified in the 71st Paragraph of the second Section of the Pay Regulations, will be permitted to draw the full batta of their regimental rank, during the period of their employment.

These orders will have effect from the 31st instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 193

Fort St. George, 9th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council having had under consideration, the existing necessity for an established regulation, defining the utmost quantity of baggage which Troops under orders of embarkation on Foreign Service will be permitted to take with them, has been pleased to publish in General Orders the following proportions for Commissioned Officers under the rank of Colonel.

	Proposed Tonnage including Camp Equipage	Tonnage of Camp Equipage.
Field Officers, ...	4½	2
Captain, Paymaster, and Surgeon, ...	3	1½
Subaltern and Assistant Surgeon not in charge of a Corps,	2	1

N. B.—A Field Officer or Captain Commanding a Corps, to have a half ton additional to the above rates.

A space 6 feet long and 1½ feet broad will be allotted to the birth of each Non Commissioned Rank and

File and European Woman; the baggage of each man will be confined to the contents of his knapsack, and that of a European Woman to a small bundle.

As cases may eventually occur, in which separate tonnage will be required for regimental stores the property of Government, of the Colonel, (as in the case of His Majesty's Regiments,) or of the Mess; Commanding Officers on these occasions are directed to address to the Quarter Master General of the Army, their application for the same, in order that it may be forwarded under the Commander in Chief's orders to the proper authority for it's provision.

These applications will contain a specific list of the articles and quantities for which tonnage may be required; and in no case will attention be given to the application, unless the particular information above required be transmitted with it.

The Warehouse of the Surveyor of Baggage on the Beach of Fort St. George, will be open for the reception and examination of baggage, from nine in the morning till five in the evening during the preparation of Transports for Sea, and no baggage will be received at a later period than the day preceding the embarkation, except in cases of such emergency as shall be stated by the Quarter Master General of the Army to the Surveyor of Baggage.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 134

FORT ST. GEORGE, 9th *July* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Hewitson is appointed to the medical charge of the Garrison of Tranquebar, and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Wyllie will continue to perform his present duties at Negapatam.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Sutton is permitted to visit the Presidency from Nellore, on leave of absence for fourteen days.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Macaulay is permitted to visit the Presidency from Chingleput, on leave of absence from the 19th to the 20th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 693

FORT ST. GEORGE, 9th *July* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army the following Report of the Examination passed by Lieutenant Willock of the Artillery in the Hindoostanee Language, and to direct that the established honorary reward be presented to that Officer.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
THE HONORABLE J. ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

HONORABLE SIR,

Para. 1st. We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 18th ultimo, and in conformity with the instructions therein contained, to report the result of our examination of the proficiency made in the Hindoostanee Language by Lieutenant and Adjutant Willock of the 2d Battalion of Artillery.

2d. Lieutenant Willock was required to perform the usual exercises; and we have much pleasure in reporting, that the result is in every respect satisfactory.

3d. Lieutenant Willock's translation from Hindoostanee was executed with great correctness, but two or three passages might perhaps have been more happily rendered.

4th. In his translation into Hindoostanee, Lieutenant Willock was particularly successful; on a careful review of this exercise we cannot find that it contains a single word mis-spelt, or a single sentence which is not strictly idiomatical while, independently of its accuracy as a translation, it displays a remarkable ease and elegance of diction.

5th. To the attainment of facility in the colloquial use of the Hindoostanee, Lieutenant Willock appears to have paid particular attention. He converses with fluency, and his pronunciation is correct.

6th. In consideration of the high degree of proficiency attained by Lieutenant Willock, we are persuaded that your Excellency in Council will feel great satisfaction in conferring upon him the usual honorary reward.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,

FORT ST. GEORGE,
9th *July* 1813.

(Signed) J. LEITH,
P. VANS AGNEW,
R. B. OTTO,
W. OLIVER.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 136

Fort St. George, 13th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Major George Wahab, Major Thomas Pollok, Captain A. Andrews, and Captain C. Hopkinson, having produced the usual certificates of permission to return to India without prejudice to their rank, and their Names appearing in the East India Register for the year 1812, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that they be re-admitted on the Establishment from the dates of their arrival at Fort St. George and be replaced in the Regiments to which they formerly belonged, with the rank which they would now enjoy, if they had continued on the strength of those Corps.

The Governor in Council further directs, that the Junior Majors of the 12th and 21st Regiments of Native Infantry, and the Junior Captains of companies in the Artillery and Madras European Regiment, be returned Supernumerary.

These arrangements will be considered as provisional, until the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors shall be received.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 137

Fort St. George, 13th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Officers having been permitted by the Honorable the Court of Directors to return to India, will resume the duties of their rank.

Captain Thomas Hunter	20th	Regt. N. I.	arrived	1st	July	1813.
Lieut. Colonel George Martin	4th	,, ,,	,, ,,	6th	,,	,,
Lieutenant George Drewe	17th	,, ,,	,, ,,	6th	,,	,,
Lieutenant J. G. Festing	11th	,, ,,	,, ,,	6th	,,	,,
Lieut. Colonel J. De Morgan	11th	,, ,,	,, ,,	7th	,,	,,

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the Establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names.

Corps.	*Names.*	*Date of arrival.*	
Cavalry.	George Sandys	7th July 1813.	To be Cornets, date of commissions to be settled hereafter.
,,	George Bax	7th ,, ,,	
,, 3	E. G. Harris	7th ,, ,,	
Engineers.	Alexander Ross	7th ,, ,,	To be Ensigns, date of commissions 11th June 1812.
,, 2	John Parton	7th ,, ,,	
Artillery.	T. Frankland Whynyates	7th ,, ,,	To be Lieutenant Fireworkers, date of commissions 6th July 1813.
,,	John Dickenson	6th ,, ,,	
,,	G. F. Symes	6th ,, ,,	
,, 4	Charles Hosmer	6th ,, ,,	
Infantry.	W. J. Wilkinson	7th ,, ,,	To be Ensigns, date of commissions 6th July 1813.
,,	Charles Boldero	7th ,, ,,	
,,	W. J. David Glen	7th ,, ,,	
,,	Francis Hateman	7th ,, ,,	
,,	Samuel Jackson	7th ,, ,,	
,,	T. M. Claridge	7th ,, ,,	
,, 7	George Buttanshaw	6th ,, ,,	

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies)

Sec. to Government.

No. 138

Fort St. George, 13th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following appointments will take place.

19th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Edmonds to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Ledlie to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion.

Ensign Birch of the Madras European Regiment is permitted to proceed to China, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 139

Fort St. George, 13th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned Medical Officers to be a Special Committee, for the purpose of ascertaining the cause of the continued insalubrity of Seringapatam.

Mr. Alexander Bowie, Third Member of the Medical Board,—President,

Mr. Surgeon Heward, } Members.
and
Mr. Surgeon Anderson, }

The Committee will conduct their proceedings under the instructions of His Excellency the Commander in Chief and of the Medical Board.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 140

Fort St. George, 13th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Reverend John Gordon and the Reverend Edward Pritchett, Protestant Missionaries at Vizagapatam, to officiate as Military Chaplains to the European Troops at that Station.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 141

Fort St. George, 16th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Isacke of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for four months from the date of his embarkation.

Mr. George Trummer is admitted from the 15th instant a Cadet of Infantry on this Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and is promoted to the rank of Ensign, date of commission the 12th June 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 143

Fort St. George, 20th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Major General Chalmers is appointed to Command the Northern Division of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 144

Fort St. George, 20th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Reverend Mr. Keating and the Reverend Mr. Brackenbury having arrived at Fort St. George on the 7th instant, will draw the established allowances of Military Chaplains from that date.

The Reverend Mr. Keating is appointed Military Chaplain at Poondamallee, but is permitted to reside at the Presidency until further orders.

The duties of the Reverend Doctor Ball are confined to the Cantonment of St. Thomas's Mount, and his allowances will be regulated accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 145

Fort St. George, 20th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to admit Mr. Peter Crawfurd an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment from the 7th instant, in conformity with his covenants.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 142

Fort St. George, 16th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extracts of a Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 29th of January 1813, for the information of the Army.

Para 6. "Cadets Alexander Ross and John Purton, who were permitted last year to remain in "England without prejudice to their rank, for the purpose of qualifying themselves for the Corps of "Engineers, having now completed their education, we shall direct them to embark on the early ships "of the present season for your Presidency."

7. "We wish to draw your particular attention to the qualification of the above young men, from a "persuasion, that their talents and acquirements may hereafter be found of considerable advantage to the "public service."

11. "We have further to inform you, that at a public examination held at our Military Institution "on the 29th October last, Mr. J. Rannie Anderson, was selected (from his superior talents and "advancement) for the Corps of Engineers at your Presidency."

12. "We shall therefore detain him in this country for some months longer, in order that he may "proceed upon the survey before mentioned, and agreeably to our former notification and desire that he "may not be prejudiced in his rank by this detention."

13. "The following Cadets have likewise passed a highly creditable examination, and have been "stationed to the Corps of Artillery at your Presidency, and will proceed thither by the early ships of "the present season, viz."

"Francis Frankland Whitgates,
Richard Sewell,
Basil Ronald,
John Dickinson,
George F. Symes,
Richard Sommer Seton,
Charles Hosmer."

18. "We have permitted the Reverend W. A. Keating a Chaplain on your Establishment, to return "to his duty."

19. "We have resolved this season to appoint eighteen Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency."

20. "Mr. W. Rogers has our permission to return to his duty as a Conductor of Ordnance on your "Establishment."

23. "On reference to your proceedings of the 3d September 1811, we observe, that acting upon the "authority of the India Register of 1811 published here, you directed Lieutenant Colonel Mark Wilks "(who is stated in that Register to have retired from the Service) to be struck off the List of the Army, "but as Lieutenant Colonel Wilks did not accept the half pay on which we had permitted him to retire, "he is still on the effective strength of your Army, and we direct that you restore his name to the "Army List accordingly with his proper rank thereon."

24. "We have appointed Colonel Wilks Governor of St. Helena, in the room of Colonel A. Beatson "resigned. This appointment in no way affects the orders given in the preceding paragraph."

26. "We have appointed the Reverend Joseph Brackenbury a Chaplain on your Establishment."

45. "Lieutenant Charles S. Williams of your Establishment, resigned the Company's Service (with "our permission) from the 5th instant."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 146

Fort St. George, 23d July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions and corrections of rank will take place.

INFANTRY.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Ross Lang to be Colonel of a Regiment, vice Major General Agnew deceased; date of commission 8th January 1813.

Lieutenant Colonel J. de Morgan, 11th N. Regiment; Major John Fortune, Captain J. T. Trewman, Captain Lieutenant R. M'Craith, and Lieutenant J. Gwynne, 22d N. Regiment,—To take rank from 8th January 1813.

Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Steele, Major G. R. A. Kelly, Captain C. Elphinstone, Captain Lieutenant E. Osborne, and Lieutenant A. Borthwick, 2d N. Regiment,—To take rank from 25th January 1813.

Senior Major Whitney M'Cally from the 20th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Richardson deceased; date of commission 7th May 1813.

20th Native Regiment.

Captain John Mackenzie to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Thomas Hunter to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Hugh Scott to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign W. Fenouilhet to be Lieutenant, in succession to M'Cally promoted; date of commissions 7th May 1813.

30th Native Regiment.

Ensign Richard Ternon to be Lieutenant, vice Sinclair deceased; date of commission 26th June 1813.

2d Native Regiment.

Ensign W. John Darby to be Lieutenant, vice Field deceased; date of commission 13th July 1813.

Mr. Robert Tilson is provisionally admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment from the 24th of March 1813, subject to the confirmation of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant Aston of the Horse Artillery, has been permitted by the Government of Java to remain for the present in that Island on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government

No. 147

Fort St. George, 24th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council 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 5th day of August, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government,

(True Copies)

Sec. to Government,

N°: 468

FORT ST. GEORGE, 27th July 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Wood of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Ensign Stewart of the 18th Regiment, are permitted to proceed to Europe, on sick certificates.

The following alterations of rank, rendered necessary by the restoration of Lieutenant Cozens to the Service, will take place in the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Lieutenant N. L. Austen to take rank from 7th July 1811.
" William Stokoe " " 28th September 1812.
" T. R. Mantell " " 24th February 1813.

The Commission of Lieutenant, granted to Ensign Neal M'Neill of the 10th Regiment Native Infantry and bearing date 24th February 1813, is hereby cancelled.

Captain Court of the Artillery, having been appointed to a Civil situation under the Government of Batavia, the leave of absence granted to that Officer is prolonged until further orders.

The Honourable the Governor in Council is also pleased to confirm the following General Order issued by the Commander of the Forces serving on the Isle of Java.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER OF THE FORCES.

HEAD QUARTERS: WELTEVREEDEN, 13th January 1813.

Lieutenant Mackintosh of the Madras Horse Artillery, lately promoted to the rank of Captain Lieutenant, will continue attached and be borne on the strength of the Troop of Horse Artillery now on Java; subject to the confirmation of the Government of Madras.

(A true copy.)
(Signed) R. BUTLER,
Deputy Adjutant General.

Captain Sale of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the Isle of Mauritius on leave of absence until the 1st of April next.

Captain Garrard of the Corps of Engineers, having returned from Field Service, will resume his duties as Superintending Engineer in Mysore.

Ensign Natties of the Corps of Engineers, is appointed Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in the Southern Division of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true Copy)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°149

Fort St. George, 30th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Reverend Mr. Mousley, Military Chaplain at Arcot, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for three weeks, from the date of his departure from his Station.

Captain Remmington of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, and Lieutenant Wheeler of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Bengal, on leave of absence, the former until the 15th of February 1814, the latter until the 30th of November next.

Sub Conductor Goddart of the department of Public Cattle, is appointed a Conductor in that department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°151

Fort St. George, 3d August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit, Major General Wetherall Commanding in Mysore, to visit the Presidency on leave of absence from the Division, until the 15th September next; Ensign Forrest of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence from his Corps for six months from the date of his embarkation; and Lieutenant Hughes of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to China, or to the Isle of Mauritius, for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant Godley of the 1st Battalion 25th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough, for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°152

Fort St. George, 3d August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Extra Batta at the established rates be issued to the European and Native Troops on the 12th instant, being the Anniversary of the Birth of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, and that the same practice be annually observed on the 12th of August during the continuance of the Regency.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, that on the Birth-day of His Majesty, on New Year's day, and generally on all occasions of Public Rejoicing, with the exception of Christian Festivals, when Extra Batta is allowed to the European Troops, the Native Troops according to the subjoined list shall receive a similar indulgence.

Native Cavalry
Native Infantry
Golundauze
Gun Lascars
Native Pioneers
Dooley Corps
Native Invalids

With the exception of Recruits or Pensioned Boys, Vakeels or Conicoplies, Native Dressers, Artificers, Horsekeepers, and Grass Cutters.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°160

Fort St. George, 30th July 1813.

G. O. By Government.

In explanation of that part of the General Order of the 9th of March last, which relates to the grant of Furlough to Conductors of Ordnance; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract from a Letter, dated the 21st October 1812, from the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

Para. 4. "We have resolved, that Conductors of Stores be allowed to come home on furlough for "ill health only, with the pay of their rank, viz. 50 Rupees per month."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°153

Fort St. George, 6th August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain M. West of the 3d Regiment Cavalry, to be Brigade Major, and to superintend the Intelligence Department with the Field Force under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse from the 1st instant, vice Low.

Captain Williamson of the 16th Native Regiment, is permitted to proceed to Europe, for the recovery of his health.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain C. Addison of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, has been permitted by the Government of Bombay to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 154.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *6th August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Joseph Brackenbury to be Military Chaplain to the European Troops at Secunderabad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT

N°. 155

Fort St. George, 10th *August* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Governor in Council having approved the measures recommended by the Medical Board, for rendering more efficient the establishment of Dressers with the Native branch of the Army, is pleased to order and direct,

That in future, a First and Second Dresser be attached to each Battalion, the former upon a monthly pay of Ten, and the latter on a monthly pay of Seven Star Pagodas.

That First Dressers shall be selected from the Medical Pupils educated at the Asylum or Fort School; and that no person shall be considered eligible to that situation, until he shall have acquired a knowledge of compounding accurately and administering medicines, with the other inferior duties of an Hospital, and it is specially enjoined, that he shall be able to read and write English distinctly.

That Pupils reported by the Surgeons, under whose care they have been instructed, to be qualified for the duties of First Dressers, shall in the Centre Division attend at the Medical Board for examination. In the other Divisions of the Army they shall in like manner attend the Superintending Surgeons, to whom instructions shall be given, to make the necessary enquiries regarding the progress they have made, and their competency to be First Dressers.

That to encourage diligence and undeviating attention, the higher situations of Sub-Assistant Surgeons shall be selected by seniority, from those Dressers who have uniformly conducted themselves so as to merit the continued approbation of their Superior Officers.

As the Service does not at present furnish an adequate number of young men sufficiently educated to qualify them for the situation of First Dressers to all the Corps, it is directed that the most deserving Natives now with Battalions shall continue to fill those situations, until persons properly instructed can be supplied from the Medical Pupils.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 156

Fort St. George, 10th *August* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Inconvenience and irregularity having arisen, from superfluous applications for Returns of Troops on board Ships arriving in the Roads, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that such Returns be required only by the Town Major of Fort St. George for transmission to the Military Office, whence the orders of the Government will be issued for the disembarkation of the Troops, under the superintendence of the proper Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 157

Fort St. George, 10th *August* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Watson, Assistant under the Secretary to the Military Board, is permitted to proceed to Mysore, on sick certificate.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Macaulay is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence from Chingleput, from the 15th to the 25th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 158

FORT ST. GEORGE, 13th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following promotions and alterations of rank shall take place.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant A. Turner to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant James Tagg to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign J. G. Rorison to be Lieutenant, in succession to Lester deceased; date of commissions 24th November 1812.

Lieutenant D. Armstrong to take rank from 27th December 1812.
Lieutenant W. R. Taylor do. 17th January 1813.
Lieutenant Joseph Leggatt do. 31st ,, ,,
Lieutenant G. Walker do. 11th February ,,

Ensign Lewis Crowther to be Lieutenant, date of commission 15th February 1813.

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant George Jackson to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant H. J. Bowler to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign R. W. K. Hansard to be Lieutenant, in succession to Clarke deceased; date of commissions 2d August 1813.

17th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant S. O. Smith to take rank from 6th January 1813, vice Williams resigned.

Lieutenant John Myers to take rank from 6th February 1813, vice Scoones deceased.

Ensign G. W. S. Skipp to be Lieutenant, vice Brown deceased; date of commission 28th February 1813.

Lieutenant Browne of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe, on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Ogilvie of the 24th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay, on leave of absence for four months, from the date of his embarkation.

Ensign W. E. Sweney of the 24th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 159

FORT ST. GEORGE, 13th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Jeffreys of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 160

FORT ST. GEORGE, 17th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

INFANTRY.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) James Innes to be Colonel of a Regiment, vice Major General Gowdie placed on the retired list; date of commission 19th February 1813.

Senior Major Whitney M'Cally from the 20th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Innes promoted; date of commission 19th February 1813.

20th Native Regiment.

Captain John Mackenzie to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Thomas Hunter to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Hugh Scott to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign William Fenoulhet to be Lieutenant, in succession to M'Cally promoted; date of commissions 19th February 1813.

Senior Major William Shawe from the 10th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Richardson deceased; date of commission 7th May 1813.

10th Native Regiment.

Captain G. M. Gibson to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Robert Short to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant P. Morrill to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Neal M'Neill to be Lieutenant, in succession to Shawe promoted; date of commissions 7th May 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 162

FORT ST. GEORGE, 17th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, with reference to instructions received from the Honorable Court of Directors, as published in G. O. dated the 1st September last, that Major Generals not on the Staff shall be considered entitled to the full batta of their regimental rank, during the period of their employment under competent authority on any public duty whatever.

It is further resolved that Major Generals not on the Staff, shall be authorized to draw Court Martial allowance according to their regimental rank when employed under circumstances which would entitle other Officers to that allowance.

In consequence of the above Regulations which provide for every case in which a Major General not on the Staff, can be employed, the General Order dated 8th January 1811, relative to the allowances of Officers of that rank is annulled.

Doubts having occurred relative to the application of paragraphs 65 & 81 of the Code of Regulations, pages 22 & 25, to Officers holding the Brevet rank of Colonel or Major General, it is considered necessary to explain for general information that where the rank of Colonel is stated in the Pay Tables or Regulations, it has reference to those Officers only, who are entitled to draw the full batta of that rank regimentally.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 161

FORT ST. GEORGE, 17th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Committee of Medical Officers assembled at Seringapatam under the General Order of the 18th ultimo having completed their proceedings, are dissolved,—and the President and Members are directed to return to their respective Stations.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 163

FORT ST. GEORGE, 17th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following Extract from a Letter, from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 12th March 1813.

Para. 2.—In our Military Letter dated 5th July 1811, we informed you paras. 8th and 9th, that we had for the present, suspended our judgment, on the case of Colonel The Honorable Arthur Sentleger; we also informed you para. 32 of the same Letter, that we should hereafter take into consideration the cases of the Officers who had accepted the Governor General's option of being dismissed from the Service, or have been dismissed by the Sentences of Courts Martial, as described in the Governor General's Letter of the 15th April 1810.

3.—Having taken the case of Colonel The Honorable Arthur Sentleger, as well as the cases of several of the Officers mentioned in the 32d paragraph of our Letter dated 5th July 1811, into our most serious consideration; and having maturely weighed the evidence brought forward against them, as well as, what

they have respectively stated to us in their defence, having adverted also to the sentiments contained in paras. 14th and 15th of the same Letter, which disposed us to the lenient judgment then passed on Major De Morgan and other Officers, and which are in great measure applicable to the cases now under review, we have come to the following resolutions.

Although the conduct of Colonel The Honorable Arthur Sentleger has been such as would in our opinion, have justified his removal from the Company's Service, yet adverting to the long period of his suspension, and likewise to his past services, we have resolved to remove the suspension imposed upon that Officer.

We have also resolved, that, although in our opinion

Major George Wahab,
" Thomas Pollok,
" J. L. Lushington,
Captain Charles Hopkinson,
" George Cadell,
" Thomas De Havilland,
" Augustus Andrews,

have by their conduct, rendered themselves undeserving our consideration, yet as a mark of our lenity that they be restored to the Company's Service and permitted to return to their rank accordingly.

We have also resolved, that, although Major D. C. G. Kenny, and Major James Patterson, have by their conduct, rendered themselves undeserving of our consideration, yet that, in consequence of the recommendation of Lord Minto in their favour, and as a mark of our lenity, the former of these Officers Major D. C. G. Kenny, be allowed a pension of one hundred and twenty pounds a year from the 2d of September 1812, and that the pension granted by your Government to Mrs. Patterson, the mother of the latter of these Officers, Major James Patterson, be confirmed to her.

8.—We have permitted the following Military Officers to return to their rank on your Establishment, viz.

Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Tichborne,
Captain W. G. Pearse,
" Thomas Fraser,
" Charles Ferrier,
Captain Lieutenant T. Hunter,
Lieutenant Rowland Jeffers,
" Michael John Harris,
" Arthur Stock.

9.—We have appointed the following persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency.

James B. Hall,
Richard Kellet,
John Stretch, (M. D.)
David Boyd.

10.—We have attended to the circumstances stated in paras. 12th & 13th of your Military Letter of the 29th February 1812, relative to the manner in which you have provided for Messrs. West, Brunton, and Chadwick (whose temporary appointments by you as Lieutenant Fireworkers of Artillery had been disapproved in our Letter of the 2d November 1810) by appointing them Lieutenants in the Corps formed of the European Invalids into the Carnatic Veteran Battalion, and we have no objection to your having conferred these appointments on those Gentlemen.

11.—But in forming the Veteran Battalion, we think you should have attended to the long services of Mr. James Clemons, who had been nominated by us, at your recommendation, an Ensign in the European Invalids, of whom this Battalion was composed.

12.—Since his arrival in this country Mr. Clemons has brought to our notice his claim to rank in the Carnatic Veteran Battalion above the three Gentlemen before-named, and we are so fully satisfied of the justice of his pretensions, from the favorable testimonials of his character, that have been laid before us, that we direct, he be promoted to a Lieutenancy in that Battalion, to rank next below Lieutenant Charles J. Gilbert.

13.—Captain George Cadell of your Establishment, (of whose restoration to the Company's Service, you are advised in the 5th paragraph of this Letter) has our permission to remain in Europe till the sailing of the first ships of next season.

14.—Under the particular circumstances of the case of Lieutenant Edward Skeate White of your Establishment, who was obliged to return to this country about two years ago in consequence of having lost the use of his limbs, we have continued his pay to him for two years, from the 30th April last, in the hope that by that time, he may be enabled to return to his duty.

15.—Captain Thomas Fraser of your Engineer Corps, returns to his duty by the ship Hugh Inglis, and we direct your attention to the sentiments we have expressed of Captain Fraser's merits, and services in para. 155 of our Letter of the 23d January 1811.

The Governor in Council is also pleased to publish to the Army, the following copy of a communication received from the Secretary at the East India House under date the 13th March 1813.

Major Josiah Marshall, and Captain James Grant, of your Establishment, being at present employed in Sicily in the discharge of military duties under the command of the Right Honorable Lord William Bentinck, we have thought proper at His Lordship's request and under the particular circumstances of their situation, to allow them to continue in their present employments without prejudice to their rank in our Service to be considered as on furlough, and to draw the pay of their respective ranks as if they were on furlough for the period of two years, from the sailing of the first ships of the present season.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 164

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Captain Hugh Scott, Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief, to proceed to Sea, for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant John Scott of the 23d Regiment of Native Infantry, will officiate as Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, during Captain Scott's absence on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 165

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The undermentioned Officers have produced certificates from the Honorable the Court of Directors, of permission to return to India.

Lieutenant Rowland Jeffries, 6th Regiment N. C., Captain W. G. Pearse Corps of Artillery, Lieutenant A. Stock 4th Regiment N. I., and Captain Charles Ferrier 22d Regiment N. I.—arrived at Madras, 9th August 1813.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the Establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names.

CAVALRY.

Cadet Donald Macleod, to be Cornet; date of rank to be settled hereafter.

ARTILLERY.

Cadet Richard Sewell, to be Lieutenant Fireworker; date of commission 6th July 1813.

INFANTRY.

Cadets George Gray, James Maxtone, and Robert Warrand, to be Ensigns; date of commission 6th July 1813.

Mr. David Boyd is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.

The furlough granted in General Orders of the 13th ultimo, to Ensign Henry Birch of the Madras European Regiment, is cancelled, in compliance with his request.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following appointments shall take place, at the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief: Captain L. Stewart of His Majesty's 24th Regiment of Foot, to be Aid-de-Camp to the Commander in Chief, vice Strachey, from the 1st instant.

Lieutenant *Sir* John Gordon, *Bart.* of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Light Dragoons, to be Aid-de-Camp to the Commander in Chief, vice Moray, from the 6th instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 166

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that in all cases when Extra Camp Equipage cannot be furnished from the Public Stores for Staff Officers, they shall be permitted to provide themselves with Camp Equipage to the extent authorized by the Regulations, and to draw the usual Tent Allowance, on the production of muster rolls and certificates from the Quarter Master General's Department, that Extra Camp Equipage could not be furnished on their application in conformity with the G. O. of the 8th March 1811.

Staff Officers who may in consequence of the above orders provide themselves with the Extra Camp Equipage authorized by the Regulations, will be entitled on their return to Cantonment to deliver their Tents (if they are of the prescribed muster,) into the Public Stores, and Officers Commanding Stations will assemble Committees of Survey for the purpose of determining the nature of the repairs that are required, the expense to be incurred in the repairs and the value of the Tents as delivered into Store.

The proceedings of the Committee of Survey must contain the fullest information regarding the state of the Tents, the period they have been in use, &c and will be forwarded to the Quarter Master General of the Army, by whom they will be laid before the Military Board accompanied by the bill of the party concerned for the value of the Tents as determined by the Committee.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 167

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following copy of a Report from the Committee appointed for the examination of Military Students in the Hindoostanee Language, and to direct that the honorary reward established for the attainment of that language be presented to

Cornet W. Hamilton of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
THE HONORABLE J. ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

HONORABLE SIR,

Para. 1st.—In conformity with the instructions conveyed to us in the letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 20th ultimo, we have examined Cornet W. Hamilton of the 4th Regiment Native Cavalry, as to the proficiency which he has made in the Hindoostanee language, and we have now the honor to report the result, for the information of your Excellency in Council.

2d.—Mr. Hamilton's translation from Hindoostanee into English was executed with the utmost readiness. It is not entirely free from error, but its inaccuracies are too few and too trifling to deserve any notice.

3d.—In his translation from English into Hindoostanee, Mr. Hamilton was, equally successful. This exercise, however, was not performed with the same readiness as the former, but its correctness and its elegance fully compensate for the attention and care bestowed upon it.

4th.—In the oral part of the examination, Mr. Hamilton appeared to us to be somewhat embarrassed, but his embarrassment, we are persuaded, arose more from diffidence in his own power than from any deficiency of skill in the colloquial use of the language.

5th.—Upon the whole, we consider Mr. Hamilton to have attained a superior degree of proficiency in the Hindoostanee language, and we have much satisfaction in recommending that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow upon him the usual honorary reward.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,

FORT ST. GEORGE,
16th August 1813.

(Signed) J. LEITH,
R. B. OTTO,
W. OLIVER,

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT

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SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 168

Fort St. George, 20th August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Major Lushington of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, having reported his arrival at this Presidency on the 17th instant; will resume the duties of his rank, in conformity with the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors, his commission bearing date the 22d of February 1812.

Major Gillespie will remain Supernumerary in the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 170

Fort St. George, 25th August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in 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 day of September, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 169

Fort St. George, 24th August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Officers of the Commissariat, shall not be employed, without the special sanction of the Government, on any service foreign to the duties of that Department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 174

Fort St. George, 27th August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint George Strachey, Esq. to be Chief Secretary to the Government, and Edward Wood, Esq. to be Secretary to the Government in the Military Department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 173

Fort St. George, 27th August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The nomination of Captain Walker, Brigade Major to the Troops in Malabar and Canara, to act as Military Paymaster in those Districts on the responsibility of Mr. A. Douglas, is confirmed until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 171

Fort St. George, 27th August 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Major Charles Farran of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed Agent for the Supply of Army Clothing, vice Innes, promoted to be a Colonel of a Regiment.

Lieutenant M. J. Harris of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, having reported his return to this Presidency on the 9th instant, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

Captain T. Fraser of the Engineers, having reported his return to this Presidency on the 9th instant, will place himself under the orders of the Military Board, to be employed on the special duty, with which he has been charged by the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Major Lushington of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Calcutta on leave of absence for four months.

MEMORANDUM.

The Commission of Mr. Superintending Surgeon Peyton, promoted to that rank in General Orders on the 16th of March 1813, will bear date from the 3d of that month.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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No. 172

FORT ST. GEORGE, *27th August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to establish the following Regulations for the payment of the Corps of Guides.

When Individuals, or Details of the Corps of Guides may be detached, if desirous of having their pay drawn at the Presidency, they are not to be furnished with certificates of last payment, and the following words must be inserted opposite their names in the muster rolls—"On Command, or on leave at —— not "furnished with a pay certificate, pay drawn."

If they are desirous of drawing their pay at the Station to which they may be detached, they are to be furnished with certificates of last payment and the following words must be inserted opposite their names in the muster rolls—"On Command, or on leave at —— furnished with a pay certificate,—pay not drawn."

In the event of absentees whose pay had been drawn in the first instance at the Presidency, being desirous of receiving it at the Stations where they may be employed; certificates of last payment are to be transmitted, and the following words inserted opposite their names in the muster rolls at the Presidency —"On Command, or on leave at —— furnished with a certificate of pay in arrear for —— being the last "drawn"—and similar vouchers, &c. are to be required in the event of absentees who had been in receipt of pay at Out-Stations being desirous of having it drawn at Head Quarters:—in the former case the Quarter Master General will forward the pay certificates to the Commanding or Staff Officer of the Stations of the absentees; and in the latter, the pay certificates will be forwarded to the Quarter Master General, by the Commanding or Staff Officers of Stations.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies,)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 175

FORT ST. GEORGE, 31st August 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

In consequence of the restoration to the Company's Service of the undermentioned Officers by the Honorable the Court of Directors, as notified in their general letter to this Government under date the 12th of March 1813, and published in General Orders of the 17th August 1813, the following alterations of rank are ordered.

The pay and allowances drawn by the Officers, whose Commissions are now cancelled, in the rank to which they had been promoted in succession to those resigned, are not to be refunded, but to be continued to them, until the date of this Order, cancelling such promotions.

OFFICERS RESTORED TO THE SERVICE.

			Date of Commissions.
Major	J. L. Lushington	4th Regiment Native Cavalry	22d February 1812.
Captain	T. F. de Havilland	Engineers	1st January 1800.
Captain	R. Hopkinson	Artillery	9th March 1810.
Captain	A. Andrews	Madras European Regiment	13th April 1801.
Major	Thomas Pollok	12th Regiment Native Infantry	30th May 1810.
Captain	George Cadell	12th Regiment Native Infantry	2d October 1808.
Major	George Wahab	21st Regiment Native Infantry	8th February 1809.

The Commissions of the undermentioned Officers are cancelled.

4th Regiment Native Cavalry.

			Date.
Captain	A. H. Davidson	as Major	22d February 1812.
Captain	George Gillespie	as Major	1st April 1812.
Captain Lieutenant	Thomas Darke	as Captain of a Troop	1st April 1812.
Lieutenant	Hugh Newall	as Captain Lieutenant	1st April 1812.
Lieutenant	Robert Close	as Captain Lieutenant	22d November 1812.
Cornet	Thomas Greenhill	as Lieutenant	22d November 1812.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS.

Lieutenant	John Blakiston	as Captain	24th March 1812.
Ensign	Duncan Sim	as Lieutenant	24th March 1812.

CORPS of ARTILLERY.

Captain Lieutenant	Samuel Cleaveland	as Captain of a Company	29th April 1810.
Lieutenant	T. S. Watson	as Captain Lieutenant	24th May 1813.
Lieut. Fireworker	P. Montgomerie	as Lieutenant	24th May 1813.

Madras European Regiment.

Lieutenant	George Shepherd	as Captain Lieutenant	8th November 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	P. Lawless	as Captain of a Company	5th August 1812.
Lieutenant	Gilbert Maitland	as Captain Lieutenant	5th August 1812.
Ensign	Isaac Nicolson	as Lieutenant	25th August 1811.

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain	G. R. Grand	as Major	6th November 1811.
Captain	E. W. Snow	as Major	8th November 1811.
Captain Lieutenant	James Smith	as Captain of a Company	8th November 1811.
Captain Lieutenant	Charles Wilson	as Captain of a Company	7th June 1813.
Lieutenant	Charles Wilson	as Captain Lieutenant	8th November 1811.
Lieutenant	W. P. Cunningham	as Captain Lieutenant	7th June 1813
Ensign	George Coxe	as Lieutenant	29th April 1813.
Ensign	Charles Short	as Lieutenant	7th June 1813.

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain	John Fitzpatrick	as Major	6th April 1810.
Captain	Alexander Fair	as Major	30th April 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	John Lea	as Captain of a Company	30th April 1810.
Lieutenant	W. Fair	as Captain Lieutenant	30th April 1810.
Lieutenant	James Wight	as Captain Lieutenant	15th January 1811.
Ensign	A. Macdonald	as Lieutenant	19th February 1813.

The following Corrections of Rank will take place.

4th Regiment N. C.

		To take Rank from
Captain	G. Gillespie	22d February 1812.
Captain Lieutenant	Robert Palin	22d February 1812.
Captain	Robert Palin	1st April 1812.
Captain Lieutenant	T. Darke	1st April 1812.
Lieutenant	G. W. Erskine	22d February 1812.
Lieutenant	George Maquay	1st April 1812.
Lieutenant	Henry O'Brien	22d November 1812.

ENGINEERS.

Captain	W. Ravenshaw	15th November 1810.
Captain	Thomas Arthur	26th September 1811.
Captain	W. Garrard	24th March 1812.
Lieutenant	Thomas Davies	15th November 1810.
Lieutenant	Henry Fullerton	26th September 1811.
Lieutenant	C. C. Nattes	24th March 1812.

ARTILLERY.

Captain	G. J. Goreham	20th April 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	R. Beauchamp	20th April 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	T. W. Watson	20th June 1812.
Captain Lieutenant	B. Mackintosh	25th November 1812.
Captain Lieutenant	Henry Lindesay	24th May 1813.
Lieutenant	F. Derville	8th April 1810.
Lieutenant	C. Patton	20th April 1810.
Lieutenant	T. Bennett	25th August 1810.
Lieutenant	A. C. Crichton	29th August 1811.
Lieutenant	N. Hunter	30th November 1811.
Lieutenant	R. Hopper	31st December 1811.
Lieutenant	John James Gamage	20th June 1812.
Lieutenant	T. Y. B Kennan	25th November 1812.
Lieutenant	Henry Gregory	24th May 1813.

Madras European Regiment.

Captain	David Forbes	30th June 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	George Lenox Nixon	30th June 1810.
Captain	George Lenox Nixon	8th November 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	James Amos Kelly	8th November 1810.
Captain	James Amos Kelly	5th August 1812.
Captain Lieutenant	Peter Lawless	5th August 1812.
Lieutenant	Alexander Gordon	30th June 1810.
Lieutenant	James Roy	8th November 1810.
Lieutenant	Thomas Dale	23d January 1811.
Lieutenant	Richard Williams	24th April 1811.
Lieutenant	B. S. Ward	17th June 1811.
Lieutenant	M. Clarke	17th June 1811.
Lieutenant	James Anderson	25th August 1811.

12*th Regiment N. I.*

Major	J. E. Gabriel	6th November 1811.
Captain	John Green	30th May 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	John Henry	30th May 1810.
Captain	John Henry	6th November 1811.
Captain Lieutenant	C. F. Smyth	6th November 1811.
Captain	C. F. Smyth	8th November 1811.
Captain Lieutenant	John Morgan	8th November 1811.
Captain	John Morgan	7th June 1813.
Captain Lieutenant	James Smith	7th June 1813.
Lieutenant	C. W. Mackintosh	30th May 1810.
Lieutenant	Thomas Hadaway	6th November 1811.
Lieutenant	W. John Jackson	8th November 1811.
Lieutenant	H. P. Hine	20th January 1813.
Lieutenant	L. Macdowal	29th April 1813.
Lieutenant	D. C. Stewart	7th June 1813.

21*st Regiment N. I.*

Captain	Charles Stuart	30th April 1810.
Captain Lieutenant	John Lea	30th April 1810.
Lieutenant	James Nash	30th April 1810.
Lieutenant	Henry Robinson	15th January 1811.
Lieutenant	Charles Edye	17th August 1812.
Lieutenant	Samuel Smithson	30th October 1812.
Lieutenant	Ewan Macpherson	27th December 1812.
Lieutenant	Richard Allen	19th February 1813.

As the Cornets of the Cavalry, and Ensigns of Infantry Regiments, are posted to Corps according to their standing in the lists received from the Honorable the Court of Directors, and every advantage allowed to seniority when so posted, His Excellency the Governor in Council does not consider it advisable to cause any removals of those ranks of Subaltern Officers, they having already received the benefit of their relative situation with each other; nor does His Excellency consider it necessary to alter the dates of commissions of the Cornets and Ensigns, for the above reason.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 176

FORT ST. GEORGE, 31st *August* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant W. Godley of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Bengal, for the purpose of taking his passage to England, under the furlough granted to him in General Orders of the 3d instant.

The furlough of Lieutenant Godley will commence from the date of his embarkation at Fort William, if within three months after his arrival at that Presidency.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenants H. A. Miller of the 8th Regiment Native Infantry, and E. Burges of the 24th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to England on sick certificates.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 177

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3d *September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain Lieutenant R. Home of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Calcutta, on leave of absence for six months from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant John Knott of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his own request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 178

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3d *September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Seringapatam Prize Committee, having submitted to Government, a list of sums due by certain individuals in His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Services, on account of purchases made at the Travancore and Amulnair Prize Sales. His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, has been pleased to direct that, these debts shall be recovered by monthly stoppages from the pay and allowances of the persons, by whom they are respectively due, in the following proportions, viz.

For debts *under* 1000 Rupees.	Colonels of Regiments	Pagodas 40	per month.
	Lieutenant Colonels	25	ditto
	Majors	20	ditto
	Captains	15	ditto
	Subalterns	10	ditto
	Conductors	6	ditto
	Serjeants	2	ditto
	Corporals or Drummers	1	ditto
	Privates	½	ditto
Natives.	One fourth of the pay of their respective Ranks.		ditto

The stoppages from Field Officers and Captains, whose debts may exceed one thousand Rupees each, to be at the following rates per month.

Colonels of Regiments	Pagodas 80
Lieutenant Colonels	50
Majors	40
Captains	25

The above stoppages are to be made from the monthly abstracts of pay and allowances of each individual, till the full amount of his debt be liquidated and Military Paymasters are directed to make the deductions accordingly; for which purpose, they will receive lists of the sums due by each person, thro' the medium of the Accountant General in the Military Department of Accounts.

The sums recovered under these Orders, are to be brought to account under the respective heads of

"Travancore Prize Sales."
"Amulnair Prize Sales."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 179

Fort St. George, 10th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Officers have produced certificates from the Honorable the Court of Directors of permission to return to India.

Lieutenant John Ardagh 14th Regiment Native Infantry, Lieutenant John Milner 6th Regiment Native Infantry, and Lieutenant Clemons Carnatic European Veteran Battalion.—Arrived at Madras 5th September 1813

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the Establishment in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names.

ARTILLERY.

Basil Ronald, and Richard Somuer Seton, to be Lieutenant Fireworkers; date of commissions 6th July 1813.

INFANTRY.

Thomas Clemons, John Metcalfe, Thomas Richard Manners, Humphrey Ewing, and George Best Wardell, to be Ensigns; date of commissions 6th July 1813.

Arrived at Madras 5th Sept 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(A true Copy.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 180

Fort St. George, 10th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extracts of Letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 2d April 1813.

Para. 8.—" Mr. William Pritchard, a Surgeon on your Establishment, has our permission to return " to his duty."

9.—" Lieutenant John Milner of your Establishment having been sent to this Country by the Governor " of the Mauritius, on the same service as Lieutenant Hawis (of the adjustment of whose pay and allow- " ances here, you were advised in the 15th paragraph of our Military Letter of the 12th March,) We have " permitted Lieutenant Milner to draw his pay, full batta and gratuity, from his last receipt thereof, at " the Isle of France; according to the certificates, which will be forwarded as usual in triplicate."

10.—" Lieutenant Milner returns to his duty by the ship Tottenham, and we have advanced him the " sum of £125, as an allowance for his passage money to India, in consideration of his having been sent " to Europe on duty."

11.—" We have appointed Mr. John Haines an Assistant Surgeon for your Presidency."

Letter dated 9th April 1813.

Para. 2.—" Captain Thomas Piott De Haviland of your Establishment (and of whose restoration to " the Company's Service you were advised in the 3d para. of our Military Letter dated the 12th March " 1813), has our permission to defer his return to your Presidency, till the first ships of next season."

3.—" We have permitted Lieutenant J. R. Aitdagh, of your Establishment, to return to his duty."

4.—" Lieutenant John Newall of your Establishment, who was sent from the Isle of France on a " cartel ship as a Commissary, has our permission to remain in England till the departure of the first " ships of next season."

5.—" Lieutenant Alexander C. Chrichton, of your Establishment, has our permission to remain in " England till the departure of the first ships of next season."

6.—" We have appointed Mr. John Wylie an Assistant Surgeon for your Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Sigued) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 181

Fort St. George, 10th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract of a Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors in the Public Department, under date the 12th March last, for the information of the Army.

Para. 9.—" We have appointed the Reverend James Hutchison a Chaplain on your Establishment."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 182

Fort St. George, 10th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Major Hall of His Majesty's 89th Regiment, to Command at Poondamallee, during the absence of Major *Sir* Charles Burdett, *Bart.* and to draw the established allowances of that command.

The Reverend Mr. Hutchison having arrived at Fort St. George on the 5th instant, will draw the established allowances of Military Chaplain from that date.

The Reverend Mr. Hutchison is appointed Military Chaplain to the European Troops at Quilon.

Lieutenant Colonel M'Donell of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Sigued) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 183

Fort St. George, 10th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Low Deputy Assistant Commissary General, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 185

Fort St. George, 13th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Doubts having arisen, regarding the control vested in Commanding Officers of Divisions of the Army

over Superintending Engineers, when desirous of proceeding themselves, or of detaching their Assistants from one Station to another, within the Divisions to which they stand appointed, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that on all such occasions the Superintending Engineer shall obtain the sanction of the Commanding Officer of the Division, previously to his own departure or that of his Assistants from any Station, although proceeding on duty under orders from the Military Board, or immediately from the Government.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 184

FORT ST. GEORGE, 10*th September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, the following copy of a General Order issued by the Honorable the Lieutenant Governor in Council at Batavia.

GENERAL ORDERS BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Lieutenant Governor in Council avails himself of the opportunity afforded by the approaching departure of Lieutenant Colonel Colin Mackenzie, Chief Engineer on the Expedition of Java, to render to that distinguished Officer his peculiar acknowledgments, and to testify his unreserved approbation of the zeal, ability and unwearied application which he has displayed on this Island.

Lieutenant Colonel Mackenzie has since the conquest of Java been employed under the sanction and authority of the Right Honorable the Governor General in collecting and arranging the Topographical and Military Reports and Surveys of the former Government, in investigating the History and Antiquities of the Island, and in ascertaining the state of the landed tenure and the general condition of the inhabitants.

The Topographical Surveys commenced under the late Government have been found to merit every attention and on the suggestion of Lieutenant Colonel Mackenzie, they will be continued partly on the same plan.

On the History and Antiquities of the Island, much valuable information has been obtained, and the acknowledged qualifications and ability of Colonel Mackenzie, justify the expectation, that on his return to India many interesting results will be ascertained.

As President of the Commission on Java affairs, Lieutenant Colonel Mackenzie has visited almost every part of the Island; and the considerable and important collections which have been made by the Commission, added to the interesting documents which have been procured by his personal diligence and research will form a body of most useful and interesting information, to serve as a basis for the furtherance and completion of the statistical enquiries, which have been set on foot. Enquiries of this nature, would appear to have latterly attracted the attention of the former Government of this Colony, but the state of the Island was unfavorable to their success; and it is to the unremitting and extraordinary application and zeal of Lieutenant Colonel Mackenzie, that we are principally indebted for the lights which have been thrown on the subject. Under his superintendence, a General Statistical Table of the population and produce of the Island has been compiled on principles which ensure it's near approach to accuracy, and the answers which have been given to the queries, historical, literary and oeconomical, circulated through the Island at his suggestion, afford information of considerable interest and importance.

The result has justified the opinion, that the Native Inhabitants of Java are susceptible of the improvements, which a more enlightened administration in British India has dictated, and that the revenues of the Colony, are of sufficient importance and consideration to bear every expense, charge and trouble attending their collection, under such an improved system.

Java must ever be considered as a great Agricultural Country and as the Granary of the Eastern Islands — to remove every restriction on the Agriculture and Commerce of the Country, is alike conducive to the happiness of the people, and to the interests of Government, and the information and opinions furnished by Lieutenant Colonel Mackenzie will enable the Government in ameliorating and improving the general condition of the Colony, to establish a more enlightened and advantageous system of internal administration.

The Honorable the Lieutenant Governor in Council will have much satisfaction in communicating to the Supreme Government, the favorable sentiments which he entertains of the essential benefits which have been conferred on this Colony by the exertions of Lieutenant Colonel Mackenzie, and the Lieutenant Governor requests, that he will accept his personal thanks, for the aid and advice which his talents and judgment have afforded during his stay on this Island.

By order of the Honorable the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

(Signed) C. ASSLY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 186

FORT ST. GEORGE, 14*th September* 1813.

G. O BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, with reference to G. O by Government under date the 3d August 1813, that the Corps of Guides shall be included in the list of Native Troops authorized to receive the indulgence of extra batta on the 12th August, during the continuance of the Regency, on the birth-day of His Majesty, and generally on all occasions of public rejoicing, with the exception of Christian Festivals.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 187.

Fort St. George, 14th September 1813.

G. O. By Government.

1.—His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish the following Regulations for the Pay Department of His Majesty's Troops.

2.—The Regimental Paymasters of His Majesty's Service are in future, to indent on the Station Paymasters of the Honorable Company's Service for the full amount of the subsistence and Company's allowances of each Regiment.

3.—The abstracts being prepared for each month, the Regimental Paymasters are to draw their amount from the Station Paymasters—the Company's allowances being payable at the periods fixed for the general payments of the Army and the King's subsistence on the 25th of each month—the abstracts both of Company's allowances and King's subsistence to be delivered to the Station Paymasters, for insertion in their accounts.

4.—As under His Majesty's Regulations, a regular muster takes place every month by the Regimental Paymasters, it is directed, that copies of the muster rolls attested by Commanding Officers shall uniformly accompany the regimental abstracts of King's subsistence.

5.—As the muster rolls will of course include the Officers, as well as every other description or rank in the Regiment, the transmission of lists of Officers which have hitherto accompanied the accounts of Company's allowances will be discontinued, in future.

6.—The regimental pay and allowances of Officers of His Majesty's Service absent from their Regiments on staff duty, command, or furlough, within the limits of this Government, or serving with the Subsidiary Force of Hydrabad or Poonah, are to be included in the regimental abstracts and the amount remitted to them monthly by bills on the Accountant General but, if under any circumstances, such as Regiments being employed on Field or on Foreign Service, it should become inconvenient to make such remittances, the regimental pay and allowances of such Officers are permitted to be drawn separately from the Paymaster at the Presidency on certificates of last payment, and under instructions from the Military Auditor General, to whom application is to be made for that purpose, the Military Auditor General is however directed, not to issue such instructions unless he may be fully satisfied of the difficulties in regard to remittances, on which such applications may be founded.

7.—When the pay and allowances of an Officer are permitted to be drawn separately under the provisions of the preceding paragraph, he is on the 1st of each month to transmit his abstracts, accompanied by all prescribed vouchers to the Paymaster at the Presidency, with a letter, requesting that a bill for the amount may be remitted to him—the Paymaster in such cases, is to transmit the bill by return of Post and to enter the abstracts in his general accounts under the head of the Regiment to which the Officer belongs—all such abstracts to be countersigned by the Commanding Officers of Stations, with exception of the Presidency, where they are to be countersigned by the Brigade Major of His Majesty's Forces.

8.—The regimental pay and allowances of Officers absent at Sea, at other Presidencies, or beyond the limits of this Government, with the exception of Hydrabad and Poonah as above stated, are not to be included in the regimental abstracts, but to be drawn for separately, under the General Regulations of the Service, if desired by such Officers, on certificates of their being alive—the abstracts being payable at the Presidency only.

9.—Officers of His Majesty's Service on staff duty under this Government, but whose Regiments may be serving at other Presidencies, are to draw their regimental allowances on abstract from the Paymaster of the Station, who is to enter the amount under the head of the Regiments to which such Officers may belong, in his accounts of Company's allowances to the King's Troops.

10.—The regimental subsistence of the Officers referred to in the preceding paragraph, is permitted to be drawn on receipt, as hitherto, on account of the Presidencies under which their Regiments may be serving—the receipts to bear the same countersignature as the abstracts for the Company's allowances of those Officers.

11.—Detachments of His Majesty's Regiments within the limits of this Government, if under Commissioned Officers, are to be included in the abstracts of their Corps and to be drawn for by Regimental Paymasters, whose duty it will be to provide by remittances for their regular payment.

12.—Non-Commissioned Rank and File, and all persons of His Majesty's Service under the rank of Commissioned Officer who may be at the Presidency on duty or otherwise and not under the command of a Commissioned Officer, are to be drawn for by the Brigade Major of His Majesty's Troops.

13.—The above pay to be drawn from the Paymaster of the Presidency, on abstracts accompanied by certificates of last pay and muster rolls regularly signed by the Brigade Major, and specifying the Rank, Names, Regiments, Troops, Companies, &c. to which the individuals belong—the amount to be entered by the Paymaster at the Presidency in his general accounts of disbursements, under the head of the respective Regiments to which the parties belong.

14.—The Paymaster of the Depôt at Poonamallee will continue to draw for and pay the Detachments, Recruits, Invalids, &c. of His Majesty's Regiments who may be placed under his charge; the amount to be drawn on regular abstracts from, and to be entered in the accounts of, the Presidency Paymaster under the head of the Regiments to which the individuals respectively belong—those payments will therefore no longer appear in the accounts of Regimental Paymasters.

15.—Officers arriving from Europe are to draw the pay and allowances which may be due to them, as also the advances to which they may be entitled on regular abstracts, countersigned, if at the Presidency by the Brigade Major, or if at Poonamallee, by the Officer Commanding; these abstracts are to be paid by, and entered in the disbursements of the Paymaster at the Presidency, under the head of the Regiments to which the Officers respectively belong.

16.—The Recruits, Invalids, &c. whose pay may be drawn at Poonamallee are to be mustered each month by the Paymaster (who acts also as Fort Adjutant) and the muster rolls signed by that Officer and countersigned by the Officer Commanding, are to accompany the abstracts as the vouchers by which their correctness is to be ascertained.

17.—The medical allowances on account of the Recruits of His Majesty's Regiments at Poonamallee, will be drawn by the Medical Officers in charge and entered in the accounts of the Presidency Paymaster, under the heads of their respective Regiments.

18th.—The medical allowances for the Invalids of His Majesty's Service who may be stationed at Poonamallee, to be drawn in all respects as heretofore.

19.—The same degree of responsibility for the payments made to His Majesty's Troops at Poonamallee, is to apply to the Paymaster at the Depôt as now attaches to Regimental Paymasters of His Majesty's Service.

20.—The General Regulations of this Government regarding the audit, reaudit, and final audit of Paymaster's accounts as also those respecting the recovery and adjustment of retrenchments, are to be considered applicable equally to His Majesty's, as to the Honorable Company's Troops.

21.—Copies of all retrenchments which may be made against Officers of His Majesty's Service, to be furnished to the Regimental Paymasters by the Station Paymasters, who are to recover the amount by stoppages from the regimental abstracts, in the proportion authorized by the Regulations—the stoppages to be brought to account by Station Paymasters in the same manner as those on account of retrenchments from Officers of the Company's Service.

22.—Regimental Paymasters of His Majesty's Service are not authorized to place Officers under stoppages for any retrenchments, without furnishing each Officer with a copy of the retrenchment made against him, as is customary in the Company's Service.

23.—All explanations of Regimental Paymasters and all documents and vouchers of every description which may be transmitted with their accounts for audit, reaudit or final audit, are to bear the countersignature of the Commanding or Senior Officer present with the Regiment.

24.—In consequence of the above Regulations regarding the payment of His Majesty's Troops, the functions of Deputy Paymaster General to the King's Troops which have hitherto attached to the Paymaster at the Presidency are to cease, and the accounts connected therewith to be discontinued, that Paymaster will therefore in future be placed with regard to the Regimental Paymasters of His Majesty's Service in precisely the same official relation as any other Station Paymaster.

25.—The establishment hitherto allowed to the Paymaster of the Presidency for the above duties, will be discontinued.

26.—The abstracts of subsistence of His Majesty's Troops are to be entered in the accounts of Station Paymasters under the head of

"KING'S SUBSISTENCE,"

and to form one total immediately following their disbursements on account of the Company's Troops in the manner formerly observed, when the Company's allowances to His Majesty's Troops were entered in the account of Station Paymasters.

27.—The abstracts of Company's allowances are to follow those of the King's subsistence under the head of

"COMPANY'S ALLOWANCES TO THE KING'S TROOPS"

and to form a separate total but both, as hitherto, to form a part of the general debit in the public books under the head of "CHARGES MILITARY."

28.—Officers of His Majesty's Service at Out-Stations being permitted to receive their pay and allowances in cash or by bills on the Presidency as may suit their convenience, the amount required to be paid by bills is to be regularly notified in the monthly indents of Regimental Paymasters.

29.—All articles such as tents, horses, wine, &c. which may be issued to Officers of His Majesty's Service on credit, are to be debited and the amount recovered by Station Paymasters under precisely the same Regulations as apply to Officers of the Honorable Company's Service.

30.—Stoppages from the regimental abstracts of His Majesty's Troops, on account of provisions, &c. to be recovered and accounted for by Station Paymasters according to the General Regulations of the Service.

31.—The allowances of General and other Officers of His Majesty's Staff to be entered under the head of Company's allowances to the King's Troops in the accounts of the Station Paymasters by whom the amount is disbursed.

32.—The responsibility of Regimental Paymasters of His Majesty's Service in respect to the Government, and to the Station Paymasters from whom they draw the pay of their Regiments, is to continue on the same principle as heretofore.

33.—The Station Paymasters in the examination of the regimental abstracts of Corps of His Majesty's Service will be guided by the provisions of the 9th Section of the new Code of Regulations, under the head "HIS MAJESTY'S TROOPS."

34.—An additional allowance of fifteen Pounds per annum is granted to each Regimental Paymaster on account of stationary, which is to be included in the abstracts of Company's allowances to the different Regiments and to be drawn half yearly in arrear, viz. in the months of January and July.

35.—All applications on account of advances required for Individual Officers, Detachments or Recruits of His Majesty's Service, belonging to other Presidencies are to be forwarded, if at Madras, by the Brigade Major of His Majesty's Troops—if at Poonamallee by the Paymaster of that Depôt, to the Secretary of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, in order that the authority of Government may be obtained for the issue of the required advances.

36.—The above Regulations are to have effect from the commencement of the month of November next, —the first abstracts of His Majesty's Regiments to be entered in the accounts disbursements of the Station Paymasters for that month will accordingly be those for Company's allowances in arrear for the month of October and King's subsistence in advance from the 25th November to the 24th December next.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 188

Fort St. George, 14th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Michael Lawlor to be Lieutenant, vice Bell cashiered; date of commission 20th August 1813.

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Thomas Bulman to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Andrew Farquharson to be Lieutenant, in succession to Green deceased; date of commissions 30th August 1813.

Ensign James Clemons to be a Lieutenant in the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, and to rank between Lieutenants Gilbert and O'Connell; date of commission 11th September 1812.

The undermentioned Gentlemen are admitted Assistant Surgeons on the Establishment, in conformity to their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Mr. James Buckle Hall
" Richard Kellitt
" John Stritch
" John Wylie
" Isaac Stone
" James Stevenson
" John Haines

Messrs. Surgeons John Steddy, William Prichard and William Colhoun, having reported their return to this Presidency, the two former on the 5th and the latter on the 8th instant, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of their rank on the Establishment.

Lieutenant Rundall Deputy Military Auditor General, is permitted to proceed to Vellore on leave of absence for twelve days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 189

Fort St. George, 14th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the allowances to be drawn by the Commissary of Stores at Cannanore for the Artificers attached to the Ordnance Department at that Station, shall be regulated in conformity with the following rates, viz.

	P.	F.	C.
1 Maistry Carpenter	4	32	60
2 Carpenters	6	12	60
2 Armourers	6	12	60
2 Bellows Boys	1	32	11
1 Tin Man	3	6	30
1 Painter	4	12	60
2 Chickledars	5	6	30
1 Chuckler	2	12	60
2 Smiths	5	30	0
2 Hammermen	4	12	0
1 Cooper	4	0	0

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 190

Fort St. George, 17th *September* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Whitney M'Cally of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Colonel Colin Mackenzie of the Corps of Engineers, is permitted to remain in Bengal on leave of absence until the 1st of January next.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 191

FORT ST. GEORGE, 21st *September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant Colonel M'Leod of His Majesty's Royal Scots, to Command at Bangalore.

Lieutenant P. Conner of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry, to be a temporary Assistant in the Surveyor General's department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 192

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24th *September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Charlesworth of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to Bengal, for the purpose of taking his passage to England on sick certificate.

Lieutenants Miller of the 8th Regiment Native Infantry, and Burges of the 24th Regiment Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Bengal, for the purpose of taking their passage to England under the leave granted to them in General Orders of the 31st ultimo

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenants A. Johnston of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry, and H. Cooper of the 11th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe, on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant Cooper is permitted to proceed to Bengal for the purpose of procuring a passage to England and his furlough will commence from the date of his embarkation at Fort William if within three months after his arrival at that Presidency.

Ensign Milsom of the 19th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted 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) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 193

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24th *September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Captain Gilbert Waugh of the Madras European Regiment, to be Paymaster in Mysore.

Captain Thomas King of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Brigade Major to the Cantonment of Bangalore.

Lieutenant John Wilson of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Barrack Master at Bangalore.

Lieutenant John Fulton of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Fort Adjutant at Vellore.

Lieutenant John Watson to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Fulton.

Lieutenant G. H. Budd of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry, to *act* as Fort Adjutant of Cannanore during the absence of Lieutenant Hodgson on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 194

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24th *September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant James Friswell to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of the 10th Regiment Native Infantry, vice Morrill.

Lieutenant A. Rankin to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry, vice Godley.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Major General Sir Barry Close, Bart. and Lieutenant Colonel S. Irton, the following promotions and corrections of rank will take place.

INFANTRY.

Senior Major William Shawe from 10th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Irton deceased; date of commission 14th March 1813.

10th Native Regiment.

Captain G. M. Gibson to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Robert Short to be Captain of a Company,

Lieutenant Peter Morrill to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Neil M'Neall to be Lieutenant, in succession to Shawe promoted; date of commissions 14th March 1813.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Colin Macaulay to be Colonel of a Regiment, vice Major General Close deceased; date of commission 20th April 1813.

Senior Major Thomas Augustus Fraser from 9th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice C. Macaulay promoted; date of commission 20th April 1813.

9th Native Regiment.

Captain (Brevet Major) Thomas Stewart to be Major, Captain Lieutenant George Rose to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant John Bell to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Thomas M'Carthy to be Lieutenant, in succession to Fraser promoted; date of commissions 20th April 1813.

Senior Major John Richardson Vernon from the 6th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Richardson deceased; date of commissions 7th May 1813.

6th Native Regiment.

Captain John Moodie to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Penford King to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Thomas Chambers to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Harry Salmon to be Lieutenant, in succession to Vernon promoted; date of commissions 7th May 1813.

Senior Major James Colebrooke from the 8th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice M'Donell transferred to the Invalid establishment; date of commission 11th September 1813.

8th Native Regiment.

Captain T. A. S. Ahmuty to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Robert Home to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant A. M'Laren to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Robert Shedden to be Lieutenant, in succession to Colebrooke promoted; date of commissions 11th September 1813.

Senior Major John Palmer Keasberry from the 9th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice M'Cally transferred to the Invalid establishment; date of commission 18th September 1813.

9th Native Regiment.

Captain John Cook Stokoe to be Major, Captain Lieutenant John Bell to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant William Griffenhooffe to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. M'Clelland to be Lieutenant, in succession to Keasberry promoted; date of commissions 18th September 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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No. 1978

FORT ST. GEORGE, *25th September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Cornet M. C. Chase of the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard, is permitted to proceed to Bengal, on leave of absence for four months from the date of his embarkation, for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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No. 199

FORT ST. GEORGE, *25th September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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No. 1197

FORT ST. GEORGE, *24th September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following copy of a report from the Committee appointed for the examination of Military Students in the Hindoostanee language, and to direct that the honorary reward established for the attainment of that language be presented to

Cornet Brunton, of the 2d Regiment Native Cavalry, and to

Lieutenant Norman of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
THE HONORABLE JOHN ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

HONORABLE SIR,

Conformably with the instructions conveyed to us in the letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military department, dated the 6th ultimo, we have the honor to report the result of our examination of the proficiency made in the Hindoostanee language by Cornet Brunton of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, and Lieutenant Norman of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Mr Brunton's translation from Hindoostanee into English was executed with considerable accuracy, the few mistakes which appear in this exercise are too trifling to deserve notice.

In translating from English into Hindoostanee Mr. Brunton was particularly successful. The exercise was performed with great readiness, and shews that Mr. Brunton has attained a very correct knowledge of the idiom of the Hindoostanee.

Mr. Brunton converses with fluency and ease, and his pronunciation appears to us to be sufficiently correct.

We therefore beg leave to recommend that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow on Cornet Brunton the usual reward, a distinction to which in our opinion his proficiency fairly entitles him.

In our address to Government dated the 10th of May last, we had the honor to notice the successful result which had attended Lieutenant Norman's endeavours to acquire a correct pronunciation together with a facility in the colloquial use of the Hindoostanee and we stated the points in which we considered his attainments to be defective; we have now the pleasure to report that he has applied himself with success to the correction of the defects above alluded to; and that the manner in which he has performed the exercises required of him on the present occasion is in every respect satisfactory.

We consider it proper to add that Lieutenant Norman's Hindoostanee composition was written in the Shikustee hand, of which it exhibited an elegant specimen.

Lieutenant Norman in our opinion has attained an eminent degree of proficiency in the Hindoostanee language and we have particular satisfaction in recommending that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow upon him the usual honorary reward.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient Servants,
(Signed) J. LEITH,
R. B. OTTO,
W. OLIVER.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
20th Sept. 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 1956 196

FORT ST. GEORGE, *24th September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon George Mickle is placed under the orders of the Resident at Hydrabad to be employed in charge of a Hospital established at Omrawuttee by the Government of His Highness the Soubahdar of the Deccan.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 1997 197

FORT ST. GEORGE, *24th September* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

With reference to the 68th paragraph of the second Section of the Code of Pay Regulations (page 23,) the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to resolve that General Officers on the Staff when absent from whatever cause beyond the limits of their respective Divisions or Districts, but residing in any part of the territories subordinate to this Presidency, shall notwithstanding such absence continue to issue orders, and generally to execute all the duties of their commands.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

B
No. 202

Fort St. George, 1st October 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

THE following Code of Regulations for the conduct of the Quarter Master General's Department, compiled under the orders of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, having been approved by the Honorable the Governor in Council, it is hereby directed that the same be considered as Standing Orders of the Government of Fort St. George, and that printed copies be transmitted to every Station, and to the Head Quarters of every Corps, for the general information and guidance of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) EDWARD WOOD,

Secretary to Government.

N° 200

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th September 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Clewens, Adjutant of Native Invalids, is considered to have resumed the duties of that appointment from the 10th instant, the date of the publication of his return to this Presidency.

The leave of absence to proceed to Bengal granted to Captain Remmington of the 21st Regiment Native Infantry, in General Orders of the 30th July last, is cancelled in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

A

N° 202

FORT ST. GEORGE, 1st October 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT:

Major Ross of the 2d Battalion Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Java, via Calcutta, on leave of absence for seven months, from the date of his embarkation.

Major Cosby of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Ceylon on leave of absence until the 1st April 1814, for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant Hine of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence until the 20th March 1814.

The General Orders dated respectively 11th and 22d June last, permitting Captain Hughes of the Corps of Pioneers, and Lieutenant Fireworker Lewis of the Coast Artillery, to proceed to Sea on sick certificates, are cancelled at the request of those Officers.

Ensign Andrew Williams of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 201

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th September 1813,

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that from the first of this month, all Staff Serjeants whether attached to Corps, Cantonments or any of the Public Departments, who may be unprovided with Public Quarters, shall be considered entitled to the allowance for House Rent as fixed in the G. O. of the 19th April 1811, to be drawn and charged for, in conformity with the rules prescribed in that Order.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 203

FORT ST. GEORGE, 5th October 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant W. Williamson to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, or Palamcottah Light Infantry, vice Wilson.

Serjeant and Sub-Conductor William Morris, attached to the Karkhana department, to be a Conductor of Ordnance, to complete the establishment.

Lieutenant Hutchinson of the 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry, is permitted 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) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 205

FORT ST. GEORGE, 6th October 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following Extracts from a Letter, addressed by the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Supreme Government, under date the 16th of February 1810, and to direct, that the rules thereby established be observed also under the Presidency of Fort St. George.

Allowances to Officers whilst Prisoners of War.

Para. 9.—"As it is stated in this Paragraph, that the grant of the full allowances of their Corps to Officers whilst Prisoners of War is not matter "of right, but of special indulgence, and that the Regulations of the Service do not provide any rule for

" determining the allowances to be assigned to Officers whilst in that situation, we think it necessary to " lay down the following rule."

10.—" When an Officer shall be detained by the enemy as a Prisoner of War in India, he shall, during " his residence on shore in India, receive the pay and half batta of the rank, he may hold at the time of " his capture or may obtain by promotion during his captivity, but upon all other occasions during his " captivity, whether on board ship in India, or ashore, or on board ship in Europe, he shall receive the " pay of his rank only."

Compensation for loss of baggage by fire, capture or shipwreck not to be granted unless to Officers on duty.

75.—" We shall not object to this grant in the present instance,—but " as the Company have been put to great and unnecessary expense, by the " allowances which have been at different times made by our several " Governments as compensation to Officers for loss of baggage by shipwreck, fire, and capture, and as " every Officer may, if he pleases, insure his property before he embarks here, or in India; we direct, that " no compensation be hereafter made to any Officer for loss of baggage on board ship, unless such " Officer be proceeding on duty, by order of Government."

59 & 2. Company's allowances admitted to His Majesty's 30th Regiment of Foot from the date of their arrival at Prince of Wales' Island—request the orders of the Honorable Court of Directors to the time from which Company's allowances shall be passed to King's Troops arriving in India.

87.—" In consideration of the expense to which His Majesty's Troops " will be exposed from the date of their debarkation in the Company's Terri- " tories, and in reference to the propriety of granting them the same " allowances as may be drawn by any other Troops previously serving at the " place of debarkation, with reference also to the consideration that the " debarkation of Corps, or Detachments of Corps, at places other than those " to which they may have been destined is matter of accident, or of " necessity, not probably within the controul of the Officers Commanding such Corps or Detachments " of Corps, we authorize you to pass Company's allowances, to all Corps or Detachments of Corps landing " in any part of the Company's immediate Territories in India, from the date of the debarkation of such " Corps, provided such debarkation were made by order of the established local authorities. But we shall " not admit Company's allowances being passed to Individual Officers who shall land in any part of India " different from that, to which their duty calls them.—Individual Officers have the power of obtaining a " passage on our Ships to any of the Presidencies of India, at which their Regiments may be serving, or in " the case of Staff Officers, at which their usual, and well known duties call them to reside. If therefore " they wilfully land at other places than that to which they ought to have directed their immediate course, " or if Corps or Detachments of Corps, or Individual Officers, accidently land at Ceylon or any other " place in India, where the Troops are not receiving pay from the East India Company, in all such cases " we direct, that Company's allowances be not passed to them until their actual arrival at the Presidencies " to which they have been appointed."

In publishing the preceding Paragraph the Governor in Council desires it to be understood, that General Officers appointed by His Majesty to the Staff of his Forces in India, but not nominated to any particular Presidency are entitled to their Staff allowance from the date of their arrival at the first Presidency, and that Officers on the General Staff of His Majesty's Forces in India are not only to receive their personal allowances in cases when they are actually employed at the Presidency where they first land, but also in cases when such Officers have been directed or unavoidably compelled to proceed on Ships bound to a Presidency other than that to which their duty called them, or when they have been involuntarily detained at such other Presidency by lawful authority, or from any cause connected with the Public Service.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 206

FORT ST. GEORGE, *8th October* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the following appointments from their respective dates.

By Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, Commanding a Force in the Field, of Lieutenant Crisp of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Persian Interpreter to the Officer Commanding the Force, from the 1st of August 1813.

By Colonel Lockhart Commanding the Provinces of Malabar and Canara, of Lieutenant Tagg of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Fort Adjutant of Caupanore, from the 28th May 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 207

FORT ST. GEORGE, *12th October* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Cornet W. H. M'Naghten of the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to do duty with the Escort of the Resident in Mysore, vice William resigned.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 214

FORT ST. GEORGE, *5th October* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

As from various reasons, it may frequently be inexpedient to issue Grain from the Public Stores to the Troops and Followers in Garrison, and necessary therefore to pay compensation in lieu of it, under the G. O. of the 30th of December 1806, The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to revise those Orders, and to direct, that the following modified Regulations on the subject, shall be in future observed.

When the price of the 3d sort of Country Rice in the Public Market, at Stations where the Troops are not upon field allowances, is more than 70 Star Pagodas per Madras Garce, the Native Troops are entitled to receive either Rice from the Public Stores at that rate, or the difference in money between that rate, and the current rate of the Market.—It will be the duty then, in such cases, of Officers Commanding Corps or Detachments to make application to Officers Commanding Stations, for permission to indent on the Commissariat for Grain, or to draw compensation in lieu of it.—At Stations where no depôts of Grain may have been established, or where the issues of Grain may be restricted by special orders, Officers Commanding will direct compensation money to be drawn, in the proportion of one Seer of Rice per day for each Man, and of half a Seer of Rice per day for each Sepoy Boy; in the manner and agreeably to the form prescribed by the G. O. of the 30th of December 1806, the abstracts being supported by the following certificates.

Form of Certificate to be granted by the Officer Commanding the Station.

This is to certify, that the Officer Commanding the (here enter the Corps or Detachment) at did apply for the issue of Grain to the Troops under his Command for the month of but that it was impracticable (or inexpedient as the case may be) to issue Grain from the Public Stores at this Station.

Here enter Station and Date. Signature of the Commanding Officer.

Form of Certificate to be granted by the Commissariat Officer.

This is to certify that no Grain was issued by the Commissariat to the Troops, and for the period, specified in this abstract.

Here enter Station and Date. Signature of Commissariat Officer.

Form of Certificate to be granted by the Magistrate, or by the Officer Commanding the Station, when the Certificate of the Magistrate cannot be obtained.

This is to certify that the average price of the third sort of Country Rice sold in the Bazar at during the month of was Seers per Company's Rupee.

Here enter Station and Date. The Signature of the Magistrate, or of the Commanding Officer.

The same rules in every respect will be observed, with regard to European Troops, except that the amount drawn on their account will be in the proportion of half a Measure of Rice per day for each Man.

In like manner, compensation money is to be drawn for Public Followers attached to Corps and Departments, when the current price of the 3d sort of Country Rice shall exceed 80 Star Pagodas per Madras Garce; and to prevent future misconception, the following list of persons entitled to receive Rice from the Public Stores in Garrison, or compensation in lieu of it, is republished for general information.

Persons entitled as fighting Men.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates of European Corps Non-Commissioned Officers attached to Native Corps, or to Public Departments European Invalids and Pensioners who have been transferred from Corps, and who actually reside at Stations where Rice is usually issued	In the proportion of half a Measure of Rice per Man per day.
Native Officers and Men of Corps of Native Cavalry and Infantry Native Officers and Men of the Golundauze and Gun Lascars Native Officers and Men of the Pioneers The Maistries and Bearers of the Dooly Corps The Corps of Guides Drummers, Fifers, Trumpeters, Farriers, Puckallies and Beesties attached to Native Corps Puckallies attached to European Corps Native Invalids and Pensioners who have been transferred from Corps	In the proportion of one Seer of Rice or two Seers of Paddy per Man per day.

Families of Troops on Foreign Service or actually in the Field at the rate of one Seer of Rice or two of Paddy per day to each family; But it would probably be more acceptable to them to receive compensation, whilst this plan would be less liable to abuse than the other.

Sepoy Boys: In the proportion of half a Seer of Rice or one Seer of Paddy per day for each Boy.

Persons entitled as Public Followers.

Tent and Store Lascars Horse-keepers and Grass Cutters of Horse Artillery and Regiments of Cavalry Artificers of Corps Vakeels of do. Native Dressers and Taties of the fixed Establishment of Surgeons of Corps	In the proportion of one Seer of Rice or two Seers of Paddy per Man per day.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is further pleased to declare, that the above Regulations have exclusive reference to the issue of Grain in Garrison; and that neither these Orders nor the G. O. of the 10th of November 1812, are intended to disturb the provisions of Section XI of the Commissariat Regulations, for the Grain Department in the Field, which remain therefore in full force.

When Native Troops are marching from one Station to another, or are otherwise in the receipt of field allowances, the above Regulations will be equally applicable, except, that Troops so situated are entitled to receive Grain or compensation money in lieu of it, only, when the Market price of the 3d sort of Country Rice, shall exceed Pagodas 106 50 ,, per Madras Garce or 12 Seers for 12 Fanams. The certificates of prices if they cannot be obtained from the Civil authorities, will be granted by Commanding Officers; who will also be required, when Corps or Detachments may be marching, to keep an account of the current prices of the 3d sort of Rice, at the principal places through which they may pass, in order that the

average price of the month may be correctly ascertained. European Troops when marching, or in the Field, being victualled by the public, cannot be entitled at such times, to receive any compensation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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N°. 207

FORT ST. GEORGE, *8th October* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain Limond of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, will act as Paymaster in Malabar and Canara, during the absence and on the responsibility of Mr. A. Douglas, in lieu of Captain Walker, who was appointed to officiate in that capacity in General Orders of the 27th of August last.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT

No. 209

Fort St. George, 12th *October* 1813.

G. O. By Government:

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract from a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, in the Public Department, dated the 9th April 1813.

EXTRACT.

2.—"We have appointed Ensign William Raynsford Taylor of the 3d Regiment Native Infantry, on your Establishment, a Writer upon the said Establishment of the present season 1812-13; the rank which he is to hold of that season you will be advised of hereafter."

In conformity with the directions contained in the foregoing extract, Ensign William Raynsford Taylor of the 3d Regiment Native Infantry, was removed from the Military Establishment of this Presidency on the 14th ultimo.

In compliance with the request of the Honorable the Lieutenant Governor of Java, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the furlough granted to Lieutenant Colonel J. P. Keasberry of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, and to permit him to remain to the Eastward, as long as he may be employed under the authority of the Government at Batavia.

Lieutenant Colonel T. A. Fraser of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 214

Fort St. George, 15th *October* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Caldwell of the Corps of Engineers, will proceed with the Honorable the Governor, on his intended Tour from the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 216

Fort St. George, 15th *October* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon Steddy is appointed to afford medical aid to the Escort of the Honorable the Governor, during His Excellency's absence from the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

No. 218

Fort St. George, 15th *October* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that during the absence of His Excellency the Commander in Chief from the Presidency, the Head Quarters of the Centre Division of the Army, shall be transferred from Arcot to Choultry Plain.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 220

Fort St. George, 15th *October* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant James Crokatt to act as Quarter Master of the Madras Volunteer Battalion, on the same allowances as a Quarter Master of European Infantry.

Cornet Robert Woolff to be Adjutant to the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, vice Johnston.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Lieutenant William Ainslie of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, that Officer's name is struck off the List of the Army from the 29th March 1810, the date of his decease.

The following promotions and corrections of rank are ordered to take place:

25th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant	A. Rankin	to take rank from	27th June	1811.
,,	Thomas Ivie	,,	,, 30th Nov.	,,
,,	W. H. R. Wootton	,,	,, 28th Dec.	,,
,,	T. Gifford	,,	,, 21st June	1812.
,,	A. M'Pherson	,,	,, 29th July	,,
,,	Simon Little	,,	,, 16th March	1813.

Ensign W. Thomas Slade to be Lieutenant, date of commission 22d May 1813.
Ensign James Macdonald to be Lieutenant, date of commission 27th September 1813.

15th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign R. B. Dawes to be Lieutenant, vice M'Cornick deceased; date of commission 21st September 1813.

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant H. J. Bowler to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant F. D. Saunders to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Avery Truman to be Lieutenant, in succession to Williamson deceased; date of commissions 4th October 1813.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Spiers is appointed Assistant Garrison Surgeon at Cuddalore, and will afford medical aid to the Civil Servants and other European inhabitants at that Station.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Hastie is appointed to the medical charge of the Zilla of Verdachellum, vice Spiers.

The leave to proceed to Europe, granted in General Orders of the 6th of July last to Major Russell, of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is cancelled, in compliance with his request.

Major Russell is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 212

Fort St. George, 15*th October* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The following Report from the Committee appointed for the examination of Officers in the Hindoostanee Language, is published for the information of the Army.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
The Honorable J. ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 10th ultimo, and in conformity with the instructions therein contained, to report the result of our examination of the proficiency made in the Hindoostanee Language by Lieutenant Sherriff of the Chicacole Light Infantry.

Lieutenant Sherriff translated with great accuracy an extract of considerable length from a Hindoostanee version of the Goolistan. The manner in which this exercise is performed, is highly satisfactory.

Lieutenant Sherriff's translation into Hindoostanee exhibits two or three orthographical errors, but it is sufficiently correct as to idiom, and the sense of the original is in many passages very happily expressed.

We have the satisfaction to add, that Lieutenant Sherriff has acquired a correct pronunciation and converses with fluency and ease. We therefore consider that he has fully established his claim to the honorary reward, which we accordingly beg leave to recommend may be bestowed upon him.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,
(Signed) J. LEITH,
R. B. OTTO,
W. OLIVER.

Fort St. George,
4*th October* 1813.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in conferring on Lieutenant Sherriff of the Chicacole Light Infantry, the honorary reward for the attainment of the Hindoostanee Language.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 211

Fort St. George, 15*th October* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to resolve, that from the 1st of January next, the whole of the Native Invalids on this Establishment shall be formed into four Native Veteran Battalions, to be denominated as follows:

The 1st or Madras Native Veteran Battalion.
The 2d or Arnee Native Veteran do.
The 3d or Ganjam Native Veteran do.
The 4th or Dindigul Native Veteran do.

That each of the Native Veteran Battalions be commanded by a European Commissioned Officer of the Invalid establishment, who will be selected and appointed by the Commander in Chief, and entitled to receive the full batta of his rank, in addition to his pay and ordinary allowances.

That an Adjutant, to be selected from the List of Conductors, or from deserving Serjeants, be allowed to each of the Native Veteran Battalions, upon the same pay and allowances as the Adjutant of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion receives.

That each Battalion be formed into 10 Companies, of such strength as from time to time may be necessary and that the following fixed establishment to each Corps be allowed.

One Serjeant Major.
One Quarter Master Serjeant.
One Native Adjutant.
One Havildar Major upon the same pay and allowances as a Drill Havildar.
One Vakeel
One Drum Major
One Fife Major
Thirty Sepoy Recruits
Forty Pensioned Boys
Ten Puckallies
Two Native Dressers
Two Toties

and the same proportion of Artificers as is allowed to a Battalion of effective Native Infantry.

The Commander in Chief will be pleased to make such provision for the medical duties of these Corps as he may deem most advisable, and the Medical Officers in charge will draw the usual allowances established for Native Corps.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, that from and after the 1st of January next, the Native Veteran Battalions, shall be mustered, returned and paid in the same manner as the effective Corps of Native Infantry on the Establishment; and that they be consequently placed under the orders of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, in like manner as the other Corps of the Army, and that all registers and other documents regarding Invalids of Native Infantry and Gun Lascars, be transferred from the Office of the Town Major to that of the Adjutant General of the Army.

All Invalid Gun Lascars being attached to the Artillery Company of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, they are to be returned, mustered and paid accordingly; and the Commander in Chief will be pleased to make such a distribution of them, as His Excellency may judge most proper with reference to the duties required of them.

The present organization of the Native Invalids rendering it unnecessary to continue the appointment of Adjutant of Invalids, at present held by Lieutenant Clemons, that situation will be abolished from the 1st of January 1814; and His Excellency the Commander in Chief is requested to post Lieutenant Clemons as Adjutant to one of the Native Veteran Battalions.

The clothing indents and accounts of the European and Native Veteran Battalions still requiring a general superintendence, Mr. Moy's appointment as Quarter Master of Invalids will not be affected by this arrangement, otherwise than his being in future designated Quarter Master of Invalids (instead of Native Invalids) attached to the Adjutant General's Office, upon his present pay and allowances.

With a view to prevent the Native Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Rank and File of the Invalid establishment from suffering any loss or expense by being removed from one Station to another, His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, as a mark of liberal consideration on the part of Government, to grant to each

	Rs.	Qs.
Native Officers—Subahdars	40	0
do do —Jemadars ..	24	0
Non-Commissioned Officers	8	0
Rank and File	4	0

as a remuneration for the Quarters they have, besides the usual Hutting Money and to direct, that each rank shall receive one month's full batta, in addition to that to which they may be entitled, during their march from one Station to the other, in the event of their being ordered to move.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to request, that the Commander in Chief will issue such orders and detailed instructions for carrying these arrangements into effect and for arranging the distribution of the Native Veteran Battalions as he may think fit.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 215

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15*th October* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT:

The Honorable the Governor in Council, adverting to the principle upon which, Officers retiring from the Service receive invariably the pay of Infantry Officers, has been pleased to resolve, that after the completion of the arrangements for forming the Non-effective Establishment of the Army, into Veteran Battalions, all Officers who may be transferred to the Veteran Battalions from whatever branch of the Service, shall be entitled to the pay and allowances of Officers of Infantry only.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been further pleased to resolve, that Captain Lieutenants of the Veteran Battalions, including those at present on the Non-effective list, shall in future be authorized to draw the additional subsistence of one Rupee per day, the same as Effective Officers of that rank—the Officers of the Veteran Battalions to continue to draw House Rent as hitherto.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt all Officers at present on the Non-effective establishment, from any reduction of their pay and allowances under the operations of these Regulations.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT

No. 218

Fort St. George, 15th October 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency The Governor and Commander in Chief having proceeded from the Presidency on the Public Service, the immediate charge of the Government of Fort St. George, has devolved, during His Excellency's absence, on James Henry Casamaijor, Esquire, as Vice President in Council; and all Officers and Soldiers are hereby required to obey the said Vice President in Council accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Vice President in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 217

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15th *October* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the duties of Chaplain to the European Troops at Jaulnah shall be in future performed by the Military Chaplain at Secunderabad, who will accordingly make an annual visit to that Post at the most convenient season.

Considerable inconvenience having been experienced for some time past from the want of a Chaplain at Jaulnah, the Reverend Mr. Brackenbury is directed to proceed to that Station without delay, for the performance of such clerical duties, as may be required to be immediately discharged.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 219

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19th *October* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Vice President in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following report of the examination in the Hindoostanee Language of Cornet W. Barlow, attached to the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard; and of Captain Lieutenant J. S. Williams of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry.

The latter Officer, who was promoted to the rank of Captain Lieutenant on the 3d of April last, at which period his Corps was on Field Service with Lieutenant Colonel Hamilton's Detachment, having notwithstanding his rank, been permitted to undergo an examination, the Vice President in Council is pleased to explain to the Army, that this indulgence was extended to Captain Lieutenant Williams in consideration of the peculiar circumstances of his case—it appearing that for some time previously to the date of his promotion he had made frequent applications for permission to be examined, none of which, owing to the service upon which his Corps was employed, the irregularity of the tappal, and other circumstances succeeded in reaching the Head Quarters of the Army.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
THE HONORABLE J. ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

HONORABLE SIR,

In conformity with the instructions conveyed to us in the letters from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 24th and 28th ultimo, we have the honour to report the result of our examination of the proficiency made in the Hindoostanee Language by Cornet Barlow, attached to the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard; and by Captain Lieutenant Williams of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Mr. Barlow's translations from Hindoostanee into English, and from English into Hindoostanee, are correctly executed. His Hindoostanee exercise displays a competent knowledge of the idiom of the Language, and is free from orthographical errors.

Mr. Barlow read off hand with great facility, an extract of considerable length from a Hindoostanee version of the Goolistan. His pronunciation appears to us to be sufficiently correct, and he converses with fluency and readiness.

We are of opinion that the proficiency made by Mr. Barlow fully entitles him to the honorary reward; and we accordingly beg leave to recommend that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to confer this distinction upon him.

On a review of the translation made by Captain Lieutenant Williams from Hindoostanee into English, we observe that of some passages, the sense is entirely mistaken and of others imperfectly expressed; he read also the extract abovementioned from the Hindoostanee version of the Goolistan with great difficulty and embarrassment; and we should have hesitated to report favourably of his proficiency, if he had not been particularly successful in the other parts of his examination.

The accuracy and elegance, however, of his translation into Hindoostanee; the intimate acquaintance with the idiom of the Language displayed in this exercise, and the fluency and ease with which he converses, induce us to recommend that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow upon Captain Lieutenant Williams the usual honorary reward.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,
(Signed) J. LEITH,
R. B. OTTO,
W. OLIVER.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
14th *October* 1813.

The Honorable the Vice President in Council has much satisfaction in conferring the established reward for the attainment of the Hindoostanee Language on Cornet Barlow and Captain Lieutenant Williams.

By order of the Honorable the Vice President in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 220

Fort St. George, 19th *October* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The leave to proceed to Europe on sick certificate granted in General Orders of the 27th August 1811, to Ensign Mantell of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is cancelled in compliance with that Officer's request.

By order of the Honorable the Vice President in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 222

Fort St. George, 26th *October* 1813.

G. O By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Batts, 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 day of November, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 222

Fort St. George, 19th October 1813.

G. O. By Government.

With a view to prevent the recurrence of abuses, during the march of Troops from one Station to another, by the violent and oppressive practice of seizing the Inhabitants of Villages and compelling them to serve as coolies, to the great detriment of the Public Interests, and the injury, and the inconvenience of Individuals, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to revise such parts of the Regulations "for facilitating the progress of Troops through the Company's Territories" as relate to this subject, and to direct that the following Orders be strictly attended to.

When a Corps or Detachment is ordered to march, an application is immediately to be made by the Commanding Officer to the Magistrate of the Zillah, for his aid and assistance, in procuring the necessary carriage for the transportation of the baggage, &c. the quantity and description of such carriage, is to be stated as particularly as circumstances will permit, and it will be the special duty of the local Civil authority, to afford such assistance to the utmost of his ability.

Commanding Officers are directed to limit the demand for coolies, as much as possible, and Officers in general are recommended to substitute cattle for coolies, whenever it may be practicable.

The principal Civil authority, in aiding the movement of Troops will endeavour to make the coolies engage to proceed the whole of the distance (or at least as far as is practicable) which the Corps or Detachment may be ordered to march, and Officers are particularly enjoined to make their arrangements for moving carriage for the entire march, and which in cases of movement from Station to Station, they may generally be able to effect.

No demand for coolies, carts or cattle is to be made at any intermediate Village, except in the event of unforeseen accidents on the road, either by the death or desertion of coolies, or casualties amongst the cattle, when a representation is to be made to the Commanding Officer, who being satisfied as to the propriety of the application, will make the requisite demands for fresh supplies to the Head Man of the place in communication with the Revenue Servant, who by the existing Regulations, is ordered by the Collectors to accompany Troops on the march, and it will be the duty of Commanding Officers upon such occasions, to pay a proper consideration to the means, and resources of the Village, as well as to enforce in the strictest manner an adequate remuneration to the people so employed on their requisition.

The Commanding Officer of a Corps or Detachment is to be considered as the only person entitled to correspond or communicate with the Civil authorities, on the points stated in this Order.

By order of the Honorable the Vice President in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 223

Fort St. George, 26th October 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency The Commander in Chief having returned to the Presidency, the Head Quarters of the Centre Division of the Army will continue at Arcot.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 224

Fort St. George, 29th October 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that Officers of the Corps of Engineers, who may be appointed as Superintending Engineer of Divisions, or of more Stations than one, shall receive in lieu of Commission hitherto drawn on the amount of money expended under their superintendence, the following allowances in addition to the monthly pay, allowance and full batta of their respective ranks viz.

A Field Officer.....	Pagodas	200
A Captain.....	do.	120
A Subaltern.....	do.	75

The Superintending Engineer, attached to the Head Quarters of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force, and at Secundrabad will also receive a monthly salary agreeably to the rates above laid down and corresponding with their rank.

The salary of the Superintending Engineer at the Presidency Division, having been fixed by the G. O. of 9th October 1810, at Pagodas 300 per month, is not to be subject to any alteration in consequence of this Order.

The Assistant to the Superintending Engineer of the Presidency Division, if specially appointed by Government, shall receive the same allowance as Officers of the same rank acting as Superintending Engineers, in addition to the pay and half batta of his rank.

Officers of the Corps of Engineers, who may be appointed to act under a Superintending Engineer, will not be entitled to receive any allowance beyond their monthly pay and allowances, as prescribed by the Regulations, except when detached on duty, but on such occasions, the Abstracts for Field Batta, must be accompanied by a certificate from the Superintending Engineer, according to the following form:

"I do hereby certify that ——— Assistant Engineer, was detached to ——— on duty, and that his "attendance at that Station, from the 1st to the —— ultimo, was indispensably necessary."

Officers in superintendence of but one Station, will not be entitled to receive full batta, unless the Troops should be in the receipt of that allowance.

This Order to have effect from the first of this month, and no Commission is to be drawn on account of Estimates already passed, unless it shall appear when the bills of the Executive Officer, are submitted for the sanction of Government, that the Works were nearly completed at the period of the publication of this Order.

The Military Board, in laying before Government bills for Works already sanctioned, will at the same time report the progress which had been made with reference to the preceding Paragraph.

The Honorable the Governor in Council, is further pleased to publish the following Lists of Establishments to be attached to the several Superintending Engineers, and which are to have effect, from the 1st of the month, subsequent to the date of the receipt of this Order, by the parties concerned.

FORT ST. GEORGE.

CHIEF ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT.

	P.	F.	C.
1 European Head Draftsman*	40	0	0
1 Draftsman	40	0	0
1 Ditto	26	0	0
3 Ditto 12 each	36	0	0
1 Ditto	6	0	0
3 Drawing Boys, 6 each	18	0	0
1 Tracing Man	9	0	0
1 Writer	26	0	0
2 ditto 10 each	20	0	0
1 Maistry Bricklayer†	5	0	0
1 Conicopoly	15	0	0
1 ditto	4	0	0
1 Moochy	3	0	0
1 Head Peon	3	0	0
2 Peons, 2 Pagodas each	4	0	0
1 Totty	1	0	0
1 Sweeper	30	0	0

N. B.—The Chief Engineer, will be furnished with Lascars, for keeping the Fortifications of Black Town and other Public Works in order, to the extent which may be determined from time to time, by the Military Board.

* This situation may be held by a Commissioned Officer at the discretion of the Chief Engineer.

† If a Maistry Bricklayer has served ten years in the Department, he will be entitled to an addition of 1 Pagoda per month.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

	P.	F.	C.
1 Head Writer	25	0	0
1 Writer for Books, &c. connected with the Commissariat	15	0	0
2 Writers, 8 each	16	0	0
1 Draftsman	25	0	0
1 Office Conicopoly	5	0	0
1 Conicopoly for Commissariat materials	4	0	0
1 Work Yard Conicopoly	5	0	0
1 2d Work Yard Conicopoly	3	0	0
2 Office Peons	4	0	0
1 Serjeant	5	0	0
1 Head Conicopoly	15	0	0
1 Second do.	4	0	0
1 Interpreter	4	0	0
1 Head Bricklayer Maistry	5	0	0
1 Bricklayer	4	0	0
1 Head Carpenter Maistry	5	0	0
1 Carpenter	4	0	0
1 Head Smith Maistry	5	0	0
1 Smith	4	0	0
2 Moochy	4	0	0
1 ditto	3	0	0
1 Fascine Maistry	2	0	0

ESPLANADE, WATER AND SCAVENGER'S CARTS, &c.

1 Serjeant	5	0	0	
4 Carts with Bullocks, &c. complete.	7	21	0	
24 Bullocks and 12 Drivers employed with Water Carts, at 4 Pagodas and 16 Fanams for 2 Bullocks and a Driver per month, ..	52	12	0	Not to be drawn for from the 15th October to the 15th January annually.
16 Bullocks and 8 Drivers employed with Scavenger's Carts, at 4 Pagodas 16 Fanams for do.	34	38	0	
1 Head Sweeper — Employed in cleaning the Streets of the Fort.	1	22	40	
20 Sweepers at 1¼ Pags. each. — Employed in cleaning the Streets of the Fort.	25	0	0	

NORTHERN DIVISION,

MASULIPATAM.

1 Serjeant	5	0	0
1 Writer	8	0	0
1 Draftsman	15	0	0
3 Conicopolies, at 4 each	12	8	0
3 Bricklayer Maistries, at 4 each ..	12	0	0
3 Carpenter Maistries, at 4 each ..	12	0	0
2 Smith Maistries, at 4 each ..	8	0	0
2 Peons, at 1½ each	3	0	0

VIZAGAPATAM.

1 Serjeant	5	0	0
4 Boatmen, at 4 Rupees each ..	4	25	40

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

TRICHINOPOLY.

1 Serjeant	5	0	0
1 Writer	8	0	0
1 Draftsman	15	0	0
2 Conicopolies, 4 each	8	0	0
1 Bricklayer Maistry	4	0	0
1 Carpenter Maistry	4	0	0
1 Smith ditto	4	0	0
2 Peons, 1 21 0 each	3	0	0

DINDIGUL.

1 Conicopoly	4	0	0
1 Bricklayer Maistry	4	0	0

CENTRE DIVISION.

VELLORE, ARCOT, ARNEE, WALLAJAHBAD, AND CHITTOOR.

1 Draftsman	15	0	0
1 Writer	10	0	0
2 Bricklayer Maistries, at 4 each ..	8	0	0
2 Carpenters, at 4 each	8	0	0
2 Smiths, at 4 each	8	0	0
3 Peons, at 2 each	6	0	0
3 Conicopolies, at 4 each ..	12	0	0

CEDED DISTRICTS.

BELLARY AND GOOTY.

1 Draftsman	15	0	0
1 Writer	8	0	0
2 Bricklayer Maistries, at 5 each ..	10	0	0
2 Carpenter ditto ditto	10	0	0
2 Smiths ditto ditto	10	0	0
2 Conicopolies, at 4 each	8	0	0
2 Peons, at 1 21 0 each	3	0	0

MYSORE.

SERINGAPATAM.

1 Overseer	5	0	0
1 Writer	15	0	0
1 Draftsman	15	0	0
2 Conicopolies, at 4 each	8	0	0
2 Peons, at 1 21 0 each	3	0	0
1 Bricklayer Maistry	4	0	0
1 Carpenter Maistry	4	0	0
1 Smith do	4	0	0
1 2d Tindal	2	0	0
12 Lascars, at 1 34 0 each	21	3	0

BANGALORE.

1 Serjeant	5	0	0
2 Conicopolies, 4 each	8	0	0
2 Peons, 1 21 0 each	3	0	0
1 Maistry Bricklayer	4	0	0
1 do Carpenter	4	0	0
1 do Smith	4	0	0

MALABAR AND CANARA.

CANNANORE.

1 Serjeant	4	0	0
1 Draftsman	15	0	0
1 Writer	8	0	0
1 Carpenter Maistry	5	0	0
1 Bricklayer Maistry	5	0	0
1 Smith do	5	0	0
2 Conicopolies, 4 each	8	0	0
2 Peons, 1 21 0 each	3	0	0

TRAVANCORE.

1 Draftsman	15	0	0
1 Writer	10	0	0
1 Conicopoly	5	0	0
1 Bricklayer Maistry	6	6	0
1 Smith Maistry	6	6	0
1 Carpenter do	6	6	0
1 Peon	2	0	0

HYDRABAD.

1 Draftsman	15	0	0
1 Writer	10	0	0
1 Conicopoly	5	0	0
1 Peon	2	0	0
1 Bricklayer Maistry	4	0	0
1 Carpenter do	4	0	0
1 Smith do	4	0	0

JAULNAH.

1 Draftsman	15	0	0
1 Writer	10	0	0
1 Conicopoly	5	0	0
1 Peon	2	0	0
1 Bricklayer Maistry	4	0	0
1 Carpenter ditto	4	0	0
1 Smith ditto	4	0	0
1 Hammerman	2	0	0
1 Bellows Boy	30	0	

The Superintending Engineer appointed in G. O. of the 21st April 1812 to the Head Quarters of the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force, being at present employed on other duty, the establishment allowed to that Officer, is not to be entertained until he is permitted to proceed to Jaulnah, or the Head Quarters of the Force.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 225

Fort St. George, 29th October 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish the following Regulations in substitution of those notified in the General Orders by Government, under date 9th October 1810, on the subject of Appointments to the Staff, &c.

Para. 1st—No Officer, shall be eligible to hold any appointment which confers the official rank of Lieutenant Colonel, until he has been nine years in the Service.

2d—No Officer, shall be eligible to hold any appointment, which confers the official rank of Major, or any subordinate appointment on the General Staff of the Army, until he has been seven years in the Service.

3d—No Officer, shall be allowed to hold any Division, Garrison or Personal Staff Appointment (that of Aid-de-Camp excepted) until he has been five years in the Service, for three years of which period, he must actually have performed Regimental duty.

4th—No Officer shall be allowed to hold any Regimental Staff Appointment, until he has performed three years Regimental duty.

5th—No Officer shall be considered eligible to hold the appointment of Aid-de-Camp, until he has been present with his Regiment at least one year.

6th—No Officer shall be appointed to the Military Institution who has not done duty with his Corps for the period of three years, and who cannot produce a certificate from his Commanding Officer, stating that he possesses a perfect knowledge of Regimental duties, a competent knowledge of the Hindoostannee Language, and that his general character and conduct, have been such as to render him deserving of such a mark of favor and indulgence.

7th—The Commander in Chief, on being satisfied on these points, will have the power of appointing Officers, to the number of twenty to prosecute their studies at the Military Institution, for a term not exceeding two years; but they will be liable to be returned to their Corps within that period, if any misconduct on their part, should suggest to the Commander in Chief, the necessity of such a measure. In the event of their Corps being employed upon actual service during the term of their studies, they will be indulged with permission to join them, provided their conduct should have been always correct and satisfactory.

8th—No Officer, who has been admitted into the Military Institution, will be allowed the option of withdrawing from it, at any period within the term fixed for the completion of his studies, excepting only in cases of sickness or other emergency; nor will any Officer during the prescribed period of study, be eligible to any Staff Appointment whatever, as his premature removal must defeat the object, for which he was admitted to enjoy the benefits of the Institution, to the exclusion of other applicants for that distinction.

9th—No extra allowances shall be granted to Officers of the Military Institution, during their studies at the Presidency; but when it may be necessary for the Superintendent, to carry them to a distance for the purpose of teaching them Practical Surveying, they will be permitted to draw allowances to the same extent, which have been fixed for the 3d Class of the Officers, attached to the Department of the Quarter Master General of the Army, and which shall be inclusive of all extra charges during the time of their absence.

10th—The above Regulations, are not to operate to the prejudice of any existing Appointments.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 226

Fort St. George, 29th October 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant A. Anderson of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion vice Griffenhoofe.

Captain J. Dymock of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Major of Brigade and Superintendent of the Intelligence Department, with the Field Force under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse, from the 7th instant, vice West.

The following promotions and corrections of rank will take place.

4th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieutenant George Moore to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant James Jobson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Andrew Sibbald to be Lieutenant, in succession to Duggan deceased, date of commissions 12th April 1813.

3d Regiment N. I.

Ensign George Dods to be Lieutenant, vice Taylor, transferred to the Civil Service; date of commission 15th September 1813.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon George Anderson having reported his return to Cannanore, on the 12th instant, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank on the Establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 227

Fort St. George, 2d November 1813.

G. O. By Government:

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased, under date the 27th of October 1812, to resolve that all articles of Military Appointment, commissioned by the Officers of any Corps for their own use should be exempted from the payment of duties, the following List of Articles, to which that indulgence extends, is published for general information, viz.

Sashes and Gorgets.
Swords and Sword Knots.
Belts, Hats, Caps and Helmets.
Lace Epaulettes and Buttons.
Horse Appointments and Furniture for Officers of Cavalry and for the Field Officers and Regimental Staff of Infantry.
Leather Breeches and Boots for Cavalry Officers.
Made up Uniforms of every description.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 228

Fort St. George, 2d November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council, is pleased, at the recommendation of the Commander in Chief, to transfer the Madras Veterinary Establishment from the Presidency to Arcot, from the 1st of November 1813, and to establish the following Regulations for it's future conduct.

1st—That the Veterinary Establishment at Arcot be placed under the immediate orders and directions of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and that (58) Fifty-Eight Boys be placed upon the Establishment for the purpose of being educated, and instructed as Farriers, and who ultimately will be posted to the Horse Artillery, Body Guard and Regiments of Cavalry, with the same rank and pay, as Farriers of Dragoons.

That Mr. Veterinary Surgeon Erratt be appointed Superintendent of the Veterinary Establishment at Arcot, and that his pay and allowances be fixed as follows:

Subsistence	per month	45 Pagodas.
Half Batta	do.	as Cornet.
Gratuity	do.	do.
Horse Allowance	do.	24 Pagodas.
House Rent	do.	12 do. with

a consolidated allowance of 60 Pagodas per month for providing Tools, Instruments, Forges, Pucksallies, and all-et-ceteras which may be required in conducting the establishment, exclusively of the clothing, subsistence, and lodging of the Boys.

3d—The Boys to be educated at the Veterinary Establishment, are to be enlisted for the Service of the Cavalry, and His Excellency the Commander in Chief is requested to place them on the strength of Regiments as Supernumeraries, but until they are ready to join, they must be returned "Absent on command" attached to the Veterinary Establishment."

4th—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to fix the pay of the Boys upon the Veterinary Establishment, until they join their Corps, at (4) Four Pagodas each per month, from which allowance is to be provided their Messing and such proportion of necessaries as the Commander in Chief may think fit to establish.

5th—Each Boy to be provided annually at the expense of Government with

One Uniform Jacket.
One Watering Cap.

6th—A Barrack will be provided for the accommodation of the Boys, and each will be allowed a Cot, and the same allowance of Barrack Furniture as a European Soldier.

7th—The Honorable the Governor in Council, is also pleased to authorize the following Non-Commissioned to be attached to the Veterinary Establishment.

One Farrier Major, upon the pay of a Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries, and the staff pay of (4) Four Pagodas per month.

One Serjeant upon the pay of a Serjeant, of Effective Supernumeraries.

8th—The Honorable the Governor in Council, is also pleased to direct, that, the Superintendent of the Veterinary Establishment shall have medical superintendence of all the Regimental Horses of Regiments of Cavalry at Arcot, when such Regiments are unprovided with Veterinary Surgeons, and that his allowance for such medical attendance shall be regulated by the General Orders of the 19th of June 1807.

9th—It being also desirable for the benefit of the Boys of the institution, that the Shoeing of Horses of such Regiments as are placed under the medical superintendence of the Surgeon of the Veterinary Establishment, should be also superintended by him, The Honorable the Governor in Council, is pleased to charge the Superintendent with that duty, and to direct, that he be provided with Shoes, and Nails, for the purpose, by Officers Commanding Troops, from their contract allowance.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 229

Fort St. George, 2d November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Captain F. P. Stewart of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be a Deputy Judge Advocate, vice Burn.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 230

FORT ST. GEORGE, *5th November* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant P. Fraser of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, doing duty with the Madras Volunteer Battalion, to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Ensign A. M'Clelland of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, that Officer's name is struck off the List of the Army from the 25th March 1810, the date of his decease.

The promotion of Ensign M'Clelland to the rank of Lieutenant, published in General Orders of the 24th September, is cancelled, and the following promotion will take place.

9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Christopher Bagot to be Lieutenant, in succession to Griffenhoofe promoted, date of commission 18th September 1813.

First Dresser Thomas Gray is promoted to the rank of Sub Assistant Surgeon, and appointed to do duty under the Staff Surgeon at Secunderabad, vice Sampson deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 231

FORT ST. GEORGE, *9th November* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant T. W. Edwards of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Black of the Horse Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence until the 31st of January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 232

FORT ST. GEORGE, *12th November* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant W. Scott of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

The leave of absence, granted in General Orders of the 30th of July last, to Lieutenant Wheeler of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended for a further period, terminating on the 31st of January 1814.

The following removals in the Ordnance Department are ordered to take place.

Mr. Deputy Commissary Stanhope from Vellore to the Arsenal of Fort St. George.

Mr. Commissary Penn from St. Thomas's Mount to Vellore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies?)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 233

Fort St. George, 16th *November* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council publishes for general information at this Presidency, the following Copy of a General Order published by the Governor General in Council at Fort William.

GENERAL ORDERS by the RIGHT HONORABLE the GOVERNOR GENERAL in COUNCIL:

Fort William, *4th October* 1813.

Extract of the Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council in the Public Department, 4th October 1813.

The Right Honorable Francis Earl of Moira being arrived, the Commission of Government from the Honorable the Court of Directors bearing date the 19th March 1813, appointing His Lordship to be Governor General of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal; Sir George Nugent, Bart. K. B. to be Second Member of Council; N. B. Edmonstone, Esq. to be Third Member of Council, and A. Seton, Esq. to be Fourth Member of Council at the said Presidency, is read.

The usual oaths having been administered to the Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, he takes his seat as Governor General under the usual salute from the ramparts of Fort William.

The separate Commissions appointing the Earl of Moira to be Commander in Chief of the Fort and Garrison of Fort William and of the Town of Calcutta, and Commander in Chief of all the Company's Forces in the East Indies, and the Commission appointing Sir George Nugent to be Commander of all the Company's Forces on the Bengal Establishment, are also read.

Ordered that the following Proclamation be issued and that the usual Guard be ordered to attend the Sheriff on the occasion of proclaiming the new Government.

PROCLAMATION.

Whereas the Right Honorable Francis Earl of Moira, and Baron Rawdon, Baron Hastings, Hungerford, Botreaux, Moleyns and Moels, a General of His Majesty's Forces, Constable of the Tower of London, Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the Tower District, one of His Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, and Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, hath been appointed by the Honorable the Court of Directors to be Governor General of Fort William in Bengal, and Commander in Chief of all the Forces of the Honorable the East India Company in the East Indies; and whereas Lieutenant General Sir George Nugent, Bart. and Knight of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, hath been appointed to be Commander of all the Company's Forces on the Bengal Establishment, and one of the Counsellors of Fort William aforesaid, and Neil Benjamin Edmonstone and Archibald Seton, Esquires, have been appointed Counsellors of the said Presidency; It is therefore hereby proclaimed that The Right Honorable Francis Earl of Moira has, on the day of the date hereof, received charge of the said Office of Governor General and taken the usual oaths and his seat accordingly, and that Sir George Nugent, Neil Benjamin Edmonstone and Archibald Seton, Esquires, have respectively taken their seats at the Board as Counsellors of the said Presidency.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council,

(Signed) G. DOWDESWELL,

Chief Sec. to Govt

Fort William, *the 4th October* 1813.

THE UNITED COMPANY of MERCHANTS of ENGLAND TRADING to the EAST INDIES.

To all whom these presents shall come, Greeting, know ye, that we the said United Company reposing especial trust and confidence in the fidelity, prudence, justice and circumspection of The Right Honorable Francis Earl of Moira, and Baron Rawdon in Ireland, Baron Hastings, Hungerford, Botreaux, Moleyns, &c. &c. &c. and Baronet, a General of His Majesty's Forces, Constable of the Tower of London, Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the Tower District, one of His Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, and Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter: Have nominated, made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do nominate, make, constitute and appoint him, the said Francis Earl of Moira upon, from and immediately after his arrival at Fort William in Bengal, or at any other of our Presidencies in the East Indies, to be Governor General of our Presidency of Fort William in the Bay of Bengal, and of all the Towns and Territories thereunto belonging, and of all and singular the Forts, Factories and Settlements, Lands, Territories, Countries and Jurisdictions belonging to us within the Subaship of Bengal, and of, and for all our affairs whatsoever in the Bay of Bengal and other the Places and Provinces thereunto belonging in the East Indies, together with all and every the powers and authorities committed and given to the Governor General of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal for the time being, by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in force, to take upon him, hold and enjoy the said Office upon and from and immediately after the arrival of the said Francis Earl of Moira at Fort William aforesaid, or at

any other of our Presidencies in the East Indies and from thence to continue in the exercise of the said Office during the pleasure of us, the said United Company and of our Court of Directors and until the contrary thereof shall be signified under the seal of us the said United Company, or under the hands of thirteen or more of the Court of Directors of us, the said United Company for the time being; but subject nevertheless to such removal and recal, as in any Act of Parliament now in force is mentioned, and we do hereby authorize, empower and require the said Francis Earl of Moira to execute and perform all and every the powers and authorities to the said Office of Governor General appertaining, by and under the orders and directions in writing of the Court of Directors of us the said United Company for the time being, or any thirteen or more of them, under their hands and under the orders and directions of such other persons, as by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in force are empowered to give any orders to the Servants in India of us the said United Company in certain cases, in and to the end that the said Francis Earl of Moira may be better enabled to order and manage all the said affairs of us the said United Company We do by these presents constitute and ordain Lieutenant General Sir George Nugent, Baronet, and Knight of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, the Commander of all our Military Forces on the Bengal Establishment in the East Indies, and Neil Benjamin Edmonstone, Esquire, and Archibald Seton, Esquire, two of our Senior Merchants who have resided upwards of twelve years in India in our Service, three of the Counsellors of the said Presidency of Fort William in Bengal already appointed, to be and continue Counsellors of the said Presidency for governing and managing all the affairs of us the said United Company in Bengal and the Places and Provinces belonging to us as aforesaid, and we do hereby give and grant unto our said Governor General Francis Earl of Moira, to our Council aforenamed or the major part of them (the whole Council being duly summoned), and to the said Francis Earl of Moira, alone, in certain cases and under certain circumstances mentioned in any Act or Acts of Parliament now in force, full power and authority from time to time to rule and govern all and every our Factors and Servants under the said Presidency and all the Soldiers and Inhabitants of our said Fort William and all the Towns and Territories, thereunto belonging, and all and singular the Forts, Factories and Settlements, Lands, Territories, Countries, and Jurisdictions belonging to us within the Subaship of Bengal, and also at our other Presidencies in India in all cases mentioned in any Act or Acts of Parliament whereby a superintending and controlling power over such Presidencies is given to the said Governor General and Council of Fort William in Bengal, and we do hereby authorize and empower our said Governor General and Council to administer lawful oaths as occasion shall require, and do and perform all such other acts and things and to use and exercise all such other powers and authorities as the said Governor General and his Council in the several and respective places where we the said United Company have, or shall have Factors or any places of Trade are authorized to do according to such instructions and directions as he the said Francis Earl of Moira our said Governor General and the Council aforesaid shall from time to time receive under the hands of thirteen or more of the Court of Directors of us the said United Company, for the time being, and from such other person or persons, as by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in force, are empowered to give orders to the Servants in India of us the said United Company in certain cases in such Act or Acts mentioned, and we the said United Company do hereby order and require all our Factors, Servants, Officers and Soldiers, within the limits of the said Presidency of Fort William in Bengal and all the People and Inhabitants of our said Fort William, and all the Towns and Territories thereunto belonging and also our Governors and Councils at our other Presidencies, in all such cases in which the said Governor General and Council have any superintending and controlling power over them, to conform, submit and yield due obedience unto him, the said Francis Earl of Moira, our said Governor General and his Council accordingly, and we do hereby revoke, repeal, annul, and make void all, and every former Commission or Commissions, Appointments and Authorities, absolute or provisional, given, granted or made, whereby or by virtue whereof, any other person or persons was or were constituted and appointed, or have, or shall become Governor General or Council of Fort William aforesaid, such revocation to take effect from the time when the said Francis Earl of Moira shall take upon him the said Office of Governor General, under, or by virtue of these presents. Given under our common seal this nineteenth day of March in the 53d Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, and so forth, and in the Year of our Lord 1813.

Signed by order of the Court of Directors of the East India Company.

(L. S.)

(Signed) JAMES COBB,
Assistant Secretary.

THE UNITED COMPANY OF MERCHANTS OF ENGLAND TRADING TO THE EAST INDIES.

We the said United Company reposing especial trust and confidence in the Right Honorable Francis Earl of Moira, and Baron Rawdon in Ireland, Baron Hastings, Hungerford, Botreaux, Moleyns, &c. &c. &c. and Baronet, a General of His Majesty's Forces, Constable of the Tower of London, Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the Tower District, one of His Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, and Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, who is appointed to the Office of Governor General of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, and to the Office of Governor and Commander in Chief of our Fort and Garrison of Fort William aforesaid, do by these presents constitute and appoint him the said Francis Earl of Moira, to be Commander in Chief of all our Military Forces which now are, or may hereafter be employed in the East Indies, which Office of Commander in Chief as aforesaid, the said Francis Earl of Moira is to take upon him, hold and enjoy, upon and from the arrival of the said Francis Earl of Moira at Fort William aforesaid, or at any other of our Presidencies in the East Indies, to hold the said Office during our will and pleasure, and we do hereby authorize, empower and require him, the said Francis Earl of Moira, as Commander in Chief, as aforesaid, to the utmost of his skill and power to do and perform all such offices and services, as appertain to the Post of Commander in Chief of all our Military Forces in the East Indies, subject to such removal or recal as can or may be made by any law now in force and subject also to all such rules, orders and instructions, as he shall from time to time receive from the Court of Directors, of us the said United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies in writing, or under the hands of thirteen or more of them, or from the

Governor General in Council of our Presidency at Fort William in Bengal, or from our Presidents and Councils of Fort Saint George and Bombay respectively, whensoever he shall be present at any of those Presidencies, or at any Settlements or Places subordinate thereto, according to the rules and discipline of war in pursuance of the trust hereby reposed in him, and we do hereby strictly charge and command all Commission Officers, Non-Commission Officers, Soldiers, and others belonging to our Military Forces in the several places before mentioned, to yield him, the said Francis Earl of Moira, as their Commander in Chief, during his residence at such places as aforesaid, due obedience accordingly, and we do hereby revoke and annul all and every Commission and Commissions to any person or persons whomsoever to act as Commander in Chief of our Forces in the East Indies from the time that the said Francis Earl of Moira shall take upon him the said Office of Commander in Chief, under or by virtue of these presents. Given under our common seal this nineteenth day of March in the fifty-third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith and so forth, and in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

Signed by order of the Court of Directors of the East India Company. } (L. S.)

(Signed) JAMES COBB,
Assistant Secretary.

THE UNITED COMPANY OF MERCHANTS OF ENGLAND TRADING TO THE EAST INDIES.

We the said United Company reposing especial trust and confidence in the Right Honorable Francis Earl of Moira, and Baron Rawdon in Ireland, Baron Hastings, Hungerford, Botreaux, Moleyns, &c. &c. &c. and Baronet, a General of His Majesty's Forces, Constable of the Tower of London, Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the Tower District, one of His Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, and Knight of the Most Honorable Order of the Garter, appointed to the Office of Governor General of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, to take effect upon, and from his arrival at Fort William aforesaid, or at any other of our Presidencies in the East Indies, do by these presents, constitute and appoint him, the said Francis Earl of Moira, to be our Governor and Commander in Chief of our Fort and Garrison of Fort William in Bengal, and of the Town of Calcutta and of all the Forces which now are, or hereafter shall be employed for the service of the said United Company within the said Fort, Garrison and Town, to take upon him, hold and enjoy the said Offices of Governor and Commander in Chief of the said Fort, Garrison, and Town, upon and from his arrival at Fort William aforesaid, or at any other of our Presidencies in the East Indies, and we do hereby authorize, empower and require him the said Francis Earl of Moira, as Governor and Commander in Chief of the said Fort, Garrison and Town as aforesaid, to the utmost of his skill and power to do and perform all such offices and services as appertain to the Post of Governor and Commander in Chief as aforesaid, and to continue in the exercise of the same during our pleasure, subject nevertheless to such removal or recal as can or may be made by any law now in force, and subject also to all such rules, orders and instructions as he shall at any time receive in writing from the Court of Directors of us the said United Company, or under the hands of thirteen or more of them, or from the Governor General and Council of Fort William aforesaid, and we do hereby strictly require, charge and command all Commission Officers, Soldiers, and others belonging to our Military Forces, and all the People and Inhabitants employed or residing in our said Fort, Garrison and Town, to yield him the said Francis Earl of Moira, as Governor and Commander in Chief, as aforesaid, due obedience accordingly, and we do hereby revoke and annul all and every former Commission and Commissions to any person or persons whomsoever to act as Governor and Commander of the Fort and Garrison of Fort William and Town of Calcutta from the time that the said Francis Earl of Moira shall take upon him the said Office of Governor and Commander of the Fort and Garrison and Town aforesaid. Given under our common seal this nineteenth day of March in the fifty-third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith and so forth, and in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

Signed by order of the Court of Directors of the East India Company. } (L. S.)

(Signed) JAMES COBB,
Assistant Secretary.

THE UNITED COMPANY OF MERCHANTS OF ENGLAND TRADING TO THE EAST INDIES.

We the said United Company reposing especial trust and confidence in you, Lieutenant General Sir George Nugent, Baronet, and Knight of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, do by these presents, constitute and appoint you to be Commander of all our Military Forces on the Bengal Establishment, in the East Indies (except such Forces as are, or hereafter may be employed within our Fort and Garrison of Fort William and Town of Calcutta) during our will and pleasure, and to hold and take the said Office unto and upon you, from and immediately after the arrival of General the Earl of Moira at Fort William in Bengal, or at any other of our Presidencies in the East Indies and his taking upon him the Office of Commander in Chief of all our Military Forces in the East Indies, and you are to the utmost of your skill and power to do and perform all such offices and services as appertain to the Post of Commander of our Military Forces on the Bengal Establishment, subject however to all such rules, orders and instructions as you shall at any time receive from the Court of Directors of the said United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies in writing, or under the hands of thirteen or more of them, or from the Governor General in Council of Fort William, or from the Commander in Chief of all our Forces in the East Indies for the time being, according to the rules and discipline of war in pursuance of the trust hereby reposed in you, and we do hereby strictly require, charge and command all Commission Officers, Non-Commission Officers and Soldiers and others belonging to our Military Force on the Bengal Establishment before mentioned, except as aforesaid, to yield you as their Commander, due obedience accordingly. Given under our common seal this nineteenth day of March in the fifty-third year of the Reign of our

Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, and so forth, and in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

Signed by order of the Court of Directors of the said United Company.

(L. S.)

(Signed) JAMES COBB,
Assistant Secretary.

Ordered that the above Proclamation, the Commission of Government and the other Commissions above noticed, be formally read at the head of the Troops in Fort William, under a salute of nineteen guns, and three vollies of small arms.

Ordered likewise, that the abovementioned Proclamation, and Commissions be read, with the usual ceremonies, at the head of the Troops in the different Garrisons and at the several Military Stations of the Army.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Resolutions, together with a Copy of the Proclamation, and Copies of the Commissions above noticed, be sent to the Military Department, that the necessary orders may be issued from that Department.

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) G. DOWDESWELL,
CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.
(Signed) C. W. GARDINER,
SEC TO GOVT. MIL. DEPT.

(A true copy.)
(Signed) C. W. GARDINER,
SEC. TO GOVT. MIL. DEPT.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true Copy.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 234

Fort St. George, 16th *November* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant John Riddell of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be temporary Assistant to the Instructor of the Military Institution during the ensuing field practice of the Gentlemen belonging to that establishment.

Sub-Assistant Commissary General Captain A. Grant to be a Deputy Assistant Commissary General, vice Swinton, deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 235 ~~236~~

Fort St. George, 16th *November* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Mairis of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant and Adjutant W. D. Baillie of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Lieutenant H. Wright of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation at Bombay.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. ~~237~~ 236

Fort St. George, 19th *November* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Trapaud, Superintending Engineer in the Ceded Districts, will place himself under the orders of Major General Taylor, Commanding the Force, now under orders for Field Service; and Lieutenant Mackintosh, Superintending Engineer in the Centre Division, is directed to proceed forthwith to the Ceded Districts, and to place himself under the orders of the same Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. ~~238~~ 237

Fort St. George, 19th *November* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders of the 13th of April last to Lieutenant Rand of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been extended for a further period terminating on the 20th of January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N.º 240
239 Fort St. George, 23d November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Scott of the Artillery, having reported his return to India, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank from the 12th of October 1813; the date of his arrival at Cannanore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N.º 239
238 Fort St. George, 23d November 1813.

G.º O. By Government.

With reference to the G. O. by Government of the 19th March 1805, relative to the destruction of Pariah Dogs; the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Paymasters of Stations shall discharge bills without previous reference on the present prescribed vouchers, and enter them in the public accounts, subject to the usual check of the Office of Audit.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N.º 244
243 Fort St. George, 26th November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Captain E. W. Snow of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command the 1st Battalion of Pioneers, vice Hughes deceased.

Lieutenant Mills of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, to act as Aid-de-Camp to the Honorable the Governor, during the absence of Cornet Barlow.

Lieutenant R. Parker of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Brigade Major to the Regular Force of His Highness the Soobahdar of the Deccan.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N.º 243
242 Fort St. George, 26th November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize a Store or Park Serjeant to be attached to the Department of the Commissary of Stores at Trichinopoly, in addition to the establishment as detailed in the Code of Ordnance Regulations, published on the 25th May 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N.º 245
244 Fort St. George, 26th November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to permit Lieutenant J. A. Say of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, to resign his appointment of Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps, or Trichinopoly Light Infantry, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N.º 247
246 Fort St. George, 30th November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Bowness of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe, on furlough for three years,

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

18th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Henry Wynne Poole to be Lieutenant, vice Swinton deceased; date of commission 3d November 1813.

4th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Charles St. John Grant to be Lieutenant, vice Scott resigned; date of commission 13th November 1813.

24th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieutenant Joseph Nixon to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. Stone to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Richard Taylor to be Lieutenant, in succession to Hughes deceased; date of commissions 20th November 1813.

Major Keates of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation.

Ensign Bell of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

Major Foulis of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry, having returned to India, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

The leave of absence, to proceed to the Isle of France, granted in General Orders of the 20th of April last, to Ensign Harrison of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended until the 1st of January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. ~~246~~ 245

Fort St. George, 30*th November* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to extend to Adjutants of His Majesty's Regiments, the indulgence granted under General Orders of the 4th October 1806, to Adjutants of Corps in the Honorable Company's Service, allowing an annual supply of Stationary to be issued to those Officers from the Public Stores at prime cost, upon regular indents, countersigned by the Military Board. The supply to be indented for, will be the same as that detailed in the above Orders, and will commence from the 1st January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. ~~247~~ 246

Fort St. George, 30*th November* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having judged it expedient, to revise the establishment of Commissioned Officers for a Battalion of Pioneers of eight Companies, as fixed in General Orders under date the 12th October 1810; His Excellency in Council is pleased to direct, that the number of European Commissioned Officers attached to each Battalion of Pioneers, shall be in future, as follows:—

Two Captains,
Six Subalterns, and One Assistant Surgeon.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. ~~250~~ 249

Fort St. George, 3*d December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments, to have effect from the 1st of January 1814.

Lieutenant James Clemons to be Adjutant to the 1st Native Veteran Battalion.

Mr. Conductor John Green to be Adjutant to the 2d Native Veteran Battalion.

Serjeant Samuel Lewis to be Adjutant to the 3d Native Veteran Battalion.

Mr. Conductor Thomas Wilson to be Adjutant to the 4th Native Veteran Battalion.

Serjeant George Buttery to be a Conductor of Ordnance, vice Wilson.

The Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant George Paterson of the Madras European Regiment, to be Quarter Master of Brigade in the Ceded Districts from the 2d of March 1813, vice Jackson.

The following report from the Committee appointed for the examination of Officers in the Hindoostanee language, is published for the information of the Army.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
The Honorable J. ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 19th ultimo, and conformably with the instructions which it conveys, to

report the result of our examination of the proficiency made in the Hindoostanee language, by Lieutenant Hockley of the 2d Battalion of Artillery.

In his translations both from Hindoostanee into English, and from English into Hindoostanee, Lieutenant Hockley was eminently successful; and the readiness with which these exercises were performed, affords a satisfactory proof of his proficiency. We could have wished, however, that his Hindoostanee exercise had been written in a neater hand.

Lieutenant Hockley's pronunciation appears to us to be sufficiently correct; and he reads and converses with great facility.

We have therefore much satisfaction in recommending that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow upon Lieutenant Hockley the usual honorary reward.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 16*th November* 1813.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,
(Signed) J. LEITH,
R. B. OTTO,
W. OLIVER.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in conferring the honorary reward for the attainment of the Hindoostanee Language on Lieutenant Hockley of the 2d Battalion of Artillery.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 348

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3*d December* 1813.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following Extracts of Letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Letter dated 7th May 1813.

2d. "We have resolved that the appointments of General Officers on the Staff, that is to say, General "Officers to command certain Divisions of the Army, shall in future be filled up, either from Officers "in Europe or in India, according to their abilities, and length of service. All appointments therefore of "this description made in India, after the receipt of this Letter must be considered as temporary until our "pleasure shall be known thereon."

3d. "Lieutenant Colonel Jeremiah Simons of your Establishment, having stated to us the peculiar "circumstances under which he was obliged to proceed to China in the year 1810, on account of his "health, instead of coming direct to Europe, agreeably to the permission he had obtained from your "Government for that purpose; and having requested that we would allow his leave of absence to commence "from the date of his leaving China which was on the first of April 1811, we have thought proper in "consequence of what Lieutenant Colonel Simons has stated to us, to comply with his request."

4th. "Lieutenant Colonel Simons returns to his duty by the ship Devonshire."

6th. "We have likewise permitted Lieutenant Chavasse to return to his duty, and have granted him the sum of one hundred and forty Pounds to defray the expense of his passage to India."

8th. "Lieutenant Erskine returns to his duty by the ship and we have allowed him the "sum of £. 125 being the passage money of his rank."

23d. "We have permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to their rank on your Establishment."

"Major Thomas Little
"Major David Foulis
"Lieutenant James Clemons."

24th. "The undermentioned Officers on your Establishment have our permission to remain in England, viz.

"Captain Patrick Wood, 'till first ships of next season."
"Captain Johnson Napier, another year.

25th. "Mr. William Scot an Assistant Surgeon on your Establishment, and who came home on duty on board the Java frigate, has our permission to remain another year in England."

26th. "We have appointed the undermentioned persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency, viz.

"James Stephenson
"Isaac Stone
"James Richmond."

Letter dated 21st May 1813.

3d. "Lieutenant Colonel H. Nash of your Establishment, retired from the Company's Service (with "our permission) from the 5th May 1813."

4th. "Captain John Edmonds of your Establishment, has our permission to remain in England, till "the departure of the first ships of next season."

5th. "Lieutenant Henry Parker of your Establishment, resigned the Company's Service (with our "permission) from the 23d March 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 241

240 Fort St. George, 25th November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 242

241 Fort St. George, 26th November 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following copy of a report from the Committee appointed for the examination of Military Students in the Hindoostanee language, and has much satisfaction in conferring the honorary reward established for the attainment of that language, on

Lieutenant Poggenpohl of the Horse Artillery, and on
Lieutenant A. Gordon of the Madras European Regiment.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
The Honorable J. ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

Honorable Sir,

In obedience to the orders conveyed to us in the two letters from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department dated the 16th instant, we have the honor to report the result of our examination of the proficiency made in the Hindoostanee language by Lieutenant Poggenpohl of the Horse Artillery and by Lieutenant A. Gordon of the Madras European Regiment.

In our examination of these Gentlemen, we pursued the usual course, and we are gratified in being enabled to state that the result is satisfactory.

Lieutenant Poggenpohl in his translation into English, has failed to express correctly the sense of two or three words, which however are not of frequent occurrence; with these exceptions, which are obviously of trifling importance, this exercise is performed with sufficient accuracy. His Hindoostanee exercise also is correctly executed and displays a considerable knowledge of the idiom of the language.

Lieutenant Poggenpohl converses with great fluency; and we observed with satisfaction the attention which he appears to have given to this important acquirement.

Lieutenant Gordon also in his translation from Hindoostanee, appears not to have clearly understood the sense of a few words, but in other respects, this exercise is very correctly executed.—The accuracy of his Hindoostanee exercise, both as regards the expression and the idiom, leaves us little to desire from him on these points; and he converses with sufficient fluency.

With these brief observations, we have much satisfaction in recommending, that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow on Lieutenant Poggenpohl and on Lieutenant Gordon the usual honorary reward.

Fort St. George,
23d November 1813.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants.
(Signed) J. LEITH,
P. VANS AGNEW,
R. OTTO,
W. OLIVER.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 251

Fort St. George, 3d *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to approve of a new Code of revised Regulations for the conduct of the Department of Buildings and Repairs, directs that these Regulations shall be strictly attended to, and that Copies be distributed, under the Orders of the Military Board, to Officers Commanding Divisions and Stations and to the Heads of Departments.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 252

Fort St. George, 7th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The extent and responsibility of the charge of the Stores and Arsenal of Fort St. George, and the importance which attaches, and exclusive attention necessary to the correct performance of that trust, requiting that the Commissary of Stores in charge of the Arsenal, should be relieved from the duty of superintending and inspecting the Ordnance on the Works, which at present belongs to him as the Senior Officer of Artillery at the Presidency station: The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to determine, that the charge of the Guns on the Fortifications and in the Batteries of the Fort and Black Town, and of the Expense Magazines belonging to them, together with the Command of the Detachment of Artillery doing duty at Fort St. George, shall be vested in an Officer of experience, to be specially selected for that purpose from the Corps of Artillery, whose authority will be entirely independent of the Commissary of Stores, and who will be held strictly and exclusively responsible for the conduct of the department committed to his care.

The Officer appointed to the discharge of this important duty, will be authorized to draw the full batta of his rank, and in lieu of the Detail from the fixed establishment of the Arsenal, which the Ordnance Regulations have placed under the immediate orders of the Commanding Officer of Artillery in Fort St. George "to assist him in the charge of the Ordnance on the Works and Expense Magazines," but which cannot without detriment to the Public Service be spared from the duties peculiar to the Arsenal, a further Detail of Gun Lascars will, if necessary, be brought down from St. Thomas's Mount and added to the Detachment already doing duty at the Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 253

Fort St. George, 7th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Sub Assistant Commissary General Captain Hume Mackenzie is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 254

Fort St. George, 10th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

Senior Major of Infantry J. R. Vernon from the 6th Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Nash retired; date of commission 6th May 1813.

6th Regiment N. I.

Captain John Moodie to be Major, Captain Lieutenant P. King to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Thomas Chambers to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign H. Salmon to be Lieutenant, in succession to Vernon promoted; date of commissions 6th May 1813.

13th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant R. M'Leod to take rank from 24th March 1813.
Lieutenant S. A. Rose do do 11th May 1813.
Ensign W. N. Pace to be Lieutenant, date of commission 9th June 1813.

Senior Major of Infantry James Colebrooke from the 8th Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Richardson deceased; date of commission 7th May 1813.

8th Regiment N. I.

Captain T. A. S. Ahmuty to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Robert Honie to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant A. M'Laren to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Robert Shedden to be Lieutenant, in succession to Colebrooke promoted; date of commissions 7th May 1813.

Senior Major of Infantry J. P. Keasberry from the 9th Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice M'Donell invalided; date of commission 11th September 1813.

9th Regiment N. I.

Captain J. C. Stokoe to be Major, Captain Lieutenant J. Bell to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. Griffenhoofe to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign C. Bagot to be Lieutenant, in succession to Keasberry promoted; date of commissions 14th September 1813.

Senior Major of Infantry Broughton Dod from the 14th Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice M'Cally invalided; date of commission 18th September 1813.

14th Regiment N. I.

Captain James Ives to be Major, Captain Lieutenant R. G. Wilson to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. Ward to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign G. Birch to be Lieutenant, in succession to Dod promoted; date of commissions 18th September 1813.

11th Regiment N. I.

Ensign W. Tait to be Lieutenant, vice Smyth deceased; date of commission 24th November 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

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No. 255

G. O. By Government.

Fort St. George, 10th December 1813.

Captain George Moor of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid Establishment, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Charles Mitchell of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Ceylon on leave of absence for three months, from the date of his departure from Masulipatam.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

255

No. 256

G. O. By Government.

Fort St. George, 13th December 1813.

Lieutenant Fenoulhet of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Chambers of the Pension Establishment, is permitted to proceed to Ceylon on his private affairs, and to be absent until the 31st of May 1814.

Mr. James Richmond is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Lieutenant Cecil of the Madras European Regiment, is transferred to the Invalid Establishment, in compliance with his request.

Mr. Daniel Carlier, Conductor of Ordnance, is transferred to the Invalid Establishment, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

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No. 257

G. O. By Government.

Fort St. George, 13th December 1813.

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

Lieutenant James Boyne of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Quarter Master, vice Parker.

Serjeant Major H. Barrs of the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard, to be a Conductor of Ordnance, vice Mather.

Sub Conductor G. Spencer to act as a Conductor of Ordnance, vice Carlier.

Serjeant A. French of Effective Supernumeraries, to be a Conductor of Ordnance, and attached to the Office of the Adjutant General of the Army, vice Green—this appointment to have effect from the 1st of January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

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No. 257

G. O. By Government.

Fort St. George, 17th December 1813.

Mr. William Colhoun is appointed Staff Surgeon to the Force in Travancore.

Lieutenant Pickering of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence until the 15th of March 1814, for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

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N°. 259

Fort St. George, 22d *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Henry Fullerton, to be Superintending Engineer in the Ceded Districts, vice Trapaud deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

259

N°. 260

Fort St. George, 24th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having had under his consideration the inconvenience, to which Staff Officers are subjected under a recent modification of the Regulations concerning the allowance for Pukhalies in the Field, which restricts that accommodation to occasions of actual service;—His Excellency in Council is pleased to cancel the expression "*on actual service*" in paragraph 7th of the head Pukhalies in Section XVI, of the new Code of Pay Regulations.

Pukhalies are allowed to General and Staff Officers in all situations of duty in the Field, after the proportions specified in the beforementioned 7th paragraph, page 330 of the new Code.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

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N°. 261

Fort St. George, 24th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon Thomas Dickson is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant Isacke of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to remain in Bengal for the purpose of studying the Native Languages in the College of Fort William.

Lieutenant Hadaway is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Captain James Smith of the 12th Regiment Native Infantry, having been appointed to do duty with the Troops at Fort Cornwallis, is placed under the orders of the Honorable the Governor in Council of Prince of Wales' Island, so long as his services shall be required at that Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

261

N°. 262

Fort St. George, 24th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

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

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

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N°. 263

Fort St. George, 28th *December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher, Commanding at Wallajahbad, is permitted to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence from the 1st to the 31st of January 1814.

Lieutenant D. Ross of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe, on sick certificate.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders dated the 10th of August last, to Lieutenant Watson, Assistant under the Secretary to the Military Board, is extended; and that Officer is permitted to remain in Mysore until the 1st of February 1814.

Mr Conductor George King is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

Mr. Charles Mosa is appointed Examiner of Grants, under the orders of the Secretary to the Military Board, vice Serjeant Buttery, promoted to the rank of Conductor.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°2

Fort St. George, *4th January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Gurnell of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

The leave granted by the Honorable the Lieutenant Governor in Council at Batavia, to Lieutenant Fireworker William Aston of the Artillery, to proceed to Europe on sick certificate, is confirmed.

The leave to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation at the Isle of Java, granted in General Orders of the 25th of May 1813, to Lieutenant Hanson of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is cancelled in compliance with that Officer's request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°1

Fort St. George, *4th January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to confirm, from their respective dates, the following appointments made under the authority of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, by Major General Taylor, Commanding the Field Force assembled in the Ceded Districts.

Lieutenant Colonel Martin to Command the Line and conduct the interior duties of the Camp from the 7th December 1813.

Captain James Wahab of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Major of Brigade to Lieutenant Colonel Martin from the 7th December 1813.

December 9, 1813.

The Flank Companies of the 1st Battalion 2d, 1st Battalion 7th, and 2d Battalion 13th Regiments, to be formed into a Corps and the Officer Commanding to draw the usual superior batta, during the time they may be embodied.

Lieutenant Coombs of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the Flank Battalion.

December 13, 1813.

The Field Force under Major General Taylor to be formed into two Divisions, the Advance and Reserve.

Lieutenant Colonel Martin to Command the advance.

Lieutenant Colonel Barclay of His Majesty's 56th Regiment, to Command the Reserve.

Captain James Wahab of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Brigade Major to Lieutenant Colonel Martin.

Captain Capadose of His Majesty's 56th Regiment, to be Brigade Major to Lieutenant Colonel Barclay.

December 18, 1813.

Serjeant Mathershead His Majesty's 56th Regiment, to be Line Serjeant to the Field Force.

Serjeant Davis of the Horse Artillery, to be Baggage Serjeant to the Field Force.

December 23, 1813.

Mr. Surgeon Steddy to be Staff Surgeon to the Field Force, and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Sharman is appointed to the charge of the medical stores.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°3

Fort St. George, *4th January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the addition of a Sub Conductor to the Detail allotted by the Regulations to assist the Commanding Officer of Artillery in Fort St. George, in the charge of the Ordnance on the Works and Expense Magazines of the Fort and the Black Town.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°262 263

Fort St. George, *24th December* 1813.

G. O. By Government.

With reference to the rules contained in Regulation III, of 1810, for facilitating the progress of Detachments of Troops through the Company's Territories, published for the information and guidance of the Army in General Orders, dated the 21st of December 1810; the Honorable the Governor in Council

is pleased to direct, that all Officers Commanding Detachments of Troops or single Corps, as also all Officers, not Commanding, nor proceeding with, a Corps or Detachment of Troops, who may be provided by any Servant of the Government with Bearers, Coolies, Boatmen, Carts or Bullocks, or any necessary supplies of Provisions or other Articles, shall in the first instance pay the prices demanded for the hire of such Bearers, Coolies, &c. or for the value of the Articles so furnished, notwithstanding any cause for complaint against the Public Servant, which, whether for overcharge or neglect of duty, or on whatever ground, they are to prefer immediately to the Zillah Magistrate, and if after his decision thereupon, further reference of the case should be necessary, their representation will be submitted for the information of Government, through the usual and regular channel.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 4

FORT ST. GEORGE, *7th January* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that the Fort Adjutant at Masulipatam, in addition to the Stations enumerated in the General Order, dated 2d June 1812, shall be permitted to draw Horse Allowance at the established rate of six Pagodas per month.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 5

FORT ST. GEORGE, *7th January* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The undermentioned Officers have produced Certificates from the Honorable the Court of Directors of permission to return to India.

Lieutenant Colonel Tichborne of the 21st Regiment N. I. arrived at Madras on the 20th December 1813.

Major Little of the 3d Regiment of N. I. arrived at Madras on the 5th Instant.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Captain J. Lea of the 21st Regiment N. I. that Officer's name is struck off the List of the Army.

The following promotions in the 21st Regiment of N. I. are ordered to take place.

Lieutenant James Wight to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. Macdonald to be Lieutenant, in succession to Lea deceased; date of commissions to be settled hereafter.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to permit Lieutenant Chauvel of the 21st Regiment of N. I. to resign his appointment of Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Crowther of the 22d Regiment of N. I. is permitted to proceed to Bombay for the benefit of his health, with leave of absence until the 31st of May 1814.

Captain Harris of the 4th Regiment of N. I. is permitted to proceed either to the Mauritius, or to the Cape of Good Hope, for the recovery of his health.

Ensign Campbell of the 5th Regiment of N. I. is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

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

Corps of Engineers.

Ensign Duncan Sim to be Lieutenant, vice Trapaud deceased; date of commission 7th December 1813.

Madras European Regiment.

Ensign J. Nicholson to be Lieutenant, vice Cecil invalided; date of commission 14th December 1813.

4th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant J. Jobson to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant J. D. W. Rand to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Henry Carter to be Lieutenant, in succession to Moor invalided; date of commissions 11th December 1813.

25th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign John Bosley to be Lieutenant, vice Boyes deceased; date of commission 7th October 1813.

Ensign Joseph Garnault to be Lieutenant, vice Goodrich deceased; date of commission 29th December 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 7

FORT ST. GEORGE, *14th January* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain Hugh Scott having returned to Fort St. George, will resume his functions as Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 8

Fort St. George, 14th January 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Colonel Doveton Commanding at Arcot, is permitted to visit the Presidency, and to be absent from his Station until the 1st of March 1814.

Lieutenant R. J. Marr of the 3d Regiment N. I. is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following promotions and corrections of rank shall take place.

Senior Major of Infantry Charles Farran from the 21st Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Gurnell invalided; date of commission 5th January 1814.

21st Native Regiment.

Captain Alexander Fair to be Major, Captain Lieutenant James Wight to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant H. S. Lee to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign H. A. Thompson to be Lieutenant, in succession to Farran promoted; date of commissions 5th January 1814.

17th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain John Ogilvie, Captain Lieutenant Thomas Roebuck, and Lieutenant William Allen, to take rank from 17th September 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 6

Fort St. George, 11th January 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Assistant Surgeon George Anderson, to afford medical aid to the Civil department at Ramnad.

Mr. Surgeon William Mackintosh is permitted to proceed to England on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 9

Fort St. George, 18th January 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Captain J. Moor of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe, on sick certificate.

The leave of absence to proceed to Bengal, granted in General Orders of the 26th of June 1813, to Cornet and Quarter Master R. H. Russell of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, has been extended for a further period, terminating on the 30th of June 1814.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following Report on the examination of Lieutenant Gordon in the Persian language, and of Lieutenants Alves and Mackintosh in the Hindoostanee language.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
The Honorable JOHN ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Letters from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 10th and the 17th ultimo; and in conformity with the instructions therein contained, to report the result of our examination of the proficiency made by Lieutenant Gordon of the Madras European Regiment, in the Persian language, and by Lieutenant Alves of the 1st Battalion of Pioneers, and Lieutenant Mackintosh of the 2d Battalion of the 14th Regiment, in the Hindoostanee language.

The proficiency made by Lieutenant Gordon in the Persian language, is highly satisfactory. His translations were executed with considerable accuracy; his pronunciation is correct, and he converses with sufficient fluency and ease.

We have therefore, much satisfaction in recommending, that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to confer upon Lieutenant Gordon the usual honorary reward.

The exercises performed by Lieutenant Alves are distinguished by peculiar correctness. His translation into Hindoostanee is particularly satisfactory, as it displays a more than ordinary acquaintance with the idiom of the language as spoken in the Peninsula; and the ease and fluency with which he converses, shew that his attention has been very successfully directed to this point.

Lieutenant Alves having therefore established, in so creditable a manner, his claim to the honorary reward, we are persuaded that your Excellency in Council will feel considerable satisfaction, in conferring this distinction upon him.

The translations executed by Lieut. Mackintosh are, with a few trifling exceptions, correct. His pronunciation however, is not very good; and he converses with considerable hesitation; but as we observe, that his conversation in English is not altogether free from embarrassment, we are led to believe that the hesitation above noticed is not to be attributed to a deficiency in the knowledge of the language.

With these remarks we beg leave to recommend, that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow on Lieutenant Mackintosh the honorary reward.

Fort St. George, 14th January 1814.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,
(Signed) J. LEITH,
" R. B. OTTO.
" W. OLIVER.

In conferring on Lieutenant A. Gordon of the Madras European Regiment, the additional distinction proclaimed in General Orders dated the 17th November 1812, for the acquirement of the Persian Language, the Governor in Council adverts, with great satisfaction, to the claim recently established by that Officer to a similar honorary reward for high proficiency in the Hindoostanee language.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the usual donation for the attainment of the Hindoostanee language be presented to Lieutenant N. Alves of the Corps of Pioneers, and to Lieutenant A. Mackintosh of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 10

Fort St. George, 21st January 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Richard Allen of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion, vice Chauvel.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 11

Fort St. George, 21st *January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

1st—The G. O. dated 11th March 1806 regarding the allowances of the Corps of Pioneers having been misunderstood, His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following explanation of that Order.

2d—The Batta to which the Corps of Pioneers is entitled (all Ranks both European and Native included) is to be considered as regulated in every respect on the same principle as that of the Troops composing the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, as published in the Code of Pay Regulations, Section 2d, Page 17, Head "Batta."

3d—The additional subsistence to the European Officers denominated "Pioneer allowance," is to be drawn in all situations without exception, and to commence from the date of the appointment in G. O.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 12

Fort St. George, 21st *January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Public Agent for the construction of Gun Carriages at Seringapatam is allowed three Pukhalies for the use of his department, in addition to the regular establishment of Artificers, &c. on monthly pay, attached to the Manufactory, as detailed in Para. 3d, Section XIV. of the Code of Ordnance Regulations, published on the 25th of May 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 13

Fort St. George, 25th *January* 1814.

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 other Stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 7th day of February, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 14

Fort St. George, 25th *January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Thomas Carmichael of the 2d Battalion 14th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 15

Fort St. George, 25th *January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

8th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Cornet Charles Temple to be Lieutenant, vice Baillie deceased; date of commission, 17th January 1814.
Cornet Francis Straton to take rank from the 17th January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 19

FORT ST. GEORGE, 1st *February* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Mills of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, to be Aid de Camp to the Governor, vice Barlow, resigned.

Lieutenant Colonel Jeremiah Simons of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, having produced a Certificate from the Honorable Court of Directors of permission to return to India, will resume the duties of his rank from the 25th ultimo, the date of his arrival at this Presidency.

Ensign J. G. Mitford of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health, on leave of absence for four months.

Ensign Henry Birch of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for six months, for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 20

FORT ST. GEORGE, 4th *February* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Ensign A. Burnett of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence for twelve months on his private affairs, and will cease to draw pay from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 21

FORT ST. GEORGE, 4th *February* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant George Scoones, Adjutant of the 2d Battalion 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, or Chicacole Light Infantry, is permitted to proceed to St. Helena on sick certificate

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 16

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th *January* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant H. B. Smith to be Adjutant to the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry, vice Baillie.

Ensign Coventry of the Corps of Engineers, at present doing duty under the Superintending Engineer at Hyderabad, to be Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in the Northern Division of the Army.

Captain W. Pitchford of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant James Erskine of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, having produced a certificate from the Honorable the Court of Directors of permission to return to India, will resume the duties of his rank from the 25th of December 1813, the date of his arrival at Cundapoor, via Bombay.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following Copy of a Report from the Committee appointed for the examination of Military Students in the Hindoostanee Language; and to direct that the honorary reward be presented to Lieutenant Robert Spears of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
THE HONORABLE JOHN ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

HONORABLE SIR,

In obedience to the orders contained in the Letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 7th Instant, we have examined Lieutenant Spears of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, in the Hindoostanee language; and we have now the honor to report the result for the information of your Excellency in Council.

Lieutenant Spears performed the exercises, which we required of him with sufficient correctness. His translation from English into Hindoostanee was very happily executed; and we have the satisfaction to observe that the only error, which it exhibits, is of a very trifling nature.

Lieutenant Spears reads and converses with sufficient fluency and ease; but we could have wished that his pronunciation were somewhat more correct.

With these remarks we beg leave to recommend that your Excellency in Council may be pleased to bestow upon Lieutenant Spears the usual honorary reward.

We have the honor to be, &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) J. LEITH,
" R. B. OTTO,
" W. OLIVER.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 17

Fort St. George, 28th *January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having approved of a Circular Letter addressed by the Medical Board to Superintending Surgeons, under date the 29th of November 1813, is pleased to direct the most particular attention of every class of Medical Officers to the instructions therein contained, and to declare that any deviation from them, or any neglect of the duties therein pointed out, will not fail to incur the marked displeasure of the Government:—while on the other hand, the surest recommendation of Medical Officers to the favourable consideration of the Governor in Council will be found in the skill and assiduity, which they may be reported by the Medical Board to evince, in the discharge of those duties.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 18

Fort St. George, 28th *January* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Commissary of Stores at St. Thomas's Mount is allowed two Pokhallies for the use of the Ordnance Department at that Station, in addition to the establishment allotted by Para. 5th of the "General "Order introducing the new Regulations for the Ordnance and Store Departments," published on the 25th of May 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 22

Fort St. George, 5th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Captain W. Harris of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 23

Fort St. George, 8th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant James Bayley of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Assistant in the Office of the Quarter Master General of the Army, to be absent on duty in Bengal, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 24

Fort St. George, 8th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Steddy to the charge of the medical duties of the Garrison at Poonamallee, vice Mackintosh, permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon W. S. Mitchell, attached to the Resident at Tanjore, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two months.

The Governor in Council is pleased to authorize a further extension of the leave of absence, originally granted in General Orders dated the 10th of August 1813, to Lieutenant Watson, Assistant under the Secretary to the Military Board, and that Officer is permitted to continue in Mysore until the 1st of April 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 25

Fort St. George, 8th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Cornet and Adjutant M. C. Chase of the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard, is permitted to proceed to England on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 26

Fort St. George, *15th February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Commanding Officers of Divisions, Stations and Detachments are informed, that when they may have occasion to correspond with the principal Civil Authorities of a District, the communication is to proceed directly from themselves, and is not to be conveyed through the medium of a Staff Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) GEORGE STRACHEY,
Chief Sec. to Govt.

No. 27

Fort St. George, *15th February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extracts of Letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 3d September 1813.

Para. 4. Major D. Newall of your Establishment, having stated to us that he was obliged to leave the Isle of France in a very bad state of health without waiting for regular leave from your Government, and praying under these circumstances he may be permitted to remain in this Country until his health is restored; we have attended to the correspondence and certificates accompanying the application which we have received from Major Newall, and have thought proper to allow him to remain on furlough under the usual Regulations.

6. Colonel Alexander Wynch, a retired Officer on the Off-reckoning Fund, died on the 18th February 1813.

7. Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Irton of your Establishment, who was in England on furlough, also died 13th March last.

8. In consequence of an application which we have received from Lieutenant John Willows of your Establishment, representing that the furlough which you granted him for one year is not sufficient for him to arrange the urgent affairs which required his presence in England, and therefore requesting permission to remain till the Fleet of the ensuing season; we have thought proper to comply with Lieutenant Willows' request.

10. Mr. John Underwood, a Surgeon on your Establishment, has our permission to remain in England till the departure of the first Ships of next season.

11. We have appointed the undermentioned persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency, viz.

Robert Anderson,
James Hazelwood.

12. Major James Campbell of your Establishment, retired from the Company's Service (with our permission) from the 8th of April 1812.

13. His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, acting in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, having been graciously pleased in the Gazette of the 10th of August 1813 (a Copy of which accompanied this despatch) to promote several Major Generals in our Service to the rank of Lieutenant Generals; the distinction thus conferred and which has so long justly been an object to which our Officers have attached its due importance, we trust will be received by them with a proper sense of gratitude and satisfaction; we think it proper at the same time to inform you, that the promotion of those Officers who are actually on the Staff of your Army as Major Generals to the rank of Lieutenant Generals, is not to vacate their appointments nor to make any alteration whatever in their respective situations or allowances.

17. We have permitted the undermentioned Officers on your Establishment, to remain in England, viz.

Lieutenant Colonel James George Graham,
Captain James Simpson,
Ensign John Stiggall, till first Ships of the ensuing season,
Lieutenant Samuel Gregory Marshall till last Ships of the ensuing season.

18. Major General P. A. Agnew of your Establishment, died in this Country on the 8th January 1813.

Letter dated 8th September 1813.

5. We have therefore reconsidered the subject and have come to the following resolution, which we desire may be carried into execution immediately on your receipt of this Letter

6. Every European Soldier enlisted for unlimited service shall, if he have conducted himself to the satisfaction of his Commanding Officers, be entitled at the expiration of twelve years from the date of his enlistment to a bounty equal in amount to that usually given to Soldiers in our Service who re-enlist for 5 years, and at the expiration of seventeen years shall be entitled to be discharged or re-enlisted for a further period on the usual terms.

7. We have fixed twelve years as the period at which the first bounty is to be given, because it is the period for which Recruits are enlisted for general service under the Act of His present Majesty, Cap. 87th.

8. You will observe however, that under the Provisions of this Act, Sect. 4, the service of Recruits, enlisted under eighteen years of age, can be reckoned only from their attaining that age.

9. We trust that the indulgence now shewn to the European Soldiers in our Service will remove every ground of dissatisfaction and complaint, and will stimulate them to a correct and zealous discharge of their duties during their respective period of service.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 28

Fort St. George, 15th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant William James of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be a Sub-Assistant Commissary General, vice Grant promoted in that department.

The leave to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years, granted in General Orders of the 12th of October last, to Lieutenant Colonel T. A. Fraser of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is cancelled in compliance with that Officer's request.

Colonel Ross Lang Commanding at Vellore, is permitted to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence for two months.

The leave of absence to proceed to Bengal, granted in General Orders of the 3d of September last, to Captain Lieutenant R. Home of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended for a further period of six months, from the 31st of March 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 29

Fort St. George, 18th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Regulations for the guidance of the European Medical Department under this Presidency, shall in future be observed.

Previously to the march of a European Regiment from its Station, a Committee consisting of the Regimental Commanding Officer, the Superintending Surgeon of the Division, or in his absence, the Senior Medical Officer on the spot, and the Regimental Surgeon, shall minutely examine the state of the Men in Hospital and determine upon such as may be capable of accompanying the Corps on its march, without the aid of Carriage; for it is to be clearly understood that no Man shall be permitted to proceed in a Dooly from any Station, at which there may be a Garrison Hospital to receive him, those conveyances being attached to Regiments for the sole purpose of providing for contingencies during the march.

The charge of the Men who may be judged incapable of moving with the Corps will devolve on the Garrison Medical Officer, whose duty it will be to make a weekly report of their individual state to the Superintending Surgeon of the Division, and that Officer will from those statements frame a monthly report for the information of the Medical Board, in order that the necessary steps may be taken for the rejunction of the recovered Men with the Head Quarters of the Regiment.

As the situation of a Medical Officer on his first arrival in India with his Regiment must be embarrassing, from his unavoidable ignorance of local arrangements, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that in such cases the Sick Men of the Regiment or Detachment shall in the first instance be sent into the Presidency General Hospital, until the Surgeon may have provided himself with the requisite Hospital Cloathing and Establishment, when the efficiency of his appointments in these particulars will be reported by the Officer Superintending the Medical duties of the Presidency to the Medical Board.

The most pointed attention will be given by the Surgeons of European Regiments to the Regulations framed for their guidance and published in General Orders by Government of date the 15th August 1806.

The Governor in Council having approved of new patterns submitted by the Medical Board, of Hospital Cotts, Bedding and Cloathing, is pleased to direct their general adoption, and expects that on or before the 1st of August next, the Military fixed, and Regimental Hospitals, will be completely equipped with the new furniture, of which models will be immediately forwarded to the Surgeons in charge, authenticated by the Seal of the Medical Board.

The strictest conformity within the period prescribed above is required to the Patterns of Cloathing models of Cotts which will thus be received from the Medical Board—and these articles will be deposited in a convenient place of custody at each Hospital, for the inspection of the Officer Commanding the Division, or of the visiting Medical Authorities, whose especial duty it will be to remark that the above Regulations are adhered to, and if not, to report the neglect of them for the information of the Government.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

No. 31

Fort St. George, 22d *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant R. M'Glashan of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, *to act* as Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps or Trichinopoly Light Infantry, from the 7th of December 1813.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant S. Crump of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

Ensign H. Strong of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Assistant Surgeon S. Reviere to be Surgeon, vice Dickson, deceased; date of rank the 20th of January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

No. 32

Fort St. George, 24th *February* 1814.

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 other Stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 7th of March and the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

No. 393

Fort St. George, 25th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Cornet W. Babington of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Adjutant to the Governor's Body Guard from the 15th Instant, vice Chase.

The leave to proceed to Europe on furlough granted in General Orders of the 30th of November last, to Lieutenant Colonel Bowness of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been cancelled in compliance with that Officer's request.

The leave to proceed to Europe on furlough granted in General Orders of the 15th of October last, to Major Russell of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is cancelled at his request.

Lieutenant A. Bentley of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, is permitted to proceed to Serroor, on leave of absence until the 15th of July 1814.

Lieutenant C. Chambers of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 30 1st of 2 Supplementary Regulation Reg

Fort St. George, 18th *February* 1814.

G. O. By Government:

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to establish the following rules for the construction, and repair or alteration of Civil Buildings at the subordinate Stations.

The expediency of constructing Buildings for Civil purposes at the subordinate Stations will be submitted to the consideration of Government by the local Civil Officers through the Heads of Departments at the Presidency. And the Government having decided on the expediency of the work, plans and estimates will be prepared by Superintending Engineers under such instructions, as they may receive from the Military Board, to whom the applications of the Civil Authorities will be communicated for that purpose.

Materials for the construction of the works are to be supplied, and advances of money for the payment of workmen will be made, under the system laid down in the new Code of Regulations for the conduct of the department of Buildings and Repairs. But when the provision of materials by the Commissariat may be found to interfere with the Public Service in the Military department, the supplies will be furnished under such other arrangements, as may be determined on by the Government:—and in such cases the necessary orders will be issued to the local Officers, and the workmen will also be provided and paid by the Civil department.

Repairs or alterations to Civil Buildings at the subordinate Stations, for which the sanction of Government has been obtained through the prescribed channel of reference, will continue to be made under the superintendence of the Civil Officers, unless from their nature and extent it may be considered advisable to direct an Engineer to superintend the work, which will then be executed under the instructions of the Military Board, subject to the proviso contained in the preceding Paragraph.

The adjustment of the accounts of expenditure will proceed in the manner directed in the new Code for Civil Buildings at the Presidency, when the work shall have been performed under orders from the Military Board; but will be conducted as heretofore, when the materials and workmen are supplied under arrangements of the Civil Authorities.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 34

Fort St. George, 1st *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government:

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant John Tod of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, or Chicacole Light Infantry, during Lieutenant and Adjutant Scoones' absence on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 35

Fort St. George, 1st *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Robert Taylor of the Artillery, is appointed Commissary of Stores at Secunderabad, vice Munro, deceased.

Captain Lieutenant W. Cullen of the Artillery, is appointed Commissary of Stores at Bellary, vice Taylor removed to Secunderabad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 36

Fort St. George, 1st *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that in all Garrisons or Cantonments, when a Field Officer or Captain of the Day is ordered for duty, a wax candle shall be issued daily to such Field Officer or Captain of the Day.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 37 A.

Fort St. George, 4th March 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders of the 14th of January to Lieutenant Colonel Doveton, Commanding at Arcot, has been extended for a further period, and that Officer is permitted to continue at the Presidency until the 30th of April 1814.

Lieutenant R. Jenkins of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Penang, and eventually to China, for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 38

Fort St. George, 8th March 1814

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, in addition to the present establishment of Camp Equipage for a Regiment of Native Cavalry in the Field, one two poled Private Tent, with the usual proportion of Carriage, be allotted for the use of the Veterinary Establishment attached.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 39

Fort St. George, 8th March 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Cornet H. Smith of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to the Isle of Mauritius, and eventually to the Cape of Good Hope, for the recovery of his health.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon R. Sladen, attached to the Court of the Zilla of Salem, is permitted to visit Cuddalore and Pondicherry on leave of absence from his Station for six weeks.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Assistant Surgeon S. Dyer to be Surgeon, vice Smith, deceased; date of rank the 12th of February 1814.

Mr. Surgeon Dyer is appointed to afford medical aid to the Courts of Judicature at Tellicherry.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government

N°. 40

Fort St. George, 11th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Colonel Innes of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Mr. Finniss, Paymaster to His Majesty's 56th Regiment, are appointed Members of the Committee for investigating the balance outstanding in the Public Books on account of family payments, in the room of Lieutenant Colonel Marriott, of the 2d Battalion 24th Regiment Native Infantry, and Mr. White, Paymaster to His Majesty's 89th Regiment, who have left the Presidency with their respective Corps.

Lieutenant C. Crowther of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Thomas Boardman, of the Madras European Regiment, be transferred to the Pension list on the next pay of his rank.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 41

Fort St. George, 11th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The following Promotions and Corrections of Rank are ordered.

4th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Edward Holmes to take rank from the 1st September 1809, vice Button, ordered to be struck off from that date.

Lieutenant John Le Page to take rank from 4th October 1810.
" Henry Wallis " " 16th March 1811.
" Thomas Watson " " 11th January 1812
" William Scott " " 24th September 1812.
" Andrew Sibbald " " 29th March 1813.
" C. St. John Grant " " 12th April 1813.
" Henry Carter " " 13th November 1813.

Ensign John Grimshaw to be Lieutenant, date of commission 11th December 1813.

5th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Benjamin Pratt to take rank from the 15th July 1809, vice the Honorable Edwin Lindsay struck off from that date.

Lieutenant Charles Poulton to take rank from 10th October 1809.
" Robert Gray, Senior " " 14th Dec. "
" Charles Sinnock " " 21st do. "
" Edward Woodhouse " " 2d March 1810.
" William Macpherson " " 7th March 1811.
" T. Hardy Travis " " 30th May "
" Charles Turner " " 9th May 1812.
" John Watson " " 13th August 1812.

Ensign Thomas Howell to be Lieutenant, date of commission 15th April 1813.

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Thomas Noble to take rank from 24th August 1810, vice Martin William Byam, ordered to be struck off from that date.

Lieutenant George Payne to take rank from 31st March 1811.
" A. Tweedie " " 23d June 1811.
" J. Anthony " " 2d October 1812.
" Harry Salmon " " 3d March 1813.

Ensign Francis Mountford to be Lieutenant, date of commission 6th May 1813.

9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Robert Marklove to take rank from the 4th December 1809, vice Williamson, ordered to be struck off from that date.

Lieutenant William Preston to take rank from 5th January 1810.
" George Stott " " 10th October "
" A. Grierson " " 12th Nov. "
" William Slade " " 21st October 1811.
" T. M'Carthy " " 11th December 1812.
" Christopher Bagot " " 20th April 1813.

Ensign James Clemons to be Lieutenant, date of commission 11th September 1813.

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Hugh Reid to take rank from the 27th July 1808, vice J. G. Guinness, ordered to be struck off from that date.

Lieutenant	G. Hutchinson	to take rank from	2d October 1808.
,,	Mathew Hall	,, ,,	18th March 1809.
,,	James Jameson	,, ,,	7th August ,,
,,	T. Wakefield	,, ,,	4th Dec. ,,
,,	C. W. Macklintosh	,, ,,	21st January 1810.
,,	Thomas Hadaway	,, ,,	30th May ,,
,,	W. J. Jackson	,, ,,	6th November 1811.
,,	H. Peusen Hine	,, ,,	8th ,, ,,
,,	L. M'Dowall	,, ,,	20th January 1813.
,,	D. C. Stewart	,, ,,	29th April ,,

Ensign George Coxe to be Lieutenant, date of commission 7th June 1813.

15th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain G. Warburton to be Major, Captain Lieutenant J. Napier to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. Ormsby to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Shanahan to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Campbell retired; date of commissions 9th April 1812.

Captain Alexander Limond to be Major, Captain Lieutenant W. Ormsby to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant S. Williams to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign R. Coke to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Warburton retired; date of commissions 6th May 1812.

Captain Lieutenant S. Williams to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant G. H. Braune to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign F. H. Massey to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Kent deceased; date of commissions 3d April 1813.

Ensign Robert B. Dawes to be Lieutenant, vice Yates deceased, date of rank 7th May 1813.

Ensign Lionel Trotter to be Lieutenant, vice M'Cormick deceased, date of commission 21st September 1813.

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant F. D. Saunders to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant John Watson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Henry Boulton to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Pitchford transferred to the Invalid establishment; date of commissions, 29th January 1814.

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Henry Robinson to take rank from the 26th August 1810, vice Gowland resigned.

Lieutenant	C. Edye	to take rank from	15th January 1811.
,,	S. Smithson	,, ,,	17th August 1812.
,,	E. Macpherson	,, ,,	30th October ,,
,,	R. Allen	,, ,,	17th December ,,
,,	A. Macdonald	,,	19th February ,,
,,	H. A. Thompson	date of commission to be settled hereafter.	

Ensign Henry Serjeant to be Lieutenant, date of commission 5th January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 42

FORT ST. GEORGE, 11th *March* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Madras Volunteer Battalion shall be formed into a Rifle Corps; and denominated, armed and clothed as such.

All expenses attending the necessary alterations in the Arms, Accoutrements, Dress and Appointments of the Corps will be defrayed by Government, and the Native Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Rank and File will be supplied with Europe Broad Cloth Cloaks once in six years, at the expense of Government.

Public Cattle will be allotted for the Carriage of the Knapsacks of the Corps, when employed on actual Field Service.

The Governor in Council is pleased to fix the Establishment of the Rifle Corps, as follows.

ESTABLISHMENT.

					Establishment.
DETAIL.	Commissioned Officers.			Field Officer Commandant.	1
				Captains.	8
				Subalterns.	16
		Staff.		Adjutant.	1
				Quarter Master.	1
				Surgeon or Assistant Surgeon.	1
		Native.		Subadars.	8
				Jemadars.	8
			Staff	Native Adjutant.	1
	Rank and File.	Non-Effective Non-Commissioned Staff.		Serjeant Major.	1
				Quarter Master Serjeant.	1
				Havaldars.	48
				Buglar Major.	1
				Buglers.	16
				In Garrison.	8
				In the Field.	16
				Native Dressers	2
				Pensioned.	30
				Recruits.	40
				Naiks.	45
				Privates.	720
				Total.	760
				Duffadar.	1
				Duffadar Naik.	1
				Pay Havaldars.	8
				Vakeel.	1
		Artificers attached.		Armourer Mistry.	1
				Armourers.	2
				Bellows Boys.	4
				Checkers.	2
				Smiths.	4
				Carpenters.	2
				Harnessmen	4
				Gheeladar.	1
				Tailors.	2

The Corps will consist of eight Companies, each to be commanded by a Captain. The Commissioned Officers, European and Native, will be non-effective; and borne upon the strength of the Battalions of the Line.

His Excellency the Commander in Chief is requested to issue the necessary orders for carrying the above arrangement into effect; and will be pleased to dispose of the Non-Commissioned, Rank and File of the Madras Volunteer Battalion, who may not be calculated for the Rifle Corps, by drafting them into Battalions of Native Infantry, on the strength of which they will be received as Supernumeraries (if the Battalions be complete) until vacancies occur to bring them on the effective strength.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 103

Fort St. George, 15th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Major W. Munro of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command the Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant B. R. Hitchins of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant; and
Lieutenant James Crockat of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Quarter Master to the Rifle Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 44

Fort St. George, 15th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Colonel Nathaniel Forbes to Command the Provinces of Malabar and Canara, vice Major General Lockhart.

Lieutenant Colonel Norman M'Leod of His Majesty's Royal Scots, to Command Bellary, vice Forbes.

Colonel Robert Sewell of His Majesty's 89th Foot, to Command Bangalore, vice M'Leod.

Lieutenant Colonel Hamilton Hall, to Command Vellore, vice Major General Lang.

Lieutenant Colonel William Dowse to Command the Troops stationed in Travancore, vice Hall; on being relieved from the Command of the Field Force serving in the Southern Mahratta Country.

Lieutenant Colonel James George [illegible] the Artillery, to Command Seringapatam, vice Major General Browne.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 45

Fort St. George, 15th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct Captain Lieutenant Lindsay of the Artillery, to proceed to Persia, and to place himself under the orders of His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary at that Court.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Secretary.

(True Copies,)

Sec. to Government

N°. 46

Fort St. George, 18th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The leave of absence to proceed to Bombay, granted in General Orders of the 13th August 1813, to Lieutenant George Ogilvie of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended for a further period terminating on the 30th of June 1814.

Lieutenant Beaver of His Majesty's 19th Regiment, will act as Extra Aid de Camp to Major General Wetherall, Commanding in Mysore; the Honorable Company being at no expense thereby.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 47

Fort St. George, 18th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Committee appointed for the examination of Military Students, having reported Lieutenants James Michael and Henry Smith, of the 19th and 24th Regiments of Native Infantry, and Ensign R. Fergusson of the 14th Native Infantry, to have severally attained the requisite degree of proficiency in the Hindoostanee language; The Honorable the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in recognizing their claims to the established honorary reward; and is pleased to direct that it be presented to each of those Officers accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 48

Fort St. George, 22d *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant J. Riddell of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Department, Survey branch, 2d Class, vice Davidson, from the 1st of May 1814.

The Reverend J. Mousley, Military Chaplain at Arcot, &c. is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two months.

Captain R. Bye of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

Captain J. Woodhouse of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant H. O'Brien of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Java on urgent private affairs, and to be absent for the space of six months from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 52

Fort St. George, 22d *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The occasional employment in the Remount Department of Details of Pensioned Native Cavalry having been deemed expedient, the Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that such details shall receive the full pay of effective Native Cavalry for the period they may be employed on the Public Service, and also batta when in situations which would entitle the regular Troops to that allowance.

The full pay and batta to the Details abovementioned to be drawn by the Officers under whom they may be employed, who are to authenticate the charges of each abstract in the following manner:

"I do hereby certify that the Detail of Pensioned Native Cavalry for whom full pay is drawn in this "abstract were employed (here enter in what department or on what service,) under authority of His "Excellency the Commander in Chief from the —— —— to the —— —— both days inclusive."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 49

Fort St. George, 22d *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant W. Armstrong of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice Jaines.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N° 50

Fort St. George, 22d March 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Commissary of Stores at Vellore is allowed a Chuckler, on the monthly pay of Star Pagodas 2 6 0, and a Cooper, on the monthly pay of Star Pagodas 3 0 0, in addition to the establishment of Native Artificers attached to his department, as specified in Table No. 3, Page 14, of the new Code of Ordnance Regulations published on the 25th May 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N° 51

Fort St. George, 22d March 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council having been pleased to nominate Colonel Doveton of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Command the Subsidiary Force of Hyderabad, that Officer will proceed to assume the Command of the Force with the least practicable delay.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Secretary.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 53

Fort St. George, 25th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Captain C. Brook of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon R. Richardson is appointed to the medical charge of the Garrison of Pondicherry, vice Simson.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 54

Fort St. George, 26th *March* 1814.

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 day of April and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 55

Fort St. George, 29th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Major Thomas Fenne of His Majesty's Royal Scots, to Command at Pondamallee, during the absence of Major Sir Charles Burdett, Bart. vice Hall, relieved from that duty for the purpose of joining his Regiment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 56

Fort St. George, 1st *April* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, at the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to appoint Lieutenant C. A. Elderton of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Extra Aid de Camp to the Commander in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 57

Fort St. George, 1st *April* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Cornet H. Smith of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe, on sick certificate.

Captain John Morgan of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is directed to proceed to Jaulnah, and to place himself under the orders of the Officer Commanding the Subsidiary Force at Hyderabad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 58

Fort St. George, 5th *April* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that rolls of the whole of the Family Certificates, without exception, which are now payable under this Presidency, whether on account of Corps, Detachments, Departments or Individuals, shall be transmitted by Paymasters to the Adjutant General of the Army, so as to reach his Office, by the 1st of May next.

The rolls to be made out for each Corps, &c. in the usual form, specifying Troops, Companies, &c. the total amount of each when the payment commenced; and on what service, (if known) the Troops were employed at the time the Family Certificates were issued—the latter information to be stated in a column of remarks to each roll.

Paymasters are enjoined to use the utmost caution in regard to the regularity and correctness of the rolls which they forward, as the future payments to the Families will, in a great measure, be regulated thereby.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

No. 59

Fort St. George, 5th April 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to cancel the 3d Paragraph, page 269, of the Code of Pay Regulations; and to authorize an allowance of one thousand Arcot Rupees to be drawn in future for the passage and accommodation of all Officers, without reference to rank, who, under the circumstances of dismission or removal from the Service may be ordered by Government to proceed to England. The above sum of one thousand Arcot Rupees is to be drawn by the Commanding or other Officer of the Ship, who may engage to accommodate Persons so situated, on a bill to be passed by the Military Auditor General before payment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 60

Fort St. George, 5th April 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Reports of march & arrival of Corps, Detachments, &c. prescribed by the 1st Para. of the Code of Pay Regulations, page 261, to be made to the Military Auditor General, shall in future be attached as vouchers to accompany the Pay Abstracts which contain the field charges of the Troops. The documents directed by the 2d Para. of the above Regulation, as also the reports direct to the Office of Audit, will accordingly be discontinued from this date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 61

Fort St. George, 5th April 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Assistant Surgeon William Currie to be Surgeon, vice Tozer deceased; date of rank 13th March 1814.

The leave of absence to proceed to Ceylon granted in General Orders of the 13th of December last, to Lieutenant Chambers of the Pension Establishment, is extended for a further period, terminating on the 30th of November 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD
Sec. to Government.

No. 62

Fort St. George, 5th April 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Executive Command of the Artillery on this Establishment becoming vacant, under the operation of the existing Regulations, consequent to the advancement of the Commandant of Artillery to the rank of Major General by the late Brevet promotion in the Indian Army: The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct, that Major General Robert Bell shall retain the Command of the Corps, notwithstanding his promotion to the rank of Major General, until the pleasure of the Honorable the Court of Directors shall be known.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 63

Fort St. George, 5th April 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that at all Out-Stations of the Army, where the services of Clerks to Military Chaplains may be deemed necessary, Persons shall in future be appointed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief to act in that capacity, on the regulated staff allowance or salary of five Pagodas per month.

When Military Chaplains are appointed to officiate at more Stations than one, and it may not be necessary to appoint a Clerk at each Station, it will be left to the discretion of the Chaplains to require the Clerks of the principal Stations to act also at the other Stations, or otherwise to procure Persons for the occasional performance of the duties required,—in the former case, the different Stations at which the Clerks are required to act, will be named in General Orders, which will entitle the Persons appointed to more Stations than one to draw a fixed monthly allowance on account of travelling, equal to the dry batta of a Non-Commissioned Officer (1 67½ per day,) in addition to the salary abovementioned. In the latter case, the Chaplains are authorized to make such allowance, not exceeding five Pagodas per month, to the Persons occasionally employed, as they may consider necessary in reference to the duration or frequency of the service performed.

The charges for the above allowance (whether fixed or occasional) are to be included in the Chaplain's abstracts, and supported by the receipts of the Persons employed.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 64

FORT ST. GEORGE, 12th *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant George Spinks of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, will act as Paymaster in Malabar and Canara during the absence and on the responsibility of Mr. A. Douglas, in lieu of Major Limond, who was appointed to officiate in that capacity in General Orders of the 8th of October last.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 65

FORT ST. GEORGE, 12th *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The compilation of Regulations for the conduct of the Quarter Master General's department, to which the approbation of the Government was announced in a General Order passed under date the 1st of October 1813, for the purpose of being prefixed to the publication, having since undergone alteration; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Code be now received as Standing Orders of the Government of Fort St. George; and that printed copies be furnished to every Station, and to the head quarters of every Corps, for the general information and guidance of the Army.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 66

FORT ST. GEORGE, 12th *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain W. Stone of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to remain at Goa under the directions of the British Resident at that place, until further orders.

Captain James Hankin of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough, for three years.

Lieutenent T. Jackson of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, being reported by the Committee for the examination of Military Students to have attained a high degree of proficiency in the Hindoostanee language, The Honorable the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in directing that the usual honorary reward be presented to that Officer.

In compliance with the request of the Honorable the Lieutenant Governor of Java, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Charles Forbes of the Madras European Regiment, to remain to the Eastward, as long as he may be employed under the authority of the Government of Batavia.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 67

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15th *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain S. Lutwidge, of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Deputy Judge Advocate, to proceed to England on sick certificate.

Captain D. Mackay of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant R. Hower of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on six months leave of absence from his Corps.

Ensign N. Syme of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay, and eventually to the Cape of Good Hope, for the benefit of his health.

Captain N. H. Hatherly of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 68

Fort St. George, 19th *April* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant W. Dynely of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant H. S. Conway of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the Mauritius, and eventually to the Cape of Good Hope, for the recovery of his health.

The leave granted by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council at Bombay, to Ensign J. G. Mitford of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to England on sick certificate, is confirmed.

Gunner Henry Bacon, is appointed a Conductor of Ordnance, to complete the Establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 70

Fort St. George, 22d *April* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher to Command the Troops in the Vizagapatam and Ganjam Districts.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 69

Fort St. George, 22d *April* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Captain Charles Hall of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command the Troops in the District of Wynaad, in the room of Captain Baber, relieved from that duty.

Lieutenant W. Borthwick of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Brigade Major to the Officer Commanding the Troops in the Vizagapatam and Ganjam Districts.

Lieutenant C. Coleman of the Madras European Regiment, to act as Quarter Master of that Corps till further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 378

Fort St. George, 4th *March* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to sanction an allowance of Pagodas 12 per mensem for a Writer and Stationary to be drawn by the Officer Commanding the Artillery in Fort St. George from this date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD.

Sec. to Government.

N°. 71

Fort St. George, 22d *April* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

In obedience to the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors contained in the 23d Paragraph of their General Letter dated the 25th January 1813; His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the name of Lieutenant Colonel Mark Wilks be restored to the effective strength of the Army, and that the following alterations and corrections of rank be consequently made.

		To take rank from
Lieut. Colonel	Thomas Tichborne	23d Feb. 1811
do	Nicholas M. Smyth	15th Oct. 1811
do	Donald M'Donnell	30th Nov. 1811
do	Thomas Gurnell	29th Dec. 1811
do	William Blackburne	16th Apr. 1812
do	Charles Deacon	3d June 1812
do	James Welsh	24th Sept. 1812
do	George Alexander Muat	8th Jan. 1813
do	John de Morgan	25th Jan. 1813
do	Thomas Steele	19th Feb. 1813
do	Whitney M'Cally	14th Mar. 1813
do	William Shaw	20th Apr. 1813
do	Thomas Augustus Fraser	6th May 1813
do	John Richardson Vernon	7th May 1813
do	James Colebrooke	11th Sept. 1812
do	John Palmer Keasberry	18th Sept. 1813
do	Broughton Dod	5th Jan. 1814
	Madras European Regiment.	
Major	John Munro	23d Feb. 1811
Captain	George Lenox Nixon	23d Feb. 1811
Captain Lieut.	George Shepherd	23d Feb. 1811
Lieutenant	James Roy	23d Jan. 1811
do	Thomas Dale	23d Feb. 1811
	14th Regiment N. I.	
Major	Henry Francis Smith	15th Oct. 1811
Captain	William Brown	15th Oct. 1811
Captain Lieut.	Edgar Moody Forster	15th Oct. 1811
Lieutenant	Henry O'Hara	15th Oct. 1811
	16th Regiment N. I.	
Major	Henry Bowen	30th Nov. 1811
Captain	John Carmalt Williamson	30th Nov. 1811
Captain Lieut.	William Pitchford	30th Nov. 1811
Lieutenant	Welboore Joseph Newland	30th Nov. 1811
	25th Regiment N. I.	
Major	Edward B. Bagshaw	29th Dec. 1811
Captain	Patrick Henderson	29th Dec. 1811
Captain Lieut.	William Seton	29th Dec. 1811
Lieutenant	Thomas Ivie	28th Dec. 1811
do	W. H. R. Wooton	29th Dec. 1811
	8th Regiment N. I.	
Major	John Vicq	16th April 1812
Captain	Peregrine Davie	16th April 1812
Captain Lieut.	Robert Home	16th April 1812
Lieutenant	Patrick Corbett	16th April 1812

16th Regiment N. I.

		To take rank from
Major	Edwin Chitty	3d June 1812
Captain	William Pitchford	3d June 1812
Captain Lieut.	Charles Hall	3d June 1812
Lieutenant	Robert Williams Sherriff	3d June 1812

3d Regiment N. I.

Major	Joseph Knowles	24th Sept. 1812
Captain	George Hunter	24th Sept. 1812
Captain Lieut.	Alexander Turner	24th Sept. 1812
Lieutenant	Edward Williames	24th Sept. 1812

4th Regiment N. I.

Major	James Moore	8th Jan. 1813
Captain	William Harris	8th Jan. 1813
Captain Lieut.	George Moore	8th Jan. 1813
Lieutenant	William Scott	8th Jan. 1813

22d Regiment N. I.

Major (Brevet Major)	John Fortune	25th Jan. 1813
Captain	John Turner Trewman	25th Jan. 1813
Captain Lieut.	Robert M'Craith	25th Jan. 1813
Lieutenant	Hyd Gwynne	25th Jan. 1813

2d Regiment N. I.

Major	G. R. A. Kelly	19th Feb. 1813
Captain	C. Elphinstone	19th Feb. 1813
Captain Lieut.	F. Osborne	19th Feb. 1813
Lieutenant	A. Borthwick	19th Feb. 1813

20th Regiment N. I.

Major	John M'Kenzie	14th Mar. 1813
Captain	Thomas Hunter	14th Mar. 1813
Captain Lieut.	Hugh Scott	14th Mar. 1813
Lieutenant	W. Fenoulhet	14th Mar. 1813

10th Regiment N. I.

Major	George Milsom Gibson	20th April 1813
Captain	Robert Short	20th April 1813
Captain Lieut.	Peter Morrill	20th April 1813
Lieutenant	Neal M'Neill	20th April 1813

9th Regiment N. I.

Major (Brevet Major)	Thomas Stewart	6th May 1813
Captain	George Rose	6th May 1813
Captain Lieut.	John Bell	6th May 1813
Lieutenant	Christopher Bagot	6th May 1813

6th Regiment N. I.

Major	Andrew Rochead	6th May 1813
do	John Moodie	7th May 1813
Captain	John Kennett	6th May 1813
do	Penford King	7th May 1813
Captain Lieut.	Penford King	6th May 1813
do	Thomas Chambers	7th May 1813
Lieutenant	Harry Salmon	6th May 1813
do	Francis Mountford	7th May 1813

8th Regiment N. I.

Major	T. Arthur Staples Ahmuty	10th Sept. 1813
Captain	Robert Home	11th Sept. 1813
Captain Lieut.	Alexander M'Lauren	11th Sept. 1813
Lieutenant	Robert Shedden	11th Sept. 1813

9th Regiment N. I.

Major	John Cook Stokoe	18th Sept. 1813
Captain	John Bell	18th Sept. 1813
Captain Lieut.	William Griffinhoofe	18th Sept. 1813
Lieutenant	James Clemons	18th Sept. 1813

14th Regiment N. I.

Major	James Ives	5th Jan. 1814
Captain	R. Greathead Wilson	5th Jan. 1814
Captain Lieut.	William Ward	5th Jan. 1814
Lieutenant	George Birch	5th Jan. 1814

21st Regiment N. I.		To take rank from	
Lieut. Colonel	Charles Farran	20th Mar. 1814	In succession to Line deceased.
Major	Alexander Fair	20th Mar. 1814	
Captain	James Wight	20th Mar. 1814	
Captain Lieut.	H. S. Lee	20th Mar. 1814	
Lieutenant	Henry Serjeant	20th Mar. 1814	

The following Promotions are ordered.

6th Regiment N. I.	Date of Commissions.
Ensign George Searancke to be Lieutenant, vice Noble deceased	25th March 1814.

25th Regiment N. I.	
Ensign John Wallace to be Lieutenant, vice Thompson deceased	17th March 1814.

9th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieutenant William Griffenhooffe to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Thomas Marett, to be Captain Lieutenant, & Ensign John Tucker to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Bye, transferred to the Invalid establishment; date of commissions 23d March 1814.

21st Regiment N. I.

Ensign William Holmes Baddeley to be Lieutenant, vice Smithson, deceased; date of commission 27th March 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 72

FORT ST. GEORGE, 22d *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain Stevenson of the 1st Battalion of the 3d Regiment or Pallamcottah Light Infantry, and Secretary to the Committee for the Adjustment of the Accounts of Family Payments, is permitted in compliance with his request, to join his Corps under orders for Field Service.

Captain Lieutenant Wilson of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, will officiate as Junior Member of the Committee, and as Secretary, until the return of Captain Stevenson.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

No. 73

FORT ST. GEORGE, 22d *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders of the 17th of September last, to Lieutenant Colonel Colin Mackenzie of the Corps of Engineers, has been extended for a further period terminating on the 1st of September 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 76

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26th *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant Colonel W. Tuyl of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons, to Command at Arcot, from the date of the arrival of the Regiment at that Station.

Lieutenant Colonel James Welsh of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Deputy Judge Advocate, vice Lutwidge.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 78

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26th *April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

With reference to the General Order of the 15th October 1813 for forming the Native Invalids into four Native Veteran Battalions, and in addition to the advantages thereby conferred on the Native Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Rank and File of the Invalid establishment, The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct that they shall be entitled to the usual batting money of effective Troops on all final changes of quarters, and that all Individuals invalided at the head quarters of an

effective Corps, shall be entitled to the same allowance on joining a Native Veteran Corps—the allowance granted by the General Order of the 15th October last having reference exclusively to the removal of those Invalids, who had been posted to Companies previously to the organization of the non-effective establishment then introduced.

This Order will be applicable to all Men transferred by the last Invaliding Committee.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 74

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26*th April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to fix the establishment of a Battalion of Native Infantry at (7●0) seven hundred and fifty Privates, and to direct that the Privates supernumerary to that number be returned as such, till vacancies occur to bring them on the effective strength.

The strength of the Rifle Corps and Battalions of Light Infantry will not be affected by this Order.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 75

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26*th April* 1814.

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 day of May, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 74

Fort St. George, 22d April 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize payment according to the following Distribution of the Off-Reckonings for the year 1808, to the undermentioned Officers who are not included in the General Distributions of the Off-Reckonings of the three Presidencies.

SQUADRON OF HORSE ARTILLERY.

Amount of Stoppages as computed by the Military Auditor General				1475	12 60
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.					
Half Mounting as per Estimate formed on the Strength of the Corps	69	12	40		
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	21	35	8		
Agent's Charges for Undress Clothing supplied, including the Charges for 110 Pair of Overhauls and proportion of contingent charges	972	6	5		
Proportion of the amount of Salary granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1808, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date 21st January 1809	39	0	33		
				1102	9 6
			Pagodas	373	3 54

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance to be allotted to Capt. J. Noble Commanding..	373 3 54	472 0 0	0 0 0	98 41 26

1st BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General				2029	0 30
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.					
Half Mounting as per Estimate	6	7	40		
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	612	10	0		
Proportion of the amount of Salary granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1808, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date 21st January 1809	53	29	59		
				672	8 19
			Pagodas	1356	43 21

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance to be allotted to Capt. Bagshaw, Commanding	1356 43 31	800 0 0	556 43 31	0 0 0

2d BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General				2107	3 10
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.					
Half Mounting as per Estimate	8	28	40		
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	624	5	0		
Proportion of the amount of Salary granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army for the year 1808, agreeably to the Orders of Government under date 21st January 1809	55	32	45		
				688	21 5
			Pagodas	1418	27 5

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance to be allotted to Captain J. Fitzpatrick, Commanding	1418 27 5	666 0 0	752 27 5	0 0 0

	Amount of each Share.			Amount already received.			Balance to be paid.		
TOWN MAJOR OF FORT ST. GEORGE.									
Amount allotted to Lieutenant Colonel R. Barclay from the profits on the Native Invalid Clothing agreeably to Para. 348 of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors dated 30th July 1806,	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	0	0	0
EUROPEAN INVALIDS.									
Amount allotted to Captain and Brevet Major P. H. Keay agreeably to the Orders of the Honorable Court of Directors published in G. O. 9th June 1813. - - - - - -	600	0	0	0	0	0	600	0	0

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 79

FORT ST. GEORGE, 29*th April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Captain J. D. Brown of the Artillery, to relinquish his situation of Commissary of Stores at Seringapatam, in compliance with his own request.

Lieutenant Thomas Hodgson of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Mr. Surgeon James Annesley of the Madras European Regiment, is permitted to proceed to the Mauritius, on urgent private affairs, and to be absent for the space of six months, from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 80

FORT ST. GEORGE, 29*th April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

For the purpose of placing the Quarter Master General of the Army in possession, at all times of the requisite information, relative to the actual state and number of the Intrenching Tools, attached to the several Corps of the Army by the G. O. by Government dated 29th May 1812; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to determine, that Quarterly Returns of the above Articles shall be transmitted to the Quarter Master General of the Army, through the Officers of that Department in Divisions, in the same manner as they are at present transmitted at the end of each Quarter to the Military Board by the Officers in charge of Corps, or Companies of Artillery.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 81

FORT ST. GEORGE, 29*th April* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has the greatest pleasure in publishing to the Army the following Report on the examination of Lieutenant N. Alves of the Corps of Pioneers, in the Persian language; and notices with entire approbation the marked testimony which is borne by the Committee to that Officer's distinguished and exemplary proficiency.

Lieutenant Alves had recently established his claim to the honorary reward for the acquirement of the Hindoostanee language under circumstances highly to his credit:—and the Governor in Council experiences the most sincere satisfaction in recognizing and recording his title to the additional distinction, proclaimed in General Orders dated the 17th of November 1812, for the attainment of the Persian language.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
THE HONORABLE JOHN ABERCROMBY,
Governor in Council.

HONORABLE SIR,

In compliance with the instructions communicated to us in the Letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, dated the 25th Ultimo, we have examined Lieutenant Alves of the 1st Battalion of Pioneers, in the Persian language, and we have the honor to report the result for the information of your Excellency in Council.

In his translations from Persian into English, Lieutenant Alves has committed two or three trifling mistakes, but they are not such as at all to injure the sense. In his translation into Persian we have not been able to detect a single error of any description and the sense of the original is rendered in a style of peculiar elegance. The hand writing of this exercise is remarkably good.

In the colloquial part of his examination both as regards pronunciation and fluency, Lieutenant Alves acquitted himself equally to our satisfaction, and we have no hesitation in stating that we consider him to excel, without exception, all who have yet come before us.

Under these circumstances we doubt not that your Excellency in Council will feel particular satisfaction in conferring upon Lieutenant Alves the honorary reward.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 21st April 1814.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants,
(Signed) J. LEITH,
R. OTTO,
W. OLIVER.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 83

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3d *May* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

It having been determined that Major General Trapaud, notwithstanding his promotion to that rank, shall retain the appointment of Chief Engineer, until the pleasure of the Honorable the Court of Directors shall be known; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the Resolution of the Government in General Orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

No. 84

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3d *May* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Captain W. G. Pearse of the Corps of Artillery, to be Commissary of Stores at Seringapatam, vice Brown resigned.

Captain Burgeon on the half pay of His Majesty's Regiment De Meuron, to take charge of the Native Pensioners at Chingleput, vice Fitzjran deceased.

Lieutenant G. Payne of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 82

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3d *May* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the undermentioned Advances, being two-thirds of the computed amount of Shares of Off-reckonings to the Officers in *India*, who are entitled to participate in the Off-reckoning Fund of this Presidency for the year 1813, and to authorize the payment of the different sums, to the Parties entitled to receive them.

STATEMENT *of* ADVANCES, *equal to two-thirds of the* COMPUTED AMOUNT *of* SHARES *of* OFF-RECKONINGS *at this* PRESIDENCY *to the undermentioned* OFFICERS *in* INDIA, *who are entitled to participate in the* OFF-RECKONING FUND *for the year* 1813.—*Conformable to the G. O.* 24*th August* 1810.

			NATIVE CAVALRY.			
Lieut. General	J. Pater	from 1st January	to 31st December 1813		1400	
			HORSE ARTILLERY.			
Captain	J. Noble	from 1st January	to 31st December 1813		700	
			ARTILLERY.			
Major General	R. Bell	from 1st January	to 31st December 1813		1400	
			MADRAS EUROPEAN REGIMENT.			
Lieut. General	R. Croker,	from 1st January	to 31st December 1813		1400	
			NATIVE INFANTRY.			
Lieut. General	F. Torrens	from 1st January	to 31st December 1813		1400	
Do.	C. Lalande	Do.	Do.		1400	
Major General	A. Taylor	Do.	Do.		1400	
Do.	J. M. Chalmers	Do.	Do.		1400	
Do.	J. J. Durand	Do.	Do.		1400	
Colonel	Innes	from 19th February	to 31st December 1813		1200	
			1st BATTALION PIONEERS.			
Captain	R. F. Hughes	from 1st January	to 19th November 1813		708	40
Do.	E. W. Snow	from 26th November	to 31st December 1813		91	5
			2d BATTALION PIONEERS.			
Captain	T. Smithwaite	from 1st January	to 31st December 1813		800	
			MADRAS VOLUNTEER BATTALION.			
Major	W. Munro	from 1st January	to 31st December 1813		900	
				Pagodas	15,600	— —
Major General	R. Trapand Chief Engineer, being an equivalent to the 2-3ds of a Share of Off-reckonings to a Colonel of a Regiment, from 1st January to 31st December 1813				1400	— —
				Total, Pagodas	17,000	

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 85

FORT ST. GEORGE, *6th May* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant J. M'Cormick of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice Elderton.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 87

Fort St. George, 10th *May* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct that the Garrison of Royacottah shall be transferred from the range of the Paymaster in the Centre Division of the Army to that of the Pay Office at Bangalore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 86

Fort St. George, 10th *May* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Major D. Ross of the Artillery, to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon George Anderson, attached to the Civil Department at Ramnad, is permitted to be absent from his Station, for the space of two months, for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign Robert Warrand of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request; and directs that the name of that Officer be discontinued in the List of the Army from the 1st of January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 90

Fort St. George, 17th *May* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant T. Fair of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps, vice Anderson removed.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 89

Fort St. George, 17th *May* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Jemadar Syed Ahmed of the Pensioned establishment, having been reported by His Excellency the Commander in Chief to be fit for effective duty; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, on His Excellency's recommendation, to replace that Native Officer with his rank on the strength of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 88

Fort St. George, 17th *May* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant W. S. Maltby of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant George Paterson, Quarter Master of Brigade in the Ceded Districts, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The permission given in General Orders of the 1st of February last, to Lieutenant Colonel Jeremiah Simons of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to resume the duties of his rank, is to have effect from the 11th of January instead of the 25th of that month; the former having been ascertained to be the date of that Officer's arrival at Ganjam.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 95

Fort St. George, 25th *May* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart, having been appointed by His Majesty and

the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Command of His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Forces serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George; The Honorable the Governor in Council orders and directs that all Officers and Soldiers on the Establishment of Fort St. George shall obey Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, and that all Returns shall be made to him as Commander in Chief accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

No. 91

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20*th May* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Colonel George Martin, of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command at Bellary, vice M'Leod proceeding with his Regiment to Secunderabad.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 92

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20*th May* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Cornet James Morison, to be a Sub-Assistant Commissary General, vice M'Kenzie deceased.

Serjeant Robert Fitzsimons of Effective Supernumeraries, to be a Conductor of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 96

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26*th May* 1814.

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 day of June, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 94

Fort St. George, 24th May 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Major General A. Taylor, Commanding the Ceded Districts, to proceed to Mysore, and eventually to the Sea Coast, for two months, for the benefit of his health.

Ensign S. Lighton of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The following Promotions and Corrections of Rank are ordered.

19th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Ensign Henry Rice King to be Lieutenant, vice Dynely transferred to the Invalid establishment; date of commission 20th April 1814.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign John Stodart to be Lieutenant, vice Parkins deceased; date of commission 26th April 1814.

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Major A. Rochead
Captain John Kennett
Captain Lieutenant P. King
Lieutenant H. Salmon
} To take rank from 3d March 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 93

Fort St. George, 24th May 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that upon all occasions when it may be necessary to take up Transports for the conveyance of Troops, it shall be the duty of an Officer of the Quarter Master General's Department to inspect the accommodation proposed to be allotted to them, previously to any final arrangement being made for the hire of the Vessel.

The Marine Board will accordingly as early as possible, after receiving the tender of a Vessel for the Transport Service, communicate with the Quarrer Master General of the Army in order that an Officer of his Department may be sent on board along with the Surveying Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 97

Fort St. George, 27th May 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Appointments shall take place, at the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and have effect from the 25th Instant.

Captain Hugh Scott of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, until further orders.

Lieutenant J. T. Wood of His Majesty's 2d or Queen's Regiment of Foot, and Lieutenant Van Buerle of His Majesty's 56th Regiment of Foot, to be Aides de Camp to the Commander in Chief.

Lieutenant E. J. Foote of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be an extra Aid de Camp to His Excellency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD.
Sec. to Government.

No. 98

Fort St. George 27th May 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct, that the following Appointments shall take place

Captain Ludowick Stewart of His Majesty's 24th Foot, and Lieutenant Sir John Gordon, Bart. of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, to be Aides de Camp to the Governor.

Lieutenant W. Mills of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, to be extra Aid de Camp to the Governor.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 100

Fort St. George, 27th May 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant H. Salmon of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for six months from the 15th June 1814.

Captain W. S. Smith of the Pensioned list, being fit for Garrison duty, is transferred with his rank, to the Invalid establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 102

Fort St. George, 31st May 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant E. J. Foote of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, having produced a certificate from the Honorable the Court of Directors of permission to return to India, has been allowed to resume the duties of his rank, from the 25th Instant, the date of his arrival at this Presidency.

Captain T. Hunter of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transfecred to the Invalid establishment in compliance with his request.

The following Promotions are ordered to take place.

18th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Charles Diring to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign William Herring to be Lieutenant, vice M'Kenzie deceased; date of commission 28th April 1814.

Ensign Samuel Lighton to be Lieutenant, vice Slade deceased; date of commission 17th May 1814.

10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign T. A. Crichton to be Lieutenant, vice Maltby transferred to the Invalid establishment; date of commission 18th May 1814.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant C. A. Elderton to be an extra Aid de Camp to the Governor from the 27th Instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 103

Fort St. George, 3d June 1814,

G. O. By Government.

The leave of absence to proceed to Rio Janeiro, granted in General Orders under date the 27th October 1812, to Lieutenant C. D. Dunn of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, has been extended for a further period of twelve months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 104

Fort St. George, 3d June 1814,

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize an establishment of Sweepers, as detailed in the following Statement, for the purpose of [illegible] the several Barracks occupied by Native Troops, as also the allowance of Oil therein specified for the preservation of the Iron work in the Barracks in general, European as well as Native.

The establishment of Sweepers and allowance of Oil hereby authorized, will commence from the 1st of the ensuing month.

STATEMENT *of* SWEEPERS *and* ALLOWANCE *of* OIL *for* PRESERVING *the* LOCKS, HINGES *and other* IRON WORK, *fixed for the several* BARRACKS *at the* STATIONS *hereunder enumerated.*

Divisions.	Stations.	No. of Sweepers.	Quantity of Oil Quarterly.
Centre Division.	Arcot	1	1 Quart.
	Arnee	1	1 do
	Vellore	0	1 do
Northern Division.	Masulipatam	0	1 do
	Vizagapatam	1	1 do
	Vizayanagarum		
	Berhampore		
	Ganjam	1	1 do
	Chicacole	1	1 do
Southern Division.	Trichinopaly	0	1 do
	Pallamcotta	0	1 do
	Madura	1	1 do
	Sankerrydroog	1	1 do
	Dindigul	1	1 do
Mysore Division.	Bangalore	0	2 do
	Seringapatam	0	1 do
	Nundidroog	1	1 do
	Chittledroog	0	1 do
	Ryacotta	1	1 do
Malabar and Canara.	Cannanore	0	1 do
	Tellicherry	1	1 do
	Mangalore	1	1 do
	Paulghaut	1	1 do
Ceded Districts.	Bellary	0	1 do
	Gooty	0	1 do
Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.	Jaulnah	0	1 do
	Secunderabad	0	1 do

N. B.—The establishment of Sweepers recommended is founded upon the principle of allowing such Attendants at those Stations only, where there is no establishment of Tent Lascars, as a few of the latter persons are considered as quite available for keeping the barracks clean wherever they are stationed.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 114

Fort St. George, *7th June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

In consequence of the late appointment of Colour Serjeants in His Majesty's Regiments of Infantry; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that on all occasions of taking the Field that rank shall be provided with Camp Equipage in the proportion of one Native Cavalry Tent to two Colour Serjeants.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 115

Fort St. George, *7th June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant James Weir of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant Henry Dixon of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant J. W. Pew of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

Ensign A. Grant of the Corps of Engineers, and Lieutenant Fireworker Chisholm of the Artillery, are reported by the Committee for the examination of Military Students, to have exhibited attainments in the Hindoostanee language entitling them, with some exception in respect of their performance of the colloquial exercise, to their unqualified approbation; and the Honorable the Governor in Council concurring with the Committee in considering them to have fully established their claims to the honorary reward, is pleased to direct that it be presented to each of those Officers accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 10*th June* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint; Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command the District of Ganjam, from the 7th Instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 99

Fort St. George, 27th *May* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extracts of Letters from the Honourable the Court of Directors, for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 12th November 1813.

Para. 2d. Lieutenant Colonel James Rowles of your Establishment, retired from the Company's Service (with our permission) from the 22d September 1813.

3d. Captain Charles Pasley of your Establishment, and Mr. Thomas Cother an Assistant Surgeon on the same Establishment, have our permission to remain in England till the departure of the last Ships of this season.

4th. Captain Lieutenant George Jackson of your Establishment, having stated to us that he obtained the permission of your Government to proceed to St. Helena on leave of absence for seven months for the benefit of his health, but that on arriving there the state of his health rendered it necessary in the opinion of the Surgeon of the Ship on which he had embarked for that Island that he should continue the voyage to England, which he did in consequence of having obtained permission from the Government of St. Helena for that purpose, we have (in consequence of Certificates which he has produced to us) permitted him to receive the pay of his rank while on furlough.

5th. Lieutenant Nathaniel Lawrence Austen of your Establishment, has our permission to return to his duty.

Letter dated 17th December 1813.

Para. 3d. Captain Alured Gibson and Lieutenant Arthur Des Voeux, of your Establishment, retired from the Company's Service (with our permission), the former on the 2d and the latter on the 22d September 1813.

4th. Captain James Simpson of your Establishment, has our permission to return to his rank.

5th We have resolved this season (1813) to appoint thirteen Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency.

7th. In the 3d Paragraph of our Military Letter dated the 18th of December 1812, we informed you that we had permitted Brevet Colonel Colin Macaulay of your Establishment, to remain in England till the departure of the last Ships of the season 1812: Colonel Macaulay having by the much lamented death of Major General Sir Barry Close, Bart. on the 12th April last, been promoted to the Command of a Regiment, his return to India under our orders of 20th April 1813, becomes unnecessary unless we shall think proper to direct him to proceed thither.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 108

Fort St. George, 10th *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Fletcher of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command the District of Ganjam, from the 7th Instant.

Lieutenant W. Borthwick of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Brigade-Major to the Officer Commanding the District of Ganjam from the same date.

Ensign J. W. Nattes Assistant under the Superintending Engineer in the Southern Division, is directed to proceed to Quilon for the purpose of taking charge of the Engineer Department in Travancore, during the absence of Captain Arthur on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 109

Fort St. George, 10th *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The following Promotions are ordered.

Senior Major of Infantry Edward Boardman, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Shaw deceased; date of commission 19th May 1814.

18th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain S. M'Dowall to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Charles Diring to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. L. Church to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign E. E. Bruce to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Boardman promoted; date of commissions 19th May 1814.

10th Regiment N. I.

Captain C. Saltwell to be Major, Captain Lieutenant P. Morrill to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant D. Ross to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign J. G. Curry to be Lieutenant, vice Gibson deceased; date of commissions 25th May 1814.

20th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieutenant H. Scott to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. T. Baker to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Henry Cazalet to be Lieutenant, vice Hunter transferred to the non-effective establishment; date of commissions 1st June 1814.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain G. Gillespie of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Paymaster at Trichinopoly, vice M'Dowall promoted.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 111

FORT ST. GEORGE, 14*th June* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant G. Payne of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to Bengal, for the purpose of taking his passage to Europe, under the furlough granted to him in General Orders of the 3d Ultimo.

The leave of absence to visit the Presidency granted in General Orders of the 22d of March to the Reverend J. Mousley, Military Chaplain at Arcot, is extended for a further period of one month.

Lieutenant N. L. Austen of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, having produced a certificate from the Honorable the Court of Directors of permission to return to India, will resume the duties of his rank from the 5th Instant—the date of his arrival at this Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies,)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 112

Fort St. George, 17th *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to rescind the 23d and 24th Paragraphs of the 15th Section of the Code of Pay Regulations, and the Commander in Chief, is requested to direct that on, or before, the 20th of the month of April of each year, the Military Auditor General shall be furnished with Lists of Officers *in India*, who are entitled to participate for the preceding year, in the Off-reckoning Fund of this Presidency: the Lists to state the periods during which each Officer is entitled to share.

On receipt of the above Lists the Military Auditor General is to prepare and submit to Government, a report on the whole of the claims, when the sanction of the Governor in Council, for the distribution of a proportion, equal to the computed amount of two-thirds of a share of the preceding year, will be notified to the Military Auditor General, and it will be that Officer's duty to make the necessary communications for the information of the Pay Department, and of the Colonels and other Officers concerned.

Should the distribution of Off-reckonings for the year immediately preceding, not have taken place, the computation is to be made with reference to the last actual distribution, but subject to any changes which may have occurred to increase, or diminish the amount of a share.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 113

Fort St. George, 17th *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Colonel J. Simons of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command at Wallajahbad, during the absence of Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher on other duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 115

Fort St. George, 21st *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Blacker Commanding the Escort of the Resident in Travancore, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Secretary.

N°. 114

Fort St. George, 21st *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Captains W. Coote Campbell of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, and Richard Burn of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, the names of those Officers are struck off the List of the Army.

The following Promotions are ordered to take place.

3d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Captain Lieutenant Hanbury Rainsford to be Captain of a Troop, Lieutenant Robert Outlaw to be Captain Lieutenant, and Cornet Henry E. Fullerton to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Captain W. C. Campbell, deceased; date of commissions 20th May 1813.

Native Infantry 2d Regiment.

Captain Lieutenant Edward Osborn to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant William James to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Alexander Bell to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Captain R. Burn, deceased; date of commissions 27th July 1813.

Native Infantry 19th Regiment.

Ensign T. J. Masline to be Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Dixon invalided; date of commission 8th June 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 116

Fort St. George, 24th *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The leave of absence to proceed to the Mauritius granted in General Orders of the 27th of July 1813,

to Captain H. W. Sale of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been extended for a further period terminating on the 1st of July 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 117.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24*th June* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 118.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28*th June* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant George Maquay of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Quarter Master, vice Erskine.

Captain Thomas Arthur, Superintending Engineer in Travancore, has been permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

Ensign H. Harris of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Java on leave of absence for six months.

The following Promotions are ordered to take place.

4th Regiment of Native Cavalry.

Cornet T. Greenhill to be Lieutenant, vice Erskine deceased; date of commission 19th June 1814.

Corps of Artillery.

Captain Lieutenant Samuel Cleaveland to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Samuel Watson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Lieutenant Fireworker P. Montgomerie to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Gibson retired; date of commissions 3d September 1813.

Lieutenant Fireworker W. Aston to be Lieutenant, vice Munro deceased; date of commission 17th January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 119

FORT ST. GEORGE, 5th July 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant G. H. Budd of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Fort Adjutant at Cannanore.

Serjeant James Cross of the Artillery, to be a Conductor in the Dooly Corps, to complete the establishment.

Lieutenant Edward Williames of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for one year, and will cease to draw pay from the date of his embarkation.

The furlough granted in General Orders of the 25th of March last, to Captain C. Brook of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation.

The following Promotions are ordered to take place.

Senior Major of Infantry A. M'Intosh from the 22d Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, in succession to Dowse deceased; date of rank 28th June 1814.

22d Regiment N. I.

Captain and Brevet Major John Wissett to be Major, Captain Lieutenant R. M'Craith to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant T. Hodgson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign James Malton to be Lieutenant,—in succession to M'Intosh promoted; date of commissions 28th June 1814.

11th Regiment N. I.

Ensign W. Drake to be Lieutenant, in succession to Farquharson deceased; date of rank 22d June 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 125

FORT ST. GEORGE, 8th July 1814,

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council had directed that the sentiments of approbation expressed by the Supreme Government in the following Letter from the Secretary at Fort William should be communicated to Lieutenant Colonel Dowse on his recent return from Field Service; but the lamented death of that highly deserving Officer having occurred before the Communication could be made, the Governor in Council is desirous of manifesting his respect for the memory of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse by publishing them to the Army in General Orders.

To GEORGE STRACHEY, Esq.
Chief Secretary to the Government of
Fort St. George.

SIR,

The Resident at Poonah having reported to the Governor General in Council that the services of the Detachment under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse is no longer required in the Mahratta Country and that he had requested that Officer to direct the Troops to return to the Stations allotted to them by the orders of the Government of Fort St. George: I am directed to take this opportunity of conveying to you for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council of Fort St. George, the sentiments of the Governor General in Council relative to the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse and the Officers and Troops under his command during the period of their employment in that quarter.

2d.—The Governor General in Council has great satisfaction in transmitting to the Governor in Council of Fort St. George the enclosed Copy of a Letter addressed to Lieutenant Colonel Dowse by the Resident at Poonah, and in adding the expression of his own sense of their exemplary conduct, founded on the uniformly favorable report which has been made by the Resident, under whose immediate observation they were employed.

3.—The Governor General in Council has in the course of his correspondence with the Resident concerning the affairs of the Southern Jaggeerdars had frequent occasion to mark his approbation of the zeal, judgment and ability of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse in the exercise of his Command, and His Excellency in Council has great satisfaction in conveying this sentiment as well as his approbation of the conduct of the Detachment generally, to the Government of the Presidency to which it belongs.

I have the honor to be,
SIR,
Your most obedient, humble Servant.
(Signed) J. ADAM,
SEC. TO THE GOVERNMENT.

FORT WILLIAM, 2 8th May 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

N°. 126

FORT ST. GEORGE, 8th July 1814,

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to rescind the General Order dated 16th August 1809, and to direct that the Travancore Subsidiary Force, shall be considered a Separate Command, and placed upon the same footing as it was previously to that date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

to Captain H. W. Sale of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been extended for a further period terminating on the 1st of July 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 117.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24*th June* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

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SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 118.

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The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant George Maquay of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Quarter Master, vice Erskine.

Captain Thomas Arthur, Superintending Engineer in Travancore, has been permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

Ensign H. Harris of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Java on leave of absence for six months.

The following Promotions are ordered to take place.

4th Regiment of Native Cavalry.

Cornet T. Greenhill to be Lieutenant, vice Erskine deceased; date of commission 19th June 1814.

Corps of Artillery.

Captain Lieutenant Samuel Cleaveland to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Samuel Watson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Lieutenant Fireworker P. Montgomerie to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Gibson retired; date of commissions 3d September 1813.

Lieutenant Fireworker W. Aston to be Lieutenant, vice Munro deceased; date of commission 17th January 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 119

Fort St. George, 5th July 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant G. H. Budd of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Fort Adjutant at Cannanore.

Serjeant James Cross of the Artillery, to be a Conductor in the Dooly Corps, to complete the establishment.

Lieutenant Edward Williames of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for one year, and will cease to draw pay from the date of his embarkation.

The furlough granted in General Orders of the 25th of March last, to Captain C. Brook of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation.

The following Promotions are ordered to take place,

Senior Major of Infantry A. M'Intosh from the 22d Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, in succession to Dowse deceased; date of rank 28th June 1814.

22d Regiment N. I.

Captain and Brevet Major John Wissett to be Major, Captain Lieutenant R. M'Craith to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant T. Hodgson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign James Malton to be Lieutenant,—in succession to M'Intosh promoted; date of commissions 28th June 1814.

11th Regiment N. I.

Ensign W. Drake to be Lieutenant, in succession to Farquharson deceased; date of rank 22d June 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 125

Fort St. George, 8th July 1814,

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council had directed that the sentiments of approbation expressed by the Supreme Government in the following Letter from the Secretary at Fort William should be communicated to Lieutenant Colonel Dowse on his recent return from Field Service; but the lamented death of that highly deserving Officer having occurred before the Communication could be made, the Governor in Council is desirous of manifesting his respect for the memory of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse by publishing them to the Army in General Orders.

To GEORGE STRACHEY, Esq.

Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George.

Sir,

The Resident at Poonah having reported to the Governor General in Council that the services of the Detachment under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse is no longer required in the Mahratta Country and that he had requested that Officer to direct the Troops to return to the Stations allotted to them by the orders of the Government of Fort St. George: I am directed to take this opportunity of conveying to you for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council of Fort St. George, the sentiments of the Governor General in Council relative to the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse and the Officers and Troops under his command during the period of their employment in that quarter.

2d.—The Governor General in Council has great satisfaction in transmitting to the Governor in Council of Fort St. George the enclosed Copy of a Letter addressed to Lieutenant Colonel Dowse by the Resident at Poonah, and in adding the expression of his own sense of their exemplary conduct, founded on the uniformly favorable report which has been made by the Resident, under whose immediate observation they were employed.

3.—The Governor General in Council has in the course of his correspondence with the Resident concerning the affairs of the Southern Jaggeerdars had frequent occasion to mark his approbation of the zeal, judgment and ability of Lieutenant Colonel Dowse in the exercise of his Command, and His Excellency in Council has great satisfaction in conveying this sentiment as well as his approbation of the conduct of the Detachment generally, to the Government of the Presidency to which it belongs.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant.

(Signed) J. ADAM,

Sec. to the Government.

Fort William, 2d May 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Chief Secretary.

N°. 126

Fort St. George, 8th July 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to rescind the General Order dated 16th August 1809, and to direct that the Travancore Subsidiary Force, shall be considered a Separate Command, and placed upon the same footing as it was previously to that date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 120

Fort St. George, 8th July 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Colonel Robert Sewell of His Majesty's 89th Regiment, to Command the Troops stationed in Travancore and Cochin, vice Dowse deceased.

Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Marriott of the 12th Regiment Native Infantry, to Command at Bangalore, vice Sewell.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 123

Fort St. George, 8th July 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Conductor John Victory is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

The following Promotions are ordered to take place.

20th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain A. J. Clason to be Major, Captain Lieutenant W. T. Baker to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Henry Walpole to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign John Ward to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Custance deceased; date of commissions, the 25th June 1814.

Major J. Simpson of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, having produced a certificate from the Honorable the Court of Directors, of permission to return to India, will resume the duties of his rank from the 31st of May 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 126

Fort St. George, 12th July 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Surgeon M. Cordiner to proceed to Bombay and eventually to Sea, for the benefit of his health.

Captain Lieutenant B. Mackintosh of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for two months, on urgent private affairs.

Lieutenant G. Grant of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay for the recovery of his health.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Captain George John Pepper of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, that Officer's name is struck off the List of the Army.

The following Promotions in the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, are ordered to take place.

Captain Lieutenant W. James to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Alexander Cumming to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. P. Russell to be Lieutenant, in succession to Pepper deceased; dates of rank to be settled hereafter.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N° 130

Fort St. George, 22*d July* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

1st—The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve that the Family Payments of the Army shall in future be placed under the management and direction of an Officer who is to be designated "*Superintendent of Family Payments;*" and to establish the following Regulations for the conduct of that branch of the Military Pay Department, to have effect from the 1st of the ensuing month.

2d—No Family Certificates shall hereafter be issued without the previous authority of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, of which, if not published in General Orders, intimation will in all cases be communicated to the Superintendent and to the Military Auditor General, by the Adjutant General of the Army.

3d—As the regularity of Family Payments will be essentially promoted by the residence of Families at the principal Stations of the different Divisions of the Army during the absence of the Troops, His Excellency the Commander in Chief will be pleased to direct arrangements to that effect to be made on all occasions when Family Certificates may be authorized hereafter.

4th—When the Regular Corps of the Army or Detachments to which an Adjutant may be appointed, take the Field, the issuing of Family Certificates, the regulation of the stoppages, and the whole duty connected therewith will attach to that Officer, under the general superintendence of the Commanding Officer.

5th—The regulation under which Bills have hitherto been remitted for stoppages on account of Family Payments is rescinded, and the amount will in future be paid into the hands of the Field or Expedition Paymasters under the provisions herein-after established.

6th—An allowance of ten Pagodas per month is authorized to Adjutants of Corps on account of the above duty, that is, when Corps proceed beyond the frontiers on actual service, or in other cases of service, when it may be deemed expedient by the Commander in Chief to authorize the issue of Family Certificates—this allowance is to be drawn under the head of "Family Certificate allowance" and will commence and cease from the same dates as the other Field Charges: It is not, however, to be considered applicable to Corps of the Subsidiary Forces of Hyderabad and Poonah, except when those Troops proceed on actual service beyond the limits of their fixed stations, nor is it to be drawn by any Officer but the Adjutant.

7th—As the terms advance and arrear are frequently misunderstood when applied to Family Payments, the following terms are to be used in future both in Family Certificates and Casualty Rolls:

Regarding the commencement of Payment of Family Certificates. { The first monthly payment to be made in January 1814.

Regarding their discontinuance. { The last payment to be made in December 1814.

in other respects Family Certificates and Casualty Rolls are to be drawn out in the form heretofore customary, but those of each Corps will be numbered from 1 upwards to 300, 600, 1,000 or whatever number may be granted, so that on the removal of an individual from one Troop or Company to another, no report will be necessary to the Superintendent nor any alteration in the Family Certificates.

8th—Each Family Certificate when signed by the Officer in immediate charge of the Troop, Company, &c. and countersigned by the Commanding Officer, is to be delivered to the Adjutant, by whom also it will be countersigned. Rolls corresponding in every respect with the Family Certificates will be made out by the Adjutant (one for each Station at which they may be made payable) and forwarded to the Superintendent of Family Payments. The Certificates being at the same time delivered to the persons to whom they may be made payable.

9th—In cases where no Adjutant may be employed, the above duties will be performed by Officers Commanding Detachments, or in charge of Departments, &c. (always the Senior of each), who as well as the Adjutants will be held strictly answerable for paying into the hands of the Field or Expedition Paymaster the full amount for which Family Certificates may have been issued—the duty of those Paymasters in regard to Family Certificates will therefore be confined to the receipt of the stoppages, which are to be entered in their Accounts Current under the head of "Superintendent of Family Payments."

10th—It will be the special duty of the Officers abovementioned, by whom the stoppages on account of Family Certificates shall be paid into the hands of the Field or Expedition Paymasters, to transmit each month to the Superintendent, copies of the receipts of those Paymasters for the amount of the stoppages, retaining the originals to be referred to, produced as occasion may require, the stoppages to appear as heretofore at foot of the abstracts from which the amount has been deducted.

11th—If the amount of the stoppages of one month varies in the smallest degree from that of the preceding month, the increase or decrease will be stated in the most particular manner on the back of the receipt, or in a separate paper accompanying it; and every three months, viz. in May, August, November, and February, of each official year, correct Rolls in detail of the Family Certificates will be forwarded to the Superintendent for the purpose of enabling that Officer to check any irregularities that may have occurred.

12th—Rolls of Casualties will be forwarded, as soon as may be practicable after they occur, both to the Superintendent of Family Payments and to the Officer Commanding the Station at which the Family Certificates may be payable, and duplicates of Casualty Rolls will be sent by the next opportunities after the despatch of the originals.

13th—The Officers specified in the 4th and 9th Paragraphs, on whom the duty of regulating the stoppages on account of Family Certificates devolves, are directed to correspond with the Superintendent on the subject of the payment of the Families, in all cases when it may become necessary, as they will be held responsible for any deficiency that may arise from neglect on their part in the amount of the stoppages.

14th—The Superintendent of Family Payments shall pay particular attention to the casualties and communications, which he may receive from time to time from Staff Officers, Officers Commanding Corps, &c. as he will be held responsible for any sum that may be overpaid to the Families from neglect on his part.

15th—In all cases of detachment or separation of Corps, Departments or Individuals on Field Service from their Head Quarters, or of their transfer to other Divisions, Corps, Departments, &c. the most particular instructions regarding their Family Certificates will be given in writing to the Officer Commanding or in charge, or who is afterwards to receive charge of the Parties detached or transferred—the Adjutant or Head of the Corps, &c. from which such Parties proceed, will transmit a copy of the instructions so issued for the information of the Superintendent, and they are to be so framed as to enable that Officer to attach responsibility for any deficiency of stoppages which may occur.

16th—On the arrival in Quarters of Troops from Field Service or previously thereto, if necessary and practicable, Adjutants of Corps and Commanding and Staff Officers shall notify such return to the Superintendent of Family Payments, as also to Commanding Officers of the Stations at which the Family Certificates may be payable, stating particularly the period from which the payments are to be discontinued —the notifications to state that the whole of the Family Certificates of the Corps, Detachments, &c. &c. are to be discontinued, or otherwise those which are to remain for payment will be particularly specified. Any failure in the notifications directed by this and the preceding Paragraphs, which may be the cause of payments being made to the Families beyond the period of corresponding stoppages will attach direct and positive responsibility (for the amount of such continued payments) to the Officers neglecting to make the prescribed communications.

17th—A copy of the Roll of Stoppages of each month on account of Family Certificates will form a public record of every Corps, Detachment, Department and Staff Office on Field Service, so as to admit of reference in regard to any want of information which may afterwards occur.

18th—The Superintendent is to be considered as a General Agent, to whom all Officers will communicate their instructions regarding Family Certificates when proceeding on Service.

19th—The Funds for the payment of Family Certificates will be provided by the Superintendent in the following manner, but that Officer is himself never to receive or disburse any Cash for those payments.

20th—The Superintendent will transmit to the Public Staff Officers, or, if there should be no Staff, to the Commanding Officers of Stations (including the Presidency), Rolls of the Family Certificates payable at each, accompanied by receipts for their amount—the receipts to be despatched so as to reach the Stations prior to the date on which the payments of the Family Certificates are to take place; and Paymasters are authorized and directed to discharge them on demand, requiring to each receipt the countersignature of the Officer receiving the amount, which will be entered in the Paymasters Accounts Current as advances under the head of

"SUPERINTENDENT of FAMILY PAYMENTS."

21st—When the payments of each month shall have been completed, the Commanding or Staff Officer of the Station by whom they were made is to retain the Rolls and to transmit a Letter to the following effect to the Superintendent; both Rolls and Letter to remain on public record as the Official Documents to prove the payment at any after period.

To The SUPERINTENDENT of FAMILY CERTIFICATES.

Sir,

1st Bn. 8th Regt. N. I.	72
2d " 3d " "	35
4th Regiment N. C.	17
Dep. Adjt. Gen.'s Dept.	29
Pagodas 153	

In acknowledging the receipt of your Letter of the transmitting four Rolls of Family Certificates on account of the Corps stated in the margin, accompanied by your receipt for Pagodas 153 to be taken up from the Paymaster of this Station: I have the honor to report that the full amount has been disbursed to the Families according to your instructions.

I am, &c.

22d—In each subsequent month receipts will in like manner be transmitted by the Superintendent with instructions to Commanding or Staff Officers to make the same payments as in the preceding month, unless any alterations may have occurred (occasioned by Casualties or otherwise), in which case those alterations are to be particularly specified—in order, however, to guard as much as possible against irregularities, the Superintendent will transmit with his receipts every third month, viz. in May, August, November, and February, of each official year, correct Rolls of the Family Certificates corresponding with the amount of the receipts.

23d—Commanding Officers of Stations are directed on receipt of communications of Casualties to give the necessary information to the Officers by whom the Families are paid, in order that those payments, to which the Casualty Roll refer, may be discontinued (altho' not notified by the Superintendent), and their amount be withheld, subject to the orders of the Superintendent, to whom the circumstance will be reported by the Officers paying the Families: the Superintendent in such cases will make a proportionate reduction from the amount of the receipt which he transmits for the payment of the Families in the ensuing month, and such remarks will be inserted in his Books as may suffice at any after period to explain the circumstance.

24th—The only legitimate claims on the Government for losses occasioned by Family Certificates are those on account of payments which may be made to Families for periods between the dates of Casualties and of the reports thereof, reaching the Superintendent or Officers Commanding Stations. On the occurrence of such claims, the Superintendent will make out an Abstract for the amount and transmit it,

accompanied by authenticated Copies of the Casualty Rolls and a declaration upon honor of the date when he received them, to the Secretary to the Commander in Chief, in order to be laid before Government with such remarks regarding the delay of communication of the Casualties, as circumstances may in His Excellency's opinion render necessary to enable the Government to decide as to the responsibility which may attach to Officers under the 13th, 14th and 16th Paragraphs of these Regulations.

25th—When claims of the above description are sanctioned by Government they are to be passed for payment by the Military Auditor General, under the head of the service on which the Troops were employed; and the Superintendent will present the Abstracts to the Paymaster of the Presidency, who will grant a receipt for their amount, which is to be credited in his Account Current to the Superintendent of Family Payments, and the Abstracts will be entered in his Accounts of Disbursements as Public Charges.

26th—In all cases when it may be deemed expedient to authorize the payment of Family Certificates to be continued after the death of the Individuals who granted them until the termination of the service on which their Corps, &c. are employed, it will be the special duty of the Superintendent to keep the accounts of such continual payments perfectly distinct from those of the regular Family Payments, so as to prevent any difficulty in their adjustment on the return of the Troops to Quarters.

27th—It will be the duty of the Superintendent to communicate and correspond with Corps and Departments, as also with Paymasters and with the Accountant General, regarding any deficiencies or differences which may occur between the payment to the Families and the amount credited on the same account, and to supply every information and instruction which the circumstances of the Public Service may render necessary (altho' not prescribed by Regulation), in the same manner as if the payments to the Families were regulated by Private Regimental Agency.

28th—The Superintendent shall keep Books in which regular accounts (Debtor and Creditor) will be kept of the amount of the receipts which he transmits to Commanding and Staff Officers, and of the Credits given on the same account by the different Field or Expedition Paymasters, as also an account for each Corps, Department, &c. which may be permitted to leave Family Certificates; and it will be the Superintendent's duty to bring to the early notice of the Commander in Chief, for the information of Government, the conduct of any Officer who may neglect to make the necessary or prescribed communications for the Superintendent's information.

29th—The Superintendent of Family Payments will furnish the Accountant General, monthly, with an Account Current exhibiting the receipts and payments of the Department under his superintendence, framed from the documents to be transmitted to him under the 10th Paragraph of these Regulations, and from the receipts for advances forwarded by him in each month for the payment of the families—the names of the Paymasters to be always specified in the Accounts Current.

30th—The Superintendent will bring under the earliest examination (in such manner as circumstances may require) any differences which may occur between the amount of receipts and payments on account of Family Certificates of any Corps, Departments, &c. in order that they may be adjusted while the means exist of obtaining information from the Parties concerned.

31st—In the event of the decease of a person to whom a Family Certificate may be made payable, of a Family Certificate being lost, transferred, or having got into the hands of a person whom there may be reason to suppose is not entitled to receive payment of it, in all such or other cases of doubt which may occur, the Officers paying the Families shall represent the nature of the difficulty to the Superintendent of Family Payments, who will enquire into the circumstances and issue new Certificates authenticated by his signature, or sanction or withhold payment of the old, as shall appear to him to be just, until reference can be made to the person on whose account the Certificate was issued.—Should circumstances render it necessary on such occasions, the Superintendent will submit the questions that may arise thro' the medium of the Commander in Chief, for the consideration of Government.

32d—In order that due provision of Funds may be made in regard to Family Payments, the Superintendent shall notify to the Military Auditor General on or before the 15th of each month, the particulars and amount for which he will have occasion to issue receipts in the following month, specifying the Stations and amount payable at each.

33d—The Superintendent shall keep copies of all the correspondence of his Office and regulate his Books in such form as may enable him at all times to state for the information of Government the amount due by each Corps, Department and Staff Office on account of Family Certificates, and to whom in all such cases responsibility may attach under these regulations for any deficiencies or differences between the amount of payments and stoppages.

34th—As in this particular branch of the Pay department many circumstances may occur to which these regulations do not apply, the Superintendent will from time to time suggest to His Excellency the Commander in Chief such modifications or additional regulations as experience may shew to be calculated to improve the system of his Office.

35th—When references to Government connected with the stoppages on account of Troops serving under other Presidencies may become necessary, they will be transmitted by the Superintendent thro' the medium of the Accountant General, with every necessary information to enable the Government to decide on the questions submitted.

36th—When Troops are proceeding on Field or Foreign Service (particularly the latter), it will be the Superintendent's special duty to communicate to Adjutants, Commanding Officers, &c. in writing, and also personally, if practicable, every necessary information for their guidance regarding Family Payments, adverting particularly to the Troops being paid by Paymasters of other Presidencies, to the removal of individuals from one branch of the service to another, and also to the removal of the Commanding and Staff Officers themselves, so as to enable them to adopt the most efficacious measures for preserving regularity in the accounts.

37th—Family Certificates will be payable in all cases at the periods prescribed for the payment of the Army.

38th—The proportion of the pay of Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, Drummers, and Fifers proceeding on Field Service, to be appropriated monthly for the support of their Families shall not exceed half their net pay—that for the support of the Family of a Trooper shall in no case exceed six Rupees, nor that for the support of the Family of a Sepoy four Rupees per month.

39th—Native Troops proceeding on *Foreign Service* are permitted to leave Family Certificates for a proportion of their pay not exceeding two-thirds of the pay and allowances of the Native Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Officers, Drummers and Fifers, and six Rupees of that of the Privates and Pucksallies.

40th—No stoppages will be made from the arrear of pay which may be due to Native Troops and Followers who may die on Service, on account of the broken period of the month in which such casualties occur. When European Non-Commissioned or Privates die before the 15th of a month no arrears can be due on their account as they are paid in advance, but if they die after the 15th, as the pay of the following month is in such case authorized to be drawn, the regular stoppages on account of Family Certificates are to be made therefrom, that is, the net pay only to which such individuals would have been entitled had they lived, will be issued for the subsequent month.

41st—All calculations relative to Family Payments will be made at the exchange of 45 Fanams to the Star Pagoda.

42d—It will be the special duty of the Superintendent to effect the earliest practicable adjustments of the accounts of Family Payments and to adopt such other measures as may be calculated to give efficiency to the Department placed under his charge.

43d—The Superintendent shall obey all orders which he may receive from the Military Auditor General regarding the duties of his Office.

44th—The Superintendent is authorized to frank Letters on the Public Service.

45th—Major Vans Agnew is appointed Superintendent of Family Payments.

46th—It having been ascertained that there are at present many Family Certificates in course of payment under this Presidency which were granted by Troops proceeding on Foreign or Field Service which has long since terminated, and also by Troops not now in a situation to entitle them to that indulgence, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that payment shall cease from the 31st Instant on all Family Certificates granted by other than the undermentioned Corps, Departments and Individuals, and that the future payment of the Certificates hereby authorized to be continued shall be brought by the Superintendent of Family Payments under the new system from the 1st of the ensuing month.

STATEMENT OF CORPS, DETAILS, DEPARTMENTS AND INDIVIDUALS, THE PAYMENT OF WHOSE FAMILY CERTIFICATES ARE AUTHORIZED TO BE CONTINUED.

Corps, Details, Departments and Individuals.	Manner in which employed.	Remarks.
Horse Artillery, Detachment of	With the Jaulnah Force	*To be paid monthly until the return of the Corps, &c. to some of the fixed Stations of the Army within the limits of this Government, unless Casualty Rolls shall be received to direct their previous discontinuance.*
2d Regiment of Native Cavalry	On Service in Cuttack	
3d do do do	With the Poonah Subsidiary Force	
5th do do do	With the Jaulnah Force	
,, do Detachment of	On Service in Persia	
7th do do do	With the Jaulnah Force	
8th do do do	At Secunderabad	
2d Battalion Artillery, Detachment of	With the Jaulnah Force	
,, do do do	At Amboyna	
Madras European Regiment, Detachment of	do do	
2d Battalion 5th Regiment	With the Jaulnah Force	
1st Battalion 9th Regiment	do do	
1st 16th do	do do	
1st 20th do	do do	
,, 21st do	do do	
1st 22d do	Marching towards Hydrabad	
,, 24th do	,, ,, Jaulnah	
,, Pioneers, Detachment of	With the Jaulnah Force	
Tent Lascars (Ordnance Department)	With the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force	
Ordnance Department (in advance)	With the Hydrabad Subsidiary Force at Jaulnah	
Mr. Assistant Surgeon G. Mickle	Doing duty in the Field, under the orders of the Resident at Hydrabad	
Conductor David Hooker	At Amboyna	

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true copy.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°124

Fort St. George, 8th July 1814.

G. O. By Government:

Lieutenant T. Jackson of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, who was announced in General Orders of the 12th of April 1814, as having obtained the usual prize for a high degree of proficiency in the Hindoostanee language, and had thereby entitled himself to undergo an examination in the Persian language, having been reported by the Military Committee of Examination to have established his claim to the further distinction for the attainment of that language proclaimed in General Orders dated the 17th November 1812; The Honorable the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in recording and publishing to the Army the sense entertained by the Committee of Lieutenant Jackson's merits, and in directing that the additional reward be accordingly presented to that Officer.

To His Excellency Lieutenant General
The Honorable J. Abercromby,
Governor in Council.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Letter from the Secretary to Government in the Military Department dated the 20th Ultimo, and in conformity with the instructions therein contained to report the result of our examination of Lieutenant Jackson of the 2d Battalion 17th Regiment N. I. in the Persian language.

Lieutenant Jackson's translation from Persian into English was performed with great accuracy—in his translation into Persian there are several orthographical errors, and several expressions repugnant to the idiom of the language; but in this respect we are disposed to make considerable allowances in as much as the paper which we gave for translation was more than ordinarily difficult.—With the exceptions above alluded to, we think that the translation in question is creditable to Lieutenant Jackson. It is written in a good hand.

In the colloquial part of the examination Lieutenant Jackson acquitted himself tolerably well; but we could wish to direct his attention to the attainment of a more perfect pronunciation.

Upon the whole we consider Lieutenant Jackson to have established his claim to the honorary reward, which we beg leave to recommend may be bestowed upon him.

Fort St. George,
29th June 1814.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble Servants.
(Signed) J. LEITH,
" R. R. OTTO,
" W. OLIVER.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°127

Fort St. George, 12th July 1814.

G. O. By Government.

In directing the attention of Officers Commanding Divisions of the Army and inferior Stations to the following Extract from the Regulations for the Ordnance Department, the Honorable the Governor in Council deems it sufficient to observe, that the rule thereby established regarding Military Salutes is too clearly defined to require further explanation.

SECTION IX.

Para 4th.—Except the Governor, The Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Squadron, and The Commander in Chief of the Army, no person entitled by his rank, to a Salute, is to be Saluted, but when he comes into, or leaves a Garrison upon public duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°128

Fort St. George, 15th July 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant H. W. Poole of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Department, Survey branch, 2d Class, vice Dalgairns permitted to remain on duty at Java.

Ensign G. Harrison of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

The undermentioned Officers having been permitted by the Honorable the Court of Directors to return to India, will resume the duties of their rank.

Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Boles,—Captain H. H. Torriano of the Engineers,—Captain John Edmonds of the 16th Native Infantry,—Captain G. Cadell of the 12th Native Infantry,—and Lieutenant R. R. Ternan of the 16th Native Infantry;—arrived at Madras 4th July 1814.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the Establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names:

ENGINEERS.

James Rannie Anderson,—to be Ensign

ARTILLERY.

Cortlandt Taylor,
John Wynch,
William Selby Stele,—to be Lieutenant Fireworkers

INFANTRY.

Phillip Burrard,
George William,
John James De Paiba,
Thomas Bell,—to be Ensigns,

Arrived at Madras 4th July 1814; date of rank to be determined hereafter.

The undermentioned Gentlemen are admitted Assistant Surgeons on the Establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Arrived at Madras 4th July 1814.

Mr. Thomas Williams.
" William Henry Richards.
" Cornelius Desormeaux.
" William Turnbull.
" Robert Davidson.
" Robert Anderson.
" John Edwards.
" Alexander Shedden.
" James Hazlewood.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 129

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19*th July* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Deputy Assistant Commissary General Lieutenant J. Campbell to be Assistant Commissary General, vice Whyte deceased.

Sub Assistant Commissary General Captain A. M'Laren to be Deputy Assistant, vice Campbell.

Lieutenant N. Alves of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Sub Assistant Commissary General, to complete the establishment.

Captain J. Remmington of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for six months from the date of his departure from Ganjam.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 131

FORT ST. GEORGE, 22*d July* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Colonel G. Tichborne of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

Ensign N. Spence of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

The following Promotions will take place.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant Edward Malton to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant John Duncombe to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign George Egan to be Lieutenant, in succession to Whyte deceased; date of commissions 9th July 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 133

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26*th July* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council 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 5th day of August and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 134

Fort St. George, 26th *July* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract of a Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors in the Public Department, dated the 18th February 1814, for the information of the Army.

Para. 3d.—" We have appointed Cornet William Hay M'Naghten of the 5th Regiment of Cavalry on your Establishment, a Writer on the Bengal Establishment; you will therefore direct Mr. M'Naghten to proceed to his destination in Bengal accordingly.

4th—" The Bengal Government have been advised by the present despatch of Mr. M'Naghten's said appointment."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 135

Fort St. George, 26th *July* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Assistant Surgeon William Haines to the medical charge of the Zilla of Guntoor.

The furlough granted in General Orders dated the 12th April last, to Captain James Hankin of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 136

Fort St. George, 29th *July* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to prohibit the issue of extra Batta to the Troops on any extraordinary occasion of public rejoicing, unless the grant of that indulgence shall have been especially authorized by a General Order by Government.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 137

Fort St. George, 2d *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Garrison Serjeant Major Luke Healy to be a Conductor of Ordnance, vice Victory invalided.

Captain E. M. Forster of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Ensign G. Robertson of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificates.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 138

Fort St. George, 2d *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Lieutenant G. Hodgson of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to embark for China under the leave to proceed to Europe on sick certificate granted to that Officer in General Orders dated the 29th of April 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 106

Fort St. George, 7th *June* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Command of the Troops in the Vizagapatam and Ganjam Districts granted to Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher in General Orders of the 22d of April last, is discontinued from this date; and the District of Ganjam is established a Government Command on the usual allowance until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 140

Fort St. George, 9th *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Major Sir Charles Burdett, Baronet, of His Majesty's 56th Regiment of Foot, will resume the Command of Poonamallee.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 141

Fort St. George, 9th *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, the following Copy of a General Order issued at the Presidency of Fort William, for the distribution of the Off-reckoning fund for the year 1808.

The Accountant General in the Military Pay Department will take immediate measures for the payment of the Shares due to Officers on this Establishment, as exhibited in the accompanying Statement No. 5, subject to such deductions as may be necessary for sums already advanced to those Officers on account of the Fund in question.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS, By HIS EXCELLENCY the HONORABLE the VICE PRESIDENT in COUNCIL.

Fort William, *July* 8, 1814.

His Excellency the Vice President in Council is pleased to direct that, the following Statements, No. 1 to 8, prepared by the Military Auditor General, of the Surplus Off-reckonings for the year 1808, and of the distribution of them among the Officers of the Presidencies of Fort William, Fort St. George, & Bombay, who are entitled to share in the General Fund of that year, shall be published in General Orders for the information of the Armies at the three Presidencies.

No. 1.

STATEMENT *of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the Presidencies of Fort William, Fort St. George and Bombay, for the year* 1808, *shewing Stipends payable to the Officers on the Retired List, and the amount remaining to be divided among the Colonels of the three Presidencies.*

FORT WILLIAM.

Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the Cavalry, Artillery, European and Native Infantry, Gun Lascars and European Invalids, from the 1st of January to the 31st December 1808, Sicca Rupees—				3,34,925	10	1	
Deduct amount paid to Eight Officers on the Retired List in Europe, viz. Major Generals Morgan, Jones, Johnstone, Forbes, Hussey, Popham, Stuart and Deare, at £ 543 15 each, equal to Sicca Rupees	33,300	0	0				
Ditto ditto to one ditto (Major General Nicol,) on the Retired List, paid in India, Sicca Rupees ..	4,162	8	0				
				37,462	8	0	
Net Surplus appertaining to the Presidency of Fort William, Sicca Rupees,							2,97,463 2 1

FORT St. GEORGE.

Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the Cavalry, Artillery, European and Native Infantry, European and Native Invalids, as per Statement of the Military Auditor General at Fort St. George, received with Mr. Secretary Gardener's Letter dated 11th June 1814, amounting to Star Pagodas 91,584 27 22, equal to Sicca Rupees				2,80,438	8	2	
Deduct amount paid to Eight Officers on the Retired List in Europe, viz. Major Generals Bridges, Bilcliff, Conyngham, and Geils, and Colonel Wyuch, for the whole year; Colonel Massey and Major General Dugald Campbell, for broken periods, making a complete year; Major Generals Collins and Trent, for ditto ditto, making a ditto, and Colonel Cuppage, and Major General Tolson, ditto ditto, at £ 543 15 each, equal to Sicca Rupees				33,300	0	0	
Net Surplus appertaining to the Presidency of Fort St. George, Sicca Rupees							2,47,138 8 2

BOMBAY.

Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the Artillery and Gun Lascars, attached to the European and Native Infantry, and the European Invalids for the year 1808, as per Statement of the Military Auditor General at Bombay, received with Mr. Secretary Adam's Letter, dated 6th of March 1810,							
Bombay Rupees 65,276 1 5			equal to Sicca Rupees	62,462	10	0	
Deduct the amount paid to three Officers on the Retired List in Europe, viz. Major Generals Bowles, Piche and Nicholson, for the whole year, at £ 543 15s. each, equal to Sicca Rupees				12,487	8	0	

Deduct amount paid to the late Major General Brownrigg, deceased, in Europe, from the 1st of January to the 3d of February 1808, (34 days), and to Major General Wadington, in India, from the 4th of February to the 31st of December 1808, (332 days), at £ 543 15s. equal to Sicca Rupees	4,162 8 0		
	16,650 0 0		
Net Surplus appertaining to the Presidency of Bombay, Sicca Rupees ..		45,812 10 0	
Total remaining Surplus to be divided among the Colonels upon the Effective Establishment of the three Presidencies		Sicca Rupees 5,90,414, 4 3	

ABSTRACT OF SHARES.

Major Generals and Colonels of the Presidency of Fort William, ...		35
do. do. of Fort St. George, ...		30
do. do. of Bombay, ...		11
Total Shares		76
The Net Amount of each Share is..... Sicca Rupees,	7,768 9 8	
Lost by Fractions	5 7	

No. 2.

STATEMENT *shewing the Names of the Officers of the Presidencies of Fort William, Fort St. George and Bombay, who are entitled to share in the remaining Surplus Off-reckonings for the year* 1808, *and the amount due to each Individual.*

FORT WILLIAM.

Major Generals	Thomas Nichols	from 1st January to	31st December 1808,	7,768 9 8
,,	George Russell	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Sir Ewen Baillie	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	John M'Donald	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	William Palmer	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Edward Clarke	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	James Dunn	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	James Dickson	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Samuel Watson	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Robert Rayne	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Richard Macan	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	George Hardyman	do	do	7,768 9 8
Colonels	James Pringle	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Hugh Stafford	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	James Morris	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Peregrine Powell	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Robert Phillips	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Robert Bruce	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	H. C. Palmer	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Robert Blair	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	W. Kirkpatrick	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	John M'Intyre	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	John Gardiner	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	H. De Castro	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Bennet Marley	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	William Burn	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Thomas Hawkshaw	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Dyson Marshall	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Daniel Conyngham	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Samuel Bradshaw	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Nicholas Carnegie	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	John Horsford	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	John Gordon	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	T. S. Bateman	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	George Wood	do	do	7,768 9 8
Total proportion appertaining to the Bengal Presidency, ..			Sicca Rupees	2,71,901 2 4

FORT SAINT GEORGE.

Major General	Dugald Campbell	from 1st January to	25th March 1808 (85 days)	1,804 2 11
Lieut. Col. Comdt.	Keith M'Allister,	from 26th March to	31st December 1808 (281 days)	5,964 6 9
,, ,, ,,	Thomas Dallas,	from 1st January to	31st December 1808	7,768 9 8
Major General	John Pater	do	do	7,768 9 8
Colonel	John Orr,	do	do	7,768 9 8
Major General	David Smith	do	do	7,768 9 8
Lt. Col. Comdt.	Robert Bell,	do	do	7,768 9 8
,, ,, ,,	Aldwell Taylor	do	do	7,768 9 8
Colonel	Daniel M'Neil,	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	William Kinsey	do	do	7,768 9 8
,,	Thomas Bowser	do	do	7,768 9 8
Lt. Col. Comdt.	Alexander Cuppage	do	do	7,768 9 8
Major General	Thomas Trent	do	7th April 1808, (98 days)	2,080 1 11
Lt Col. Comdt.	John Chalmers	from 8th April to	31st December 1808 (268 days)	5,688 7 9

Major General	Richard Tolson from 1st January to 21st November 1808, (326 days)				6,919	9	3
Lt. Col. Comdt.	Charles Corner from 22d November to 31st December 1808, (40 days)				849	0	5
Colonel	Thomas Leighton from 1st January to 23d May 1808, (143 days)				3,035	4	5
Lt. Col. Comdt.	Alexander Dyce from 23d May to 31st December 1808, (223 days)				4,733	5	3
Colonel	John Richardson from 1st January to 31st December 1808				7,768	9	8
Major General	Daniel Burr	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Francis Gowdie	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	George Roberts	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Urban Vigors	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Archibald Brown	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Robert Croker	do	do		7,768	9	8
Colonel	David Camphell	do	do		7,768	9	8
Major General	George Wahab do. to 26th December 1808, (361 days)				7,662	7	8
Lt. Col. Comdt.	R. M. Strange from 27th December to 31st do. do.				106	2	0
Major General	Francis Torrens, 1st January 1808 to 31st December ditto				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Carey Lalande	do	do		7,768	9	8
Colonel	Barry Close	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	P. A. Agnew	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Robert M'Kay	do	do		7,768	9	8
Lt. Col. Comdt.	Gabriel Doveton	do	do		7,768	9	8
Colonel	Hector M'Lean	do	do		7,768	9	8
Total proportion appertaining to the Presidency of Fort St. George,					2,33058	2	0

BOMBAY.

Major General	Kenneth M'Pherson, from 1st January to 31st December 1808				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	James Kerr,	from do	do		7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Richard Gore	do	do		7,768	9	8
Colonel	John Wiseman	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Henry Oakes	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Thomas Marshall	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Charles Reynolds	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Barnaby Boles	do	do		7,768	9	8
,,	Andrew Anderson	do	do		7,768	9	8
Major General	S. W. S. Waddington from 1st January to 3d February (34 days)				721	10	9
,, ,,	John Bellassis	from 1st January to 11th February (42 days)			891	10	9
,, ,,	Richard Jones	from 12th February to 31st December (324 days)			6,877	2	0
Colonel	Charles Baye,	from 4th February to 31st December (332 days)			7,046	14	11
Total proportion appertaining to the Presidency of Bombay, Sicca Rupees					85,454	10	4
Lost by Fractions						5	7
Grand Total, Sicca Rupees					5,90,414	4	3

No. 3.

STATEMENT *of the Balance of Shares of Off-reckonings for the year* 1808, *payable to Colonels of the Presidency of Fort William, who are in India, or to the Heirs, Administrators, or Assigns, of such as have died in India.*

Lieutenant General	John M'Donald, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance	4,000	0	0			
					3,768	9	8
,, ,,	William Palmer do as do				3,768	9	8
,, ,,	Samuel Watson do as do				3,768	9	8
Major General	Richard Morgan, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance in England, £ 500,	3,827	9	5			
					3,941	0	3
,, ,,	Hugh Stafford, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance in England £ 500,	3,827	9	5			
					3,941	0	3
,, ,,	James Morris, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance	4,000	0	0			
					3,768	9	8
,, ,,	H. C. Palmer do as do				3,768	9	8
,, ,,	Robert Blair do as do				3,768	9	8
,, ,,	Bennet Marley do as do				3,768	9	8
,, ,,	Dyson Marshall do as do				3,768	9	8
,, ,,	George Wood, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance in England £ 500,	3,827	9	5			
					3,941	0	3
,, ,,	John Horsford, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance,	4000	0	0			
					3,768	9	8
,, ,,	John Gordon, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance in England, £ 500	3,827	9	5			
					3,941	0	3
Total, Sicca Rupees					49,681	8	0

No. 4.

STATEMENT *of the Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund of the year* 1808, *payable to Colonels of the Presidency of Fort William, who are in Europe, or who have died in Europe, and shewing the sums to be deducted from the Shares of such of those Officers to whom advances have been made in India.*

Major General	Thomas Nicholls (alias Broadhurst), amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
Lieutenant General	George Russell				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Sir Ewen Baillie, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct advance received in India,	4,000	0	0			
					3,768	9	8
Major General	Edward Clarke, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct advance received in India,	4,000	0	0			
					3,768	9	8
Lieutenant General	James Dunn, amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	James Dickson				7,768	9	8
Major General	Robert Rayne				7,768	9	8
Lieutenant General	George Hardyman				7,768	9	8
Colonel	James Pringle				7,768	9	8
Major General	Peregrine Powell				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Robert Phillips				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Robert Bruce				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	William Kirkpatrick				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	John M'Intyre				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	John Gardiner				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Henry De Castro, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct advance received in India	4,000	0	0			
					3,768	9	8
Major General	William Bruce, amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Thomas Hawkshaw				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Daniel Conyngham				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Samuel Bradshaw, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct advance received in India	4,000	0	0			
					3,768	9	8
,, ,,	Nicholas Carnegie, amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	T. S. Bateman				7,768	9	8
Total Off-reckoning for the year 1808, to be adjusted in Europe on account of the Officers belonging to the Presidency of Fort William, Sicca Rupees					1,54,909	4	8

No. 5.

STATEMENT *of the Balance of Shares of Off-reckonings for the year* 1808, *payable to Officers of the Presidency of Fort St. George, who are in India, or the Heirs, Administrators, or Assigns, of such as have died in India.*

Major General	John Pater, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance in India, Star Pagodas, 1,128	3,454	0	3			
					4,314	9	5
Lt. Col. Commandant	Robert Bell do do				4,314	9	5
,, ,,	Aldwell Taylor do do				4,314	9	5
,, ,,	John Chalmers, amount of his share,	5,688	7	9			
	Deduct received in advance Star Pagodas 824,	2,523	2	4			
					3,165	5	5
Major General	Robert Croker, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance Star Pagodas 1,128,	3,454	0	3			
					4,314	9	5
,, ,,	George Wahab, amount of his share,	7,662	7	8			
	Deduct received in advance Star Pagodas 1,112 37 60,	3,407	12	3			
					4,254	11	5
Lt. Col. Commandant	R. M. Strange, amount of his share,	106	2	0			
	Deduct received in advance, Star Pagodas 22 7 20,	67	14	4			
					38	3	8
Major General	Francis Torrens, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance Star Pagodas 1,128,	3,454	0	3			
					4,314	9	5
Major General	Carey Lalande, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance Star Pagodas 1,128,	3,454	0	3			
					4,314	9	5
		Sicca Rupees			23,345	13	0

No. 6.

STATEMENT *of the Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund of the year* 1808, *payable to Officers of the Presidency of Fort St. George, who are in Europe or who have died in Europe, and shewing the sums to be deducted from the Shares of such of those Officers to whom advances have been made in India.*

Major General	Dugald Campbell, amount of his share,				1,804	2	11
Lt. Col. Commandant	Keith Macalister, amount of his share,				5,964	6	9
,, ,, ,,	Thomas Dallas,				7,768	9	8
Colonel	John Orr,				7,768	9	8
Major General	David Smith				7,768	9	8
Colonel	Daniel M'Neil,				7,768	9	8
,,	William Kinsey				7,768	9	8
,,	Thomas Bowser,				7,768	9	8
Lt. Col. Commandant	Alexander Cuppage,				7,768	9	8
Major General	Thomas Trent,				2,080	1	11
,, ,,	Richard Tolson,				6,919	9	3
Lt. Col. Commandant	Charles Corner,				849	0	5
Colonel	Thomas Leighton,				3,035	4	5
Lt. Col. Commandant	Alexander Dyce,				4,733	5	3
Colonel	John Richardson,				7,768	9	8
Major General	Daniel Burr,				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Francis Gowdie, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct received in advance Star Pagodas 1,128 or Sicca Rupees	3,454	0	3			
					4,314	9	1
,, ,,	George Roberts, amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Urban Vigors,				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	Archibald Brown,				7,768	9	8
Colonel	David Campbell,				7,768	9	8
,,	Barry Close, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct advance in India Star Pagodas 1,128,	3,454	0	3			
					4,314	9	5
,,	P. A. Agnew, amount of his share,	7,768	9	8			
	Deduct advance in India Star Pagodas 564,	1,727	0	1			
					6,041	9	7
,,	Robert Mackay, amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
Lt. Col. Commandant	Gabriel Doveton				7,768	9	8
Colonel	Hector Maclean				7,768	9	8
Total Off-reckonings of the year 1808, to be adjusted in Europe on account of the Officers of the Presidency of Fort St. George,				Sicca Rupees	1,64,354	6	0

No. 7.

STATEMENT *of the Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund of the year* 1808, *payable to Colonels of the Presidency of Bombay who are in Europe, or who have died in Europe, and shewing the sums to be deducted from the Shares of such of those Officers.*

Major General	James Kerr, amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
,,	Richard Gore				7,768	9	8
,,	John Wiseman				7,768	9	8
,,	Henry Oakes				7,768	9	8
,,	Thomas Marshall				7,768	9	8
,,	Charles Reynolds				7,768	9	8
Colonel	Burnaby Boles				7,768	9	8
Major General	Andrew Anderson				7,768	9	8
,,	Richard Jones, amount of his share,	6,877	2	0			
	Deduct advance in India Bombay Rupees 4,000	3,827	9	5			
					3,049	8	7
Total Off-reckonings of the year 1808, to be adjusted in Europe on account of Officers of the Presidency of Bombay				Sicca Rupees	65,195	5	11

No. 8.

STATEMENT *of the Shares of Off-reckonings for the year* 1808, *payable to Colonels of the Presidency of Bombay, supposed to have been in India, or to have died in India, at the despatch of the Off-reckoning accounts appertaining to the year* 1808, *but of whom no separate statement has been received in Bengal.*

Major General	Kenneth M'Pherson, amount of his share,				7,768	9	8
,, ,,	W. S. Waddington (34 days)				721	10	9
,, ,,	John Bellassis, (42 days)				891	7	8
Colonel	Charles Baye (332 days)				7,046	14	11
Total Off-reckonings of the year 1808, to be adjusted in Bombay as no account of the advances made to the respective Officers (if any) has been received here. Total Sicca Rupees					16,428	11	0

The Military Paymaster General will take the necessary measures for the payment of the Balances of Shares of the Off-reckoning Fund due to the Officers of the Bengal Establishment for the year 1808, as contained in the Statement No. 3.

(Signed) C. W. GARDINER,
SEC. TO GOVT, MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

(A true Copy.)

N°. 139

FORT ST. GEORGE, 2d *August* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council considering it unnecessary on the occasion of Brigading a Force assembled for Field Service, that a Quarter Master of Brigade should be appointed as heretofore to each Brigade of Cavalry and Infantry, is pleased to direct, the discontinuance of that practice in future.

Instead of those Officers, a certain number of Assistants Quarter Master General will be appointed, and will receive their Orders from the Officer at the Head of that Department, in the Field. The selection of Officers whose qualifications may fit them for those situations, will be made by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, who will at the same time, recommend the number to be appointed with reference to the extent of Force, which may be ordered for Field Service.

Their Staff Pay and allowances will be in every respect, the same as those of an Assistant Quarter Master General of the Army, with the same allowance for establishment, *when employed on detached duty* as is granted to a Division Quarter Master Brigade, viz, Pagodas 25 per mensem.

Their personal staff allowance will commence from the date of receipt of His Excellency the Commander in Chief's Order, to join, of which information will be given to the Military Auditor General by the Quarter Master General of the Army, and the charge for Office Establishment will be supported by a certificate from the Head of the Department in the Field, of the period of detached duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 142

FORT ST. GEORGE, 9th *August* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The following Promotions will take place.

Senior Major of Infantry Francis Thompson, to be Lieutenant Colonel, in succession to Tichborne invalided; date of commission 23d July 1814.

Madras European Regiment.

Captain and Brevet Major A. Andrews to be Major, Captain Lieutenant P. Lawless to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant G. Maitland to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign J. Ellaway to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Thompson promoted; date of commissions 23d July 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 143

FORT ST. GEORGE, 9th *August* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the allotment of Ammunition and Stores to be carried with Rifle Corps on Field Service, shall be fixed as follows:

No. of Rifles—816.		
	Axes Pick with Helves	12
	Balls, Lead Rifle No. 1 (50 per Man)	40,800
	Barrels Ammunition	62
	Do. for Flints with Iron Hoops	4
	Do. Powder 45 lbs. each	22
	Bags, Gunny for Ammunition and Flints	33
	Do. Powder	11
	Do. for Tools and Stores	8
	Do. for Loose Balls	17
	Bill Hooks with Handles	12
	Cartridges shotted Rifle No. 2 Balls (50 per Man)	40,800
	Charcoal	lbs. 120
	Colours, Camp	36
	Flints, Rifle	8160
	Gun Powder, Rifle	lbs. 990
	Hoops, Copper on Barrels	336
	Iron	lbs. 80
	Mamoties with Helves	20
	Cloth, Greased Yards 8½ or Patches Greased	No. 40,800
	Reels Camp with Line	2
	Steel	lbs. 30
	Tarpaulins, large	4

TOOLS FOR ARTIFICERS.

Adzes Brass Coopers	..	1
Bellows Forge Country	..	pairs 4
Drivers Brass Coopers	..	1
Files of sorts	..	12
Hammers Hand	..	1
Do. Sledge	..	2
Do. Claw	..	1
Irons Beak	..	2
Plates Screw with Taps	..	3
Vices Brass Coopers	..	1
Do. Iron Hand	..	3
Do. Do. Bench	..	2

To carry the above, Bullocks....72
Spare 1 to 6 do.....12

Total 84

N. B.—Each Man to carry 12 Rounds of shotted Cartridges and 2 of the Flints included in the above list.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 144

FORT ST. GEORGE, 16*th August* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The leave granted by the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort Cornwallis to Captain Lieutenant James Smith of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to China on sick certificate, is confirmed.

Ensign N. Spencer of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been permitted to embark for China under the leave to proceed to Europe on sick certificate granted to that Officer in General Orders dated the 22d of July 1814.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Lieutenant Colonel J. P. Keasberry of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, and of Lieutenant George Scoones of the 17th Regiment N. I. the names of those Officers are struck off the List of the Army.

The following Promotions and Corrections of Rank are ordered to take place.

Senior Major of Infantry A. M'Intosh from the 22d Regiment Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Keasberry deceased; date of commission 30th April 1814.

22d Regiment N. I.

Captain and Brevet Major J. Wissett to be Major, Captain Lieutenant R. M'Craith to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant P. Hodgson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign James Malton to be Lieutenant,—in succession to M'Intosh promoted; date of commissions 30th April 1814.

Senior Major of Infantry Francis Thompson from the Madras European Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Dowse deceased; date of commission 28th June 1814.

Madras European Regiment.

Captain and Brevet Major A. Andrews to be Major, Captain Lieutenant P. Lawless to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant G. Maitland to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign E. J. Ellaway to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Thompson promoted; date of commissions 28th June 1814.

Senior Major of Infantry Charles Mandeville from the 17th Regiment N. I. to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Tichborne invalided; date of commission 23d July 1814.

17th Regiment N. I.

Captain Anselm Jones to be Major, Captain Lieutenant S. Roebuck to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant John Warburton to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign John Binning to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Mandeville promoted; date of commissions 23d July 1814.

17th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Laurence Dinwiddie to be Lieutenant, vice Scoones deceased; date of commission 18th March 1814.

12th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Charles Short to be Lieutenant, vice Jameson retired;—date of commission 9th December 1813;

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 145

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19*th August* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having taken into consideration the present Pay of First Tindals of the Corps of Gun Lascars, and being of opinion that Pagodas 3 per month is inadequate to the support of their rank as Commissioned Officers; it has been resolved to increase their Pay to Five Pagodas per month, which is accordingly to have effect from the Instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 146

Fort St. George, 19th *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

In addition to the provisions of the 11th and 12th Paragraphs of the IVth Section of the Commissariat Regulations, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that when Corps or Detachments of Corps are marching from one Station to another, or on any other service unaccompanied by an Officer of the Commissariat, it will be the duty of the Quarter Masters of Corps, to consider themselves in charge of the Gram provided by the Commissariat, and they will accordingly be allowed to charge in their returns, the amount of wastage allowed by the Regulations for the Department of Cavalry Supplies.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 147

Fort St. George, 23d *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant John Todd of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, or Chicacole Light Infantry, vice Scoones.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 148

Fort St. George, 23d *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Captain L. S. Smith of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe, on furlough for three years, on urgent private affairs.

Cornet D. Allan of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon W. Haines is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for six weeks, on his private affairs.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 149

Fort St. George, 26th *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign James Robins of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

The following Promotion is ordered to take place in the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry.

Cornet Frederick Larkins Doveton to be Lieutenant, vice Leonard retired; date of commission 21st October 1813.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 150

Fort St. George, 26th *August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Captain Brice W. Lee of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Paymaster in the Ceded Districts, vice Davis.

Lieutenant George Spinks of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Deputy Paymaster and Deputy Postmaster at Secunderabad, vice Lee.

Lieutenant Arthur Stock of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Deputy Paymaster in the Northern Division of the Army.

Lieutenant B. S. Ward of the Madras European Regiment, to be an Assistant on the permanent establishment of the Surveyor General; his rank in the Department to be determined hereafter.

Major General Ross Lang and Lieutenant Colonel F. Pierce of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, are appointed Members of the Committee for investigating the balance outstanding in the Public Books on account of Family Payments, in the room of Colonel Innes and Major Vans Agnew, relieved from that duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 151

Fort St. George, 26*th August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in 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 day of September and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 152

Fort St. George, 30*th August* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant George Spinks of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Paymaster in Malabar and Kanara, vice Douglas.

Lieutenant C. A. Elderton of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Deputy Paymaster and Deputy Postmaster at Secunderabad, vice Spinks.

Captain Thomas Fraser of the Corps of Engineers, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 153

Fort St. George, 2*d September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Major T. Pollok of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal and to be absent from his Corps until the 1st of January 1815.

Captain J. H. Baber of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 155

Fort St. George, 6*th September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to relieve the Persian Translator to the Government, from the duties of a Member of the Committee for the examination of Military Students in the Persian and Hindoostanee languages.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Secretary.

N°. 154

Fort St. George, 6*th September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Major Prendergast, Military Auditor General, is permitted to proceed to Mysore, on leave of absence for twelve days.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders of the 21st of June, to Lieutenant Blacker, Commanding the Escort of the Resident in Travancore, has been extended for a further period; and that Officer is permitted to continue at the Presidency until the end of the present month.

The following alterations and correction of rank will take place.

Senior Major of Infantry Edward Boardman, from the 18th Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Keasberry deceased; date of commission 30th April 1814.

18th Regiment N. I.

Captain Sutherland Macdonall to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Charles Diring to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. L. Church to be Captain Lieutenant and Ensign E. E. Bruce to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Boardman promoted; date of commissions 30th April 1814.

Senior Major of Infantry Alexander M'Intosh, from the 22d Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Shawe deceased; date of commission 19th May 1814.

22d Regiment N. I.

Captain and Brevet Major J. Wisset to be Major, Captain Lieutenant R. M'Craith to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant T. Hodgson to be Captain Lieutenant and Ensign James Malton to be Lieutenant,—in succession to M'Intosh promoted; date of commissions 19th May 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 157

Fort St. George, *9th September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Cantonment at St. Thomas's Mount being the Head Quarters of the Corps of Artillery, will cease from the 1st Instant to form part of the Centre Division of the Army; and will revert from that date to the immediate authority of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 158

Fort St. George, *9th September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Captain G. Cadell of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Assistant in the department of the Adjutant General of the Army, during the indisposition of Lieutenant Little

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. [illegible]

Fort St. George, *9th September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following Extract from a Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors, dated the 29th April 1814.

Para. 1st—"The undermentioned Officers on your Establishment, have our permission to remain in England, viz.

Major Thomas Stewart,
Captain Lieut. Charles P. Bell,
Captain Lieutenant Charles Gahagan,
Lieutenant William Tytler,
" Thomas M'Carthy,
" E. Y. Hancock,—till first ships of next season.
Lieutenant John Willows, "
Lieutenant James Kitchen (who has lately advised us of his arrival from France, where he has been detained since the year 1805),—till last Fleet of next Season."

2d—"We have likewise permitted Mr. Charles M'Cabe a Surgeon, and Mr. Thomas Gillespie an Assistant Surgeon on your Establishment, to remain in England till first Ships of next season."

3d—"Lieutenant John Newall of your Establishment, who was sent from the Isle of France to this Country as a Commissary of Prisoners, has our permission to return to his duty on your Establishment by the Ship Prince Regent."

5th—"In consequence of the Friends of Cornet Samuel Croft of the fourth Regiment of Native Cavalry at your Presidency, having represented to us that previous to his appointment as a Cadet he held His Majesty's Commission and on that account entitled to rank in the Company's Army superior to that assigned him, we have referred to our Records of the 2d June 1809, where it appears that Mr. Croft produced to us a Certificate signed by the Under Secretary at War, of his having belonged to the West York Militia upwards of two years as Captain from the 5th July 1803, and that we in consequence under the authority of the provision made in the Act of the 33d of His present Majesty in favor of Persons nominated as Cadets in our Service who had previously held the King's Commission, approved Mr. Croft as a Cadet notwithstanding his age exceeded twenty-two years."

6th—"These circumstances clearly establish Mr. Croft's title to rank above Cornet William Collins Brunton, who precedes Mr. Croft in the List of Rank of the fourth Class of Cadets for the Madras Infantry and Cavalry appointed in the "Season 1808" dated 30th September 1809; and we therefore direct that you will give Mr. Croft rank above Mr. Brunton accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 160

Fort St. George, *9th September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Committee for the examination of Military Students, having reported Lieutenants J. Crisp of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, and W. N. Pace of the 13th Native Regiment, to have fully established their claim to the honorary reward for the attainment of the Hindoostanee language; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the usual donation be presented to each of those Officers.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 169

Fort St. George, 13th *September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The following Promotions are directed to take place.

7th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieut. J. G. Kettle, to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant G. Spinks to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign J. T. Webbe to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Wood resigned; date of commissions 2d February 1814.

24th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant W. Stone to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant J. M'Intosh to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Thomas Thuillier to be Lieutenant, in succession to Wulbier deceased; date of commissions 28th August 1814.

The undermentioned Cornets of Cavalry, lately posted permanently to Regiments, to complete the establishment, will take rank from dates annexed to their respective names.

Cornet	Bullock,	20th May 1813.
,,	Straton,	17th January 1814.
,,	Huddleston,	19th June ,,
,,	Hyslop,	21st October 1813.
,,	Gahagan,	27th July 1814.
,,	Barlow,	27th August ,,

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

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Sec. to Government

N°. 103

Fort St. George, 16th *September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The following Commission for the Government of Fort St. George and it's Dependencies, is published in General Orders for the information of the Army.

The United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, send greeting—know ye that we the said United Company reposing especial trust and confidence in the fidelity, prudence, justice and circumspection of The Right Honorable Hugh Elliot, have nominated, made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do nominate, make, constitute & appoint the said Hugh Elliot to be President and Governor of & for all our affairs on the Coast of Coromandel and Orixa, & of all the Territories thereunto belonging, and of all and singular the Forts, Factories & Settlements, Territories, Countries & Jurisdictions thereof, and to execute all & every the Powers & Authorities thereunto appertaining, by order & direction of our Court of Directors for the time being, & of such other Persons as in & by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirty-third year of the Reign of His present Majesty, entitled "An Act for continuing in the East India Company for a further term the possession of the British Territories in India, together with their exclusive trade, under certain limitations, for establishing further Regulations for the Government of the said Territories & the better administration of Justice within the same, for appropriating to certain uses the Revenues and Profits of the said Company, and for making provision for the good order and Government of the Towns of Calcutta, Madras, & Bombay," are empowered to give any orders to our Servants in India in certain cases in the said Act mentioned, to hold and take the said Office unto and upon him the said Hugh Elliot, immediately, upon and from the time of his arrival at Fort St. George aforesaid, and to continue in the exercise of the said Office during the pleasure of us, & of our Court of Directors, and until the contrary thereof shall be signified under our Seal or under the hands of thirteen or more of the said Court of Directors for the time being, but subject nevertheless to such other removal and recal as in the said Act of Parliament is mentioned; And to the end that the said Hugh Elliot may be better enabled to order and manage all the affairs of us the said Company, we do by these Presents constitute & ordain Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. the Commander in Chief of the said United Company's Military Forces on the Coast of Coromandel, together with Robert Fullerton, Esq. and Robert Alexander, Esq. being respectively Senior Merchants of the said Company, & who have respectively resided twelve years or more in India in their Service, to be Counsellors of the said Presidency or Settlement for governing & managing all the said Company's Affairs upon the Coast of Coromandel and Orixa, and governing the said Fort St. George and City of Madraspatnam, and all other our Forts, Factories and Settlements, within any of the said Territories; And we do hereby give and grant unto our said President and Governor, the said Hugh Elliot, and to our Council aforenamed, or to the major part of them, (the whole Council being duly summoned) and to the said Hugh Elliot alone, in certain cases, & under certain circumstances mentioned in the said Act, passed in the Thirty-third year of the Reign of His present Majesty, full power and authority from time to time, to rule & govern all & every our Factories and Servants under the said Presidency, and all the Soldiers and Inhabitants of our said Fort St. George and City of Madraspatnam, and elsewhere, within the places aforesaid, to administer lawful oaths as occasion shall require and to do and perform all such other acts and things, and to use and exercise all such other powers and authorities as the said President & Governor and his Council in their several and respective places where the said United Company have or shall have Factors or any places of Trade are authorized to do, subject nevertheless to the superintending and controlling Power of the Governor General in Council of Fort William in Bengal, in such cases wherein they are authorized to have a superintending & controlling Power, in and by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in force, and also subject and according to such instructions and directions as he the said Hugh Elliot our President and Governor, and Council aforesaid, shall from time to time receive under the hands of thirteen or more of the Court of Directors of the said United Company for the time being, and from such other Persons as by the said Act of the Thirty-third year of His present Majesty's Reign, are empowered to give orders to the said United Company's Servants in India in certain cases therein mentioned, provided that when our Commander in Chief of all our Military Forces in the East Indies shall happen to be present at the said Settlement of Fort St. George, he shall be one of the said Counsellors instead of our Commander in Chief of our Military Forces on the Coast of Coromandel, who during that time shall have only a seat and right of deliberation, but no voice in the said Council, and subject also to such temporary and partial suspension and in such manner as in the said Act of the Thirty-third year of the Reign of His present Majesty is mentioned when our Governor General of Fort William in Bengal for the time being shall find it expedient to visit the said Presidency of Fort St. George, or any Province or Place thereto belonging; And we the said United Company do hereby order and require all our Factors, Servants, Officers and Soldiers within the limits of the said Presidency, & all the People and Inhabitants of our said Fort St. George and City of Madraspatnam, and all other our Forts, Places and Colonies within the said Presidency to conform, submit and yield due obedience to the said Hugh Elliot our President and Governor and his Council accordingly; And we do hereby revoke, repeal, annul and make void every former Commission or Commissions given and granted by us, and all other Appointments whereby any other Person or Persons was and were, or shall be constituted and ordained, or hath, or have, or shall become President and Governor or of the Council of Fort St. George aforesaid, such revocation to take place from the time of the arrival of the said Hugh Elliot at the Presidency of Fort St. George aforesaid and his taking the said Office of President and Governor aforesaid upon himself. In witness whereof, we the said United Company have caused our Common Seal to be affixed to these Presents the 23d day of April in the 54th year of the Reign of His Most Excellent Majesty George the Third, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith and so forth, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fourteen.

(L. S.) Signed by Order of the Court of Directors of the said United Company.

(Signed) JAMES COBB,
Secretary.

The Right Honorable Hugh Elliot having received charge of the Government of Fort St. George and it's Dependencies, in conformity with the above Commission, all Officers and Soldiers are hereby required to obey him as Governor and President in Council accordingly.

This Order will be read to the Troops under Arms, at the principal Stations of the Army, with appropriate Salutes of Ordnance and Musquetry.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY

N°. 164

FORT ST. GEORGE, 16*th September* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the same Military honors as heretofore shall continue to be paid to Lieutenant General The Honorable John Abercromby, until the period of his departure from this Presidency.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 159

Fort St. George, 9th *September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Assistant Surgeon William Scott to be Surgeon, vice Dove deceased; date of rank 3d June 1814.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 162

Fort St. George, 13th *September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant C. W. Yates of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough, for three years.

Lieutenants C. Kingdom of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry and R. Jenkins of the 24th Native Regiment, are permitted to proceed to Europe, on sick certificates.

Lieutenant J. Milner of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for one year, and will cease to draw pay from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant G. M. Stewart of the Pioneers, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The leave to proceed to the Mauritius & eventually to the Cape of Good Hope, granted in General Orders of the 19th of April last, to Lieutenant H. S. Conway of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been cancelled in compliance with that Officer's request.

Mr. Conductor Robert Mitchell is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 163

Fort St. George, 16th *September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant A. Ffrench of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, to do duty with the Escort of the Resident in Mysore, vice Macnaghten.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 165

Fort St. George, 16th *September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The following Appointments have taken place.

Philip Heydinger, Esq. to be Private Secretary, and Lieutenant T. H. Elliot of the Royal Engineers, to be Military Secretary and Aide de Camp, to the Right Honorable the Governor.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Chief Secretary.

No. 166

Fort St. George, 16th *September* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Officers have produced certificates from the Honorable the Court of Directors, of permission to return to India.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant Colonel) John Crosdill of the Artillery, and Captain (Brevet Major) T. F. De Havilland of the Corps of Engineers;—arrived at Madras 7th September 1814.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets of Artillery are admitted on the Establishment in conformity with their Appointments by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Fireworkers; date of commissions to be settled hereafter.

Frederic Blundell and William Brooke;—arrived at Madras 7th September 1814.

Mr. Donald Smith Young is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors;—arrived at Madras 7th September 1814.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon W. Ainslie, M. D. is permitted to visit Chittoor and the Presidency on leave of absence from the Southern Division of the Army, for two months, from the 8th of October next.

The Reverend Charles Ball, D. D. Military Chaplain at St. Thomas's Mount, is permitted to be absent from his Station for three weeks, for the benefit of his health.

Captain A. R. Hughes of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal for the purpose of taking his passage to England on sick certificate.

Lieutenant F. M. Whitehead of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay, for the purpose of taking his passage to England on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 168

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23d *September* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant William Mills of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, to be Aide de Camp to the Right Honorable the Governor.

Captain (Brevet Major) J. D. Brown of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Captain F. W. Palmer of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant T. C. Cuteliffe of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

Mr. Assistant Garrison Surgeon J. Macleod is permitted to visit the Presidency for the benefit of his health, and to be absent from Vellore from the 1st to the 31st October next.

Lieutenants H. Ross of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, and W. Chatfield of the 1st Native Cavalry, are permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificates.

Ensign J. Benning of the 17th Native Regiment, is permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence for twelve months on his private affairs, and will cease to draw pay from the date of his embarkation.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon J. Cooke of the Zilla of Darapooram, is permitted to proceed to the Malabar Coast on his private affairs, and to be absent from his Station for the space of one month.

Lieutenant C. A. Elderton, Deputy Paymaster at Secunderabad, is permitted to remain at the Presidency until the 15th of October 1814.

Serjeant Hugh Ross is appointed a Conductor of Ordnance in the Clothing Department.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 170

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26th *September* 1814.

G. O BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the batta and other allowances for September and the pay for October, of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 6th day of October and on the following days.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°169 FORT ST. GEORGE, 23d *September* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

With reference to the G. O. of the 2d and 20th August 1811, The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the employment of a Serjeant of the 2d Class, or Conicopoly on the monthly pay of 3 Pagodas for the charge of the Public Buildings at Cuddapah, and also an allowance of Oil for the preservation of the iron work, as established by the G. O. of the 3d June ultimo.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°170 FORT ST. GEORGE, 27th *September* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The undermentioned Officers having been permitted by the Honorable the Court of Directors, to return to India, will resume the duties of their rank.

				Arrived at Madras.
Colonel T. Munro	18th	Regiment	Native Infantry	16th September 1814.
Major D. Newall	4th	,,	,,	16th ,,
Lieutenant J. Newall	20th	,,	,,	16th ,,
Captain J. Napier	15th	,,	,,	15th ,,
Captain J. Jobson	4th	,,	,,	15th ,,
Lieutenant S. Haggard	14th	,,	,,	18th ,,
Lieutenant H. J. Hall	4th	,,	,,	20th ,,

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the Establishment in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors; and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names; dates of rank to be settled hereafter.

ARTILLERY.

J. H. Stiell, arrived 18th September 1814 } To be Lieutenant Fireworkers.
T. J. West, ,, 15th ,, }

INFANTRY.

W. G. White, arrived 15th September 1814 }
J. Howison, ,, 15th ,, } To be Ensigns.
H. Dowker, ,, 18th ,, }

The undermentioned Gentlemen are admitted Assistant Surgeons on the Establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.

	Date of Arrival.
Mr. John Dalgas	15th September 1814.
Mr. Alexander Campbell	18th ,,

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°172 FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th *September* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Official intelligence having been received of the death of the Rannee of Travancore, the Regent of that State, and Mother of the present Rajah; The Right Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the Flag of Fort St. George be lowered half-staff high, and that minute guns to the number of twenty-three, corresponding with the age of the deceased Princess, be fired from the Ramparts, in honor of the memory of her late Highness.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

N°173 FORT ST. GEORGE, 4th *October* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Reverend R. Smyth, to be Military Chaplain to the European Troops at Arcot, Vellore and Wallajahbad.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°174 FORT ST. GEORGE, 4th *October* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following copy Paragraph, which will be inserted in the next General Letter, in the Military Department to this Presidency.

"We have appointed the Reverend Henry Cartwright Banks, a Chaplain on your Establishment."

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 175

Fort St. George, *4th October* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Sir John Gordon, Bart. of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, to be an extra Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

The following Promotion in the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, and alterations of rank in the 10th and 18th Native Regiments, are ordered to take place.

24th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Henry Lucas Harris to be Lieutenant, vice Harvey deceased; date of commission 30th August 1814.

10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain C. Saltwell to be Major, Captain Lieutenant P. Morrill to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant D. Ross to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign J. G. Curry to be Lieutenant, vice Gibson deceased; date of commissions 24th May 1814.

18th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Samuel Lighton to be Lieutenant, vice Church promoted; date of commission 30th April 1814.

Ensign Eyre Evans Bruce to be Lieutenant, vice Slade deceased; date of commission 17th May 1814.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 179

Fort St. George, *7th October* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Captain W. Moore of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay, and eventually to Sea, for the recovery of his health.

Captain E. W. Snow of the Pioneers, and Lieutenant W. Murray of the 25th Native Regiment, are permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificates.

Lieutenant C. Chambers of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant Charles Mitchell of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Ensign and Adjutant J. G. Proby of the Corps of Engineers, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon D. S. Young is permitted to proceed to Vizagapatam on leave of absence until the 1st of January 1815, on urgent private affairs.

The Reverend J. Brackenbury, Military Chaplain at Secunderabad, is permitted to proceed to Masulipatam, and to be absent from his Station for three months from this date.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 180

Fort St. George, *7th October* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Reverend Henry Cartwright Banks having arrived at Fort St. George on the 16th Ultimo, will draw the established allowances of Military Chaplain, from that date.

The Reverend H. C. Banks is appointed Military Chaplain to the European Troops at Trichinopoly.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 176

Fort St. George, 4th October 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to modify the General Order by Government under date the 24th of July 1812, which requires Barrack Serjeants to make daily reports of the state of Cots to the Commissariat, and to direct that those reports shall hereafter be made once a week only, except in cases wherein it may be necessary that any extraordinary occurrence should be reported without delay.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 177

Fort St. George, 4th October 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to annul the 99th Paragraph, page 318, of the 16th Section of the Code of Regulations for the Pay Department, and to direct that the publication of a General Order by Government nominating or approving of the nomination of an Officer to act in a Staff situation for an intermediate period, prior to the Officer appointed (or to be appointed) taking charge shall in future be considered as carrying with it authority to the Officer so nominated, to draw the established personal allowances attached to the situation during such temporary duty.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government

No. 178

Fort St. George, 4th October 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Para. 1st—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish the following Regulations in addition to those published in General Orders dated the 22d July last, for the conduct of the Family payments of the Army.

2d—It is to be considered a general rule that Rolls of all Casualties, arising in the option or private convenience of the Parties interested shall be despatched so as to reach the Superintendent on or before the 20th of the month preceding that, in the payments of which they are intended to occasion alterations.

3d—Casualty Rolls of the above description omitted to be sent off in time to be received by the Superintendent on or before the date specified in the foregoing Paragraph, shall not have any effect on the amount of the stoppages to be made from the Abstracts of Corps, &c. payable in the next month, but will lay over for the following month.

4th—All Persons granting and holding Family Certificates are to be cautioned to give timely notice to their Corps, as well as to the Officers in charge, of the Families at the Stations where they may reside, of the intended removal of the Families from one place to another (a practice, however, which should be discouraged as much as possible), or of any other circumstance affecting their certificates. Should they neglect to do so, it is to be clearly understood, that the stoppages for their certificates must be continued, and that the risk and difficulty of recovering any amount overpaid will devolve on them, and not on the Public, which in granting the indulgence of this favourable mode of remittance to the Troops, shall not be subjected to any loss or embarrassment from the negligence of the Parties availing themselves of it.

5th—Under this Regulation all Casualty Rolls of the description referred to should be despatched by Corps, &c. in the Deckan on or before the 10th of each month, and it will be proper that Adjutants of Corps, Commanding Officers of Detachments, and Heads of Departments should decline to forward any Rolls not given in to them before that date, until the following month.

6th—Corps, &c. on Foreign Service, or in distant situations in the Field in India, must allow ample time for their communications to reach the Superintendent before the usual stoppages on account of their Family Certificates shall be reduced or discontinued.

7th—Rolls of Casualties arising from public causes, viz. deaths, desertions and removals from the Service, either by discharging, invaliding, or pensioning, must of course be despatched on the day on which such occurrences may take place; but the date and occasion of the Casualty are in these cases to be particularly stated in the Rolls.

8th—The copies of Receipts alluded to in the 10th Paragraph of the G. O. of the 22d July last, shall in future be attested by Paymasters themselves.

9th—Casualty Rolls need not, under the 12th Paragraph of the above Orders, be transmitted to the Officer Commanding the Troops at Fort St. George, the Superintendent being on the spot, and the copies sent to him being therefore sufficient.

10th—Such new forms as the Superintendent may find it necessary to direct from time to time, shall be observed by all Officers concerned in family payments.

11th—Arrangements to be made in all cases of Men absent from their Corps or Departments for the amount of their Family Certificates being included in the monthly remittances to the Superintendent from the Adjutant or Officer Commanding or in charge.

12th—It having been represented in reference to the 23d Paragraph of the G. O. 22d July 1814, that the Officers paying Family Certificates may have frequent occasion (in order to prevent confusion of accounts) to remit small sums of money from one Station to another; these Officers are authorized in such cases, on paying the amount into the Paymasters hands, to obtain Bills on the Accountant General at sight for such sums, the particulars of the remittances to be in all cases notified to the Superintendent.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 181

Fort St. George, 11*th October* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The present indiscriminate reception of claims to Pensions on the part of Persons stating themselves to be the nearest Heirs of Native Soldiers deceased on Foreign Service, or killed in action, being found to be open to much abuse and to be productive of great public inconvenience; The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct,

1st—That no claims on the part of the Heirs of Native Soldiers who may have lost their lives on Foreign Service, or in action, shall be admitted, if preferred later than three years after the occurrence of the casualty on which the pretension is founded.

2dly—That all claims on account of Native Soldiers deceased on Foreign Service, in the Eastern Islands prior to the restoration of the Dutch Settlements in 1803, or on Ceylon prior to the return of the Coast Troops from that Island, which may not already have been brought forward (if any such exist) shall be rejected, if not presented for investigation before the 1st January 1815.

All Officers Commanding Stations are directed to make this Regulation as public as possible by beat of Tom-Tom, and by every other means in their power, that may be calculated to promote its general circulation.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 182

Fort St. George, 11*th October* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following Promotion in the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Ensign Francis Fosberry to be Lieutenant, vice Medowcroft deceased; date of commission 24th September 1814.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 1359

FORT ST. GEORGE, 18th October 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain A. N. Bertram of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, to Command the 1st Battalion of Pioneers, vice Snow resigned.

The following Promotion will take place in the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Ensign William Stewart to be Lieutenant, vice Mitchell resigned; date of commission 8th October 1814.

Lieutenant T. Chambers of the Pension establishment, is permitted to remain at Bombay, on leave of absence for three years.

Lieutenant C. A. Elderton, Deputy Paymaster at Secunderabad, is permitted to remain at the Presidency until the 15th of December next.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 1364

FORT ST. GEORGE, 18th October 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Commander in Chief having represented that Sheik Ismael, Jemadar of the 1st Battalion of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been guilty of contempt of the authority of the European Adjutant of the Corps, of threatening a confidential Native Officer of superior rank, and of other insubordinate and mutinous conduct, rendering him, in His Excellency's opinion, unworthy of the situation of a Commissioned Officer; The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the said Jemadar Sheik Ismael be paid up his arrears, and that he be forthwith discharged from the Service of the Honorable Company.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 1365

FORT ST. GEORGE, 21st October 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant G. Ogilvie of the 2d Battalion 24th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Ogilvie of the 1st Battalion of Pioneers, is permitted to proceed to Sea for four months for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

N°. 1366

FORT ST. GEORGE, 25th October 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The leave to proceed to Europe granted in General Orders of the 2d of August 1814, to Captain E. M. Forster of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation.

Major T. Pollok of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted, at the expiration of his present furlough to Bengal granted in General Orders of the 2d Ultimo,—to proceed to the Eastward; and to continue absent from his Corps until the 1st of July 1815.

The leave to proceed to Bombay for the recovery of his health granted in General Orders of the 12th of July 1814, to Lieutenant G. Grant of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been extended for a further period terminating on the 30th of November next.

Mr. Conductor L. Vanderholt is transferred to the Invalid establishment, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 1368

FORT ST. GEORGE, 26th October 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor 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 7th day of November and on the following days.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 189

Fort St. George, 28th *October* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Major General Hare, Commanding the Centre Division of the Army, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence until the 1st of December next.

Lieutenant J. L. Baker of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant C. F. Peile, Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Department, is permitted to proceed to Bombay on urgent private affairs, and to be absent from his duty for a period of three months.

The following Promotion in the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is ordered to take place.

Senior Ensign Richard Cooke to be Lieutenant, vice Chambers deceased; date of commission 22d October 1814.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies,)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 1897

FORT ST. GEORGE, 25th *October* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the leave granted by the Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort Cornwallis, to Captain Lieutenant James Smith of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to England from China, should the state of his health be found to render that measure indispensable.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 1898

FORT ST. GEORGE, 1st *November* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant James Weir of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Adjutant to that Corps, vice James resigned.

Serjeants William Brindly and John Short to be Conductors of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.

Lieutenant J. S. Spankie of the Madras European Regiment, having rejoined the Regiment, will resume the duties of Quarter Master from this date.

The following Promotion is ordered in the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign John Pasmore to be Lieutenant, vice Chavasse deceased; date of commission 21st July 1814.

The leave to visit the Presidency, granted in General Orders dated the 23d September last, to Mr. Assistant Garrison Surgeon M'Leod, has been extended; and that Officer is permitted to continue absent from his Station until the 30th Instant.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 1903

FORT ST. GEORGE, 1st *November* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer Mr. Superintending Surgeon Goldie to the Southern Division of the Army, upon the resignation of the medical charge of that Division by Mr. Superintending Surgeon Ainslie.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 1896 B

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15th *November* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Colonel A. Floyer of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, retain the Command of the Cantonment of Secunderabad until further orders.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 1900

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th *October* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Ordered that the General Lists, received from the Honorable the Court of Directors, of all Cadets and Assistant Surgeons, whose rank was sent to Madras by the Ships of the Season 1812; rank of Cadets and Assistant Surgeons proceeding to Madras by the second Fleet of the Season 1813; also rank of Assistant Surgeons appointed and proceeding to Madras by the third Fleet of Ships of the Season 1813,—be published in General Orders.

GENERAL LIST OF ALL THE CADETS, WHOSE RANK WAS SENT TO MADRAS BY THE SHIPS OF THE SEASON 1812.

For the Engineers.

James Rannie Anderson Astell.

For the Artillery.

Francis Frankland Whitgate	Bridgewater.
John Dickenson	Metcalfe.
George Frederick Symes	Baring.
Charles Hosmer	Metcalfe.
Richard Sewell	Hugh Inglis
Basil Ronald	Union. (Younghusband.)
Richard Somnier Seton	Do.

For the Cavalry.

George Sandys	Marquis of Wellington.
George Bias	Essex.
Edward George Harris	Atlas.
Donald Macleod	General Stuart.

For the Infantry.

William John Williams	Rose.
Charles Boldero	Marquis of Wellington.
William John David Glen	Bridgewater.
Francis Haleman	Essex.
Samuel Jackson	Bridgewater.
Thomas Michael Claridge	Essex.
George Buttanshaw	Metcalfe.
George Gray	Lord Melville.
James Maxtone	General Stewart.
Robert Warrand	Huddart.
Thomas Richard Manners	Tottenham.
George Best Wardell	Do.
Humphrey Ewing	Moffat.
Thomas Clemons	Do.
John Metcalfe	Union. (Younghusband.)

GENERAL LIST OF ALL THE ASSISTANT SURGEONS WHOSE RANK WAS SENT TO MADRAS BY THE SHIPS OF THE SEASON 1812.

Isaac Stone	Tottenham.
John Hanis	Cambridge, Country Ship.
Richard Kellett	Union (Younghusband)
James Stritch	Tottenham.
James Stevenson	Union (Younghusband.)
John Whylie	do.
James Buckle Hall	Moffat.
James Richmond	W. Pitt.

RANK OF CADETS FOR MADRAS PROCEEDING BY THE SECOND FLEET OF THE SEASON 1813.

For the Artillery.

John Henry Stiell	Alexander.

For the Infantry.

Howard Dawkes	Alexander.

RANK OF ASSISTANT SURGEON FOR MADRAS PROCEEDING BY THE SECOND FLEET OF THE SEASON 1813.

Alexander Campbell	Lord Keith.

RANK OF ASSISTANT SURGEONS FOR MADRAS APPOINTED AND PROCEEDING BY THE THIRD FLEET OF SHIPS OF THE SEASON 1813.

Donald Smith Young	Bengal.
John Dalgas	Surry.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 1/95 A

FORT ST. GEORGE, *8th November* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

With a view to the accommodation of the Officers of the Army, The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Officers of His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Service shall be supplied in future, by the General Agent for Army Clothing, with Broad Cloth, Cambletts, Kerseymeres, and Woollens of all kinds, on Indent, signed by the Officer from whose Abstract payment is to be made, and countersigned by the Officer Commanding the Corps, or Station, and by the Adjutant General of the Army.

Issues, made upon such Indents, are to be paid for, by monthly instalments, of one-sixth of the amount; and the adjustment will be made by the Accountant General.

As a further indulgence to Officers absent from the Presidency, The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the General Agent for Army Clothing, upon the particular application of the Individuals concerned, to have the Articles indented for, packed and despatched, making the requisite advances for Cooly hire, and charging all necessary expenses.

Indents regularly signed according to the following Form will be received by the General Agent for Army Clothing and the Articles issued to the Bearers of them.

FORM.

To

THE GENERAL AGENT
FOR ARMY CLOTHING,
Fort St. George.

SIR,

Please to order the delivery to the Bearer of the undermentioned Articles for my use, to be paid for by six equal instalments at the regulated Prices.

ARTICLES REQUIRED.	Quantity.	Quality.	From whose Abstract to be stopped	Prices.	Grand Total.
Scarlet Cloth	5 Yards.	Superfine	Captain C. D. E. Company 2d Bat. 21st Regt.	25 0 0	
Bright Yellow do. ..	1 ,,	,, ,,		5 0 0	
White Kerseymere ..	2 ,,	,, ,,		3 0 0	
Deep Green	4 ,,	Ordinary		5 0 0	
Blankets	2	First sort.		3 0 0	
				— — —	41 0 0
Packing Charges					
Postage and Cooly					
Hire advanced by the Agent for Army Cloathing.					2 22 40
					— — —
			Total, Pagodas		43 22 40

Station and Date.

Signature of Officer Indenting.

Countersignature of the
Commanding Officer.

Received the within Contents.

(Signed) C. D. CAPTAIN,
E. Company, 2d Bat. 21st Regt.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 1515.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 8th *November* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The leave of absence to visit Masulipatam granted in General Orders of the 7th Ultimo, to the Reverend J. Brackenbury, Military Chaplain at Secunderabad, has been cancelled in compliance with his request.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 1516

FORT ST. GEORGE, 18th *November* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant W. Strachan of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Cornet W. Hamilton of the 4th Native Cavalry, to be Assistants in the Quarter Master General's Department, Survey branch, 2d Class.

The permission granted in General Orders of the 5th July last, to Lieutenant R. Williames of the 2d Native Regiment, to proceed to Europe on furlough for one year, is cancelled in compliance with his request.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 191

Fort St. George, 28th October 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extracts of Letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 3d September 1813.

To England 6th February 1810. 69.—Explanation furnished relative to the donations granted to Wounded Officers."

14. "In authorizing the extension of His Majesty's indulgence to Wounded Officers, to Officers in our Service, we intended to confine ourselves strictly to the practice of His Majesty's Army; and we direct that in future such donations be limited to a grant of one year's pay only."

15. "The remark of your Military Auditor General "that it was a generally received idea that a Captain's pay and allowances of gratuity and half batta is considered as forming a part of his regular pay and subsistence," we consider to be incorrect. By pay, or subsistence as it is sometimes called, we always understand and mean pay only; exclusive of gratuity, batta, or any other allowance. We desire your attention to this remark in future."

147 & 8. "Application from the Managers of the Military Widows' Fund for passage money for the Widow of the late Reverend Dr. Kerr rejected for reasons stated—The sum of 371 Star Pagodas 9 Fanams 12 Cash on account of her pension paid into the Treasury by the Secretary to the Military Board."

26. "Your resolution on this subject was entirely proper."

27. "Having in our Military Letter dated 9th of May 1810, Para. 5, authorized you to make a very liberal annual contribution to the Military Fund, one of the objects of which was to provide a passage to Europe for the Widows and Children of Officers dying in distressed circumstances; we do not expect to have any further demand made upon us for these purposes."

380—Surgeon Alfred Jones having exceeded his furlough by 12 months, his name struck off the Medical List.

67. "In our Military Letter to Bengal dated 27th February 1811, Para. 49, we directed that in all cases of Officers exceeding their furlough to Europe their names should be continued on the strength of our Army, until our directions should be signified respecting them; we intended that this Regulation should apply to Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons, as well as Officers, and we direct that hereafter it be so construed and applied at all the Presidencies.

68.—"With respect to Mr. Alfred Jones, as he has not returned to his duty according to our directions, we acquiesce in our Resolutions respecting him."

372 to 5. "Death of the Physician General, Doctor James Anderson, and appointment of Doctor Terence Gahagan to be President of the Medical Board with the title of Physician General."

82. "In consideration of the very long and meritorious services of Doctor Gahagan; we shall make no objections to your having permitted him to retain the title of Physician General during the time of his continuing at the Head of the Medical Board."

83. "Doctor Gahagan having now retired from the Service, the title of Physician General will of course be discontinued, in compliance with our former directions."

527. "Memorial from Lieut. Hanson who was transferred from the Establishment of St. Helena, on the subject of his rank."

125. "A reference to the 4th Class of Cadets of the Season 1804, in which Mr. Hanson stands second, will enable you correctly to adjust the rank of that Officer."

612.—"Lieut. Colonel Montresor having offered his house at Secunderabad for sale as a proper quarter, the Commanding Officer at that Station, authorized the purchase, amount Pagodas 3,000."

151. "We do not perceive any just principle upon which the purchase of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor's House at Secunderabad could be made."

152. "Lieutenant Colonel Montresor himself states indeed that it is the custom both at your Presidency and at that of Bombay to furnish Officers situated like himself with houses.—We were not acquainted with any such custom, and must entirely disapprove it."

152. "All Officers in the situation of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor receive full batta and tentage, and in most cases, if not in all, even the batta of the next superior rank.—There can therefore be no just plea for this additional accommodation at any of the Presidencies (none such is made in Bengal), and we direct that it be immediately withdrawn not only at Secunderabad but at all other places."

"Reply to separate Letters dated 15th December 1811; 12th February 1812; and 29th Feb. 1812."
"Revision of Staff appointments and Institution of a Commissariat.—Refer to the Minutes of the President and Commander in Chief and to the Drafts of the General Orders and Regulations for the Details.

184. "We have perused, with the highest degree of satisfaction, the very able Minutes of Sir George Barlow and Lieutenant General Hewett, on the important subjects detailed in this Letter, and in your Military Letters of the 12th February 1811 and 29th February 1812, and we are satisfied that the Company have derived, and we hope will continue to derive, the most extensive advantages from the establishment of a Commissariat, and the other arrangements treated of in these Letters."

185. "From your Letter of the 29th February 1812 it appears that the savings effected by the Commissariat in one year amounted to Pagodas 1,66,283, and that still greater annual savings may be hereafter expected."

186. "Under these circumstances we feel ourselves called upon to express, in very strong terms, the deep sense of obligation which we feel to the late Commander in Chief in India, Lieutenant General Hewett, for having suggested and carried into effect the institution of a Commissariat in Bengal, and at your Presidency, an arrangement which has been extended to Bombay, to the great improvement of the efficiency of the Army, as well as a material reduction of its expenses at all the Presidencies."

187. "Your Commissary General Major Morison, is also entitled to our highest approbation for the eminent zeal, ability and success with which he has carried the Commissariat arrangements into execution."

188. "The only part of those arrangements upon the propriety of which we entertain any doubt, is your resolution to give official rank to the Commissary General with a Seat at the Military Board."

189. "From the Bengal correspondence we perceive that a similar arrangement took place on the Institution of a Commissariat at that Presidency.—This might perhaps, however, have been induced by the circumstance of that Officer, who was selected for the Office of Commissary General having already the official rank of Lieutenant Colonel, together with a Seat at the Military Board in virtue of his former Office of Quarter Master General, from which it might not have appeared adviseable to remove him."

190. "We perceive, however, that on the extension of the Commissariat system to Bombay, the Officer appointed to the head of it, although allowed the official rank of Major, was not made a Member of the Military Board at that Presidency."

191. "We have already expressed our opinion that there exists no adequate reason for giving official rank to the Military Auditor General at any of the Presidencies, and we have in consequence directed it to be withdrawn at Bombay, and declined granting it in Bengal."

192.—"We are also of opinion that there is no necessity for conferring official rank on the Commissary General, and we accordingly direct that it be not hereafter granted to that Officer. We shall not, however, order it to be recalled in the present instance."

"With respect to giving the Commissary General a Seat at the Military Board, we are of opinion, that it is objectionable upon the general principle, that no Officer should sit in judgment or be called upon to act as a check and controul over his supplies, and we are not aware of any advantage likely to arise from such an arrangement which would at all counterbalance the infringement of this principle.—We therefore direct that the Commissary General be not allowed a Seat at the Military Board."

Letter dated the 1st April 1814.

2.—"Having had occasion to transmit to the Presidency of Bengal several Orders that are equally applicable to your's, we send a Copy of them herewith a number in the Packet, and direct that they be strictly attended to at your Presidency also."

3.—"From the testimonials produced to us in favor of the character of William Sidney Mitchell, late Serjeant in the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion on your Establishment; we have been induced to permit him return to your Presidency, with a view to your employing him as a Serjeant should you see it proper so to do."

4.—"We have received a letter from A. Cunningham, Esq. His Majesty's Deputy Consul General at Rio de Janeiro, advising us that Captain William Coote Campbell of the 3d Regiment of Cavalry, and Captain Richard Burn of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, on your Establishment, died at Sea on board the Portuguese India Ship Jozé Americano; the former on the 19th of May and the latter on the 26th July 1813."

9.—"We have appointed the undermentioned persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency, viz."

"Alexander Campbell
"Donald Smith Young
"Thomas L. Starr."

"Referred to in Para. 2 of the foregoing Letter."

Extract Military Letter to Bengal, dated 14th February 1812.

"Letter from 13th January 1810." "(17 to 19). Accounts of the Commissariat, and of all Military Disbursements to be rendered on oath—Hope the arrangement will prove economical. Intend to submit hereafter a comparative statement of its expense, and to revise the whole system at the end of two years, if it shall not appear to unite efficiency with economy. Amount of ordinary advances estimated at Sa. Rs. 4,76,900 per month."

Para. 9. "We entirely approve the Orders which you have issued, directing that the accounts of the Commissariat, and of the several other important Departments enumerated in your Proceedings, shall be rendered upon oath, and that all persons entrusted with the disbursement of public money in the Military Department shall be liable to be called upon to verify their respective accounts in the same manner."

"Letter from 13th March 1810." "(182). Apprehensive that the Act of 1793, applies to Colonels as well as other Officers on leave of absence, and request Court's attention to the consequences of those Officers remaining in England beyond five years."

Para. 44. "We are aware of the circumstances here pointed out, but having by our Military Letter dated 20th April 1803, (Para. 4 & 5), directed that "Colonels of Regiments be allowed to reside in Europe with their share of off-reckonings and their pay, "subject always to the Court's orders for their return to their duty in India." We positively prohibit your making any promotions in the room of Colonels so situated, without our express orders for that purpose."

Extract Military Letter to Bengal, dated 9th September 1812.

"Letter from 27th March 1809. (735 & 6.) Memorial from several Gentlemen of the Medical Department, praying that Members of the Medical Board and Superintending Surgeons may be permitted to retire at any time after they have attained those situations, on the pensions annexed to them, provided they have completed a period of 25 years in India including three years of Furlough, in the same manner as Military Officers;—strongly recommended to Court's favor and adoption."

Para. 261. "We were not insensible of the apparent hardship of the present Regulations relative to the retirement of Members of the Medical Board, and Surgeons of General Hospitals (now Superintending Surgeons) at the time those Regulations were made; but we were of opinion that the public interest required that a certain period of service in the situation of Member of the Medical Board, and Surgeon of General Hospitals should be completed before the Medical Gentlemen succeeding to those situations should be entitled to retire on the augmented pensions fixed for those ranks. We are still of the same opinion."

262. "In consideration, however, of your earnest recommendation of the case of Medical Gentlemen so situated, we agree to the following modification of our Orders contained in Paras. 96 & 7 of our Military Letter dated 8th January 1796."

263. A Member of the Medical Board who shall have been in that situation not less than two years, and not less than twenty years in India, including 3 years for one furlough, shall be permitted to retire from the Service and allowed five hundred Pounds per annum.

264. "A Surgeon of a General Hospital (or Superintending Surgeon) who shall have served in that situation not less than two years, and not less than twenty years in India, including three years for one furlough, shall be permitted to retire from the Service and allowed three hundred Pounds per annum."

"Letter from 27th March 1809. (799). Captain C. Maxwell 24th N. I. directed to be considered as having relinquished the Service from the 26th January 1807, being five years from the date of his quitting India. (800.) Surgeons Nasmyth Hare, Gilchrist and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Rose having exceeded the period of absence from India prescribed by Court's orders, struck off the strength of the Army.—Promotions in consequence to have effect from the 5th February 1808."

Para. 306. "In our Military Letter to Fort Saint George, dated 23d January 1811, Para. 162, (Copy of which was sent for your information & guidance with our Military Letter to Bengal dated 22d February 1811,) we directed that the names of Officers and Surgeons absent on furlough to Europe, should not be struck off your Army List without authority from us."

307.— With a view to your obtaining early and correct information of the death, resignation, or extension of furlough of every Officer, or Surgeon on furlough to Europe, we have resolved to transmit to each of the Presidencies, by the last Ships of each season, a return of all Officers and Surgeons at home with our permission, and we direct that the promotions of Officers and Surgeons in India, in consequence of vacancies occurring in Europe, be hereafter regulated by these annual Lists."

308. We shall not, however, object to the promotions notified in these Paragraphs in consequence of the long and unaccounted-for absence of the Officers and Surgeons mentioned in them, most of whom have neglected to announce to us their resignation of the Service within the proper period."

309. "We shall hereafter in our annual Lists give directions as to the time at which Officers and Surgeons so neglecting to report themselves to us shall be considered as having relinquished our Service."

Extract Military Letter to Bengal dated 14th April 1813.

"Letter from 31st October 1810. (181) Officers retained in the custody of the Civil Power to be allowed the pay, half batta, gratuity and half tent allowance of their respective ranks."

158. "We shall not object, however, to your allowing Officers confined for debt the pay, half batta and gratuity of their respective ranks for one year from the date of their confinement, after which we direct that they be allowed to draw their pay only."

162.—"We direct you to notify in General Orders to the Army, our resolution to dismiss from our Service every Officer who shall be proved to have been guilty of cruelty to any Native, either by violently and illegally beating or otherwise maltreating him, and we desire that you will be very particular in bringing to our notice any instances of that kind that may hereafter occur."

"Letter from 31st October 1810. (182.) Claim preferred by Captain Andrew Fraser 25th N. I. for arrears of pay during his late furlough to Europe admitted on the principle of Court's Orders of 28th Aug. 1800."

Para. 163.—"Being willing on every occasion, to grant all reasonable indulgences to our Officers, we shall not object to the interpretation which you have given to our Orders of the 28th August 1800, in favor of Captain Fraser's claim, and we consent that all Officers shall be allowed to draw the pay of their respective ranks during one furlough to Europe on their private affairs, exclusive of the pay allowed them in cases of certified sickness."

Extract Military Letter to Bengal, dated 3d September 1813.

"Letter from 12th February 1811. (27) Memorials from Major Morrell of the 27th & Captain Henley of the 24th Regiments, soliciting Court's enforcement of the Regulations, that Officers who retire from the Service, may be considered as having retired from the expiration of their furlough, namely, two years, unless they should be permitted to retire at an earlier period."

Para. 25.—"Having taken these memorials into our consideration, we have come to a resolution that all Officers retiring from our Service, shall be considered to have retired from the date of the expiration of their respective furloughs, or from the date of their respective resignations, whichever shall first happen."

26.—"Therefore Officers retiring from our Service after two years furlough will be considered to have retired at the expiration of two years from the date of their landing in England, unless they shall previously have obtained from us an extension of their furlough; and Officers who shall retire after having obtained such extension of furlough from us, will be considered to have retired from the date of the expiration of such additional furlough."

Extract Military Letter to Bengal, dated 16th February 1814.

"Letter from 3d December 1811. Submitting a memorial from Major General Palmer in behalf of himself & the other Major Generals of the Bengal Establishment who are not employed on the Staff, soliciting the restoration of the batta of Colonel."

Para. 92.—"Being at all times willing to shew every proper degree of indulgence to old and meritorious Servants, we authorize you to allow the Major Generals in our Service whilst residing in India, but not employed on the Staff, to draw the batta of their regimental rank in addition to their pay and off-reckonings, when entitled to the latter allowance."

93.—"This allowance to commence from the date of its notification in General Orders."

"Letter from 29th February 1812. (1 to 7). Major General John Garstin continued in Command of the Corps of Engineers notwithstanding his promotion."

Para. 128. "Having reconsidered our former Orders on the subject of the employment of General Officers of Engineers and Artillery (as contained in Paras. 88 to 93 of our Military Letter to Bengal dated 12th July 1805), we have for the following reasons, as well as those stated in the Paras. to which we are now replying, resolved to alter the Regulations heretofore laid down on that subject."

129.—"The operation of the Military arrangements of 1796, which regulates the promotion of Officers in our Service (after attaining the rank of Lieutenant Colonel) by the General Brevets issued by His

Majesty, necessarily throws out of active employment all those Officers of the Line who attain the rank of Major General, and who are not selected to fill the situations and to exercise the duties of General Officers on the Staff."

130.—" It was an erroneous extension of this rule, we conceive as applied to the Corps of Artillery and Engineers, which led, in its consequences to the occasional nomination of Officers of these Corps to be Generals on the Staff, not only to the prejudice of the Officers of the Line, but to the obvious disadvantage of the Public, by detaching them from those Branches of the Service in which their experience was likely to be most useful."

131.—" We understand that, although it is not the practice of His Majesty's Service to invest the Officers of Engineers and Artillery with the Command of Districts, yet neither is it the practice to exclude them altogether from employment, after they have attained the rank of General Officers.—In this rank they are still eligible to be called into service and to exercise the functions of Command, limited, however, to the duties and details of their own particular Corps."

132.—" Under these considerations we have thought it advisable to annul the existing Regulations on this subject, both as they respect the eligibility of Officers of Artillery and Engineers to be employed on the General Staff, and the prohibition against their continuing to conduct the details of their respective Corps after promotion to the rank of General Officers,

133.—" We therefore direct that no General Officer of Engineers or Artillery be hereafter put upon the General Staff of the Army, but that you select from among the General Officers of Engineers and Artillery, and the Officers actually at the Head of those Corps at the time, whether General Officers or not, such Officers as you may think most fit to conduct the duties of those Corps respectively."

134.—" Such General Officers of Engineers and Artillery will of course be relieved every four years, according to the practice which prevails among the General Officers of Cavalry and Infantry selected for the Staff, unless some special reason shall occasionally exist for deviating from this rule, of which of course you will duly advise us."

135.—" With a view to prevent any interference with the Command of Officers on the General Staff of the Army, we direct that when General Officers of Engineers or Artillery shall be appointed to the Command of their respective Corps, they shall be stationed in the Garrisons of Fort William, Fort St. George and Bombay respectively."

136.—" As the duties of the Officers in charge of the Engineers and Artillery, will be exactly the same whether General Officers or not, we direct that no addition be made to the allowances at present drawn by the Commandants of either of those Corps."

137.—" On this occasion we think proper to repeat our Orders of the 8th January 1796 and 21st January 1807, that " the Officer in charge of the Engineer Corps, shall have no concern whatever in " Public Buildings or Works or in the materials used therein," and to direct further, that if any Officer succeeding to the charge of the Engineer Corps shall at the time of such succession have any concern of that nature, he be immediately relieved from it."

138.—" You will consider these Orders as having effect from the date of your receipt of this Letter, a Copy of which we desire you will send to the other Presidencies for their information and guidance."

Extract from 25th February 1812—(8). Major George Hickson Fagan appointed Adjutant General with the official rank of Lieutenant Colonel, vice Lieutenant Colonel Ball deceased.

Para 139.—" Having taken into our most serious consideration the numerous instances which have lately occurred of appointing Officers of short standing and of inferior rank to the most important and distinguished situations in our Military Service, and being convinced that such a practice is no less injurious to that subordination of mind on which discipline is founded than it is prejudicial to the interests and hurtful to the feelings, of old and deserving Officers, we have come to the following resolutions."

1st.—" No Officer shall be eligible to hold the situation of Adjutant or Quarter Master General, Military Auditor General, or Commissary General, who has not previously attained the rank of Major in the Army, either regimentally or by the operation of His Majesty's Brevet."

2dly.—" No Officer shall be eligible for the appointment of Deputy Adjutant or Deputy Quarter Master General, Deputy Military Auditor or Deputy Commissary General, who has not been at least two years a Captain."

3d.—" No Officer shall be appointed to the situation of Assistant Adjutant or Quarter Master General, who has not attained the rank of Captain."

140.—" We observe by your last Army List that Major Fagan is second Captain in the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, and that his rank of Major was merely official, he having for some time held the office of Deputy Adjutant General of your Army."

140.—(A) " Under the Regulations above prescribed Major Fagan would not have been eligible to the situation of Adjutant General, and we should have been glad that so important an Office had been conferred upon some Officers of longer standing in our Service."

141.—" As, however, we understand Major Fagan to be a very meritorious Officer, that he officiated for some time as Acting Adjutant General and that he lost an arm on service, we shall not think it necessary to enforce the Regulations now laid down in his instance, but content ourselves with enjoining your strict attention to them on all future occasions."

142.—" We shall probably resume the consideration of this subject at no very distant period, with a view to the more extensive application of the principle now laid down for your guidance. In the mean time, we desire that you will send a Copy of these Paragraphs to the other Presidencies for their information and guidance."

Letter from 6th June 1812. (1 to 3). Requesting Court's early attention to the sentiments of the Commander in Chief on the inconveniences arising from their Orders of 7th September 1808, directing "that Officers should not be allowed to retire in India," and that the same may be revised; also the Regulations for allowing Furlo' to Europe.

Para. 212. We have perused with attention the Adjutant General's Letter of the 14th March 1812, referred to in these Paragraphs, and for the reasons stated in that Letter, we authorize you to allow Officers to retire from the Service in India on the pay of their respective ranks, after they shall have completed the regulated periods of service."

213. "On all occasions of this nature, you will be careful strictly to observe the Regulations laid down in our Military Letter of the 6th June 1798, (Para. 31), for the purpose of preventing the clandestine sales of Commissions, our apprehensions of which formed the chief ground of our Orders of the 7th September 1808, now cancelled."

214. "With regard to the observations in the Adjutant General's Letter on the subject of furlough, we have to observe that we have from time to time, imposed additional checks upon this indulgence and laid down rules which, we trust, will be effectual in preventing its abuse among Officers at home; and it is the duty of our several Governments in India to see that there is no abuse of it there."

215. "The case of Lieutenant Colonel Gahan, as stated in the Adjutant General's Letter (Paras. 17 to 22), is an instance of the abuse of the indulgence of the Furlough Regulations in India, which ought therefore to have been checked by the Commander in Chief in the same manner as similar abuse, when attempted by Lieutenant Colonel Hunter, was checked, as described in Paras. 23 to 6 of the same Letter."

216. "With respect to the cases of Lieutenant Colonels Pine and Broughton, we shall only remark that the latter was employed on duty, by our Orders at St. Helena, and cannot, therefore, with any justice or propriety be struck off the List of our Army; and that the former of those Officers, Lieutenant Colonel Pine, is detained as he represents, and as we believe very much against his inclination, a Prisoner in France."

217. "In addition to the Regulations on the subject of Furlough which have been at various times passed by us and communicated to you, we have come to the following resolutions, and we are not aware that any further Regulations are necessary, or can with propriety be added to those now in force," viz

That in future whenever the absence of a Military Officer from India shall exceed the period of his regular furlough, no further leave of absence shall be given to him, upon the mere production of a medical certificate, or other unauthenticated statement of circumstances; but that previous to such leave being granted, proof of the statement made by the Party in support of his application shall be adduced to the Committee of Correspondence, by personal examination or by such other evidence as shall be deemed fully satisfactory to the Committee.

218. "Also that Military Officers wishing to avail themselves of the Provisions of the Act of the 33d of His present Majesty, (Sec. 70, Cap. 52), as to the time of absence after which Civil, and Military Officers may return to our Service, must arrive in India within five years from their departure from thence, or otherwise they will not be entitled to any pay, rank or military authority; unless they shall have permission from us to return to India, having previously proved to our satisfaction and to that of the Board of Commissioners for the affairs of India, that their absence was occasioned by sickness or infirmity, or some inevitable accident."

Letter dated 29th April 1814.

2d. "In our Military Letter dated 12th March 1813, we conveyed to you (Paras. 2 and 3) our decision and Orders on the cases of some of your Officers who had relinquished, and of others who had been dismissed from the Service, in consequence of their reprehensible conduct in the late disturbances at your Presidency; and we have now to advise you that having reconsidered the case of Major D. C. Kenny one of the Officers adverted to in those Paragraphs, and having also taken into consideration the case of Lieutenant Colonel Robert Munro, we have come to the following resolution."

3d. "Although Lieutenant Colonel Robert Munro and Major D. C. Kenny, appear to have been deeply implicated in the criminal proceedings of part of the Madras Army in the year 1809, and to have thereby rendered themselves unworthy of our notice, yet having taken into our consideration the testimonies in favor of Lieutenant Colonel Robert Munro by his Commanding Officer, and the strong recommendation of the Court Martial in favour of Major Kenny, as well as the contrite and penitent acknowledgment of both those Officers and the punishment which they have already undergone, we have resolved that, as a special mark of the Court's lenity, Lieutenant Colonel Robert Munro and Major D. C. Kenny be now restored to the Service and resume their former rank in it."

4th.—"Colonel Thomas Munro having been detained in this Country by our orders beyond the time limited by Act of Parliament, has our permission to return to his rank on your Establishment.—This permission has been sanctioned by the approbation of the Board of Commissioners for the affairs of India, in conformity to the Act of the 33d of His present Majesty, Cap. 52, Sec. 70."

5th.—"Captain Patrick Wood of your Establishment, retired from the Company's Service (with our permission), from the 1st of February 1814."

11th.—"We have permitted the undermentioned Military Officers on your Establishment to return to their rank, viz."

"Lieut. Colonel John Crosdill
"Major David Newall
"Captain Johnston Napier
"Lieutenant Humphrey S. Hall
"Major T. Fiott De Havilland
"Captain Peter D. Marett
"Lieutenant Charles Gahagan
"Lieutenant Robert Gray

" Lieutenant Glencairn Gill " Lieutenant John Newall
" Lieutenant William Chavasse " Ensign Charles Maxtone."

12th.—" We have permitted Mr. George Jenkins, whose name is included in the list of rank of Artillery Cadets advised in our Letter of the 22d February last, to remain in this Country to qualify himself for the Corps of Engineers.—We therefore direct that you erase the name of George Jenkins from the list of rank abovementioned."

Letter dated 29th April 1814.

"To England 15th March 1811. 39. From the failure of Messrs. Chase & Co. the sum due from them on account of Columbo prize money will only be recovered as directed in Part."

3.—" With a view to prevent losses of this kind to the Company hereafter, as well as with a view to the security of the interests of our Officers and Soldiers, we direct that the proceeds of all Prize Property be in future lodged in the Treasury; and we authorize you to allow such a rate of Interest on these sums as shall at the time of deposite appear to be equitable and proper."

830 & 31. Captain Owen and other Officers of his Majesty's Ship Seaflower granted arrears of batta during their captivity until the 15th August last, the day on which their pay as belonging to that Vessel, ceased."

119.—" The Orders which were communicated to you in Para. 9th of our Military Letter to Bengal dated 16th February 1810, (Copy of which we forwarded with our Letter in this department dated 23d January 1811), relative to the allowances to be made to Officers in our Service detained Prisoners of War, were intended to be equally applied to Officers serving in His Majesty's Army or Navy, in India. We direct that all cases similar to Captain Owen's be hereafter decided by those rules."

"To England 13th April 1811. 5. Military Board's reply to certain Paras. of Comp's Letter of 21st April 1809, forwarded."

171.—" The explanations of the Military Board upon the several subjects referred to in this Para. preclude the necessity of any further observation upon them, except upon that which relates to the supplying Officers with Quarters at certain fixed rents."

172.—" We conceive it to be highly improbable that the Company can supply Officers with Quarters at as low a rate as they can supply themselves, even if the Quarters were always occupied and the rent consequently permanent."

173.—" We are also of opinion, that if even the expense of repairing the Quarters for Officers at Wallajahbad and other places were covered by the rent received, it would still be desirable to relieve the Military Board and the Government from an unnecessary superintendence of Buildings, which the Officers can with equal facility take care of themselves."

174.—" Upon these principles the Government of Bengal some years ago directed all Officers Quarters not situated in Garrisons or fortified Posts to be sold, and we have every reason to suppose that the Company has benefited by that arrangement."

175.—"We observe also that your Military Board themselves remark (Para. 10 of their Letter dated the 11th March 1811,) that " at Stations where there are no Public Quarters the Officers of the Army " generally erect houses for their own accommodation, and there can be little doubt but that this measure " is conducive to the health and consequent efficiency of the Army."

176.—" We therefore direct that all Quarters erected for Officers at Posts not fortified under your Presidency, be sold at such rates as may be recommended by the Military Board and approved by you."

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true Copy.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 192

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th October 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT;

Ordered that the rank of Cadets and Assistant Surgeons for Madras, appointed and proceeding by the first Fleet of Ships of the Season 1813, be published in General Orders.

No. 1.

RANK OF CADETS FOR MADRAS APPOINTED AND PROCEEDING BY THE FIRST FLEET OF SHIPS OF THE SEASON 1813.

For the Engineers.

James Oliphant, William Tillotson Drewry, } Allowed to remain in England without prejudice to their rank for the purpose of proceeding on the Trigonometrical Survey.

For the Artillery.

Frederick Blundell,—allowed to remain in England without prejudice to his rank for the purpose of recovering his health.

John Wynch, Winchelsea,

William Brooke, allowed to remain in England to recover his health without prejudice to his rank.

William Selby Hile, Astell.

Cortlandt Taylor, Do.

For the Infantry.

Philip Burrard	Asia.
John James De Paiba	Do.
Thomas Bell	Europe.
George Williams	Winchelsea;

No. 1.

RANK OF ASSISTANT SURGEONS FOR MADRAS APPOINTED AND PROCEEDING BY THE FIRST FLEET OF SHIPS OF THE SEASON 1813.

William Turnbull	Marquis of Huntley.
Cornelius Desormeaux	Europe,
Alexander Shedden,	Do.
James Hazlewood,	Marquis of Huntley
William Henry Richards	Do
Thomas Williams	Do.
Robert Anderson	Castle Huntley
Robert Davidson	Do.
John Edwards	Astell

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 194B

FORT ST. GEORGE, 4th November 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

1. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to establish the following Regulations.

2. The Regimental Horses of Cavalry Officers, whether of His Majesty's or the Honorable Company's Service, holding Staff appointments, employed at a distance from the Regiments, are in future to be mustered at the same periods as directed for Camp Equipage, viz. in January, May, and September of each year, and by the same Mustering Officers; an additional column is accordingly to be included in the Muster and Inspection Report, headed "Regimental Horses;" the Horse and Tent allowances of the above Officers, are in future to be drawn in the same abstract with their Regimental Pay and Allowances, in order that one Muster and Inspection Report may answer for both charges: it is also directed that the 16th and 18th Paragraph, Page 270, of the Code of Pay Regulations, regarding the Muster of Camp Equipage, shall in future be considered applicable to the Chargers, which Cavalry Officers may have with them when absent from their Corps or Stations.

3. The Detail of Native Cavalry composing the Escort of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, as also the Orderly Non-Commissioned or Troopers with the Adjutant General and Quarter Master General of the Army at the Presidency, will continue to receive batta while so employed and detached from their Corps.

4. Officers and Men (European or Native) when unavoidably left sick on the march of a Corps from Jaulnah, Secunderabad, or Poonah, or from situations where the Troops had been in receipt of full batta, are to be considered entitled to a continuance of their batta, so long as their inability to proceed to join their Corps, or to some of the fixed Stations of the Army, shall be certified by the Senior Medical Authority on the spot, whose certificate in all such cases, is to accompany the Abstracts of the Officers and Men who may draw batta under the above circumstances—the usual travelling batta is also authorized, according to the distance the Parties may have to proceed to join.

5. The Private Secretary to the Honorable the Governor (if a Military Officer) is to be considered as included in the List of Officers mentioned in the 5th Paragraph, Page 367, of the Code of Pay Regulations; and is accordingly to draw House Rent in future in lieu of Tent Allowance.

6. When European Officers are ordered to proceed with Details of Native Troops under the circumstances stated in the 1st Paragraph of the General Order, 28th May 1813, they are to be considered entitled to the same indulgence in regard to advances of Pay and Allowances as the Native Troops therein specified.

7. The allowances for the Carriage of Regimental Books and the Carriage of Medicines on account of the Corps of Pioneers (or Detachments from it) are only to be drawn when on actual Field Service, or marching from one Station to another, and not when employed in Garrison or Cantonment, although the Corps is always on full batta.

8. The last Paragraph of the 21st or Supplementary Section of the Code of Pay Regulations, Page 426, (regarding allowances to Officers relieved and to those relieving) is cancelled, and the following Regulation established in lieu thereof.

"When one Officer succeeds another in the Command or Charge of a Station, Corps or Detachment to "which full or superior batta, table or any other allowance is annexed, the Officer relieved is to draw the "regulated allowances up to the date inclusive, on which he is relieved; and his Successor (or the Officer "who relieves him) is to draw them from the day following that on which such relief takes place."

9. Bills on the Accountant General for the Regimental Pay and Allowances of Officers of His Majesty's Service, absent from their Regiments on staff duty, &c. as also on account of Detachments, as authorized by the 6th and 11th Paragraphs of the General Order, 14th September 1813, are to be drawn at sight, and issued by Paymasters of Stations, on the 1st of each month, if required, by Regimental Paymasters, in order that they may be forwarded to the Parties so as to reach them at the period prescribed for the payment of the Troops, or as soon after it as possible; the Regimental Paymasters in such cases giving receipts for the amount, and in the event of want of vouchers or other objection to support the charges for such Officers Pay and Allowances when the General Abstracts of the Regiments are paid, the Station-Paymasters are authorized to make a deduction of the amount until the deficient vouchers are procured, or the objections otherwise removed.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 195 A.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 4th *November* 1814.

The permission, granted in General Orders dated the 7th Ultimo, by His Excellency the Honorable the Vice President in Council, to Ensign James Robins, of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health, is confirmed.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 197

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15th *November* 1814.

First Dresser John Allan is promoted to the rank of Sub-Assistant Surgeon, vice Scott deceased.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 201

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 18th *November* 1814.

Mr. William Gay, Head Apothecary under the Superintendent of the Dispensary, is promoted to the rank of Sub-Assistant Surgeon; and appointed to the Charge of the Native Infirmary, vice Burgess retired.

First Dresser John Bradshaw is appointed to succeed Mr. Gay in the Dispensary as Head Apothecary.

Captain T. Bulman of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation.

Cornet D. Allan of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant J. Macdonald of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, having returned to this Presidency, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 200

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 18th *November* 1814.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to permit Mr. Superintending Surgeon Ainslie to resign the medical charge of the Southern Division of the Army, from the 16th Instant.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Ainslie is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough, for the purpose of resigning the Service of the Honorable Company.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 202

Fort St. George, 25th *November* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 203

Fort St. George, 25th *November* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant R. Edmonds of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 199

Fort St. George, 18th *November* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

It having been represented that some misunderstanding exists with regard to the mode of recovery of advances made to Officers while absent at other Presidencies, and as it appears by the 6th, 7th and 8th Paragraphs, Pages 383 and 384, of the Code of Pay Regulations, that those advances are so regulated as to be in effect, the same as if the Officers were to draw their full pay and allowances while absent; it is directed that the 7th and 8th Paras. Page 2, of the above Code shall be considered as rescinded, and that on the return of Officers from leave of absence at other Presidencies, the full amount of the advances which they may receive shall be deducted from the arrears which would otherwise be due to them, or if the advances should under any unforeseen circumstances exceed the arrears, no pay and allowances whatever are to be issued to such Officers until the advances shall have been adjusted.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 205

Fort St. George, 29th *November* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain James Stuart Fraser of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry, to resign the appointment of Town Major of Fort St. George.

Deeply impressed with a sense of the superior ability, unremitting assiduity, and correct judgment with which Captain Fraser has executed the peculiarly complicated duties of that important situation, the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders his high approbation of the distinguished conduct of that Officer in every branch of his public employments;—and further to add, that the late Governor, Lieutenant General Abercromby, equally expressed the great estimation in which he held the valuable services of Captain Fraser.

The regret which the Governor feels for the removal of Captain Fraser from the situation of Town Major, is in some degree alleviated by his having accepted an Appointment on the Governor's personal Staff, as Aide-de-Camp on the establishment,—to which he will remain attached until further orders.

Lieutenant J. Macdonald of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed Town Major of Fort St. George.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 204

Fort St. George, 29th *November* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Staff Surgeon Connell is directed to proceed immediately to the Head Quarters of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, and to relieve Mr. Superintending Surgeon Goldie, transferred in General Orders dated the 1st Instant, to the medical charge of the Southern Division of the Army.

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe, on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant Colonel T. A. Fraser of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Captain R. Taylor, Commissary of Stores at Secunderabad; and

Lieutenant J. S. Chauvel of the 21st Native Regiment.

Lieutenant C. Kinsey of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on sick certificate.

Lieutenant and Adjutant J. B. M'Cormick of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 207

Fort St. George, 2d *December* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant Colonel Francis Thompson of the Madras European Regiment, to Command the Field Forces assembling for service in the Southern Districts.

Major Andrews of the Madras European Regiment, to command the Flank Battalion which will be formed for service with that Force, under directions from the Commander in Chief.

The following Staff Officers are appointed to the Force,

Captain Cleaveland of the Artillery, to be Commissary of Stores.

Lieutenant Fenwick of the Madras European Regiment, to be Paymaster.

Mr. Surgeon Colhoun to be Staff Surgeon.

His Excellency the Commander in Chief is requested to detach the Assistant Adjutant General and the Assistant Quarter Master General of the Army from Head Quarters, to serve with the Field Force as Assistant Adjutant General and Assistant Quarter Master General respectively.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Chief Sec. to Govt.

No. 206

Fort St. George, 2d December 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to authorize a further extension of the leave of absence, originally granted in General Orders, dated the 17th September 1813, to Lieutenant Colonel Colin Mackenzie of the Corps of Engineers; and that Officer is permitted to continue in Bengal until the 1st of January 1815.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 207

Fort St. George, 6th December 1814.

G. O. By Government.

With reference to the G. O. by Government dated the 29th October 1813, The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to explain that Superintending Engineers, when absent off the Coast from their Station, whether on duty, on furlough, or on sick certificate, are not to be considered as entitled to receive the allowance (batta and salary) thereby granted to Superintending Engineers of Divisions or of more Stations than one; but that the Officer who may be appointed to take charge of the duties of the Division or Station, and who becomes responsible for the works under execution, shall be permitted to draw the established allowance according to his rank. It is not, however, intended by this Order to deprive Superintending Engineers of the allowances when absent from their Division or Station to the Presidency, or to any other Station for a limited period, as in such case the works will be carried on by their Assistants or some other Officer to be approved of by the Military Board, at their responsibility.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 208

Fort St. George, 6th December 1814.

G. O. By Government.

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

Lieutenant Colonel Daniell of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Command the Cantonment of Arcot.

Captain Charles Hopkinson of the Artillery, to be Commissary of Stores at Secunderabad, vice Taylor, permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough.

Lieutenant George Moore of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the Flank Battalion of the Force under orders for Field Service to the Southward.

Cornet W. Hamilton of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, who had obtained (in G. O. dated 20th August 1813,) the Prize for a superior degree of proficiency in the Hindoostanee language, having been reported, on his recent examination in the Persian language, to have entitled himself to the further distinction proclaimed in General Orders dated the 17th November 1812; The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in recognizing his claim to the additional reward for the attainment of the Persian language, and directs that it be accordingly presented to that Officer.

The undermentioned Officers are reported by the Committee for the examination of Military Students, to have severally attained the requisite degree of proficiency in the Hindoostanee language; and the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the usual honorary reward be granted to them accordingly, viz.

Lieutenant Hibgame of the 15th Native Infantry,
Mr. Assistant Surgeon P. Scott.
Lieutenant R. C. Mantell of the 10th Native Infantry.
Ensign E. B. Bosc of the 2d Native Infantry.
Lieutenant Fireworker Warre of the 1st Battalion of Artillery.
Lieutenant Pew of the 20th Native Infantry, and
Lieutenant Ardagh of the 14th Native Infantry.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 209

Fort St. George, 9th December 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon W. Ord is appointed a Superintending Surgeon on the Establishment, vice Ainslie, permitted to proceed to England on furlough, and is attached to the Subsidiary Force of Hyderabad; date of rank 17th November 1814.

The two Junior Members of the Medical Board are relieved from the duty of Superintending Surgeons both at the Presidency and in the Centre Division of the Army; and the following arrangements will take place.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Baillie is transferred to the Centre Division of the Army, and the Provinces of Malabar and Canara are included in the range of the Superintending Surgeon in Mysore.

Mr. Surgeon J. D. White is appointed a Superintending Surgeon on the Establishment, and is stationed at the Presidency. His controul will extend over all Hospitals and Establishments, whether Civil or Military, at the Presidency and at St. Thomas's Mount, including the Dispensary; but with the exception of the Medical Stores.

The appointments of Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon of the General Hospital are abolished, and that Institution becomes the Garrison Hospital of Fort St. George, continuing as at present a receptacle for Patients not belonging to the Garrison, in conformity with the existing Regulations.—The monthly allowance of fifty Pagodas for medical expenditure now drawn by the Garrison Surgeon, is discontinued.

The Assistant Garrison Surgeon of Fort St. George will hereafter invariably have charge of the Dispensary, and will receive for that duty an increased allowance of fifty Pagodas monthly. He is removed from the controul of the Medical Storekeeper, and will reside constantly in the Fort.

The Assistant Surgeon of the Black Town will hereafter be an Assistant under the Garrison Surgeon. He will have charge of the Black Town, the Jails, and the Native Infirmary, and will reside constantly in the Black Town.

The following Appointments will take place.

Mr. Surgeon S. Heward to be Garrison Surgeon of Fort St. George.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon R. H. Stuart to be Assistant Garrison Surgeon, and Superintendent of the Dispensary.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon T. Sergeant to be Black Town Assistant Surgeon, under the new arrangement.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Underwood will have medical charge of the Male and Female Asylums, and will reside in the vicinity of those Institutions.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

(True Copies,)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 208

FORT ST. GEORGE, *9th December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Colonel Thompson of the Madras European Regiment, and Captain Wilson of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, being under orders for Field Service, are relieved from the Committee for adjusting the account of Family Payments.

John Finnis, Esq. Paymaster of His Majesty's 56th Regiment of Foot, is appointed a Member of the Committee, and will act as Secretary until further orders.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 211

FORT ST. GEORGE, *9th December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The following Appointments have taken place.

Captain George Cadell of the 12th Native Regiment, to act as Assistant Adjutant General of the Army during the absence of Lieutenant John Scott on Service.

Cornet William Barlow of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry, to act as Assistant in the Adjutant General's Department during Lieutenant Little's absence on sick certificate.

Lieutenant B. Hooper of the Madras European Regiment, to act as Adjutant to that Corps during the employment of Lieutenant Fenwick on other duty.

Sub Assistant Surgeon John Allan is appointed to the European Depôt at Poonamallee, under Mr. Surgeon Steddy.

Lieutenant E. Bertier of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 212

FORT ST. GEORGE, *13th December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The following Appointments have taken place.

Lieutenant William Mills of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Dragoons, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major General Hare from the 1st Instant.

Lieutenant Peile, Acting Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Office, to act as Assistant Quarter Master General, vice Johnston, ordered on Field Service.

Lieutenant Cameron, Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Department, Survey Branch, to act as Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Office, vice Peile.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 213

FORT ST. GEORGE, *13th December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Ord is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years, from the 15th Instant.

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

Mr. Surgeon Dalton to be Superintending Surgeon with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, vice Ord; date of rank the 15th of December 1814.

Mr. Surgeon Fallowfield to be Garrison Surgeon of Bangalore, vice Heward; date of appointment the 9th Instant.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon John Harwood to be Deputy Field Apothecary to the Force assembling for Service in the Southern Districts.

Messrs. Assistant Surgeons James Stevenson and Thomas Williams, Mr. Acting Sub Assistant Surgeon Almeida, and First Dressers W. Collin and J. Mason, are placed under the charge of the Staff Surgeon attached to that Force.

Mr. Surgeon A. Stewart is appointed to the charge of the Lunatic Hospital, at the Presidency, vice Dalton promoted.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 24

Fort St. George, 13th *December* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the following establishment of Camp Equipage for the Rifle Corps.

	Two poled Private Tents.
8 Companies at 4 Tents each	32
Quarter and Rear Guard	2
Hospital	2
Stores	3
Staff Serjeants	1
Total	40

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 26

Fort St. George, 20th *December* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

In consequence of the late change of system adopted in the Honorable Company's Import Warehouse, and in order to continue to the Native Troops the indulgence granted to them by the General Order of the 15th March 1797, of being supplied with Blue Broad Cloth for their Turbands, at the rates therein fixed.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, at the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to authorize the following deviation from the G. O. of the 15th March 1797, above stated.

The Indents for the quantity of Cloth required by Corps respectively, for supplying new Turbands to the Native Officers and Men, are in future to be made on the Agent for Army Cloathing, and not on the Import Warehouse keeper, and instead of being transmitted as heretofore, to the Secretary to the Military Board, they are to be forwarded to the Adjutant General of the Army, to be checked and countersigned in his Office.

On Indents checked and countersigned as above directed, being forwarded to the Agent, he will issue the Cloth required, on payment, at the rates specified in the General Order of the 15th March 1797, and he will debit in his accounts, the difference between the regulated price fixed in that Order, and the invoice price at which, he receives it, from the Honorable Company's Stores.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 25

Fort St. George, 20th *December* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Peyton is permitted to visit the Presidency on his private affairs; and to be absent from the Mysore Division until the 15th of March 1815.

The Reverend R. Smyth, Military Chaplain to the European Troops at Arcot, Vellore and Wallajahbad, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence until the 15th of January 1815.

The permission to proceed to Sea granted in General Orders dated the 28th June last, to Captain T. Arthur, Superintending Engineer in Travancore, has been cancelled at his request.

The leave of absence to proceed to Bengal granted in General Orders dated the 27th of May 1814, to Lieutenant H. Salmon of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been extended for a further period terminating on the 15th April 1815.

The leave to proceed to Europe granted in General Orders dated the 15th of April 1814, to Captain A. H. Hatherly of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is considered to have commenced from the 14th July last, the date of his embarkation at Fort William.

Mr. Conductor J. E. Glasser attached to the Corps of Dooley Bearers, is transferred to the Invalid Establishment, in compliance with his request.

The following Appointment has taken place.

Cornet W. Babington of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry and Adjutant to the Governor's Body Guard, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honorable the Governor.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 217

Fort St. George, 20th *December* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations and modifications of the existing rules of the Service, with respect to the Reports and Returns transmitted to the Military Board, shall take effect on and from the 1st of January 1815.

FROM CORPS.

The annual Returns of Arms and Accoutrements to be dispensed with.

FROM ORDNANCE OFFICERS.

Returns of Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, Store Lascars, and Artificers, with Muster Rolls attached, to be transmitted Quarterly instead of Monthly.

Monthly Return of unserviceable Fire Arms in Store to be dispensed with.

Monthly Returns of Articles deficient in the Accoutrements received from different Corps to be dispensed with.

From the PUBLIC AGENT for ORDNANCE CARRIAGES.

Returns of Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, Store Lascars, European and Native Artificers, with Muster Rolls, and of Asylum Boys apprenticed, to be transmitted Quarterly instead of Monthly.

FROM OFFICERS COMMANDING STATIONS.

Monthly Returns of Guard-room Furniture to be transmitted Quarterly instead of Monthly, under the proviso, that Officers Commanding, shall report any injuries sustained, and forward if necessary, Indents for exchange.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

No. 222.A.

Fort St. George, 24th *December* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor 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 day of January and on the following days.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

Sec. to Government.

No. 216

Fort St. George, 20th *December* 1814.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish Regimental Canteens, at all Stations where European Regiments are posted; and to direct that the following Regulations, be adopted for their management, and economy.

1st—Wholesome Spirits; in such quantities, as may be indented for under the countersignature of Commanding Officers of Corps, will be issued from the Public Stores, for the use of the Canteens, at thirty (30) Fanams per Gallon, and be retailed in the Canteens at the advanced rate of thirty-six (36) Fanams per Gallon; the profits arising therefrom, to be applied towards forming a General Regimental Canteen Fund, to defray the expenses of Servants, Furniture, &c. &c. required for the Canteen.

2d—The accounts of the Canteen, are to be kept by the Regimental Quarter Master, under the control of the Commanding Officer; and will be made up monthly, shewing the consumption at the Canteen, and a balance account of the Establishment for the month.

A Quarterly Committee, is also to be ordered for the inspection of the accounts, and will sign them.

3d—The Canteen accounts, are, at each Review and Inspection of the Corps to be submitted to the Reviewing Officer, who will give such orders as may appear necessary to improve the interior management of the Canteen, and make a report for the Commander in Chief's information of every circumstance connected with the establishment, that may appear to deserve notice.

4th—Government will provide separate Rooms at each Canteen for the accommodation of the Non-Commissioned and for the Rank and File; also, Bar Store Room and Godown, with Tables and Benches.

The Buildings will be considered as public property, and kept in repair by Government; but Tables and Benches will only be supplied at the public expense, when new are required. They are to be kept in repair from the proceeds of the Canteen Fund.

5th—The expense of lighting the Canteen, and providing lamps, is to be defrayed by the Fund.

6th—A Canteen Serjeant, with the requisite proportion of Servants, will be appointed and regulated by the Commanding Officer, on such monthly wages, as he may deem proper to fix, the payments being charged to the Canteen Fund.

7th—All articles of Canteen Furniture, will be supplied from the proceeds of the Fund, by order of the Commanding Officer, and all loss from breakage, or otherwise by Persons frequenting the Canteen, will be charged against them, calculated at 50 per cent. on the price of the Articles.—When the articles are replaced, the overplus of this fine, is to go to the Canteen Fund.

The Canteen Serjeant to be charged with and held responsible for the care and safe custody of all Canteen Stores, Furniture, &c. &c. &c.

8th—All expenditure for articles for the Canteen, including Servants wages, is to be authorized by the Commanding Officer and published in the Regimental Orderly Book.

9th—When the state of the Fund will admit of it, Commanding Officers may sanction such disbursements as they may judge proper, to provide articles for the amusement, and recreation of the Men frequenting the Canteen, such as

News Papers,
Skittles,
Nine Pins,
Quoits,
Bats and Balls and Rackets, Long Bullets, &c. &c. &c.

Such articles to be kept at the Canteen under the charge of the Serjeant.

10th—The order of the Commanding Officer, notified in the Orderly Book of the Corps, will be the Quarter Master's authority, to provide, and charge for all articles required for the Canteen.

11th—When the Commanding Officer may think proper to authorize the purchase of Wine, or Beer or other Spirits than those supplied by the Commissariat, they are to be provided by the Quarter Master, and (after approval by a Committee to be ordered for that purpose,) will be retailed, at a profit to be determined by the Commanding Officer, half of which is to be allowed to the Quarter Master and the other half to go to the benefit of the Fund.

12th—The Canteen Serjeant will be permitted to retail at a moderate and reasonable profit such petty articles of supply, as Sugar, Limes, Bread, Butter, Cheese, Salt Fish, Cold Meats, Fruits, Coffee, Tea, Tobacco, &c. from which profits he will provide the Canteen, with Crockery ware, Kettles, Fuel, &c. receiving such occasional assistance from the Fund, as the state of it may warrant and the discretion of the Commanding Officer may deem proper to afford.

13th—Stamped measures, will be furnished to all Canteens from the public stores in requisite proportions, and on regular Indents signed by the Quarter Master and countersigned by the Commanding Officer.

14th—The Commissariat Department, in communication with Commanding Officers will fix the quantities of Spirits to be supplied from time to time for the use of the Canteens of each Corps, respectively, regulating the issues, as conveniently as practicable, without at one time, issuing too large a proportion of Liquor.

15th—All supplies of Spirits by the Commissariat for the use of Canteens, are to be subject

to survey, by a Committee, if required previously to being issued; but, such Committees are, where it may be practicable to be General, and not Regimental ones. Should, therefore, Spirits tendered for issue be objected to, the Commissariat Officer will apply to the Officer Commanding the Station, for a Committee to survey and report upon it. Proceedings of such Committees, to be laid before the Officer Commanding the Station, and a *Duplicate* thereof furnished to the Commissariat Officer on the spot.

16th—All accounts, with the Commissariat Department, for Spirits supplied to Canteens, are to be made up and settled monthly, by Quarter Masters of Corps; and the amount adjusted, with the Commissariat Officer, at the Station where the issues are made.

17th—Canteens are to remain open, from 8 in the morning, until 11 of the forenoon; and again from 5 in the evening until Tattoo beating, when they are to be shut up and lights extinguished.

18th—On particular occasions, however, Commanding Officers may exercise their own discretion in permitting the Canteens of their respective Corps to be kept open, during such hours as they may fix, and which will always be noted in Orders.

19th—Canteens are invariably to be kept shut, on Sundays, and holy days during the performance of Divine Service.

20th—No credit is ever to be given at any Canteen, but all articles must be paid for on delivery.

21st—The price of every article for sale at the Canteen, shall be fixed by order of the Commanding Officer, and a list of prices in large characters, signed by his order, is to be hung up, in a conspicuous part of the Canteen, for general information.

22d—Canteens are to be considered exclusively for the use of the Soldiers of the Regiment, to which the Canteen is attached, and no Soldiers of other Regiments are to be permitted to enter, without a regular pass; but at all Stations, where European Detachments may be doing duty, and which from their limited numbers, cannot have a Canteen to themselves, the Officer Commanding will make such arrangements with the Corps to which the Canteen belongs, as he may consider most judicious, and best adopted to ensure the Non-Commissioned Rank and File of such Detachments a due and fair participation in the comforts and advantages of the Canteen.

23d—The issue of daily Drams to European Troops will be continued at the fixed rates, but Commanding Officers will be careful to exclude from that indulgence, (for such periods as they may think proper,) all Soldiers who may abuse it by selling or bartering their Drams.

24th—Men confined to the Guard or Conjee house, or such others as Commanding Officers may, as a punishment, exclude from the daily Indents for Arrack, are not to be allowed, during such period, to receive any supplies from the Canteen.

25th—Care must be taken, that the daily Indents for Arrack, include *only* such Men as will make a proper use of it, and Men who may desire *half allowance* from any cause, will be included accordingly.

26th—No Individual who may appear to be intoxicated, is to be permitted to remain longer in a Canteen; and all persons attending a Canteen, are to be cleanly dressed, either in Regimentals or fatigue dress as may be established Regimentally.

27th—Gambling is to be strictly prohibited, in every Canteen, but playing and every kind of amusement, consistent with good order and decorum, is to be encouraged as much as possible.

28th—The opening and shutting of a Canteen is to be regularly reported to the Captain or Subaltern of the Day, who will frequently visit the Canteen during their tours of duty, and report to Commanding Officers respectively.

29th—Commanding Officers will establish the most vigilant system of controul over the Canteens, and those entrusted with the accounts, to prevent all unauthorized profit, or advantage.

30th—Canteen Serjeants are to be held responsible, that the greatest attention be observed as well to neatness and cleanliness in the apartments of the Canteen, as in the furniture and utensils of it.

31st—No Canteen Serjeant is to be permitted to hold any other situation, either Regimentally or otherwise.

32d—Canteen Serjeants on particular occasions, and under the authority of Commanding Officers, may furnish Dinners and Suppers at the Canteen; and the charges made on this account will be regulated upon principles of economy, and moderate profit, approved of by the Commanding Officer.

33d—Canteens shall be open to all regular and good Soldiers, but the comfort and accommodation of them, shall be denied to, and withheld from Men of bad character, those in debt, or such as are in the habits of making away with their necessaries.

34th—No Man on duty, is ever, on any account to be permitted to enter a Canteen, unless in the execution of his duty, nor is he to be allowed to receive any thing from it.

35th—The establishment of Canteens being made, with a view to the comfort, recreation and health of the European Troops, it is expected that every exertion will be made to ensure regularity, and a good internal economy in their management. Frequent personal inspections, and a vigilant superintendence by those who may be entrusted with it, can alone ensure these important objects.

The foregoing Regulations are considered sufficiently comprehensive for the general conduct of the Canteen Establishment; but Commanding Officers are authorized, to frame such further Regulations, as, from time, and experience, they may find advisable, to ensure order, regularity and decency of conduct; they will appoint such Visiting Officers, and Guards as may appear necessary, and prescribe such rules for the behaviour of Men frequenting the Canteens, as well as for excluding such, as are unworthy from irregularity, and disorderly habits, as may be found useful and judicious.

The general superintendence, and watchful interest of Officers in Command of Divisions, and Stations, will greatly contribute to the fulfilment of objects so very desirable; and it may reasonably be expected, (indeed it can hardly be doubted,) that a wise and careful application of the Funds, procuring for the Soldier every rational comfort, recreation, and amusement, cannot fail of effectually checking, and finally eradicating a vicious propensity to excess, and shameful debauchery by employing the Soldier, and affording the well-disposed, an opportunity of spending their leisure hours with pleasure and advantage to themselves.

The Soldiers will be gradually weaned, from fatal intemperance and inclination to vice, and those awful examples of punishment, the certain consequence of Crimes, which but too often arise from the effects of

degrading intoxication, will no longer exist, nor tarnish the moral character and virtues of the European Army on this Establishment.

36th—The situations for the Buildings to be erected for Canteens, will be fixed upon without delay by Officers Commanding Divisions and Stations, in communication with, and under instructions from the Quarter Master General of the Army.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 219

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20*th December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council, finding that notwithstanding the G. O. of the 20th February 1809 and 10th August 1805, claims of very long standing, continue to be preferred against the Public by Native Soldiers and their families, which if brought forward in proper time might have been ascertained with certainty, and adjusted without difficulty, but at this distant period can only be investigated at much labour, and determined upon on doubtful grounds; is pleased to direct, that all claims originating more than three years ago, for arrears of any description, for compensation for short issues of Provisions to the Native Troops employed in the Eastern Islands, or for any other demand whatever, shall be rejected if not preferred to the proper authorities before the 15th May next, and that in future no such claims shall be admitted if brought forward later than three years after their existence.

This Order is not intended to interfere with those of the 30th November 1812, and 11th October 1814, which have already limited the periods within which claims to Prize Money, and to Pensions on the part of Heirs of Native Soldiers killed in action, or deceased on Foreign Service, will be received.

The Commander in Chief is requested to direct that the provisions of this Order be fully explained to every Native Corps on the Establishment.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 222 A

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23*d December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenants H. Massey and C. Wilson of the Pioneers, to be Adjutants to the 1st and 2d Battalions of that Corps respectively.

The Commander in Chief is requested to nominate an additional Subaltern Officer, to each of the Battalions of Pioneers, in the room of Lieutenants Massey and Wilson, to complete the establishment.

Lieutenants S. Green of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, and J. Taylor of the 20th Native Regiment, are permitted to proceed to Europe for the benefit of their health.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 221

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23*d December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Ordered that the Rank of Cadets for this Presidency appointed and proceeding by the third Fleet of Ships of the Season 1813, be published in General Orders.

No. 3.

RANK OF CADETS FOR MADRAS PROCEEDING BY THE THIRD FLEET OF THE SEASON 1813.

For the Artillery.

Thomas Jordan West	Surrey.
Thomas Cussans	Lord Duncan, Private Ship.

For the Infantry.

William George White	Surrey.
John Howitson	Do.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 220

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23*d December* 1814.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extracts of Letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 3d June 1814.

Para. 3.—" Having taken into our consideration the cases of Captain Matthew Stewart and James Sadler, late of your Establishment, who preferred accepting the alternative of dismissal from the Service, also the submission and penitent acknowledgments of these Officers and the punishment they have suffered; we resolved to extend our lenity to them, and accordingly restore them to their Rank in the Service, to which the Commissioners for the affairs of India have signified their approbation and consent under the 5th Section of the 51st Geo. 3d, Cap. 75."

11.—" Having taken into our consideration the case of Captain James Poignand, late of your Establishment, who preferred accepting the alternative of dismissal from the Service, also the submission and penitent acknowledgments of this Officer, and the punishment he has suffered; we resolved to extend our lenity to him, and accordingly restore him to his Rank in the Service, in which the Board of Commissioners have signified their concurrence.

14.—" We have permitted the following Officers belonging to your Establishment, to return to their duty, viz.

Captain George Sandford,
Lieutenant Charles Swanston,
Assistant Surgeon Wm. Scot.

15.—" We have permitted the following Officers to remain in this Country till the departure of the first Ships of the ensuing season, viz.

Brevet Colonel James G. Graham,
Majors Henry Munt, and
James Moore,
Captains Thomas Hicks,
Peter Daniel Maret,
Robert Outlaw, and
Charles Pasley; also
Assistant Surgeon Thomas Corbet."

16.—" We have appointed the following Persons Assistant Surgeons, on your Establishment, viz.

John Dalgas,
George Bucke.

Letter dated 6th June 1814.

3—Having appointed Captain Edward Hay of your Establishment, Captain and Adjutant at our Depôt for Recruits in the Isle of Wight, you will consider this Officer as placed on our Retired List from the 29th April last."

4—" Having had under our consideration a Letter from Mr. William O'Reilly late a Lieutenant on your Establishment, requesting to be restored to his Rank in the Service, and enclosing Medical Certificates of the state of his health.

5—" On reference to the Proceedings of your Government, it appears that Mr. O'Reilly, resigned his Commission in our Service; but we are satisfied that this was done under the influence of mental derangement; and it appearing by the Certificates laid before us from several Medical Gentlemen who have particularly examined Mr. O'Reilly, that he is perfectly recovered and fit to return to his duty."

6—" Under these circumstances we have thought proper not to confirm his resignation, and have permitted him to return to his duty in our Service.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 223

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 30*th December* 1814.

Lieutenant E. Wallace of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC: TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 1

Fort St. George, 3d *January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Addison, Deputy Adjutant General to the Subsidiary Force of *Hydrabad*, and Captain Stokoe of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Bombay*, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 2

Fort St. George, *7th January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Milne having reported his arrival at *Fort St. George* on the 11th of September 1811, that Gentleman's admission on the Medical Establishment of this Presidency will be considered to have taken place on that date.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 4

Fort St. George, 10*th January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to admit Messrs. James Johnston Duncan and Thomas Tomkinson, to be Assistant Surgeons on the Medical Establishment of this Presidency.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 6

Fort St. George, 14*th January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following copy of a letter from the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

To

The Honorable
Sir G. H. BARLOW, Bart. *K. B.*
Governor in Council, Fort St. George.

Honorable Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt, on the 23d instant, of your letter under date the 23d ultimo, communicating the satisfactory intelligence of the arrival of His Excellency Lieutenant General *Sir* Samuel Auchmuty at *Cannanore*, and His Excellency's resumption of the immediate Command of the Army of *Fort Saint George*, and we request that, you will be pleased to convey to His Excellency our congratulations on this occasion.

2d.—We have awaited the receipt of the intelligence of *Sir* S. Auchmuty's return to *India*, to convey to His Excellency, through the channel of your Honorable Board, the tribute of those acknowledgments which are so eminently due, for the invaluable services rendered by His Excellency to our Sovereign, our Country, and our immediate Superiors, in the exercise of the great and important Command, of which our previous sense of His Excellency's high character and distinguished abilities, induced us to request his acceptance.

3d.—In whatever degree the late glorious successes of the British Arms on the Island of *Java*, are proximately to be ascribed to the exemplary skill and resistless gallantry of the Officers and Men under his Excellency's Command who were engaged in the operations of the field, we must primarily refer the glory of the late achievements and the final issue of the contest, to the genius which combined the complicated arrangements of the Campaign, which framed the plan of each successive attack on the Enemy's posts and directed and animated the exertions of the Troops.

4th.—With that reserve which ever accompanies transcendent merit, His Excellency has abstained, in his reports of the operations of the field, from drawing the public attention to any circumstances calculated to place in a conspicuous point of view, the honor which attaches personally to him. It is our duty to supply this defect, by recording our high and grateful sense of His Excellency's merits and services in the conduct of the Military branch, of the late arduous and brilliant Expedition.

5th.—We request that these sentiments may be communicated to Lieutenant General *Sir* Samuel Auchmuty with the expression of our thanks, for His Excellency's most able conduct, and eminent services in the Chief Command of the Military branch of the Expedition, by the success of which, a valuable and important colony has been added to the British dominions and the last remnant of the Enemy's power and influence in the East has been permanently extinguished.

6th.—We further request, that this address may be published for general information.

We have the honor to be,
Honorable Sir,
Your most obedient humble servants,
(Signed) MINTO,
J. LUMSDEN,
H. COLEBROOKE.

Fort William,
the 26th December 1811.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 3

Fort St. George, 10*th January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Bennett, of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to resign the service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant-Colonel O'Reilly of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea, for the recovery of his health.

Ensign Noble of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *England*, on sick certificate.

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

Lieutenant G. Grant to be Adjutant of the 1st Battalion of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Nixon.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Irving of the 2d Battalion of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to take charge of the Medical Stores at *Goa*, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 5

Fort St. George, 14*th January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Ensign Currie of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Dumas of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry and Ensign Chambers of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry are permitted to proceed to Sea, the former on leave of absence for six months, the latter on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 7

G. O. By Government. Fort St. George, 14*th January* 1812.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following distribution of Off-reckonings for the year 1806, and to direct that the amount of the balance 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 Accountant General in the Military Department of Accounts.

DISTRIBUTION *of* OFF-RECKONINGS *for the Year* 1806.

GENERAL FUND.

Total amount of Stoppages from the Effective Cavalry, Artillery, & Infantry, on the regular Establishment, and from the European and Native Invalids, as computed by the Military Auditor General				148,029	22	,,
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.						
Value of Clothing of 1805-6 supplied for 1806 and consequently chargeable to that year	1,509	,,	6			
Undress Clothing supplied by Major Pierce to the Native Cavalry for 1806	5,189	10	52			
Half Mounting as estimated from the strength of corps	1,685	6	,,			
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	44,246	29	29			
Amount of Agent's charges for Clothing for 1806, with the proportion of contingent charges	3,076	37	29			
Amount payable to the Town Major of *Fort St. George* from profit on Invalid Clothing	3,000	,,	,,			
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army, for the year 1806, agreeably to the Order of Government under date 20th December 1808	1,163	,,	,,	59,869	38	36
Total Surplus to be thrown into the General Fund in Bengal				88,159	28	44

The Sum deducted from the Off-reckoning profit of Invalids for the Town Major of *Fort St. George* is to be allotted to Captain Francis Thompson and Major Robert Barclay in the following proportion.

	Amount of each Share.			Amount already received on account.			Balance to be paid.			Amount overdrawn to be refunded.		
To Captain F. Thompson, from 1st January to 26th October 1806	2457	24	3	2457	22	13	,,	1	70			
To Major R. Barclay, from 27th October to 31st December 1806	542	20	77	542	19	16	,,	1	61			
	3000	,,	,,	2999	11	29	,,	3	31			

SQUADRON OF HORSE ARTILLERY.

Amount of Stoppages as computed by the Military Auditor General			1,138	25 40
CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.				
Half mounting as per estimate formed on the strength of the corps	66	10 40		
Agent's charges for Undress Clothing supplied, including the charge for 118 pair of Leather Breeches	966	9 72		
Proportion of the amount of compensation granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army, for the year 1806, agreeably to the Order of Government under date 20th December 1808	11	13 31		
			1,043	33 03
Pagodas			391	36 57

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received on account.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance to be allotted to Captain J. Noble Commanding,	394 36 57	472 „ „	„ „ „	77 8 23

TANJORE PROVINCIAL BATTALION.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General .. .. 1980 „ „

CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.

Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	760 19 42	
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army, for the year 1806, agreeably to the Order of Government under date 20th December 1808.	15 25 1	
		775 44 43
	Pagodas	1204 „ 37

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received on account.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance allotted to Captain J. Butler Commanding,	1204 „ 37	1195 „ „	9 „ 37	„ „ „

1st BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General .. .. 2,115 2 „

CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.

Half mounting to 8 Serjeants	9 39 „	
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	538 44 „	
Proportion of the amount of compensation granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army, for the year 1806, agreeably to the Order of Government, under date 20th December 1808.	16 27 59	
		565 20 59
	Pagodas	1,549 26 21

	Amount of each share.	Amount already received on account.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance allowed to Captain E. Bagshaw Commanding,	1549 26 21	800 „ „	749 26 21	„ „ „

2d BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General 2,163 2 60

CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.

Half mounting to 8 Serjeants	9 39 „	
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing	577 23 „	
Agent's charges for Clothing supplied, including a proportion of the contingent charges	90 21 68	
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army, for the year 1806, agreeably to the Order of Government under date 20th December 1808.	16 44 36	
		694 38 44
	Pagodas	1,468 24 16

	Amount of each Share.	Amount already received on account.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
Balance allotted to Captain Fitzpatrick Commanding.	1468 9 16	666 „ 1 „	802 9 16	„ 1 „ 1 „

STORE AND TENT LASCARS.

Total amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General..... 3,378 6 „

CHARGES TO BE DEDUCTED.

Amount of compensation paid in lieu of Clothing.....	1,582 37 26	
Proportion of the amount of the compensation granted to Major Boles, Agent for Clothing the Army, for the year 1806, agreeably to the Order of Government under date 20th December 1808.....	26 24 21	
		1,609 16 47
Surplus at the disposal of Government, Pagodas		1,768 34 33

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true Copy.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 17.

Fort St. George, 31*st January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following extract from a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated the 5th of July 1811, received by the Honorable Company's Ship Baring.

Para. 2. "The letters of the Governor General to the Secret Committee dated *Fort St. George* the "12th October 1809 and 5th February 1810, have been submitted to us, in replying to which we shall "confine our remarks principally to such parts of their contents as have not been already noticed by us in "our correspondence with your Government."

3. "Upon a subject so painful to our feelings we wish to avoid repetition of remarks not rendered "absolutely necessary by the events which have taken place.

4. "The support which the Government General of *Bengal* has afforded to that of *Fort Saint George* "throughout the whole cause of the late convulsions is entitled to our strongest approbation, and we highly "applaud the resolution taken by the Governor General to proceed to *Fort St. George* and of the delicate "and judicious limitation which he imposed upon the exercise of his authority during his continuance at "*Madras*.

5. "The firm and decisive line of conduct adopted by our Governments, the tempered lenience and "severity of the Governor General, and the returning good sense of the Army of *Fort St. George*, will we "trust gradually restore that harmony which has been interrupted to so great an extent and will justify "that moderation which has been evinced by the Government, both abroad and at home, upon this "occasion of which the Army itself will we hope every day become more and more sensible."

6. "We shall now proceed to deliver our decision upon the several cases of the individuals which have "been submitted to our immediate cognizance and decision and we do so after a delay which cannot but "have been favourable to the Officers, whose cases have been submitted to us and after an impartial review "of all the circumstances which could possibly be supposed to throw a light upon them."

7. "The first case that of Lieutenant Colonel Boles, we have fully discussed in Paras. 12 to 26 of our "Military Letter to *Fort Saint George*, dated 22d February 1811, and it is unnecessary that we should "make any addition to that discussion.

8. "Upon the second case that of Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable Arthur Sentleger, we have sus-"pended our judgment, until the receipt of further documents, from *Madras* relative to the prosecution "commenced by him in the Supreme Court.

9. "We have not thought ourselves at liberty either to reject or to use the evidence obtained in that "suit subject to the restriction, under which it has been transmitted to us and we have not thought it "right to come to a decision upon his case subject to this restriction.

10. "After a most careful attention to the evidence brought forward by the Madras Government, "against Captain Marshall, Lieutenant Colonel Martin, Major De Morgan, and Captain Grant, together "with what those Officers, have stated to us in their defence we have adopted determinations which we "shall now proceed to communicate to you."

11. "We are of opinion that Major De Morgan, has been guilty of signing a very improper and "inflammatory Address to Lord Minto, containing doctrines hostile to the existence of Military Discipline, "and calculated to lead to the subversion of all due authority in the State and that he has also in the "intended prosecution of Lieutenant Colonel Munro, and his letter to Colonel Cuppage, dated the 14th "April 1809 exhibited a spirit deserving of much reprehension."

12. "It appears also that Lieutenant Colonel Martin, and Captain Marshall, have been guilty of "preparing copies of the factious and inflammatory Memorial intended to be delivered to Lord Minto, at as "early a period as the beginning of February 1809, that this fact might lead to the inference of their "having had a further concern in the circumstances relating to this Paper and in the most favourable "construction that could possibly be put upon their conduct, must prove that they were highly deficient "in an essential point of their duty in concealing the knowledge of such a Memorial from the Government "of *Madras*. The evidence against Lieutenant Colonel Martin is perhaps less clear and "explicit than that which has been produced against Captain Marshall as far as relates to the preparation "of the Memorial to Lord Minto, whilst it seems proper here to allude to Lieutenant Colonel Martin "having been equally with Major De Morgan, a party to the prosecution of Lieutenant Colonel Munro "which manifests a spirit deserving of much reprehension."

13. "It further appears to us that Captain Grant has been guilty of a very serious offence against "Military Discipline and the authority of legal Government in subscribing his name to an Address to Major "Boles, in which a systematic resistance to Government is upheld and an indemnity is offered to the "persons suffering under such resistance, and that Captain Grant has moreover added to this offence by "the reprehensible manner in which he introduced this Paper to the notice of the Government of *Fort* "*St. George*."

14. "The offence of which we have thus adjudged Major De Morgan, Captain Marshall and Lieutenant "Colonel Martin, to have been guilty would in our opinion have justified their removal from the Company's

" Service and we should have been compelled to adopt a resolution to that effect if their cases stood
" disconnected from other circumstances; subsequent events however, have disposed us to allow a more
" favorable result namely, first, the influence of very general evil examples at *Madras* early in 1809, and
" the contagion arising from this source; and secondly, the nature of the amnesty granted by the Governor
" General (with some exceptions only) to the whole of the offending Officers in the *Madras* Army as
" published on the 25th September 1809, which though it could not extend to the interruption of our
" judgment on the conduct of those who were suspended on the 1st May 1809 and referred home for
" decision, may have been considered by some persons to have embraced them in the spirit of the measure
" and finally the possibility that the intended Memorial to Lord Minto might have been abandoned by those
" concerned in it from their conviction of its criminal nature and tendency, but of which we regret that
" no proof whatever is to be found."

15. " Actuated by these considerations in mitigation of what we should otherwise deem due to justice
" and the maintenance of the authority of our Government, we have resolved that the suspension imposed
" on Major De Morgan, Captain Marshall and Lieutenant Colonel Martin be removed, but that they shall
" only be permitted to return to *India* whenever we shall be of opinion that the complete restoration of
" order and Military subordination at *Madras* shall have rendered such a measure justifiable and
" consistent with that support which it is our paramount duty and our determination at all times to afford
" to the Civil Authorities."

16. " We are further of opinion that the offence of which we have adjudged Captain James Grant to
" have been guilty would also have justified his dismissal from our Service; considerations however, of a
" nature similar to those which we have stated as having influenced our decision on the cases of Major
" De Morgan, Captain Marshall and Lieutenant Colonel Martin (as far as the circumstances of those
" cases apply in this instance) have induced us to determine that Captain Grant's suspension be likewise
" removed, subject to the same reservation with respect to his return to *India* as is stated in the concluding
" part of the foregoing paragraph."

17. " The next case brought before us was that of Captain Coombs, upon which we entirely coincide
" in the sentiments recorded by the Governor General in his Minute dated December 1809."

18. " We are clearly of opinion that Captain Coombs was justly removed from his Staff situation,
" and that his misconduct is much aggravated by the defence which he set up."

19. " On the cases of Lieutenant Colonels Cuppage and Chalmers, we are equally clear in our
" opinion that they did not take such steps as they ought to have taken either to repress, or report to the
" Government the improper proceedings pursued by part of the Troops under their Command, but on the
" contrary they appear to have participated in those unmilitary proceedings."

20. " We also entirely concur in the sentiments expressed by the Government of *Fort St. George*
" upon that occasion, namely, " That it is not sufficient for Officers holding Commands to avoid a
" participation in such proceedings. It is their positive and indispensible duty to adopt most decided
" measures for their suppression and to report them to their superior authorities. We therefore approve
" of the removal of these Officers from their respective Appointments and Commands."

21. " Upon the same principles we approve of the removal of Lieutenant Colonel Bell from all
" Military Charge and Command until our pleasure respecting him should be known. We are however
" willing to hope, from the general character of this Officer, that he has before this time become duly
" sensible of the impropriety of his conduct, and is desirous of atoning for it by a diligent superintendence
" of the Officers and Men under his Command and care, and with these hopes and expectations we shall
" not object to his being re-appointed to the Command of the Artillery whenever such a measure shall
" seem proper to the Governor in Council of *Fort St. George*.

22. " We must however decline complying with his application for the difference of allowances from
" the date of his removal from the Command of the Artillery, or to his drawing any allowances whatever
" beyond those fixed for him by the Governor in Council at the date of his removal."

23. " It now becomes necessary for us to advert to the important measure adopted by the Governor
" General in his Orders of the 25th of September 1809, in which the Governor General has selected some
" Officers falling under particular descriptions either for trial by Court Martial or for the option of being
" dismissed from the service, and has granted a full and entire amnesty to the rest of the Army.

24. " In considering this subject it is impossible for us not to be fully sensible of the peculiar delicacy
" and difficulty of the situation in which the Governor General was placed on his arrival at *Madras*."

25. " Called upon to investigate and to give his judgment upon, the conduct and upon the fortunes and
" perhaps upon the lives of more than one thousand British Officers, nothing but a choice of difficulties
" was left for his selection.

26. " After an attentive consideration therefore of all the various circumstances which apply to the
" matter before us, we proceed to confirm the Orders published in the Madras Gazette of the 25th Sep-
" tember 1809 and to acquiesce in the extent of punishment which he then thought proper to award, and
" hope we may be permitted to entertain a confident expectation that the selections made by the
" Governor General as well as the otherwise very ample and extensive pardon granted by him, will be
" followed by a proportionate effect upon the minds of the Army at large, and that tho' the punishment
" which it has been so absolutely necessary to adopt should have failed perhaps in falling upon the most
" guilty parties, the ends of justice to a certain extent may have been satisfied."

27. " We also join in the hope which the Governor General has expressed that " there is a fair
" prospect not only of the permanent restoration of former security and tranquillity, but of the improve-
" ment of those blessings."

28. " But for the furtherance of this object it will be absolutely necessary to mark with the severest
" displeasure of the Government any tendency to that conduct, of which two instances have been brought
" before us in the 78th Para. of the Governor General's letter dated 12th October 1809 and in the
" General Orders published at *Madras* on the 4th October 1809."

29. " The highly culpable conduct of the two Officers there noticed Lieutenants M'Cormick and
" Rowley who having ostensibly repented of their errors and accepted the pardon of Government,
" endeavoured to stigmatize in the grossest manner the laudable conduct of their Superior Officer Nor having

" avowed the same sentiments at an earlier period than they had done, has excited our severest displeasure."

30. " The conduct of these Officers upon this occasion is equally irreconcileable with every principle " of private feeling and public obligation. It has also a direct tendency to prevent the return of general " harmony and to keep alive the criminal spirit of Military combination, nothing therefore but the consi- " deration of the delicacy of public faith and the possibility that expectations might have been formed " that the amnesty granted by the Governor General should cover the cases of these Officers, could have " induced us to acquiesce in the extension of amnesty to them."

31. " We however think it proper to declare, that we shall consider every Officer who may be hereafter " guilty of a similar offence or of having entered into combinations or pledges to exclude from society, " or otherwise to insult or stigmatize any person, for instances of attachment to the cause of loyalty and " Government, to be utterly improper to be continued in our service; and we accordingly direct that every " Officer who shall so offend, shall be immediately brought to trial, or suspended from the Service, and " sent to *Europe*, according to the discretion of the Government under which he may serve."

32. " We shall hereafter take into our consideration the cases of the Officers who have accepted of " the Governor General's option of being dismissed the service or have been dismissed by the sentences of " Courts Martial, as described in the Governor General's letter of the 15th April 1810. In the mean " time, we think proper to direct that Lieutenant Colonel Doveton be restored to the exercise of his " Military functions.

33. " It is impossible for us to approve of the terms in which the Court Martial on Lieutenant " Colonel Doveton expressed their opinion on his conduct, and at least a reasonable doubt may be " entertained whether that Officer was entitled to an acquittal on the evidence submitted to the Court " Martial."

34. " We do not think it necessary however, to express any opinion on the latter point and we are " unwilling after a review of the whole of his trial, to refuse to him the benefit of an acquittal by that " tribunal to which his case had been formally referred or to exercise upon this occasion that paramount " authority which exists in the Court of Directors (as it does in the State) of removing without the " intervention of any other tribunal, from the Service of the Company any Servant, whose continuance " in that service may be deemed incompatible with the public interests."

Lieutenant Colonel Doveton of the Native Cavalry, will resume the Military functions of his rank in conformity with the foregoing Orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to re-appoint Colonel Robert Bell to the Command of the Artillery and to a Seat at the Military Board.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(A true Copy.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 9

FORT ST. GEORGE, 17th *January* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant Thomas Arthur to be Superintending Engineer with the *Hydrabad* Subsidiary Force.

Lieutenant William Garrard to be Superintending Engineer in the *Mysore* Division of the Army.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the undermentioned Officers of the corps of Engineers, shall do duty under the Superintending Engineers of Divisions, according to the following allotment.

Lieutenant Milburne	In Mysore.
Lieutenant Fullerton	Northern Division.
Ensign Coventry	Hydrabad Subsidiary Force.
Ensign Anderson	Ceded Districts.
Ensign Proby	Southern Division.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 15

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th *January* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following extracts of general letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Dated the 10th *July* 1811.

Para. 26.—" We have permitted Lieutenant Colonel Nathaniel Forbes of your establishment, to " remain in *England* till the departure of the first Ships of next season."

27.—" Captain *Sir* Mathew Blakiston, *Bt.* of your establishment, resigned the Company's service the " 29th May 1811.

Dated the 19th *July* 1811.

Para. 2.—" We have permitted Lieutenant Colonel Robert John Hudleston of your establishment, to " remain in *England* till the departure of the last Ships of next season."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT."

N°. 16

FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th *January* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Thomas Hodgson of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry, to be Fort Adjutant of *Cannanore*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 8

Fort St. George, 17th *January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The leave granted to Captain Gillespie of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to proceed to *Europe* on furlough, is cancelled, in compliance with his request.

Mr. Commissary Best, having returned from foreign service, will resume charge of the Ordnance and Store Department at *Masulipatam*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 10

Fort St. George, 21st *January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Cornet Brown of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to resign the service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant Yates of the 3th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the *Isle of Mauritius* and to *Malacca*, on leave of absence, for six months.

Lieutenant Richardson of the 1st Battalion of Pioneers, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay*, on sick certificate.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon C. Fleeming in compliance with his request, is permitted to retire from the service of the Honorable Company, on the pension allotted to his rank, and to return to *England* on his producing the prescribed certificates.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following promotions and alterations of rank shall take place.

INFANTRY.

Lieutenant Colonel Donald M'Donell.	16th N. Regiment	To take rank from 15th October 1811, in succession to Vernon deceased.
Major Henry Bowen.		
Captain J. C. Williamson. . . .		
Captain Lieut. W. Pitchford. .		
Lieutenant W. J. Newland. .		

Senior Major Thomas Gurnell from the 25th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Cuppage promoted, in succession to Strange deceased, date of commission, 30th November 1811.

25th Native Regiment.

Captain Edward B. Bagshaw to be Major, Captain Lieutenant P. Henderson to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant William Seton to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Archibald Rankin to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Gurnell promoted, date of commissions 30th November 1811.

Senior Major William Blackburne from the 8th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Smyth deceased, date of commission 29th December 1811.

8th Native Regiment.

Captain John Vieq to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Peregrine Davie to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Robert Home to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign J. B. Berry to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Blackburne promoted, date of commissions 29th December 1811.

7th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign J. H. Bonnette to be Lieutenant, date of commission 2d January 1812.

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit Messrs. Thomas Eastment and William Barlow to be Cadets on the establishment according to their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and to promote them to the rank of Ensign of Infantry and Cornet, respectively, dates of commissions to be determined hereafter.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 11

Fort St. George, 21st *January* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that when Rice shall be issued from the public stores to the Troops, the Sepoy Boys attached to corps, shall receive half of the allowance granted to Troops and Public Followers; which shall be paid for on the same terms as regulate the adjustment of the amount for the Rice issued to the Troops; Sepoy Recruits are accordingly to be considered as excluded from the list of Public Followers described in the 15th Paragraph of the 11th Section of the Commissariat Regulations.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government

N°. 13

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24th *January* 1812.

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 7th of February and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 12

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24th *January* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Barclay of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on furlough for three years.

Ensign Clemons of the Non-effective establishment, is permitted to proceed to *Europe* on furlough for two years and a half, without prejudice to his appointment as Adjutant to the corps of Native Invalids, the duties of which appointment will be discharged by Conductor Moody, during the absence of Ensign Clemons, on furlough.

The following promotions are ordered to take place.

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign H. P. Hine to be Lieutenant, date of rank 6th November 1811.
Ensign L. M'Douall to be Lieutenant, date of rank 8th November 1811.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *24th January* 1812.

GENERAL ORDERS BY GOVERNMENT.

THE Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Regulations for the conduct of the department of Barrack Supplies shall be substituted for Section V, of the Commissariat Regulations, and shall have effect from the 1st March 1812.

REGULATIONS

for the supplies of the Barrack Department.

1. ALL barrack articles and attendants for the use of the troops, are to be supplied by the Commissariat, on monthly indents agreeably to the annexed forms A from Officers Commanding stations, corps and departments.

2. European troops in garrison and cantonment not being victualled at the public expense, shall be entitled to receive the following

BARRACK ARTICLES.

Mat	1	Per month for each European under the rank of Conductors of Ordnance.
Mullay	1	
Mundays	50	Per month for every 100 Europeans under the rank of Conductors of Ordnance.
Rice Pots	20	
Water do	20	
Drain do	20	
Conjee do	20	
Small Chatties	20	
Large do	10	
Freezalls	10	
Tea Kettles	10	
Guglets	10	
Firestands	10	
Ropes	10	
Baskets	10	
Broom Bundles	10	
Gram Pots	10	
Oil for eight lamps	8 Ollucks	
Cotton thread for do	9¼ Ounces.	
* Tin Lamps.		To be issued once in every six months in the proportion of 8 to every 100 men present with the corps.

* Oil

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* The tin lamps will be delivered to Quarter Masters of corps or Commanding Officers of detachments who will grant receipts for them and will be considered responsible for the number that may be issued to them. If it should happen that tin lamps are not procurable earthern lamps will be delivered in the proportion of 8 per 100 men present with the corps on the 1st of every month along with the other articles of earthern ware which are issued to the troops.

* Oil Lamp Olluck 1 per month for every 2 Serjeants.
Oil Lamp Olluck 1 per day for each Sub Conductor, Garrison or Regimental Staff Serjeant, (who receives pay as such) whatever may be the denomination of his employment.

3. The proportion of Barrack articles allowed to any number of European troops less than ten is specified in the following Table.

TABLE *shewing the proportion of Barrack Articles allowed from* 1 *to* 9 *men.*

	PROPORTION TO								
	1 Man.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Mats	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Mullays	0	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Mundays	0	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4
Rice Pots	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2
Water do	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
Drain do	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
Conjee do	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
Small Chatties	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	2	2
Large do	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Freezalls	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tea Kettles	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Guglets	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Fire-stands	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Ropes	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Baskets	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Broom Bundles	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Gram Pots	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Lamps	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1

4. One measure of cocoanut oil shall be issued monthly in garrison for every 100 stand of arms, present with corps, or detachments and the arms of a Dragoon or Trooper, shall be considered equal to a stand of arms, and cocoanut oil issued accordingly.

5. The issue of money in lieu of Barrack supplies, is strictly prohibited, such practice being declared to be at variance with the rules of the service.

6. If any European corps or detachment should arrive in barracks on or after the 15th of the month, the men will be supplied with Barrack articles the same as if they had arrived on the first of that month; but no further supply will be issued to them until after the conclusion of the following month. On the other hand, should an European corps or detachment, arrive in barracks at any time previously to the 15th of the month, they will receive

* The quantity of oil will be regulated by the following measures:—
4 Ollucks of Oil are equal to 1 Quart.
8 do ..... are equal to 1 Measure.
1 Measure, ... is equal to 1½ Pucca Seer.

receive their Barrack articles on their arrival and also on the 1st of the following month the same as if they had been issued on the 1st of the preceding month. This regulation however, is not considered to be applicable to the article of lamp oil which will be issued daily by the Commissariat servants, as usual.

7. No extra allowance of oil for regimental guards in European corps is authorized, the quantity supplied to the troops according to their numbers being considered sufficient, whether the men be in the barracks or employed on regimental guards.

8. European troops in the receipt of Barrack articles shall also be entitled to be supplied with attendants according to the following rule, viz. A detachment not exceeding ten men shall be supplied with one attendant of the most useful kind, and the number of attendants shall be increased in the proportion exhibited in the following

TABLE.

No. of MEN.				Number and Description of Attendants.			
				Sweepers.	Ayahs.	Lamp Lighters.	Total.
From	10	to	50	1	1	0	2
,,	50	to	100	2	1	1	4
,,	100	to	150	3	2	1	6
,,	150	to	200	5	2	1	8
,,	200	to	250	6	3	1	10
,,	250	to	300	8	3	1	12
,,	300	to	350	9	3	2	14
,,	350	to	400	10	4	2	16
,,	400	to	450	11	5	2	18
,,	450	to	500	12	6	2	20
,,	500	to	550	12	6	3	21
,,	550	to	600	12	7	3	22
,,	600	to	650	13	7	3	23
,,	650	to	700	13	8	3	24
,,	700	to	750	14	8	3	25
,,	750	to	800	14	9	3	26
,,	800	to	850	14	9	4	27
,,	850	to	900	14	10	4	28
,,	900	to	950	14	10	5	29
,,	950	to	1000	15	10	5	30

For detachments above 1000, the number of attendants shall be increased at the rate of one attendant of the most useful kind for every 50 men. In small garrisons where there are two or three Europeans only, the attendant which will be allowed to them under the 8th paragraph of these regulations, is considered to be fully equal to the barrack duty of the Garrison also. All bills for Barrack supplies to European troops shall have annexed an abstract of the strength of the troops receiving Barrack articles

articles and the number of stand of arms for which cocoanut oil has been supplied, supported by the signature of the Senior Officer present at the station. The form of this abstract is annexed C.

9. It is clearly to be understood that where there are different corps or detachments from different corps, at the same station, the attendants for each corps, or detachment, are to be indented for and provided separately in proportion to their strength, with exception of the depôt at Poonamallee, where the detachments of King's Troops, &c. shall be considered as one corps.

10. Officers Commanding corps or detachments are authorized to direct their Quarter Masters or such Officer as they may think fit, to muster the Barrack attendants daily, and to see that they are kept up to the extent authorized by the regulations; and all charges for garrison establishments shall be supported by the certificate of the Commanding Officer as follows:

I do hereby certify that the number of lamps charged for in this bill is the number that has been found necessary, and that oil has been furnished for them by the Commissariat during the period for which the charge is made.

11. The pay of attendants in the Barrack department is not henceforward to be considered as fixed, but is left to the discretion of the Commissary General, who will regulate the pay of all descriptions of attendants at the several stations of the Army, on the most economical principles, consistent with the circumstances which must in some instances cause the pay of attendants to vary, in different divisions of the Army.

12. The duty of the Barrack attendants is to be strictly confined to cleaning and lighting Barracks and Barrack offices. None of them are on any account whatever to be employed either permanently or occasionally in any public or private quarter out of the barracks, guard rooms, &c. nor are any such quarters to be lighted at the public expense, excepting those which are already lighted and cleaned by the Barrack department at Fort St. George; and it will be the special duty of Officers Commanding to report to the Commissary General any deviation from these orders which may come under their notice at their respective stations.

13. If a proportion of the European soldiers at any station be permitted to live out of the barracks, altho' no diminution of the number of Barrack attendants will be made on that account, still it is to be fully understood that by living out of the barracks all claim to the attendance of the Barrack servants is forfeited; neither will the servants be permitted to give any attendance whatever to the soldiers huts, or houses detached from the barrack.

14. Barrack attendants are not to be liable to any punishment under any other authority than that of the Officers of the Commissariat, but all cases of neglect of duty on the part of the attendants, as well as all the particulars of such cases, are to be made known to the Officer of the Commissariat on the spot, or in the division by the Officer Commanding the corps or station when the persons so offending, shall if necessary be discharged. The Barrack attendants will be liable to be employed by the Officers of the Commissariat in the removal of cotts and on other duties, at such times as they may not be required in the barracks, that is to say between the hours appointed for the purpose of cleaning the barracks.

15. On the march of a detachment from a station, the Commissariat

Officer

Officer will be held responsible that the number of attendants is immediately proportionably reduced, and he will note at the foot of his barrack bills for that month the date and extent of this reduction; and on the arrival of a corps or detachment an additional number of Barrack attendants will be supplied for their use on indent, under the following rules, viz.

16. A whole corps, or a detachment not belonging to any corps already at the station, will receive on an indent countersigned by the Officer Commanding the station, the number of attendants to which, by the foregoing table they are entitled; but a detachment joining a corps or detachments already at the station, will only receive the difference between the number of attendants already supplied to the corps or detachment which they join, and the number to which the aggregate amount of that corps or detachment are entitled to after their having joined.

17. No cart is to be allowed on account of the troops in addition to the regulated number of attendants, but when it may be convenient to the public service to employ carts in lieu of attendants, the Officers of the Commissariat will be permitted to do so, when the number of European troops shall exceed 300 men, in communication with the Officers in command of stations. In such cases, one cart may be employed in lieu of five attendants of such description as the Commanding Officer may think it most convenient to dispense with.

18. Puckallies attached to garrisons are to be kept up under the Commissariat to such extent as may have received the sanction of the Military Board, and are to be considered as exclusively for the use of the European details permanently attached to garrisons, and for the use of the garrison guards; it being clearly understood that persons under the rank of a Conductor, are alone entitled to receive water in garrison at the public expense. The establishment for the extra supply of water to the European troops at Masulipatam shall also be kept up under the Commissariat, and shall consist of one Puckally or four water coolies for every hundred men, independent of the regimental establishment of Puckallies.

19. The number and description of Barrack establishments, such as lamps and attendants for all garrisons, stations, and posts, are ordered to be regulated by the Military Board. These establishments will be revised quarterly by that Board, and no charges for additional establishments at out-stations will be admitted unless the Military Board shall have ordered them on the application of the Officer Commanding the station, or of the Town Major at the Presidency. If on any case of emergency a Commanding Officer should order any additional lamps, carts, or other garrison establishments, the Officer of the Commissariat, will immediately comply with a written order or indent to that effect, the Officer Commanding being answerable for the expense incurred, if the Military Board should not confirm his orders. It will therefore be proper that Commanding Officers should on all occasions refer in the first instance to the Military Board, unless they can shew that the service would suffer by any delay in making the supplies.

20. All lamps will be supplied by the Commissariat, but being considered as fixtures, they will be under the charge of the Officer or person responsible for the care of public buildings, at each station respectively. All bills for new lamps of this description will require to be accompanied by an indent for the supply of them signed by the Staff Officer in charge

charge of the public buildings, countersigned by the Officer Commanding the station, and passed by the Military Board; and that Board will pass no Indents for the supply of new lamps, unless they are fully satisfied that they are absolutely necessary, and that the deficiency has been caused by unavoidable accident. Commanding Officers forwarding indents for new lamps will therefore invariably submit to the Board the fullest information of the deficiency; which if caused by wantonness or neglect, the necessary steps must be adopted for the recovery of the value of the new lamps, from the persons who may have destroyed or neglected to take proper care of those that may have thus become deficient. Officers of the Commissariat will invariably obtain the receipt of the Officer in charge of public buildings endorsed on the indent, for such lamps as may have been delivered, that receipt being indispensable in passing the charge incurred for the lamps supplied.

21. One olluck of oil shall be allowed daily for all garrison lamps, with exception of those in guard rooms and gateways, for which one and a half olluck shall be allowed; cotton thread for lamps shall be allowed at the rate of three-fourths of an ounce per month for each lamp of one olluck, and one ounce per month for each lamp of one and a half olluck. Every garrison guard commanded by an European Commissioned Officer shall be supplied with one wax candle per night. The oil consumed with the guards allowed to Collectors, Commercial Residents and other Officers not in the Military department, will not be supplied nor charged by the Commissariat.

22. At all stations where gates are kept in repair, a proportion of cocoanut oil will be issued to the Key Serjeants for oiling the locks, bolts and hinges, the monthly proportion of which will be regulated in the first instance by the Military Board on receiving indents from Officers Commanding such stations respectively, and the quantity so allowed will be liable to revision whenever the Military Board shall think proper. The quantities of oil at present issued for the purpose described in this paragraph will be authorized, until the Military Board shall have revised the allowance at the several stations.

23. All Native corps at stations where the usual Barrack articles are issued to the troops, are considered entitled to receive one olluck of lamp oil daily, for the guard at the place of arms of that corps.

24. It shall be at the option of the Commanding Officer to cause the garrison lamps to be inspected and the carts and attendants to be mustered by such Officers as he may appoint as often as he shall think proper. The same rules which have been prescribed to prevent the employment of Barrack attendants in private quarters or with the soldiers out of the Barracks, are directed to be considered applicable to the garrison attendants; and the carts allowed to garrisons, shall not on any account whatever, be employed otherwise than for the purposes for which they are kept up by Government; except for the occasional movement of Barrack cots, and other stores of that department, as proposed with regard to the employment of Barrack attendants by the Officers of the Commissariat in the 14th paragraph of these regulations.

COTS FOR EUROPEANS.

25. The Officers of the Commissariat shall be in charge of all the Cots within

within their divisions, and they shall be responsible for keeping them at all times in repair and good condition, according to the complement of cots allowed by Government for the service of their respective divisions. All Barrack cots shall be surveyed quarterly, and the survey reports shall be made out in triplicate, one copy to be sent to the Quarter Master General, a second to the Commissary General, and the third to the Officer of the Commissariat under whose charge the cots are immediately placed. These surveys shall be held on the last day of April, July, October, and January, the Commanding Officer of the station always sitting as President.

26. The following form of Report shall be observed.

REPORT *of a Quarterly Board of Survey on* BARRACK COTS *at* ——— *on the* ——— *day of* ——— 1811.

	State.								
	On return.				Found by the Committee.				
	Serviceable.	In want of repair	Unserviceable	Total.	Serviceable.	In want of repair.	Unserviceable.	Total.	Remarks of the Committee.
In use.									
With H. M's. Regiment	734	0	0	734	0	0	0	0	Three broken by carelessness to be repaired at the expense of
„ Detail 1st Bat. Art.	73	0	0	73	70	3	0	73	
„ Pensioners.	13	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	
„ Regt. of Cavalry.	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	
In Store	271	76	39	386	0	0	0	0	These Cots appear to be well made and according to muster.
New Cots made up since last Qr.	50	0	0	50	50	0	0	50	
	145	76	39	1260					

Form of a Certificate at the bottom of the Report.

We do hereby certify, that on a survey of one thousand two hundred and sixty (1260) Cots held by us at ——— we found them to be in the state and condition contained in the above report.

(Signed) *by the President and Members.*

27. No new cots additional to the established complement of the divisions shall be made, but under the express authority of Government, on indents to be given in by the Quarter Master General thro' the channel of the Military Board. These indents shall be addressed to the Commissary General, who will direct their being complied with in such manner as may be of most advantage to the public interests. Unserviceable cots of the established complement are required to be replaced under the directions of the Commissary General, when he shall have authorized the unserviceable ones to be written off the returns, on the production of adequate survey reports, or other adequate vouchers, by the Officers in charge.

28. All new cots whether additional or for the completion of the establishment

blishment shall be surveyed and certified to be according to muster, and of the following dimensions, before they are delivered to the troops.

DIMENSIONS OF A BARRACK COT.

	Feet.	Inches.
Length of the Cot	6	3
Breadth	2	7
Height	1	6
Legs.... Square	"	3½
Sides and ends, Breadth	"	4
Ditto.... Thickness	"	1¼

29. Reports of Committees on new cots shall be made out in triplicate of which two sets shall be sent to the Officer of the Commissariat who made the supply, as vouchers to be sent with his accounts to the Commissary General. One of these sets shall accompany the bill for new cots when sent for audit and the other will remain with the Commissary General. The triplicate will be sent direct to the Quarter Master General of the Army by the Officer ordering the survey.

30. New cots will be considered as deliverable to the troops when they shall have been passed by the Committee of Survey.

31. The subordinate Officers of the Commissariat will render to the Commissary General, monthly and quarterly returns of all cots under their charge. From the latter returns, the Commissary General will prepare a general return for the information of the Military Board, agreeably to the G. O. of the 9th October 1810.

32. If at any time it shall appear that Barrack cots, or other furniture, or any part thereof, have been damaged or broken through carelessness or neglect, the expense of repairing or replacing them shall be defrayed by the corps, the Commanding Officer of which is hereby directed to recover the amount by stoppages from the company or companies in whose particular division of the Barrack such deficiency may have happened. This paragraph and the two annexed tables shall accordingly be hung up in every European Barrack as a standing regulation, the spirit of which shall be strictly enforced.

TABLE *of Rates required to be stopped, to replace either of the following articles.*

COT OF THE OLD PATTERN.	Each article. P.	F.	C.	Total amount. P.	F.	C.
1 Head Piece	0	9	0	0	9	0
1 Foot Piece	0	8	0	0	8	0
2 Sides	0	18	0	0	36	0
12 Cross Planks	0	7	56¼	2	2	0
8 Small Iron Clamps, (large Clamps 2 Fanams)	0	1	0	0	8	0
30 Plank Nails	0	0	8	0	3	0
32 Clamp Nails	0	0	3¾	0	1	40
Total amount of cost of a New Cot				3	22	40

COT

COT OF THE NEW PATTERN.

TABLE *of Rates required to be stopped to replace either of the following articles.*

	Each article.			Total amount.		
	P.	F	C.	P.	F	C.
3 Planks	0	35	60	2	11	20
2 Truss heads	0	19	55	0	39	30
8 Do. Legs	0	2	8¾	0	16	70
Total cost of a Cot of the new pattern.				3	22	40

33. No Barrack cots shall ever be allowed for the use of such men as may be permitted to sleep out of the Barracks; nor shall any be allowed to be issued to Surgeons of European corps, the medical allowances received by them being considered applicable for the provision of cots for the sick of their corps. Staff Serjeants of Native corps to whom public quarters may be allotted shall be permitted to have their cots in those quarters.

34. When European Pensioners are allowed to live in Barracks, cots shall be issued to them if the state of the stores will permit that indulgence without detriment to the regular troops.

35. All Barrack Serjeants shall be considered as immediately attached to the Officers in charge of public buildings, who will draw the staff allowance for them in the usual manner; but as their services are also required for assisting in taking care of the cots in store, and in use with the troops, it will still be a part of their duty to inspect them, and it is hereby ordered that they shall make daily reports of their state to the Officer of the Commissariat on the spot. At such stations of the Army where cots are in use, and where there is no Officer of the Commissariat, they will make a weekly report of the cots to the Officer of that department, in their respective divisions, and their reports are required to be countersigned by the Officer in charge of public buildings, as a mark of their being correct. At stations where there are no Officers specially appointed to the charge of Barracks and public buildings, nor any Public Staff Officer, the pay and allowance of Barrack Serjeants will be drawn by the Officer Commanding.

36. Quarter Masters of corps will indent for Barrack cots for the use of their respective regiments, and will pass a receipt for the number delivered to them. It will be their duty to see that the cots are kept in constant repair under the following regulation, viz. When cots are broken or destroyed it is required of the Quarter Masters to fix the charge on the individuals who may have been guilty, in order that the stoppages may be made for the damage committed, as prescribed by the foregoing regulations; and when the charge cannot be attached to any particular person or persons, the stoppages will be made from the company amongst whose cots the damage may have been sustained. But when cots may have been broken by unavoidable accident or may require repair from any incidental

incidental cause, Quarter Masters will indent on the Commissariat in the annexed form (B) for the execution of such repairs, specifying the occasion of their being necessary and certifying the nature and extent of the casualty. The duties above prescribed for Quarter Masters will be executed by Officers Commanding detachments from corps, and by Staff Officers or others in charge of European details, when no Quarter Master is present.

37. These indents with certificates attached will form the proper vouchers, in support of the charges for the repairs executed by the Commissariat, and must invariably accompany the bills for such repairs, when transmitted with the accounts to the Commissary General.

A.

No. 1.

INDENT *on Captain or Lieutenant A. B.* ——— *Assistant or Sub-Assistant Commissary General at (here enter the station.)*

Sir,

Please to order the delivery of the regulated proportion of Barrack articles and attendants for the use of the (here insert corps or detachment) for the month of July 1811.

Station and date.	Staff			Rank and File including Farriers, Trumpeters, or Drummers.	Total.	Attendants.				Cocoanut Oil for Arms.		
	Serjeant Major.	Quarter Master Serjeant.	Serjeants.			Sweepers.	Ties.	Lamp Lighters.	Total.	Number of Arms with the Corps.	Quantity.	
											Measures.	Ollucks.
Present Strength.												

(Signed) A. B.
Qr. Mr.

C. D.
Commanding.

No. 2.

No. 2.

INDENT *on* ------ *A. B.* ------ *Assistant or Sub Assistant Commissary General.*

SIR,

Please to order the delivery of the regulated proportion of Barrack supplies to the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment Native Infantry for July 1811.

	Serjeant Major.	Qr. Mr. Serjeant.	Lamp Oil. Ollucks. Serjeants.	Lamp Oil. Ollucks. Guard.	Cocoanut Oil for Arms. No. of arms present with the corps.	Cocoanut Oil for Arms. Quantity. Measures.	Cocoanut Oil for Arms. Quantity. Ollucks.
For Staff Serjeants.....	1	1	62	0	0	0	0
For the Battalion..	0	0	0	31	975	9	6
Total....	1	1	62	31	975	9	6

Station and date. C. D. *Commanding.* (Signed) A. B. *Adjutant.*

No 3.

A REGIMENT OF CAVALRY.

	Serjeant Major	Qr. Mr. Serjeant.	Artillery attached. Serjeant.	Artillery attached. Gunner.	Lamp Oil. Ollucks. Serjeants, &c.	Lamp Oil. Ollucks. Guard,	Cocoanut Oil for Arms. Number of sets present with the corps.	Cocoanut Oil for Arms. Quantity. Measures.	Cocoanut Oil for Arms. Quantity. Ollucks.
For Staff Serjeants, &c.....	1	1	1	1	80	0	0	0	0
For the Regiment..	0	0	0	0	0	31	500	5	0
Total....	1	1	1	1	80	31	500	5	0

Station and date. C. D. *Commanding.* (Signed) A. B. *Adjutant.*

No. 4.

No. 4.

GARRISON INDENT.

INDENT *on the Assistant or Sub Assistant Commissary General (here insert the station.)*

Sir,

Please to order the regulated proportion of Barrack articles for the use of the undermentioned Non-Commissioned Rank and File attached to the Garrison of (here enter the names,)

CORPS, &c.	Staff Serjeants.								Serjeants.	Rank & File including Drummers.	Total.	
	Serjeant Major.	Qr Master Serjeant.	Barrack Serjeant.	Store Serjeant.	Park Serjeant.	Laboratory Serjeant.	Arrack Godown Serjeant.	Key Serjeant.				
Effective Supernumeraries.												
Carnatic Eur. Veteran Battalion. .												
Pensioners.												
Musicians.												

Station and date.

(Signature) *of the Commanding Officer.*

(This form to be observed by Officers in charge of small details, as well as Staff Officers, omitting the columns that may not be required.)

Receipts under the signature of the Commanding Officer to be attached to the back of all indents, when they shall have been complied with.

N. B.—These indents are to accompany the Barrack Bills when transmitted by the Officers of the Commissariat to the Commissary General, in whose Office they will be deposited agreeably to the rule now obtaining; the certificates attached to the Barrack bill together with the abstract of troops under the signature of the Commanding Officer will be the vouchers on which the charges will be passed in the office of audit.

B.

B.

INDENT *on* ——— *Assistant Commissary General for repairs of the undermentioned Cots, in use with H. M.'s* —— *Regiment (or detachment as the case may be.)*

Number of Cots to be repaired.	When broken.	What repairs wanted.	How broken or damaged.	Remarks.

Station and date.

(Signed) A. B.
Qr. Master.
or, in Detachments by the Officer Comg.

Countersigned:
C. D.
Lieut. Col. Commanding.

Form of a Certificate to be annexed to the Indent after the repairs have been executed.

This is to certify that the repairs required in this indent have been executed by the Commissariat.

C.

ABSTRACT *of the number of Company's Troops in the Garrison of Fort St. George for the month of November* 1811.

	Sergeant Major and Qr. Mr. Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Gunners.	Drummers and Fifers.	Privates.	Total.
Invalid and Pensioned Artillery	1	6	6	6	2	20	41
Detachment of the 1st and 2d Battalion Artillery	0	4	4	8	2	70	88
Supernumeraries	5	18	0	0	27	3	53
European Invalids	0	9	0	0	0	5	14
Cavalry, Body Guard	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
1st Battalion 7th Regiment Native Infantry	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
1st Battalion 8th Regiment ,,	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
2d Battalion 16th Regiment ,,	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Madras Volunteer Battalion	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Sub-Conductor of Stores	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Engineer department	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Laboratory Serjeant	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Native Invalids	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTAL	18	37	10	14	31	98	208

GENERAL

General Abstract.	Sergeant Major & Q. Master Sergeant.	Sergeants.	Rank and File.	Total.
Company's Troops...	1	[illegible]	175	208
Total...	1	[illegible]	175	208

Oil for the Arms.

Europeans	88
Cavalry, Body Guard	100
1st Battalion 7th Regiment Native Infantry	1000
1st Battalion 8th Regiment "	900
2d Battalion 16th Regiment "	900
Madras Volunteer Battalion	1000
Native Invalids	112
Total	4,100

N. B.—The same form of Abstract to be attached to the bill for Barrack supplies to Corps troops.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

N°. 17

FORT ST. GEORGE, 31*st January* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Supernumerary Cornet Brunton be brought on the effective strength of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry, with rank as Cornet from the 22d instant, vice Brown resigned.

Captain Lambert of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant Austin of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

The leave granted by the Government of *Bombay*, to Lieutenant Pratt of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate, is confirmed.

Messrs. E. P. Gahagan and John Wallace are admitted as Cadets on the establishment from the 25th instant, in conformity with the certificates of their appointment: and the Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Gahagan to be a Cornet and Mr. Wallace to be an Ensign of Infantry, dates of rank to be fixed hereafter.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 18

FORT ST. GEORGE, 31*st January* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, on the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, that a Palanquin with the usual allowance shall be presented to Subidar Shaik Hussain, lately transferred to the Non-effective establishment from the 2d Battalion of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, and as a further remuneration for his long and meritorious services, that a pension equal to the half pay of a Subidar of the first class, shall be granted on his decease to his nearest heir for the support of his family.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 27

FORT ST. GEORGE, 4*th February* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the 7th Paragraph of the 1st Section of the Commissariat Regulations, and the 16th and 18th Paragraphs of the 11th Section, shall be rescinded, and the following substituted in lieu of them.

SECTION I.

Para. 7.—When rice is issued to the Native Troops in cantonment where field allowances are not paid to them, it shall never be granted to a greater extent than at the rate of one Seer per man, for every Native Commissioned, Non-Commissioned, Drummer and Private, and they shall pay for it at the rate of 70 Pagodas per Madras Garce, or 12 Seers for 7 Fanams 70 Cash. When it is necessary to issue rice to the Native Troops at stations where they receive field allowances, it shall be issued to them to the same extent as in the other instance; but the rate of payment shall be Pagodas 106 30 per Madras Garce, or 12 Seers for 12 Fanams.—In either case, the Officers of the Commissariat will forward to the Paymaster on the last day of the month, a return of the men who received rice, which shall also, shew the quantity issued to them; and with that return he will forward an account against the corps to which the issues were made, which shall be adjusted at the issue of pay. The Paymaster will grant a bill for the amount of the rice account on the Accountant General, in favor of the Commissary General, which will then be disposed of, by those Officers, as directed in the 5th Article of this Section. But rice will never be issued to the Troops, unless it shall exceed, at field stations, the rate of Pagodas 106 30 per Madras Garce and Pagodas 70 at other stations. It is also to be understood, that issues of rice shall be made, only when the markets cannot supply it in sufficient quantities to the Troops, at, or under, the above mentioned rates. Paddy may be occasionally issued under the above regulations, but in that case, two Seers shall be issued at the same rate, and under the same conditions as one Seer of rice. That is, every Garce of Paddy issued to the Troops shall be charged, at stations where the Troops are on field allowances, at the rate of Pagodas 53 15, and at other stations at the rate of Pagodas 35 per Madras Garce. When rice is issued to public followers to corps and departments, which shall only be allowed in times of scarcity, it shall be paid for at the rate of 80 Pagodas per Madras Grace, and the bills for the amount to be prepared and adjusted, agreeably to the rule prescribed in the 8th Paragraph of Section XI. This rate will obtain at stations where the troops are not on field allowances; but when they are in the receipt of these allowances, the public followers of corps and departments, when it may be considered absolutely necessary to issue rice to them, it shall be paid for at the rate of Pagodas 106 30 per Madras Grace.

SECTION XI.

Para. 16.—The above Followers will only be allowed to receive rice from the public stock in Camp, in cases of extreme emergency which will be judged of by the Officer Commanding the Army; and on such occasions, they will receive an allowance of half a Seer each only per day.

Para. 18.—Private Servants with corps, &c. in cases of extreme emergency will also be allowed to receive rice according to a fixed proportion, to be determined by the Officer Commanding the Army, and which shall be paid for at the rate of 2 Fanams per Seer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 20

FORT ST. GEORGE, *4th February* 1812.

G O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Colonel T. Wilson of the Native Infantry, to proceed to *Europe* on furlough, for three years.

The leave granted by the Government of *Bombay* to Captain H. E. Somerville of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry on this establishment, to proceed to *Europe* on sick certificate, is confirmed.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 23

Fort St. George, *7th February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Hodges of the 2d Battalion of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, to proceed to Sea, on sick certificate.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Blackiston of the Engineers, to proceed to *Europe* on furlough for three years.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 22

Fort St. George, *4th February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Surgeon Alexander Mackenzie to be a Superintending Surgeon, vice Fleeming permitted to Retire.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Harris is stationed in the Northern Division of the Army, and Mr. Superintending Surgeon Mackenzie with the Forces in *Mysore*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 26

Fort St. George, 11*th February* 1812.

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

The whole of the Native Troops, employed on the late expedition against the Islands of *Bourbon* and *Mauritius*, having returned to *Fort St. George*, the Honorable the Governor in Council performs a satisfactory part of his duty, in requesting that His Excellency the Commander in Chief will be pleased to convey to the several Native Corps and detachments which served at the conquest of those Islands, the public thanks of the Government, for the alacrity with which they embarked on that service; for the gallantry which they displayed when opposed to the enemy, and for their uniform good conduct on all occasions, during the period of their absence from the Coast.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 24

Fort St. George, 10*th February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Commander in Chief having represented, that Mr. Conductor Young attached to the Office of the Quarter Master General of the Army, has disqualified himself for his situation by incorrigible drunkenness and habitual neglect of duty, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Mr. Young be reduced to the rank and pay of a Private Soldier, in conformity to His Excellency's recommendation.

Private Soldier John Blake is promoted to the rank of a Conductor of Ordnance, vice Young reduced.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 25

Fort St. George, 11*th February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Colonel Skinner, Commanding the Forces in the Ceded Districts, is permitted to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence until the 31st of March.

Senior Supernumerary Cornet Croft is brought on the effective strength of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, vice Mortimer, deceased; date of commission the 24th of January 1812.

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

Lieutenant H. J. Wilkinson of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Major of Brigade at *Bangalore*, vice Thorn.

Lieutenant A. Bentley to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Wilkinson.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 27

Fort St. George, 14*th February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Gray of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the establishment, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names.

ARTILLERY.

Gentleman Cadet R. Greaves Polwhele,
" Philip Dykes Button,
" John Tucker Kelly,
" Thomas Geils Noble,

} To be Lieutenant Fireworkers, date of rank the 2d February 1812.

INFANTRY.

Gentleman Cadet Richard Cook to be Ensign, date of rank the 2d December 1811.
H. B. Blenkinsop to be Ensign, date of rank to be fixed hereafter.

The following promotions are ordered in the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant G. Mainsell to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant John Beaumont to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign W. Macpherson to be Lieutenant,—date of rank the 30th of May 1811, in succession to Hilliston resigned.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 28

FORT ST. GEORGE, 18*th February* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Ensign C. Maxtone of the 9th, and Ensign D. Skinner of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificates.

Mr. Surgeon Alexander Stewart having returned from Foreign Service, will resume charge of the Medical duties at *Chittoor*.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. James Scott, to be a Sub-Assistant Surgeon; Supernumerary to the Establishment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 29

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19*th February* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to republish the 2d paragraph of the Regulations for Barrack Supplies, as promulgated in the G. O. of Government under date the 24th January and to direct, that the necessary corrections on the amount of lamp oil may be made from the following.

Para. 2d.—European Troops in Garrison and Cantonment not being victualled at the public expense, shall be entitled to receive the following

BARRACK ARTICLES.

Mat	1	Per month for each European under the rank of Conductors of Ordnance.
Mullay	1	
Mundays	50	Per month for every 100 Europeans, under the rank of Conductors of Ordnance.
Rice Pots	20	
Water do	20	
Drain do	20	
Conjee do	20	
Small Chatties	20	
Large do	10	
Freezalls	10	
Tea Kettles	10	
Gaglets	10	
Fire-stands	10	
Ropes	10	
Baskets	10	
Broom, bundles	10	
Gram Pots	10	
Oil for eight lamps	8 Ollucks	Per day for every 100 European rank and file.
Cotton Thread for do	6 Ounces	Per month for do. do.
Tin Lamps		To be issued once in every 6 months, in the proportion of 8 to every 100 men, present with the corps.

Oil Lamp, Olluck 1 per day for every 2 Serjeants.

Oil Lamp, Olluck 1 per day for each Sub Conductor, Garrison, or Regimental Staff Serjeant, (who receives pay as such) whatever may be the denomination of his employment.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 30

Fort St. George, 21*st February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The leave granted in General Orders on the 10th of December last for Ensign Stewart of the Madras Volunteer Battalion to proceed to Sea on sick certificate, is cancelled in compliance with the request of that Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 31

Fort St. George, 22*d February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

As it is expected, that the Honorable Company's Ships under despatch for *England* will sail on, or before the 1st of the ensuing month, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the pay and allowances, which will be due on that day to Officers and other Military persons proceeding to *England* by the present fleet, shall be issued to them in advance, for the purpose of facilitating the adjustment of their accounts.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 32

Fort St. George, 22*d February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

His Majesty's 86th Regiment having returned to *India*, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that it be admitted on the establishment of this Presidency, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 33

Fort St. George, 24*th February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

In consequence of the death of His Excellency Don Friaz Manoel des Catherina, Archbishop of Goa, and Primate of the East, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, as a testimony of respect to the memory of that eminent Personage, that Minute Guns corresponding with the number of the Years of his Age, being Eighty-seven, be fired from the ramparts of *Fort St. George*, at four o'clock this afternoon.

The Flag to be lowered to half mast.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 34

Fort St. George, 24*th February* 1812.

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,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 35

Fort St. George, 25*th February* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

His Majesty's 33d Regiment being under orders of embarkation for *Europe*, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, his entire approbation of the conduct of that corps, during the long period of its service on the establishment of the Presidency of *Fort St. George*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N° 37

FORT ST. GEORGE, *25th February* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

With the view to remedy any inconvenience, to which the Native Troops and Lascars who have been recently employed on Foreign Service might be exposed, from their having left family certificates for the subsistence of their families, and being landed at Stations at a distance from their corps; The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to authorize these Troops and Followers, to draw batta from the date of their arrival at any of the Posts, Stations, &c. on either Coast of the Peninsula until they shall arrive at the Head Quarters of their corps.

To such men, however, of the above description as may receive permission to visit their families this indulgence will only be extended, for the period of one month, from the date of their landing, in those cases where the distance of their families may not exceed 300 miles and of *two* months from the same date, where the distance may be *greater* than 300 miles from the point of debarkation.

The date of their landing will be certified by the Public Staff Officer of the Station, and the name and distance of the place where their families reside, by the Officer Commanding the corps or detachment to which they belong, the production of which documents will be considered sufficient authority by the Officers of the Pay department to defray the charge of batta, agreeably to the provisions of this Order.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 36

FORT ST. GEORGE, *25th February* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

ARTILLERY.

Senior Lieutenant Fireworker John James Gamage, to be Lieutenant, vice Hopper deceased; date of commission 31st December 1811.

INFANTRY.

4th Native Regiment.

Ensign Henry Wallis, to be Lieutenant, vice Bennett resigned; date of commission 11th January 1812.

25th Native Regiment.

Ensign Thomas Ivie, to be Lieutenant, vice O'Reilly resigned; date of commission 28th December 1811.

8th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Patrick Corbet, to be Lieutenant, vice Home promoted; date of commission 29th December 1811.

Ensign Berry of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, having died on the 14th of August 1811, the commission of Lieutenant issued in his name, under date the 29th of December 1811, is cancelled.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N° 38

FORT ST. GEORGE, *20th February* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Terence Gahagan, Esq. M. D. Physician General, and Senior Member of the Medical Board, to retire from the Service of the Honorable Company, and to proceed to *England* by the present Fleet, on producing the prescribed certificates.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, that Doctor Gahagan shall retain his Rank and Office, until the departure of the Fleet.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 39

Fort St. George, 26th February 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Colonel Aldwell Taylor to command the Troops in the Ceded Districts, in the room of Colonel Skinner, appointed Quarter Master General to the King's Troops in *India*.

Major General F. A. Wetherall to command the Troops in Mysore, in the room of Colonel Taylor.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 40

Fort St. George, 29th February 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Captain James Stuart Fraser of the 18th Native Infantry, to be Town Major of *Fort St. George*; and Military Secretary to the Honorable the Governor, vice Barclay proceeding to *Europe* on furlough.

Lieutenant F. N. Balmain of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be Barrack Master at the Presidency, vice Fraser.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 41

Fort St. George, 1st March 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Hastings Fraser of His Majesty's 86th Regiment, to Command the Troops, composing the Garrison of *Fort St. George*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 42 & 43

Fort St. George, 3d *March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, that the Reverend Mr. Thompson has been permitted by the Supreme Government to proceed to the *Isle of Mauritius* and eventually to the *Cape of Good Hope*, for the recovery of his health.

Captain Arthur, Superintending Engineer with the Subsidiary Force of *Hyderabad*, is permitted to remain on duty at *Quilon*, until further orders.

Lieutenant Anderson of the 1st Battalion of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay*, on leave of absence for one month, from the 10th instant.

Cornet Aveline of the Native Cavalry having reported his return to this Presidency, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, that Officer will resume the duties of his rank.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 44

Fort St. George, 6th *March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Fireworker D. H. Mackenzie of the 2d Battalion Artillery, is permitted to proceed to *Bengal* on sick certificate.

Subadar Moydeen Saib of the 1st Battalion of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry having been improperly named Gholam Moydeen in General Orders of the 12th of November last, the error is hereby rectified.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 46

Fort St. George, 10th *March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following appointments shall take place, bearing date the 1st instant

Alexander Watson, Esq. M. D. to be First Member of the Medical Board, vice Doctor Gahagan retired.

Henry Harris, Esq. M. D. to be Second Member of the Medical Board, vice Doctor Watson.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 47

Fort St. George, 10th *March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information and guidance of the Army, that in consideration of the inadequacy of the regular sick carriage in cases of extraordinary sickness prevailing in detachments of Native Troops, on route through the Company's territories; orders have been issued to the several Collectors, directing the supply of country cots when required and where practicable, amongst the other articles enumerated in Section 3, Regulation 3, 1810.—The expense of hire thereby incurred to be adjusted as in other cases of supply therein provided for.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 45

Fort St. George, 10th *March* 1812

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, at the recommendation of His Excell the Commander in Chief, that the following appointments shall take place.

Lieutenant John Scott of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry and Quarter Master of Briga Ceded Districts, to act as Aide de Camp to the Commander in Chief during the absence of Captai at *Java*.

Cornet Chase of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry and Adjutant of the Body Guard, to be an honorary Aide de Camp to His Excellency.

Lieutenant Baxter of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence for three months.

Lieutenant Pridham of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 48

Fort St. George, 17th March 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits the Reverend Mr. Wetherherd, to visit the Presidency, and to remain there until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 51

Fort St. George, 24th March 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Andrew Berry, Esq. M. D. Third Member of the Medical Board, is permitted to proceed to *Bengal*, on leave of absence for three months; and eventually to *England* on furlough, for three years.

Lieutenant Dowton of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, and Ensign Haggard of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of their health.

Lieutenant Knott of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, is transferred to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 52

Fort St. George, 26th March 1812.

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) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 50

Fort St. George, 24th *March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

The Reverend Mr. T. Wetherherd, to be Chaplain at *Bellary*.

Mr. Surgeon Tait to be Superintending Surgeon in the Northern Division of the Army, vice Harris promoted to a seat at the Medical Board.

Captain Powell of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Quarter Master of Brigade in the Ceded Districts, during the absence of Lieutenant John Scott on other duty.

Lieutenant R. E. Milbourne to be Superintending Engineer, in *Travancore*.

Captain Arthur, when relieved by Lieutenant Milbourne, will proceed to join his station as Superintending Engineer with the Subsidiary Force of *Hyderabad*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 49

Fort St. George, 24th *March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the 1st, 2d and 3d Paragraphs of the 4th Section of the Code of Regulations for the Commissariat Department, and to establish the following Regulation for the future purchase of Horses required for the service of the Cavalry under this Presidency.

Horses purchased for the Cavalry must not be under 3½ years old in time of peace, or under 4 years old in time of war, or above the age of 6, except when the exigence of the Service requires their being purchased at 7 years old, when they must be perfectly free from blemish, and evidently fresh.

The height of Horses purchased for the Cavalry is fixed at 14 hands 2 inches, and none under that height are ever to be selected for the Dragoons, but Blood Horses of a strong compact make, good sinew and bone, and light and active, may be purchased for the Native Cavalry at the height of 14 hands and 1 inch—but the Commissary General will limit as much as possible the number of Horses to be purchased of this height.

Horses purchased for the Cavalry shall be received for the Service under examination by Committees of Officers; and it shall be the duty of such Committees to cause each Horse passed by them as fit for the Service in conformity to the foregoing regulations, to be branded in their presence, on the near haunch with the Company's stamp, and the year of admission into the Service; when the Horses are trooped the Commanding Officer of the Regiment will cause the Horse to be marked on the off haunch with the letter of the troop and the number the Horse bears in the troop. These marks are never to be allowed to be obliterated and when Horses are cast, they are, previously to being sent from the Corps for sale, to be fired on the right shoulder, with the letter C, so deep as not to be likely to grow out, with an iron edged as a firing iron.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 53

Fort St. George, 31st *March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Howell of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Peckins of the 3d, and Ensign C. St. John Grant of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to *Bombay*, the former on leave of absence for six months, the latter until the 30th of June next.

The following promotions and appointments are directed to take place.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Henry Dixon to be Lieutenant, vice Pearson deceased, date of rank the 19th of February 1812.

14th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant E. M. Forster to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant R. G. Wilson to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Samuel Haggard to be Lieutenant, in succession to Walker deceased; date of rank the 25th of February 1812.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Sutton to be Garrison Assistant Surgeon at *Nellore*, and Medical Officer in that zillah; vice Scott, reported by the Medical Board to have proceeded to *England*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

Sec. to Government.

N°. 54

Fort St. George, 31*st March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

It having been represented to Government, that under the authority of the 5th and 6th Paragraphs of the 1st Section of the new Code of Pay Regulations, applications have been forwarded for the allowance of Pagodas 6, per hundred sett, for cleaning new accoutrements; The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to notify to the Army, that the above allowance is only to be granted, when Country accoutrements are issued to Corps, as laid down in the 12th Paragraph of the 7th Section of the Ordnance Regulations published in the year 1797.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 55

Fort St. George, 31*st March* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Subadar Sheikh Mohiuddeen to assume the title of Khan Bahadur, and to wear the Sword and Badge conferred upon him by His Royal Highness the Prince Royal Abbas Mirza for his good behaviour and successful diligence in training the Persian Artillery.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 56

Fort St. George, 3*d April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

It having been represented to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, that considerable inconvenience would be experienced by the Native Troops of the Army, from the regulation contained in the 88th Paragraph of the XVIth Section of the new Code of Pay Regulations, respecting the Native Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Officers and Private Sepoys not being allowed to draw their Pay when on leave of absence from their Corps, until they rejoin, which having been reported by His Excellency to the Honorable the Governor in Council with His Excellency's recommendation that the same should be cancelled, The Honorable the Governor in Council has accordingly been pleased to annul the 88th Para. of the XVIth Section of the new Code of Pay Regulations and to direct that the Regulations in the G. O. of the 8th September 1807 shall be in force, as far as they relate to the Pay of Native Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Officers, Drummers, Fifers and Private Sepoys when absent on leave from their Corps, and they will be enabled under the documents therein prescribed to receive their full Pay when absent on furlough, in place of it being drawn in arrear when they rejoin their Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 57

Fort St. George, 3*d April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Matthews of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 58

Fort St. George, 10*th April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon Colhoun of the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and Captain C. Macleod Deputy Quarter Master General to the Subsidiary Force of *Hydrabad*, are permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of their health.

Lieutenant Bennett of the Corps of Artillery, is permitted to proceed to *Prince of Wales' Island* on leave of absence for six months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 59

Fort St. George, 10*th April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following copy of a Paragraph which will be inserted in the next General Letter to *Fort St. George*, dated the 18th September last, received by His Majesty's Ship Owen Glendower.

" Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Hayes of your establishment, has our permission to remain in *England* " till the departure of the first Ships of next season."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 60

Fort St. George, 14*th April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions are directed to take place.

4th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Captain Lieutenant Robert Palin to be Captain of a troop, Lieutenant Thomas Darke to be Captain Lieutenant, and Cornet George Maquay to be Lieutenant, in succession to Davidson deceased; date of rank the 1st of April 1812.

Senior Supernumerary Cornet of Cavalry, John Hilbert Kaye, to take rank from the 1st of April 1812.

2d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Henry Harrison to be Lieutenant, vice Knott transferred to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, date of rank the 25th of March 1812.

The following Supernumerary Surgeons are brought on the effective list, to complete the establishment of Full Surgeons, with the rank annexed to their respective names.

Surgeon A. L. Smith, 2d January 1807.
,, George Alexander, 2d January 1807.
,, James Wyse, 18th April 1807.

MEMORANDUM.

The appointment of Doctor Watson and of Doctor Harris to be First and Second Members of the Medical Board respectively, and of Mr. Surgeon Tait to be Superintending Surgeon in the Northern Division of the Army, will have effect from the 1st ultimo.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 61

Fort St. George, 14*th April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Indents for Puckallies having in many instances been presented to the Officers of the Commissariat, and as the provision of this description of followers, except for the Barrack Department, is not considered as forming a part of the duty of the Commissariat, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that all authorized Puckallies, with the above exception, shall in future be furnished in the manner prescribed by the 12th paragraph, page 351, of the new Code of Pay Regulations, supported by muster rolls as usual.

Demands having been also made on the Commissariat for Artificers on various occasions, for Corps, Detachments and Establishments, it is therefore necessary to direct that attention may be paid to the 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th paragraphs of the 1st Section of the new Code of Pay Regulations, under the head of Artificers, as the Commissariat can only supply Artificers required on estimates in the Ordnance Department, for the repair of doolies, carriages, or camp equipage.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 62

Fort St. George, 15*th April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant W. T. Erskine of the 4th Regiment Cavalry, to be Quarter Master, vice Darke.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. THACKERAY,
Chief Sec. to Government.

N°. 64

Fort St. George, 21*st April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to suspend Captain Charles Stuart of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, from the Honorable Company's Service, until the pleasure of the Honorable the Court of Directors shall be known.

From the satisfactory report made by His Excellency the Commander in Chief of the state of the several Divisions of the Army, personally inspected by him, the Governor in Council had reason to believe, that every trace of the late events had been obliterated, and that any recurrence to that calamitous period would have been unnecessary. The obstinacy of Captain Stuart has disappointed his expectation, and he is under the painful necessity of removing him from all Military Authority.

From the report, and official letters, submitted to Government by the Commander in Chief, it appears, that the Officers of the 1st Battalion of the [illegible] Regiment, on their arrival at *Faulna*, were invited to dine with Colonel Conran, who Commanded at that Station. This mark of attention was refused by several of them, and Captain Stuart who was not only the senior in rank, but the first in ability and influence of those who declined the invitation, in the course of a subsequent enquiry, expressly declared his intention of refusing every invitation of a similar nature from Colonel Conran. A declaration so decidedly insulting, and contemptuous to his Commanding Officer, so subversive of every principle of subordination and respect, and so pointedly connected with measures that threatened to dissolve the Government, and dismember the empire, could not be permitted, with impunity, and Captain Stuart was ordered to quit his Regiment, and proceed to the Presidency.

It was to be expected, that on cool reflection, Captain Stuart would perceive the dangerous tendency of such principles, which in their consequences might interrupt the harmony, impair the discipline, and weaken the obedience, of the Army. It was to be hoped, that a regard for his own honor, for the credit of his profession, and for his future prospects in life, would have induced him to retrace his steps, and to abandon those pernicious sentiments, that were leading him to ruin. With a view to give sufficient time for reflection, the decision respecting his conduct, was deferred, until the return of His Excellency the Commander in Chief from foreign service.

Shortly subsequent to the Commander in Chief's arrival at *Commanore*, His Excellency desirous of avoiding the painful necessity to which he has since been reduced, embraced a favorable opportunity that was afforded him, of permitting a friendly communication to be addressed to Captain Stuart, detailing his sentiments, with respect to that Officer's conduct; and recommending him, for his own sake, as well as for the general good, to adopt a different course of procedure. This endeavour unfortunately proved ineffectual, and His Excellency was obliged to have recourse to the only measure which was left for the purpose of obtaining Captain Stuart's final determination on a point which so deeply involved his own interests, and those of society.

A letter was addressed to that Officer, by the Adjutant General of the Army, in which the sentiments of the Commander in Chief were fully expressed. In that communication, Captain Stuart, was informed, that His Excellency considered the general invitation, by Colonel Conran to the Officers of the Battalion, not only as a compliment to them in his public capacity, but as intended to efface from their recollection, any impression, unfavourable to that mutual confidence, which he wished all ranks to feel towards each other, and to which the unfortunate events of a former period, might have given rise; such, the Adjutant General stated, was the fair, and liberal construction, which ought to have been put on Colonel Conran's civility; and that Officer had an undoubted right to expect a different result, from men, who had accepted the conditions of the Amnesty granted to them in September 1809, by the Right Honorable the Governor General. On Military principles too, abstracted from the above considerations, the Commander in Chief pointed out the disrespect, which a refusal to dine, on such an occasion, with the Commandant, evinced towards his situation.

The inevitable consequences of a perseverance in a line of conduct so subversive of all order, were endeavoured to be impressed on Captain Stuart's most serious reflection. The sacred obligation, imposed by the Amnesty, on every individual who accepted its conditions, was recurred to, and the variation from their spirit, which Captain Stuart's recent demeanour indicated, was contrasted with the honorable, and praise-worthy example of subordination, and obedience, which now so eminently marks the conduct of the rest of the Army.

On these arguments, which to the Commander in Chief, appeared unanswerable, the Adjutant General founded the necessity of Captain Stuart's yielding all feelings of a private nature, to a sense of public obligation, of his acknowledging his error to Colonel Conran, and of conforming, in every respect to those habits of true subordination, which are essential to the existence of a good Army. He was told, that a compliance with these stipulations would be honorable to himself, advantageous to the Army, and grateful to the feelings of the Commander in Chief; but, if a contrary line of conduct should, unhappily, continue to be adhered to, he was apprized, that His Excellency would, in that event, find it indispensably necessary to recommend to Government such decisive measures, as his duty demanded of him.

In reply to the letter, which contained these observations, Captain Stuart transmitted to the Adjutant General a communication, in which he expressed his sincere and ardent desire, to shew every known, and defined, mark of respect to his superiors, which any ascertained and established principle prescribed; he professed that he had always done so; he solemnly promised, to continue to conform to the obligations of a Soldier's duty, in yielding obedience, respect, and submission, to all Officers placed in authority over him. But he qualified these declarations, by the denial, that any obligation, Religious, Moral, Political, or Military, existed within his personal knowledge, which could prescribe the necessity of the acceptance of Colonel Conran's invitation: and this declaration he founded, on an overstrained interpretation of an Order, published by that distinguished Character, the late Marquis Cornwallis, which states, that Officers have a right to choose their private society, but which was never meant to extend to cases like the present, of which the consequences tended to hold up a Commanding Officer, as a person unfit, or unworthy, to be associated with by his subordinates.

After the full exposition, of the Commander in Chief's sentiments, which Captain Stuart had received, and to which his reply was, in itself, not merely disrespectful, but in substance, a refusal of the conditions, which His Excellency had offered to his acceptance, no alternative was left consistent with his situation, and with the obligations of his duty, but that of recommending to Government the measure of which the Honorable the Court of Directors, in the 31st Paragraph of their General Letter to this Government dated the 5th July 1811, and published to the Army on the 1st of February 1812, direct the adoption, in regard to every Officer who may be hereafter guilty of entering into combinations or pledges, to exclude from society, any person, for instances of attachment to the cause of Loyalty and Government.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 63

Fort St. George, 17th April 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The leave granted to Lieutenant G. Moore of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed to *Europe* is cancelled, in compliance with his request, and that Officer is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 65

Fort St. George, 21st April 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Captain Arthur to be Superintending Engineer in *Travancore*.

Lieutenant Milburne to be Superintending Engineer with the Subsidiary Force of *Hydrabad*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 66

Fort St. George, 21st April 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the 5th Paragraph, under the head of Pay and Allowances, in the Supplementary Section of the new Code of Pay Regulations for the Military department, and to direct, that all Medical Officers, who may serve with the Squadron of Horse Artillery, with His Majesty's Regiments of Light Dragoons, or with Corps of Native Cavalry, shall be permitted to draw the Cavalry Pay and Allowances of their rank, on their appointment to perform that duty being published in General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, such publication being the requisite authority in all cases for the payment of those allowances.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 67

Fort St. George, 24th *April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Lynn of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry is permitted to proceed to Sea, on sick certificate.

Mr. F. A. Robson, Paymaster in the Ceded Districts, is permitted to remain at the Presidency for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 68

Fort St. George, 24th *April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The very meritorious conduct of Pensioned Subidar Alidool Cayder during a long period of service having been brought to the notice of the Government by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that a Palanqueen, with the established allowance of twenty Pagodas per month shall be presented to that Native Officer, and that after his decease his family shall be pensioned for the term of one life on the half of his Pay.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 69

Fort St. George, 25th *April* 1812.

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) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

N°. 70

Fort St. George, 24th *April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Considerable inconvenience to the public service having occasionally arisen, from unnecessary delay on the part of Officers Commanding Detachments, in furnishing the prescribed receipts and certificates for hired followers and equipments, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the first of these documents shall invariably be given on the back of the indent immediately on the supply being made, and that the certificates of the time during which the followers and equipments may have been employed on the public service, shall be furnished in duplicate, as soon as may be practicable after a Corps or Detachment, has arrived at the place of its destination; the original being forwarded to the Commissariat Officer who made the supply, and the duplicate delivered to the Maistry or principal follower of each description of equipment. Any delay on the part of the Officer, whose duty it is to grant the certificates, will subject him to be held responsible for the amount of the extra batta, which will become due to the followers and equipments, in consequence of such unnecessary detention.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, that in all cases where hired followers and equipments may be employed for a period exceeding one month, monthly certificates shall be invariably forwarded on the 1st day of each month, by the Officer in charge of them, to the Commissariat or other Officer by whom the supply was made. In all cases where hired cattle and followers are entertained at one Station for the purpose of taking up equipments there, for the use of a Detachment which may be under orders to march from another Station, the receipt on the back of the indent will be given by the person in charge of the camp equipage so taken up; and the Quarter Master of Brigade of the Division will grant a certificate from the date of that receipt, up to the day when the camp equipage, as well as the cattle, and followers may be delivered to the Officer Commanding the Detachment; whose duty it will thereafter be, to grant the usual certificate for the time that the cattle and followers were under his orders.

When hired cattle and followers are employed in the transportation of camp equipage or stores, without a European Officer, it becomes necessary that the receipt for the supply should be signed by the Officer dispatching, and the certificate for the time of employment, by the Officer receiving, the camp equipage or stores.

A form of an indent, receipt and certificate is annexed for general information, and is directed to be invariably observed in future.

And, as it appears not to have been universally understood, that the Commissariat can only pay and charge the hire of such followers and equipments as may be actually and bona fide entertained, and provided by that department, the Honorable the Governor in Council deems it necessary to direct, that it may be fully understood, that the Officers of the Commissariat are strictly and positively prohibited from disbursing money in lieu of supplies, on any account or under any pretext whatever, and that they are held responsible, that no deviation from this order shall occur, either in those branches of the department immediately under their own management, or under that of Native Servants, in detached situations.

As the Native Servants at subordinate out-stations cannot be supposed to be so well acquainted with the regulations, as the Officers who may have occasion to present emergent indents; and as the public service might suffer by delay, if these indents were to be previously referred for examination, the Governor in Council directs, that these indents countersigned by the Officer Commanding the Station, shall be immediately complied with on the spot; it being clearly understood that the Indenting Officer and collaterally the Commanding Officer, will in such cases be responsible for the expense of any unauthorized equipments, supplied on their requisition.

It is also directed, to be considered, as an invariable rule, that duplicate of every emergent indent for the equipment of troops, connected with the camp equipage department and the carriage of sick shall be immediately dispatched to the Officer of the Quarter Master General's department in the Division; and that duplicates of all emergent indents for Military stores, and carriage for the conveyance of Military stores, shall in like manner be sent to the Secretary of the Military Board; the Indenting Officer, and the Officer who countersigned the indent being held jointly responsible for the correctness of these indents, until duly passed by the Quarter Master General, or by order of the Military Board.

No. 1.

FORM OF INDENT

TO BE MADE OUT IN DUPLICATE,

ONE TO BE PRESENTED TO THE COMMISSARIAT OFFICER, AND THE OTHER TRANSMITTED TO THE QUARTER MASTER OF BRIGADE.

To

ASSISTANT COMMISSARY GENERAL.

SIR,

Please to order the delivery of the following for the use of a detachment from the 1st Battalion 15th Regiment Native Infantry ordered on command. The Detachment consisting of one Lieutenant, 2 Subidars, 2 Jemidars, 10 Havildars, 10 Naigues, 2 Drummers, 2 Puckallies, and 160 Sepoys—Total 189.

	Carriage Bullocks.
To carry (6) Six one poled Private Tents.....	6
Spare Bullocks one to every six.....	1
Total..	7

(Signed) A. B.
Lieut. Col. Commanding.

(Signed) A. B.
Lieut. Comg. Detachment.

Station and Date.

N. B.—Whether one poled, or two poled Private Tents, to be always expressed.

The same form is to be observed in indenting for Dooly Bearers and Bamboo Coolies, and the strength of the Corps or Detachment, to be always specified.

No. 2.

FORM of a RECEIPT to be given on the back of the foregoing, after being complied with.

This is to certify that Captain ———— Assistant Commissary General of the ———— Division did furnish on the (10th) tenth day of May 1811, seven (7) Carriage Bullocks with Drivers complete for the service expressed in this Indent.

(Signed) A. B.
Lieutenant Comg. Detachment.

No. 3.

FORM OF CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that the three (3) * Carriage Bullocks supplied by the Assistant Commissary General of the Northern Division were actually and bonâ fide employed on the Public Service from the fifth (5th) day of June, until the fourth (4th) day of July 1811 (" or for the whole month of ————————") inclusive.

(Signed) A. B.
Station and Date.
Lieutenant Comg. Detachment.

* *or Draught Bullocks*
Bamboo Coolies
Dooly Bearers
as the case may be.

N. B.—A separate Certificate is required for each description of equipment, and all numbers and dates to be expressed in words as well as figures.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 71

Fort St. George, 28th *April* 1812.

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 Charles Deacon from the 16th Native Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Hill deceased; date of rank the 16th April 1812.

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Edwin Chitty to be Major, Captain Lieutenant William Pitchford to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant Charles Hall to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign R. W. Sherriff to be Lieutenant in succession of Deacon promoted; date of rank the 16th of April 1812.

Captain Lester of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea and to *Bombay* on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 72

Fort St. George, 28th *April* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that medical aid shall be afforded to the Tent Lascars, under the regulation established by the General Order of the 29th of October last in favor of the Store Lascars employed in the Ordnance department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 73

Fort St. George, 1st *May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish, for the information of the Army, the following extracts of general letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, received by His Majesty's Ship Africaine.

Letter dated the 16th October 1811.

Para. 4.—"Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Burrowes of your establishment, has obtained our permission "to retire from the Company's service from the 2d instant."

Letter dated the 30th October 1811.

Para. 7.—"Lieutenant Colonel John Norris of your establishment obtained our permission, on the "2d instant, to retire from the Company's service from the 25th ultimo."

Para. 8.—"Mr. Richard Cozens a Lieutenant on your establishment has taken the earliest "opportunity after his arrival in this country to represent to us, that he was for a considerable time "afflicted with epileptic fits in *India*, and that he was induced in one of the attacks of the disorder and "when almost unconscious of the step he was taking, to resign the service and return to *England*, not "entertaining a doubt that, should he recover his health, he would of course be permitted to return to the "service; in which he now finds he was mistaken, and has entreated our permission to return, as his "health is restored."

9.—"We have referred to your proceedings of the 3d August 1810, which seem to us to be perfectly "conformable to this representation, and being of opinion, that, if Mr. Cozens had applied for a furlough "under a sick certificate for ill health, he would have obtained it, we have no doubt but that his "relinquishment of the service, has, as he states it, entirely arisen from want of discretion, and from his "not being apprized of the consequences of such a step, and as he seems sensible of his error; and his "perfect restoration to health, has been certified to us; we have resolved not to confirm Mr. Cozens' "resignation, but to permit him to return to the *Fort St. George* Military Establishment without "perjudice to his rank."

The Governor in Council is also pleased to publish the following copy of a paragraph, which will be inserted in the next general letter to *Fort St. George* dated the 1st November last.

"We have appointed Mr. George Gahagan now at your Presidency, a Cadet for the Infantry on your "establishment, provided you shall be satisfied that he is not the son of a Native Indian; that his age "is not under sixteen, or above twenty-two years, and that he is unexceptionable in every other respect; "his order of rank will be transmitted you at a future opportunity."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to Government.

No. 74

Fort St. George, 1st *May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

Ensign Charles Claude Nattes of the Engineers, to be Assistant under the Superintending Engineer in *Mysore*.

Ensign John William Nattes of the same Corps, to be Assistant under the Superintending Engineer in *Malabar* and *Canara*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 75

FORT ST. GEORGE, 1st *May* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following regulations be observed in applications for leave of absence, &c. by Officers belonging to this establishment, when employed under the authority of any of the other Presidencies.

1st.—Applications from Officers for leave of absence, from their Stations, and within the limits of the Presidency under which they may be immediately serving, to be addressed to the Commander in Chief of that Presidency.

2d.—Officers desirous of proceeding to *Europe*, on furlough, having previously obtained the sanction of the proper authority under whose orders they are employed, will forward their applications, agreeably to the forms prescribed by the regulations to the Honorable the Governor in Council, *Fort St. George*.

3d.—Officers who may find it necessary to leave their Stations, or to proceed to Sea, on sick certificate, will address their applications, to that effect, to the Government of the Presidency under which they may be serving.

4th.—In the event of circumstances of an urgent nature or extreme indisposition requiring the immediate departure, for *Europe*, on furlough, or sick certificate, of any Officer, his application will, in like manner, be addressed to the Government of the Presidency under which he may be employed, and a duplicate will be forwarded to the Government of *Fort St. George*, through the usual channels.

5th.—Officers Commanding Corps, or Detachments, serving under the orders of any other Presidency, will immediately report, all leaves of absence, &c. granted in consequence of applications, made agreeably to the above regulations, to the Adjutant General of the Army, *Fort St. George*.

6th.—In all applications addressed by Officers of this establishment, to the Commander in Chief, or Government, of any other Presidency, the utmost attention is required to be paid to the forms prescribed by the regulations of *that* Government, for such communications.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 76

Fort St. George, 5th May 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Distribution of two-thirds of the shares of the Off-reckonings of the Army under this Presidency, to the Officers *in India*, entitled to participate in that Fund for the year 1811, and to order the payment thereof, in the manner directed in the G. O. of Government of the 24th August 1810.

DISTRIBUTION *of 2-3ds of the Off-reckonings of the Army under this Presidency to the undermentioned Officers in India for the year* 1811, *agreeably to the Government Order dated* 24th *August* 1810.

		NATIVE CAVALRY.			
Major General	J. Pater	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	1,128	0	0
		HORSE ARTILLERY.			
Captain	J. Noble	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	472	0	0
		ARTILLERY.			
Colonel	R. Bell	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	1,128	0	0
		MADRAS EUROPEAN REGIMENT.			
Major General	R. Croker	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	1,128	0	0
		NATIVE INFANTRY.			
Major General	F. Torrens	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	1,128	0	0
Ditto	C. Leland	from .. ditto.. to .... ditto..	1,128	0	0
Colonel	A. Taylor	from .. ditto.. to .... ditto..	1,128	0	0
Ditto	J. M. Chalmers	from .. ditto.. to .... ditto..	1,128	0	0
Ditto	R. M. Strange	from .. ditto.. to 29th November 1811	1,031	0	0
Ditto	J. J. Durand	from .. ditto.. to 31st December 1811	1,128	0	0
		1st BATTALION PIONEERS.			
Captain	R. F. Hughes	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	800	0	0
		2d BATTALION PIONEERS.			
Captain	T. Smithwaite	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	800	0	0
		MADRAS VOLUNTEER BATTALION.			
Major	W. Munro	from 1st January to 31st December 1811	900	0	0
		Pagodas	13,027	0	0
Major-General E. Trapaud, Chief Engineer, being equivalent to the 2-3ds of a share of Off-reckonings to a Colonel of a Regiment for the year 1811.			1,128	0	0
		Total Pagodas	14,155	0	0

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 77

Fort St. George, 5th May 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant J. Toriano is appointed Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, vice Hall promoted.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 78

Fort St. George, 5th May 1812.

G. O. By Government.

First Dresser George de Rozario is promoted to the rank of Sub Assistant Surgeon, vice Fry deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 79.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 8th *May* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Officers in command of Divisions of the Army, or in charge of Forts under this Presidency, shall not permit private buildings of any description to be erected within the walls of Forts, until they shall have obtained the sanction of Government, through the Military Board; and all Officers, or other persons, in submitting applications for this purpose, will be particularly careful to explain the extent, and site of the ground, and whether it be the property of the public, or of individuals. They will also submit plans of the buildings, which they may desire to erect, and the estimated amount of the expense, which is never to be exceeded, except under the sanction of the same authority.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has further resolved, that no buildings shall be erected on the esplanade of a Fort, within 1200 yards of the ditch, and that no Officer or other person, shall be permitted to erect any building, on ground belonging to the Company, within the walls of a Fort, or within the limits of any Cantonment, but on condition of its immediate surrender to the Government at a fair valuation, to be determined by their authority, if at any future period, it shall be required for public purposes, nor shall the grant in perpetuity of any piece of ground, within the precincts of a Fort or Cantonment be hereafter accorded to any individual.

On occasions, when applications for grounds may be laid before the Government, it will rest with them to grant, or not, as may be deemed expedient, a lease for twenty-one years, renewable at their pleasure, at the expiration of every seven years, subject to the yearly payment of a ground rent, or tax, and of a certain fine, at the renewal of every lease, proportioned to the extent, or relative value of the ground.

In order also, to prevent the impositions, to which Officers are occasionally exposed, in renting houses in Forts or Cantonments, The Honorable the Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, that from the date on which the abovementioned agreement may be concluded between the Government and an individual, the latter shall, if required restrict the rent of his house, to an estimate, which the Engineer will be directed to submit on the occasion; and in default of such valuation being acceded to by the proprietor, it will be reported to the Government, who will decline to sanction the renewal of the lease.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 80.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 8th *May* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Colonel Aiskell Commanding the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health, as occasion may require, during a period of four months.

Lieutenant M'Creath of the Corps of Pioneers, having been permitted by the Government at *Batavia* to proceed to *Europe* on private business for twelve months, the furlough granted to that Officer is published and confirmed.

The following promotions have taken place.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS.

Major J. L. Caldwell to be Lieutenant Colonel, Captain and Brevet Major William Farquhar to be Major, Lieutenant William Garrard to be Captain, and Ensign C. C. Nattes to be Lieutenant, in succession to Norris retired, dates of rank the 26th of September 1811.

3d Regiment of Native Infantry.

Ensign Hector Greig to be Lieutenant, vice Eccles deceased, date of rank the 23d of April 1812.

11th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Ensign Charles Chambers to be Lieutenant, vice Smith deceased, date of rank the 19th of April 1812.

Ensign Robert Butler to be Lieutenant, vice Woolcock deceased, date of rank the 23d of April 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 81

Fort St. George, 12*th May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following promotions shall take place, subject to the confirmation of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Commissary O'Connell and Deputy Commissaries King and Edwards to be Lieutenants in the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion; date of rank the 12th of September 1811.

The promotion of these Officers will not interfere with the appointments which they hold in the Ordnance department.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 82

Fort St. George, 19*th May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Separate Register Rolls of the Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, Drummers, Puckallies, Privates, &c. &c. of Invalids and Pensioners, belonging to this Establishment, agreeably to the subjoined form to be sent to the Town Major's Office as early as possible, that the General Register kept there may be corrected; the same to be punctually transmitted hereafter once in every three months, namely, on the 1st January, 1st April, 1st of July, and 1st of October.

FORM.

REGISTER ROLL of NATIVE INVALIDS or PENSIONERS in the Garrison of

No. of Certificates.	Names.	Rank.	Corps.	Country.	Years of Age.	Years of Service	Height.		Colour and Cast.	Personal defects or peculiar marks.	Why Invalided or Pensioned.	At what Time.	On what Pay per Month.		
							Feet.	Inches.							

Frequent applications having lately been made to the Town Major of *Fort St. George*, by Officers Commanding out-stations, for duplicates and triplicates of Invalid and Pension Certificates, which the holders state to have been lost by accident—The Honorable the Governor in Council directs, that in future all applications of this nature, shall be accompanied by the proceedings of a Committee assembled for the purpose of ascertaining, that the original Certificates have been actually lost.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

G Strachey

Sec. to Government.

N°. 84

Fort St. George, 19th *May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

11th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant F. Green to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion vice Smith deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 83

Fort St. George, 19th *May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Ross of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry is permitted to proceed to *Bombay*, and eventually to Sea for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 85

Fort St. George, 22d *May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Fenwick of the Madras European Regiment, and Lieutenant Kitson of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, are permitted to proceed to *Ceylon* on leave of absence for four months.

Ensign Charles Grant of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is appointed to do duty with the Escort of the Resident at *Hydrabad*.

Lieutenant Stopford of the 11th Regiment of Native Infantry, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, to proceed from *Fort William* to the *Cape* of *Good Hope*, and eventually to *England*, on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 86

Fort St. George, 22d *May* 1812.

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 paid on the 6th of June, and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 87

Fort St. George, 29th *May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon Grant of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 88

Fort St. George, 29th *May* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to resolve, that the Intrenching Tools, which under the General Orders dated 3d May 1808, are directed to be carried with Corps, when detached on service, shall be at all times allowed whether in Cantonment or otherwise, Officers Commanding Corps and Companies of Artillery detached from Head Quarters, will immediately indent for these articles and transmit their indents, for the purpose of being passed, to the Secretary to the Military Board; these articles will be included in the quarterly returns of Corps sent to the Military Board, and Officers Commanding will be held answerable that they are not made use of, except for purposes connected with the public service.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 89

Fort St. George, 2d June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Lieutenant Smith of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry is permitted to proceed to *England* by the fleet in October next, on furlough for three years.

The Paymaster at the Presidency is permitted to visit *Mysore*, and Mr. Peter Cherry will take charge of the Pay Office during the absence of Mr. Casamaijor.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 92

Fort St. George, 9th June 1813.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that in addition to the present establishment of Artificers authorised to be drawn for each Battalion of Artillery, the Quarter Masters of that Corps shall be allowed to entertain the following proportion of Artificers, viz.

	Armourer.	Smith.	Hamperman.	Bellows boy.	Chickledar.	Chuckler.	
	1	1	1	1	1	1	

and that they shall also be authorised to draw 1 Pagoda in addition to the present quarterly allowance on account of the Company of Golundauze; when the Companies of Golundauze are detached from the Head Quarters of the Battalion to which they belong, the establishment of Artificers and quarterly allowance to be drawn by the Officer in immediate charge.

The above increase to have effect from the 1st of this month.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 93

Fort St. George, 9th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

It having been brought to the notice of Government, that in some instances, Committees appointed for the inspection of Public Buildings and Repairs, have neglected to examine the works in a satisfactory manner, and have even from apparent carelessness, reported repairs to have been executed which had never been commenced, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the attention of Officers, to this branch of their duty, which is prescribed by the regulations of the service, and to apprize them, that any neglect of, or deviation from, the spirit of these regulations, will be considered as a breach of the orders of Government and noticed accordingly.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 95

Fort St. George, 2d June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve that the Fort Adjutant at the undermentioned Stations shall be permitted to draw Horse Allowance at the rate of six Pagodas per month.

Vellore.
Bellary.
Cannanore.
Trichinopoly.
Seringapatam.

This allowance will commence from the 1st Instant.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 91

Fort St. George, 5th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Collet of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to *Bombay* on sick certificate.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant Richardson of the Corps of Pioneers, has been permitted by the Government of *Bombay* to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 94

Fort St. George, 12th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Collet of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, permitted in General Orders on the 5th instant, to proceed to *Bombay*, has also leave to proceed eventually to Sea, for the benefit of his health.

The following promotions have taken place.

1st Regiment Native Cavalry.

Cornet James Morison to take rank from the 21st of May 1812, vice Fatio deceased.

3d Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Edward Rule to be Lieutenant, date of rank the 19th of May 1812, vice Dawson deceased.

5th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Thomas Hardy Travis to be Lieutenant, date of rank the 9th of May 1812, vice Hill deceased.

8th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign William Low to be Lieutenant, date of rank the 12th of May 1812, vice Addison deceased.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 97

Fort St. George, 19th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The undermentioned Officers have produced certificates from the Honorable the Court of Directors of permission to return to *India*.

Lieutenant Colonel Leith, 5th Regiment Native Infantry.
Captain G. M. Gibson, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
Lieutenant J. Gibson, .. Madras European Regiment.
and
Ensign S. O. Smith, ... 17th Regiment N. Infantry.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets are admitted on the establishment, in conformity with their appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, and are promoted to the rank annexed to their respective names.

GENTLEMEN CADETS.

Cavalry.—	Mr. Charles Hastings Bird	To be Cornet,	Date of Rank to be fixed hereafter.
Artillery.—	W. Chisholm J. Chisholm Edward King G. W. Lys J. T. Warre C. H. Warre	To be Lieutenant Fireworkers,	
Infantry.—	J. Hill Winbolt E. Bellew Bose Peter Gordon J. Stodart David Watson Andrew Fraser	To be Ensigns,	

The undermentioned Assistant Surgeons are also admitted on the establishment, in conformity with their covenants.

Mr. Peter Scott
Mr. Joseph Sharman.

Captain Lieutenant Watson of the Artillery having produced a medical certificate, that he is unfit for effective duty, that Officer is transferred to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 98

Fort St. George, 19th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Cregoe of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *England* on sick certificate, and if necessary to *Bombay* in the first instance, for the purpose of obtaining a passage from that Presidency.

Lieutenant Colonel Leith having reported his return from *England*, that Officer will resume his functions as Judge Advocate General of the Army and as Persian Interpreter to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 96

Fort St. George, 13th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following extracts of general letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Letter dated 18th December 1811.

38.—"Lieutenant Savery of your establishment retired from the Company's Service (with our permission) "on the 23d October 1811."

39.—"Cornet Robert Rashleigh of your establishment resigned the Company's Service (with our "permission) the 18th September last."

41.—"We have resolved this Season to appoint thirty-two Cadets for the Infantry, and six for the "Cavalry on your establishment."

Letter dated 22d January 1812.

2d.—"We have permitted the following Military Officers to return to their rank on your establishment, "viz."

"Colonel Alexander Cuppage
"Lieutenant Colonel James Leith
"Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Hayes
"Captain William C. Fraser
"Captain George M. Gibson
"Lieutenant William Dyneley
"Lieutenant John Gibson
"Lieutenant Michael Riddell
"Ensign Samuel Oliver Smith."

3d.—" Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Munro of your establishment has our permission to remain in " *England* till the departure of the last Ships of this season."

7.—" Ensign Charles Owen Lord of your establishment, has our permission to resign the Company's " Service from the 29th November last."

8.—" We have appointed the undermentioned persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency, viz."

" John Jones
" Peter Scott, M. D.
" Joseph Sharman."

9.—" With the view to prevent as much as possible, any error, delay, or disappointment, in ranking " the Cadets and Assistant Surgeons for *India* hereafter, it is our intention, to transmit to each Presidency " by the first fleet of every season in future, a general list of all those Cadets and Assistant Surgeons, " who were appointed by us and actually took their passage and whose rank was sent by the several ships " of the preceding season; by this measure, we trust every inconvenience which has hitherto arisen in your " assigning to the above persons their proper rank will be completely obviated."

10.—" We therefore (as a number in the Packet) now transmit you a general list of all the Cadets, " and Assistant Surgeons whose rank we transmitted you by the ships of the season 1810."

Letter dated 21st February 1812.

2d.—" We have permitted the following Military Officers to return to their rank on your establishment, " viz."

Lieutenant Colonel Nathaniel Forbes
Captain Charles Pointz Clarke
Ensign Robert Wale Carwardine.

3d.—" Lieutenant Colonel James Dunn of your establishment retired from the Company's Service " (with our permission) from the 21st January 1812."

4th.—" Captain Garnet Warburton of your establishment has our permission to remain in *England* till the latter ships of this season."

5.—" We have appointed the following persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency, viz.

" Edward King
" Thomas Bradbary."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 95

FORT ST. GEORGE, 13*th June* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following extracts of general letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Letter dated 18th December 1811.

37.—" In consequence of a representation made to us from the War Office of the great inconvenience " that has been experienced in remitting to the Agents of *England*, the fees of Commissions and the effects " and credits of deceased Officers and Soldiers of His Majesty's Regiments stationed in *India*, we have " agreed, on application to that effect, to authorize our Governments of *Bengal*, *Madras* and *Bombay*, to " grant bills to the Paymasters of these Regiments for the sums they may have to remit for the services " above mentioned, on such bills being applied for by the respective Commanding Officers, the remittances " to be made half-yearly on the 25th June and 25th December, and the bills to be drawn at 90 days sight " and at

" Bengal 2*s.* the Current Rupee.
" Madras 8*s.* the Pagoda.
" Bombay 2*s.* 3*d.* the Bombay Rupee."

Letter dated 21st February 1812.

6.—" We have agreed at the request of the Secretary at War, that the bills for the amount of the effects " of deceased Officers, and Soldiers of His Majesty's Regiments in *India* shall be drawn quarterly and at " forty-two days sight instead of half yearly, and at ninety days sight as directed in our dispatch of the " 18th December last."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 99

Fort St. George, 23d *June* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon Trotter is brought on the effective list of Full Surgeons, vice Loftie deceased, date of rank the 23d of May 1807.

The undermentioned Boys are placed under the directions of the Medical Board, to complete the establishment of Medical Apprentices fixed in General Orders, bearing date the 23d of March 1811.

James Macmanus,.....
Thomas Peacock,.....
John Brown,..... } From the Military Male Asylum.
Alexander Eason,.....
Thomas D'Cruiz,.....

Thomas Grey,.....
Richard Hughes,.....
Martin Cornelius,..... } From the Fort School.
Thos. Shillingsworth,
Richard Hall Kerr,..

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 100

Fort St. George, 25*th June* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the batta and other allowances for June and the pay for July of the troops at the Presidency 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) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 102

Fort St. George, 26*th June* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions and corrections of rank are directed to take place.

NATIVE CAVALRY.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Neale, Senior Major of the 1st Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel of Cavalry, vice Dunn, retired,—date of commission the 22d January 1812.

1st Regiment.

Captain David Foulis to be Major, Captain Lieutenant R. B. Otto to be Captain of a Troop, Lieutenant Edward Lyne to be Captain Lieutenant, and Cornet Richard Shaw to be Lieutenant, in succession to Neale promoted,—date of commissions the 22d January 1812.

2d Regiment.

Cornet G. F. Smith to be Lieutenant, vice Savery retired, date of commission the 24th October 1811.

Cornet W. C. Brunton 1st Regiment to rank from 19th September 1811.
" S. Croft.....2d.....24th October 1811.
" J. H. Kaye.....4th.....22d January 1812.
" J. Morison.....1st.....22d January 1812.
" D. Walker.....2d.....24th January 1812.
" G. Barker.....3d.....1st April 1812.
" T. K. Liniond 1st.....21st May 1812.

ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant B. Mackintosh to be Captain Lieutenant, and Lieutenant Fireworker T. B. Kennan to be Lieutenant, in succession to Watson, invalided,—date of commissions the 29th June 1812.

Lieutenant Fireworker R. G. Polwhele,
P. D. Bolton,
J. T. Kelly,
T. Geils Noble, } To rank from the 27th of July 1811.

The undermentioned Officers will rank in the following order, date of commissions the 17th June 1812.

Lieutenant Fireworker J. T. Warre,
" " Edward King,
" " George Lys,
" " W. Chisholm,
" " J. Chisholm,
" " C. H. Warre.

19th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign J. W. Cleaveland to be Lieutenant, vice Bishop dismissed,—date of commission the 4th of June 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 103

Fort St. George, 20th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

It having been ascertained that the sum of 30 Fanams per month, at present allowed to each Troop and Company in His Majesty's Regiments of Dragoons and Foot, on this establishment, for the provision of Stationary, is insufficient for that purpose, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the said allowance for Stationary to each Troop and Company in His Majesty's Regiments of Dragoons and Foot shall be increased to Pagodas 1 24 F. per month.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to grant the same increased allowance for Stationary, on account of Troops and Companies in the undermentioned European Corps.

HORSE ARTILLERY.
FOOT ARTILLERY.——not including the Golundauze or Gun Lascars.
MADRAS EUROPEAN REGIMENT.
CARNATIC EUROPEAN VETERAN BATTALION.

This allowance will be drawn on the 1st of August next, being payable for the preceding month.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 104

Fort St. George, 20th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

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

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant J. Nash to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion, vice Cregoe.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 104

Fort St. George, 30th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Maxwell of the Madras European Regiment, is permitted to proceed to *Bengal* on leave of absence, until the 1st of January next.

Lieutenant Chambers of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *England* on furlough for twelve months, without pay.

Captain Riddell of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, having returned to *India* from furlough with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, will resume the duties of his rank.

The following promotion and appointment will take place.

Ensign W. H. R. Wooton of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant, vice Ivie deceased; date of commission the 21st of June 1812.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon W. S. Anderson to be Assistant Garrison Surgeon at *Cannanore*, vice George Anderson, proceeded to *Europe* from *Java*.

The undermentioned Ensigns of Infantry will take rank from the dates annexed to their respective names.

Ensign	Lewis Crowther	3d	Regiment,	21st	December 1811.
,,	H. B. Blenkinsop	8th	,,	29th	,, ,,
,,	J. Wallace	25th	,,	2d	January 1812.
,,	G. Dods	3d	,,	11th	,, ,,
,,	T. Eastment	8th	,,	15th	,, ,,
,,	A. Fraser	25th	,,	11th	June ,,
,,	J. H. Winbolt	5th	,,	11th	,, ,,
,,	Peter Gordon	11th	,,	11th	,, ,,
,,	J. Stodart	3d	,,	11th	,, ,,
,,	David Watson	4th	,,	11th	,, ,,
,,	Edward B. Bosc	2d	,,	11th	,, ,,

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 105

Fort St. George, 30th June 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that from the 1st of July, the establishment of Artificers for Regiments of European Cavalry serving under this Presidency, with the allowance to be drawn quarterly in lieu of materials for the repair of arms and accoutrements, shall be as follows instead of the establishment detailed in the G. O. of 10th December last.

IN CANTONMENT.

Carpenters	No. 2
Armourers	5
Smiths	2
Hammermen	2
Bellows Boys	2
Chuckledars	2
Chucklers	2
Quarterly allowance, Pagodas	8

Addition to the above when ordered on Field Service.

Maistrie	2
Carpenters	2
Armourers	2
Smiths	2
Hammermen	2
Bellows Boys	2
Chuckledars	2
Chucklers	2

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

No. 106

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3*d July* 1812.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

It having been brought to the notice of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Native Invalids and Pensioners at out-stations are frequently mustered and paid without a reference to their certificates as prescribed in the regulations for mustering the Army, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that in future, no Invalid or Pensioner shall receive pay, unless his or her certificate shall exhibit the Mustering Officer's notification of the last regular muster,

thus

" September 1812. Exd. A. B. Mr. Mr.
" January 1813. Exd. A. B. Mr. Mr.

and all Officers in charge of Invalids and Pensioners will be held strictly responsible, for the most punctual adherence to the present Order.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the duty of paying the heirs of Gun Lascars, shall in future devolve upon the Town Major of *Fort St. George.*

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

N°. 107

Fort St. George, 3d *July* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Cameron of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry and Lieutenant Le Page of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed under the immediate superintendence and direction of the Mathematical Instructor of the Military Institution, until further orders.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 108

Fort St. George, 7th *July* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

In consequence of the delay which has unavoidably occurred, in fixing the rank of the undermentioned Officers of Infantry, and posting them to Corps in the manner usually adopted, the Honorable the Governor in Council, with a view to do ample justice to the interests of the individuals in such manner as to cause the least inconvenience to the service at large, and that the unavoidable supercession (consequent to any measure which could be adopted to remedy the inconvenience necessarily attending the adjustment of their rank and posting to Corps at this late period) may on the best principle of equal justice to all Corps be determined by chance, is pleased to direct, that the undermentioned Ensigns of Infantry do take rank in the Army and in the Corps to which they may hereafter be posted, from the dates set opposite to their names.

Ensign Henry Moberly..... 9th August 1806.
" G. K. Babington..... 9th October 1806.
" B. Swain Ward..... 27th August 1808.
" J. W. Taylor..... 1st September 1808.
" W. N. Pace..... 14th February 1810.
" A. Macleod..... 8th March 1810.
" A. Macarthur..... 29th June 1810.
" John Henry..... 4th October 1810.

and in order to give the abovementioned Ensigns the full benefit of that promotion by Regimental succession, to which they are entitled by the date of rank now confirmed to them, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to order and direct, that they shall successively be posted with their rank to those Regiments in which the first vacancies for Ensigns shall occur, and which vacancies shall become known at the Adjutant General's Office on and after this date, with this proviso, that not more than one of the above Ensigns shall be posted to the same Corps.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 109

Fort St. George, 7th *July* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Lieutenant Preston of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant Cramer of His Majesty's 30th Regiment of Foot, is permitted to resign the appointment of Fort Adjutant and Paymaster of Details at *Poonamalee*, in compliance with his request.

The following appointments will take place.

Lieutenant Patrick Agnew of His Majesty's 89th Regiment of Foot, to be Fort Adjutant and Paymaster of Details at *Poonamalee*, vice Cramer resigned.

Lieutenant James Harrison to be Quarter Master of the Squadron of Horse Artillery, vice Macintosh promoted.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

N°. 110

Fort St. George, 10th *July* 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Captain Parlby of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Bengal* on leave of absence for six months.

Ensign Cocke of the 15th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. ///

Fort St. George, 13th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Surgeon W. Colhoun is directed to proceed to *England* on board the Honorable Company's Extra Ship Baring in medical charge of that vessel.

Lieutenant Haggard of the 14th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to *Europe*, on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Plenderleath of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to *China*, and eventually to the Island of *St. Helena*, or to the *Cape of Good Hope*, for the recovery of his health.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

(True Copies.)

G. Strachey

Sec. to Government.

No. 112

Fort St. George, 14th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

Mr. Peter Cherry is relieved from the charge of the Pay Office at *Fort St. George*, in compliance with his request, and Mr. John Casamaijor will perform the duties of that Office until the return of the Paymaster.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 113

Fort St. George, 14th July 1812.

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 general letter from the Honorable Court of Directors, dated the 6th of March 1812.

Para. 5. "We have appointed Mr. David Ogilvy an Assistant Surgeon for your Presidency."

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 114

Fort St. George, 14th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The long and meritorious services of Subidar Shaik Emam late of the 1st Battalion of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, having been brought by His Excellency the Commander in Chief to the particular notice of the Government, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to mark his approbation of them, by directing that a Palanqueen, with the usual allowance, shall be presented to that deserving Officer.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 115

Fort St. George, 14th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The appointments of Lieutenant Cameron of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry and Lieutenant Le Page of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, as announced in General Orders under date the 3d instant, have not taken place; and His Excellency the Commander in Chief is requested to permit two Officers of the late Class of the Military Institution to remain at the Presidency until further orders, for the purpose of being employed on a special duty, under the immediate direction of the Mathematical Instructor of the Institution.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 116

Fort St. George, 17th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The following promotions have taken place:

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Thomas Robson to be Lieutenant, vice Macleod deceased; date of commission the 24th of June 1812.

7th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Andrew Hendrie to be Lieutenant, vice Bell, deceased; date of commission the 27th of June 1812.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
Sec. to Government.

No. 117

Fort St. George, 17th July 1812.

G. O. By Government.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish the following Regulation, in pursuance of the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors bearing date the 18th of December and 21st of February last, and published to the Army on the 13th ultimo.

Commanding Officers of His Majesty's Regiments having occasion to apply for Bills of Exchange on the Honorable the Court of Directors, for the purposes expressed in the orders of the Honorable Court, will address their applications direct to the Office of the Accountant General, accompanied by Drafts on the Paymaster at the Presidency for the sums proposed to be remitted. The quarterly periods for granting Bills on the Honorable Court are fixed on the 25th of March, the 25th of June, the 25th of September, and 25th of December, and Bills will be issued at the close of each quarter, in compliance with the applications received in the course of it.

It is further directed, that this arrangement shall have effect from the 13th ultimo.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

(True Copies.)

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