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GENERAL ORDERS.

HEAD QUARTERS OF THE ARMY:
CHOULTRY PLAIN, 3d *January* 1817.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having addressed the subjoined Orders to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to be published to the Army, they are accordingly published in Military Orders.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *25th November* 1816.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel that part of the General Order of the 5th January 1816, by which the duty of drawing the Pay of Details and Individuals of His Majesty's Service at the Presidency, not under the command of Commissioned Officers, was attached to the Staff Officer of Fort St. George, and to direct that the Pay of such Details and Individuals, shall in future be drawn, and paid by the Paymaster of the Depôt of His Majesty's Troops at Poonamallee.

In any case however, in which it may become necessary to draw Pay at the Presidency for the Details and Individuals above alluded to, which can but rarely occur, that duty will devolve on the Brigade Major of His Majesty's Troops; and it is directed, that such arrangements shall be made by that Officer with the Depôt Paymaster, as shall prevent delays, or difficulties in the payments to, and adjustment of advances, stoppages, &c. on account of the Details and Individuals, to whom this Regulation has reference.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD, SEC. to GOVT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 3d *December* 1816.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Regulation for the Subsistence of European Deserters, contained in the 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Paras. Pages 74 and 75 of the Code of Military Regulations for the Pay Department, shall be considered applicable to all European Deserters or Vagrants, whether Military or otherwise. The charges on account of Vagrants or Persons *not being Military* Deserters, (equally the

the reward for their apprehension as the Subsistence) are to be brought to account by Paymasters under the head of "General Books."

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23*d December* 1816.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that, from and after the 1st of January ensuing, no Paymaster shall be required to enter any Bill or Abstract in his accounts of Disbursements, which may not have been paid by himself, either at his principal, or subordinate Office. The Bills and Abstracts of Military Charges disbursed by other Governments, on account of this Presidency, or by Collectors, or other Officers of this Government, whether Civil or Military, *not being Paymasters*, are to be compiled by the Accountant General (in the Military Department of his Office,) in Accounts Current, and Accounts of detailed Disbursements, precisely similar to those of Paymasters, with the exception of the term "Transfer Department," being used in lieu of a Paymaster's name, in the heading of the Accounts.

As the Accounts of the Transfer Department will be composed of charges, not referable to any particular period, the Regulation which precludes the admission on audit, of charges more than 6 months in arrear, is not to be considered applicable to those Accounts. In order, however, to ensure regularity in bringing forward the charges, it is directed that the Bills and Abstracts received in any month by the Accountant General, shall form the Accounts of that month; and shall be separately compiled, and transmitted for audit, as early in the subsequent months as may be practicable.

The Accounts, thus compiled, are to be checked and audited by the Military Auditor General, and such retrenchments as may, at any time be made therefrom, are to be recovered by the Accountant General under the General Regulations applicable to the Pay Department.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 23*d December* 1816.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Promotion. 13*th*

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign William Henry Nassau Younge, to be Lieutenant, from the 1st December 1816, vice A. MacLeod, invalided.

Mr. Francis Reed Affleck is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.—Arrived at Mangalore the 6th November 1816.

Lieutenant C. Fergusson of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry, having furnished a certificate of his unfitness for further active service, is transferred to the Invalid establishment, at his own request, from the 30th Ultimo.

Ensign Edward Abell of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

The furlough to Europe for one year, granted in General Orders dated 5th October last, to Lieutenant G. Sharp of the 10th Native Regiment, will commence from the date of his embarkation at Fort St. George, the leave to proceed to Calcutta, granted him in the same G. O. having been cancelled at his request.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon R. Richardson, is permitted to return to Europe, on sick certificate.

Memorandum.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon H. D. Nevin, who was admitted on the Establishment in General Orders dated 12th January 1816, arrived at Mangalore on the 7th December 1815.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, 28*th December* 1816.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, that Funds have been allotted to the Paymaster at the Presidency, and in the several Divisions of the Army, for the discharge of all ordinary demands in the Military Department, in the course of the ensuing month of January 1817.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, 30*th December* 1816.

G. O. By Government.

Ordered that the following Extract from the Honorable Company's General Letter to the Military Department, dated the 16th June 1816, be republished in General Orders.

Para.

Para. 139. "In consequence of the numerous applications which have been preferred to us by our Servants, on leave of absence in this country, for advances of money on loan, we think it proper to recal your attention to our orders in the Military Department, of the 26th February 1803, upon this subject.—Those orders declared our determination not to make any pecuniary advances to Officers at home, beyond what they are allowed by the existing Regulations of the Service, and you were required to publish them in General Orders to the Army; but as a resolution of this description, in order to be generally known to a body which is continually receiving an accession of new Members, should be occasionally republished, and being fully persuaded that a strict observance of this resolution, will prevent much trouble and inconvenience, besides loss to the Company, we direct that our orders above adverted to, be in future circulated for the information of the Army, in the month of January in every year, and we shall take the necessary steps for reminding Officers who may arrive in England upon furlough, of our determination upon the subject in question."

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *30th December* 1816.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

24th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign Samuel Stewart, to be Lieutenant, from the 1st December 1816, vice Cuthbert invalided.

Lieutenant Henry Strong of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe, on sick certificate.

The leave to visit the Coast for the recovery of his health, granted in General Orders dated 7th August last, to Lieutenant C. C. Nattes, Assistant Superintending Engineer in Mysoor, and extended in General Orders of the 21st October, is further extended until the 10th of February 1817.

The furlough to Europe, granted in General Orders dated the 28th September and 5th October last, respectively, to Lieutenant F. Parmetur of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry; Lieutenant Colonel W. Lewis of the 6th Native Cavalry, and Lieutenant R. Murcott of the 18th Native Infantry, will commence from the dates of their embarkation.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon W. Haines, attached to the Court of the Zillah of Mangalore, is permitted to continue absent from his Station for one month, from the 12th Instant.

Memo-

Memorandum.

Lieutenant F. W. Morgan of the Pioneers has been permitted by the Government of Bombay, to proceed to Sea on sick certificate.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 27*th December* 1816.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain Jeffries of the 6th, and Lieutenant Munro of the 7th Light Cavalry, will do duty with the Cavalry Depôt at Arcot, until further orders, and proceed with the Detachment ordered on Field Service.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 29*th December* 1816.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial held at Secunderabad, on Wednesday, the 20th day of November 1816, by order of Colonel John Doveton, Commanding the Subsidiary Force serving His Highness the Soubadar of the Deckan, in virtue of a warrant, and under authority from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Shaik Emaum of the 2d Battalion 24th Regiment N. I. is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGE.—Venketachellum, Private No. 29, in the G. Company 1st Battalion 2d Regiment N. I. confined by my order on the 7th September 1816, on the following Charge, viz.

For sleeping on his Post whilst on Sentry at the Residency, about the hour of two o'clock on the morning of the 7th September 1816.

SECUNDERABAD, 16*th Sept.* 1816. (Signed) BOYCE COOMBE, Capt. Lt. & S. O. at Secunderabad with the 1st Bat. 2d Regt. N. I.

BY ORDER: (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,
Actg. Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court having duly considered every thing that has appeared against the Prisoner, as well as what he has urged in his defence, is of opinion, that he is guilty of the Crime laid to his charge, viz. "Sleeping on his Post whilst "on Sentry at the Residency, about the hour of two o'clock "on the morning of the 7th of September 1816," and it does therefore by virtue of the Articles of War, sentence him, the Prisoner,

Prisoner, Venketachellum, Private in the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment N. I. to receive 1000 (one thousand) lashes, with a cat of nine tails, on his bare back, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may be pleased to direct, and afterwards to be led, with a Rope tied round his neck, in front of his Corps, and to be drummed out of his Regiment.

The X mark of
SHAIK EMAUM, Subadar,
(Signed) W. GODLEY, Lieutenant, and President,
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

The Commander in Chief has confirmed the foregoing Sentence, passed on Sepoy Venketachellum, 1st Battalion 2d Regiment N. I. and directs that the corporal punishment be carried into execution at such time and place as the Officer Commanding at Secunderabad may be pleased to direct;—The other parts of the punishment awarded are remitted, and His Excellency considers them inapplicable to the nature of the offence of which the Prisoner has been found guilty.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 30th December 1816.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant H. White of the 7th Regiment N. I. will join and do duty with the Detachment of the Rifle Corps under Captain Baker, until further orders.

Lieutenant J. Riddell of the 10th Regiment N. I. will join and do duty with the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry, until further orders.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 31st December 1816.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenants Cuttcliffe and A. Macleod, lately transferred to the Non-effective establishment, are posted to the 3d Native Veteran Battalion; the former will join the Detachment doing duty at Vizagapatam, and the latter that at Ganjam.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 2d January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain Lieutenant Munn of the 2d Battalion 14th Regiment N. I. will join his Corps.

Captain Smith is removed from the 3d to the 2d Native Veteran Battalion, and will join the Detachment at Guntoor.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Ferguson, lately transferred to the Non-effective establishment, is posted to the 3d Native Veteran Battalion, and will join the Detachment of that Corps at Vizianagram.

A Committee to examine Claims to Pensions, will assemble at the Committee Room in Fort St. George, at 11 A. M. on Monday, the 6th Instant, under instructions which will be given to the President by the Adjutant General of the Army.

Colonel J. Simons, 4th N. I.—*President.*

Major Powell, 2d Battalion 21st Regiment N. I. and Captain Wren, 15th Regiment N. I.—*Members.*

Captain Norton, 1st Battalion 19th Regiment Native Infantry, is appointed President of the Clothing Committee.

The following Extract from G. O. issued by the Commander in Chief in India, *&c.* by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

Extract from the Proceedings of a General Court Martial assembled at Fort William, in obedience to General Orders of the 6th Instant, and held by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief of all the Forces in India, under date the 6th December 1816.

FORT WILLIAM, *Monday, 9th December* 1816.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel G. Richards, 22d Native Regt.

Judge Advocate,—Lieutenant Colonel C. Fagan, Judge Advocate General.

CHARGES.—Assistant Surgeon Compton, 4th Volunteer Battalion, placed in arrest by order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief, on the following Charges.

1st—For scandalous conduct, at Soorabaya, on the 1st of August 1816, in having gone to a public billiard room in a state of intoxication, behaving there in a manner unbecoming a Gentleman, and wantonly and grossly insulting Captain Drury.

2d.—For contempt of authority on the same occasion, in refusing to obey the orders of his Superior Officer, Lieutenant Dwyer, who had desired, that he would consider himself under arrest, and return to his home.

3d—For conduct unbecoming an Officer and a Gentleman on the abovementioned dates, and for contempt of authority, in grossly abusing, threatening, and resisting Lieutenant and Adjutant Christie, when communicating to him the orders of his Commanding Officer.

By order of The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

ADJT. GENERAL'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM, *29th Nov.* 1816.

(Signed) JAMES NICOL, Asst. Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

SEN-

SENTENCE.—The Court having deliberately weighed the evidence before it, finds the Prisoner guilty of the Charges exhibited against him, and sentences him to be Cashiered.

The Court at the same time begs strongly to recommend him to the mercy of His Excellency The Commander in Chief.

(Signed) G. RICHARDS, Lieut. Col.
22d Native Regt. and President.

(Signed) C. FAGAN,
Judge Advocate General.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract.
(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

The Commander in Chief agrees fully in the considerations (apparent on the Proceedings) which have induced the Court to intercede for lenity in this case.—The Sentence is accordingly remitted: But, as it would be unsafe that Hospital Patients should be left to the treatment of a Person subject to sudden aberrations of mind, The Commander in Chief will make an application to the Governor General in Council for putting Mr. Compton on the Pension List.

By Command.
(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 4th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Medical Appointments are confirmed, from their respective dates.

By the Officer Commanding the Northern Division of the Army, of Assistant Surgeon M'Andrew to proceed to Vellanagrary and afford medical aid to the Troops at that Station;—of Assistant Surgeon Anderson to afford medical aid to the Garrison of Chicacole, and the Detachment under Major Oliver; and of Garrison Assistant Surgeon Rule, to afford medical aid to the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment N. I. during the absence of Assistant Surgeon Anderson, from the 20th December 1816.

By Lieutenant Colonel Colebrooke, C. B. Commanding a Detachment, of Assistant Surgeon M'Dowell, 2d Regiment Cavalry, to afford medical aid to the Detachment of the 1st Battalion 11th Regiment and to the Dooley Bearers and Tent Lascars attached, from the 6th December 1816.

By

By Captain Baker, Commanding a Detachment, of Assistant Surgeon Adams of the 6th Light Cavalry, to afford medical aid to the Detachment Rifle Corps, to the Tent Lascars, Dooley Bearers, and all authorized Public Followers with the 6th Regiment Light Cavalry, and the Detachment of the Rifle Corps, from the 7th December 1816.

By the Officer Commanding 1st Battalion 25th Regiment N. I. of Assistant Surgeon Shepherd to afford medical aid to the Public Followers attached to the Corps on it's march from Madras to Trichinopoly, from the 27th November 1816.

By Colonel Doveton, Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, of Assistant Surgeon Shepherd to proceed and take medical charge of the Recruits of His Majesty's Royal Scots and Horse Artillery, and to relieve the Medical Officer who marched with them from Secunderabad.

By the Officer Commanding Ellore, of Surgeon Macaulay, 1st Battalion 11th Regiment N. I. to afford medical aid to the two Companies of the 2d Battalion 20th Regiment N. I. and also to a Recruiting Party 2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I. from the 26th December 1816.

By Major General Hare, Commanding Mysore, of Assistant Surgeon Christy to proceed and afford medical aid to the Squadron of His Majesty's 22d Dragoons, under the command of Major Dawes;—of Assistant Surgeon Harwood to assume medical charge of the 2d Battalion 12th Regiment N. I. on his return to Bangalore;—and of Assistant Surgeon Gibson to rejoin His Majesty's 69th Regiment on the return of Assistant Surgeon Harwood.

By the Officer Commanding Chittledroog, of Assistant Surgeon Richmond to afford medical aid to the Lascars, Dooley Bearers and Public Followers attached to the Detachments which proceeded under the command of Lieutenants Farquharson and [illegible]lton to Barramsaughur and Maukalmoorca, from the 25th December 1816.

By the Officer Commanding 1st Battalion 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry, of Assistant Surgeon Smart to afford medical aid to the Tent Lascars, Dooley Bearers and all authorized Public Followers attached to the Corps, from the 1st December 1816.

The following parts from the confirmed Proceedings of Native General Courts Martial assembled in Fort St. George, by order of His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. on Monday, the 2d day of December 1816, and continued by sundry adjournments until Monday, the 30th day of the same month and year, and of which Subadar Hobseinee of the Corps of Artillery, is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGE.

CHARGE.—Mahomed Baboo, Naigue, 2d Battalion 18th Regiment, confined by order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, for neglect of duty in the following instances, while in Charge of a Guard over Money at the General Treasury, Fort St. George.

1st—In having suffered a bag, said to contain five hundred double Pagodas, to be stolen whilst under his custody, some time between the 27th September and 1st of October last.

2d—In not counting and reporting to Lieutenant Gibbings, the Officer Commanding the Detachment to which the Prisoner's Guard belonged, the number of bags of Pagodas that remained under his Charge on the afternoon of the 28th September last, at the time of locking the door of the Room, in which the Treasure was deposited.

3d—In not reporting to Lieutenant Gibbings, a communication which he, Mahomed Baboo, Naigue, declared to have been made to him by the Shroff employed in counting and delivering over the Money at the General Treasury, namely, "That he, Mahomed Baboo, had nothing to do "with counting the number of bags of Pagodas, which "daily remained; that if any were missing, he, the Shroff, "was the responsible Person, and not the Naigue, or Lieute-"nant Gibbings," or words to that effect.

4th—In not being present, as he was in duty bound to have been at the relief of the Sentry posted at the door of the Room, in which the Treasure was lodged, at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the 28th September.

5th—Disobedience of the Standing Orders of the Service, in absenting himself from his Guard without leave, from a little after four till near six o'clock in the afternoon of the 28th September.

ADJT. GENL.'s OFFICE, CHOULTRY PLAIN, *8th December* 1826. By order of the Commander in Chief. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the evidence in support of the prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has urged in his defence, is of opinion, that he is guilty of neglect of duty in the following instances.

1st—In having suffered a bag, said to contain five hundred double Pagodas, to be stolen, whilst under his custody, some time between the 27th September and 1st of October last.

2d—In not counting and reporting to Lieutenant Gibbings, the Officer Commanding the Detachment to which his Guard belonged, the number of bags of Pagodas which remained, under his charge, on the afternoon of the 28th September

September last, at the time of locking the door of the Room, in which the Treasure was deposited.

3d—In not reporting to Lieutenant Gibbings, a communication which he, Mahomed Baboo, Naigue, declared to have been made to him by the Shroff employed in counting and delivering over the Money at the General Treasury, namely, "That he, Mahomed Baboo, had nothing to "do with counting the number of bags of Pagodas, which "daily remained; that if any were missing, he, the Shroff, "was the responsible Person, and not the Naigue, or Lieute-"nant Gibbings," or words to that effect.

Of acquits him of the 4th and 5th Instances, as set forth in the Charge exhibited against him.

Having found him guilty to the extent above recorded, it doth sentence him, (the said Mahomed Baboo, Naigue,) to be reduced to the Ranks, and to receive five hundred (500) lashes, with a cat of nine tails, on his bare back, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may be pleased to direct.

The mark X of
Subadar HOOSEINEE,
President.

(Signed) J. WELSH, Lieut. Col.
and Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

CHARGE.—Annamuntoo, Sepoy, 2d Battalion 18th Regiment Native Infantry, confined by order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

"For allowing himself to be relieved by a Sepoy, when Sentry at the door of the Treasury on the 28th September, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon."

ADJT. GENL.'s OFFICE: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *8th December* 1816. } By order of the Commander in Chief. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjutant General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court acquits the Prisoner, for want of evidence.

The mark X of
Subadar HOOSEINEE,
President.

(Signed) J. WELSH, Lieut. Col.
Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

CHARGE.—Sheik Ahmed, Sepoy, 2d Battalion 18th Regiment N. I.

N. I. confined by order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

For having presumed to relieve Sepoy Annamuntoo, when Sentry on the 28th September, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, over the Treasury, without being accompanied by the Naigue of the Guard, or any Non-commissioned Officer.

By order of the Commander in Chief,

ADJT. GENL.'S. OFFICE: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *8th December* 1816.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court acquits the Prisoner, for want of evidence.

The mark X of
Subadar HOOSEINEE, President.

(Signed) J. WELSH, Lieut. Col.
Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

The Commander in Chief is pleased to prohibit the forwarding to Head Quarters until further orders, any applications for leave of absence from Officers, unless in very urgent cases, or certified ill health.

Lieutenant Cleaveland of the 19th Regiment N. I. is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion, and Lieutenant Ball from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Thomas, 2d Battalion 21st Regiment N. I will *do duty* with the 1st Battalion 18th Regiment N. I. until further orders.

Lieutenant Calvert of the 2d Battalion 21st Regiment N. I. will continue to do duty with his Corps.

Lieutenant Younge of the 13th Regiment N. I. doing duty with the 1st Battalion 15th Regiment N. I. is posted *to do duty* with the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment, or Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Conductor De Carlier of the Invalid establishment, is permitted to proceed from Pallamcottah to Dindigul, on furlough, 'till 1st April 1817.

Conductor E. Bonjour is permitted to proceed to Masulipatam on sick certificate, 'till 1st April next.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

Artillery, 1st Battalion.

2d Tindal Tamboo Kawn to be 1st Tindal; date of commission 11th December 1816.

6th

6th Regiment 2d Battalion.

	Date of Commissions.
Jemadar Litchminsing to be Subadar,	28th Nov. 1816.
Havaldar Major Litchminsing to be Jemadar,	

8th Regiment 2d Battalion.

Jemadar Shaik Burry to be Subadar,	19th Nov. 1816.
Havaldar Major Shaik Hoossain to be Jemadar,	

The undermentioned Officer has obtained leave from his Corps and Station.

Rank.	*Name.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lieut.	J. Wright	2d Bt. 20th Rt.	1st April 1817	Presidency, sick cert.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *6th January* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Commander in Chief finds it necessary to explain, for the general information and guidance of the Army, that all Reports, from Officers Commanding Corps or Detachments on Field Service, which may have reference to movements and their objects, shall be addressed to the Quarter Master General of the Army; and that all Details of Actions with the Enemy, resulting from such movements, shall be transmitted to the address of the Adjutant General of the Army; in both cases, *for the information of His Excellency.*

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 7th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial, held in Camp near Kottrah, by order of Colonel Patrick Walker, Commanding the Nagpoor Subsidiary Force, on Thursday, the 5th day of December 1816, and continued by successive adjournments, until Saturday, the 14th day of the same month and year, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Meer Sheerfordeen, of the 1st Battalion 21st Regiment Native Infantry, is President, are published to the Army.

CRIME.—Jemadar Shaik Abdellah, in the J. Company of the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment, of Trichinopoly Light Infantry, ordered in arrest by me, on the following Charges.

1st—For disrespect to His Excellency the Commander in Chief, in asserting before me, and the Native Officers of the Corps, that he was the Senior Jemadar, and he therefore saw no reason why he should not be promoted when a vacancy happened, although it had the moment before been told him, that His Excellency the Commander in Chief had directed, that he should not be on any account recommended for either promotion, or other favour, until by a change of conduct, on his

his part, a favourable report could be made of him to Head Quarters.

2d—For disrespectful, and improper conduct towards me, his immediate Commanding Officer, when in the execution of my duty, on the 21st October 1816, and in presence of the Native Officers of the Corps, who were assembled to hear explained to the Jemadar, a Paragraph of a Letter from the Head Quarters of the Army, that particularly related to him.

CAMP HOSSAINABAD, 21st October 1816. (Signed) H. BOWEN, Major, S. O. in Charge Trichinopoly Lt. Inf.

(Signed) CHARLES DEACON, Lt. Col. Comg. Light Brigade.

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

By order of Colonel Walker, Comg. Nagpoor Subsidiary Force.

(Signed) EDWARD SMYTHE, A. A. A. G. Nagpoor Subsidiary Force.

SENTENCE.—The Court after maturely considering the evidence, which has appeared in support of the prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has urged in his defence, are of opinion that he is not guilty of the 1st part of the 1st Charge, viz. "Disrespect to His Excellency the Commander in Chief," and do therefore acquit him of the same. But the Court finds him guilty of "asserting before me and the "Native Officers of the Corps, that he was the Senior Jemadar, and he therefore saw no reason why he should not be "promoted when a vacancy happened."—The Court find the Prisoner guilty of the 2d Charge, viz. "For disrespect, "and improper conduct towards me, his immediate Commanding Officer, when in the execution of my duty on the 21st October 1816, and in presence of the Native Officers "of the Corps, who were assembled to hear explained to "the Jemadar a Paragraph of a Letter from the Head "Quarters of the Army, that particularly related to him."

The Court having found the Prisoner (Jemadar Shaik Abdellah) guilty as above stated, sentence him to be suspended from rank and pay for (2) two calendar months.

The X mark of
MEER SHEERFORDEEN,
Subadar, and President.

(Signed) J. TOD,
Adjutant C. L. I.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

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The Horses of the Horse Artillery, His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons, the Right Honorable The Governor's Body Guard, and the Cavalry Depôt, cast by the Committees of which Lieutenant Colonel the Baron Teyll and Captain Rudyard are Presidents, are, with the exception of those fit for the Longe, *which are to be sent to the Cavalry Depôt*, to be immediately delivered over to the Commissariat Department, to be sold on account of Government.

The Committee of which Captain Rudyard of the Horse Artillery, is President, is dissolved.

Head Quarters : Chaudiry Plain, 8th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

A General Court Martial, for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it, will assemble at the Court Martial Room, in Fort St. George, on Monday, the 13th Instant, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and will be composed as follows :

Major General Bell,—*President.*

MEMBERS.

Major General	Durand,	10th Regiment N. I.
" "	Innes,	14th do.
" "	Aiskill,	C. E. V. B.
Colonel	Simons,	4th Regiment N. I.
Lieut. Colonel	M'Dowall	6th Regiment N. I.
" "	Muat,	24th do.
Brevet Lt. Col.	Taynton,	Artillery.
Major	Keates,	7th Regiment N. I.
"	Powell,	21st do.
"	Preston,	17th do.
Captain	Norton,	19th do.
Lieutenant	Wood,	8th do.
"	Trotter,	5th do.
"	Hitchins,	Rifle Corps.

Captain Wren, Deputy Judge Advocate, will conduct the Proceedings, to whom the Names, Rank and Dates of Commissions of Officers ordered for this duty, are to be sent.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Matross George Parry of the 1st Battalion of Artillery, is promoted to Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries, from the 1st Instant, and is to be struck off the Corps of Artillery from that date.

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Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 9th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Medical Committee, of which Alexander Boswell, Esq. 2d Member of the Medical Board, is President, is dissolved.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 14th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Horses of the 6th Light Cavalry, cast by the Committee of which Captain Smith was President, are to be immediately delivered over to the Commissariat Department, to be sold on account of Government.

The Orders of Colonel Doveton, appointing Cornet Harris to do duty with the 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, *until an opportunity offers for his joining the 8th Regiment Light Cavalry, to which he stands appointed*, is confirmed.

The following Native Promotion and Appointment are ordered.

Light Cavalry, 4th Regiment.

Jemadar Ram Buksh, to be Riding Master; date of appointment, 30th August 1816.

22d Regiment, 1st Battalion.

Drill Havaldar Nasser Mahomed to be Jemadar; date of commission, 25th September 1816.

15th January 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *9th December* 1816.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Ordered that the following Extract of a Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, in the Military Department, to Bengal, dated 3d September 1813, transmitted to Fort St. George with the Honorable Court's Military Despatch dated 30th September 1814, as being equally applicable to this Presidency, be published in General Orders.

Para. 123. "We consider it be of the greatest importance, that the Commissariat Accounts should be speedily and finally adjusted, and that due precautions be taken to guard the Company against loss in the event of the sudden illness, or death of the Commissary General or his Assistants. This is the more necessary, as it does not appear from your Original Regulations for the Commissariat, that any Security is given either by the Commissary General or by his Deputies, for the due adjustment of their Accounts, in the event of death or removal from their respective situations.

124. "We cannot indeed but consider this as a defect in the system, and we desire that you will take it into your early consideration,

sideration, with a view to establish effectual Securities against the possible loss to which the Company may be subjected."

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council, in obedience to the Orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors, contained in the foregoing Paragraphs, is pleased to direct, that the Commissary General, and Subordinate Officers, shall invariably on their appointment to the Department, furnish Security to be approved by Government, agreeably to the following Scale.

Commissary General,	Sa. Rs.	50,000
Deputies,	do.	30,000
Assistants,	do.	20,000
Deputy Assistants	do.	10,000
Sub-Assistants	do.	5,000

The above Securities are in all future cases, to be lodged with the Accountant General, before the Officers appointed to the Commissariat are permitted to take charge of their Offices—in the case of promotion of Subordinate Commissariat Officers, they are to replace the inferior Security with that which is prescribed for the higher rank.

The Commissary General is required to submit without delay, for the approval of Government, the Securities proposed to be lodged by himself, and the Officers of his Department, in order that the above Orders of the Honorable Court of Directors may be carried into full effect.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, *7th January* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

Major General Aldwell Taylor of this Establishment, having received permission to return to Europe, The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to express in General Orders, his entire approbation of the conduct of that Officer in the many distinguished situations which he has held under the Government of Fort St. George, during a long, and honorable service of forty-one years.

The Governor in Council will not fail to recommend the faithful and approved services of Major General Taylor, to the favourable notice of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

Chief Secretary.

Fort

FORT ST. GEORGE, *7th January* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following Extract from a Despatch received from Major General Rumley, the Officer in Command of the Northern Division of the Army, under date the 24th Ultimo.

Copy of a Letter from Major Oliver, Commanding a Detachment of the 6th Regiment of N. I. to The Quarter Master of Brigade, Northern Division.

SIR,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Officer Commanding the Division, that about 5 o'clock yesterday evening we were surprized by the Mahratta Horse entering this Town,—having only Lieutenant Tulloh with me, I sent him to take post at the other end of it, and from both our Divisions Parties were sent out to the different streets, to endeavour to keep them out of the Town: we had a continual skirmishing for about two hours, and some Men and Horses were killed in the streets—a little after six, Lieutenant Tweedie who had retreated upon my Detachment, arrived, having marched all night and that day, having been surrounded by them from 11 o'clock in the morning—I found it impossible to save the Town, as they galloped through and set fire to it in several places.—At 11 o'clock P. M. Lieutenant Jackson, who had been stationed with his Company about 10 miles off, arrived, when considering myself strong enough to give them an alert, I left Lieutenant Tweedie with two Companies in a strong position, and having procured two Peons from Mr. Spottiswoode, who promised to shew me the road to their Camp about a mile off, I put myself under their guidance, and am happy to say we succeeded beyond my expectation—we were actually in the middle of their Camp, before they discovered us, and we gave them two vollies from the Companies within 10 yards, which did great execution; and it caused such confusion among them, that they fled in every direction. We traversed their Camp, and killed (I should imagine) from twenty to thirty of them, they left the greatest part of their baggage on the ground, and this morning there was about a hundred Horse running loose about the Town, and we have killed and taken about seventy Horse.—Lieutenant Tweedie when he heard the firing, detached Lieutenant Tulloh with a Company to take post on the bank of a Tank, for which they appeared to be making; this was such an unexpected manœuvre, that a party of them galloped up close to Lieutenant Tulloh without discovering him, when he gave them a volley and killed some Men and Horses.—

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They have been drawn up in front of us this morning—I should suppose there is about 5,000 of them, and they are now moving off in the direction of Temboor and Sarecottah—and I shall march this evening for Chicacole, as I conceive it probable they will move in that direction—we have taken a Standard and a Trumpet.

I have, the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant.
(Signed) W. C. OLIVER,
Capt. Comg. Detachment 6th.

KEMEDY,
20th *December* 1816.
12 A. M.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) C. RUMLEY,
Major General.

His Excellency the Commander in Chief is requested to signify to Major Oliver, and to the Officers and Troops who served under his command, the high approbation of the Government for the exemplary discipline and gallantry which they displayed, in their attempt to defend the Town of Kemedy, and in their subsequent attack on the Camp of the Pindarries.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 10*th January* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Public Agent for the Construction of Gun Carriages, and all Commissaries of Stores, shall in future make a Monthly Return to the Commissary General of the Army at Fort St. George, of all the Arrack Carts and Spirit Drays under their charge, shewing the state and condition of these Carriages.

The Returns for the present month to be forwarded on the receipt of this Order, and to be despatched hereafter on the 1st of every month, and the Commissary General will in future exercise the same controul over the Arrack Carts maintained for the use of his department, which has been vested in the Quarter Master General of the Army with respect to the Sick Carts, and under the same rules which have been prescribed in the 6th Section of the Regulations for the department of the Quarter Master General of the Army. The form of the Monthly Returns, is required to correspond with form No. 7, of the same Section of those Regulations.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.
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Fort St. George, 10th *January* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Appointment and Promotion.

Lieutenant W. Marshall of the 20th Regiment of N. I. to *act* as Aide-de-Camp to Major General Rumley, from the 10th Ultimo.

20th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign Henry Newman, to be Lieutenant, from the 1st December 1816, vice Fergusson invalided.

The furlough to Europe, granted in General Orders dated the 9th Ultimo, to Lieutenant Colonel G. Hamilton of the 10th Regiment of N. I., is cancelled at the request of that Officer.

Major T. Stewart of the 9th Regiment of N. I. Secretary to the Off-reckoning Committee appointed in General Orders dated the 15th December 1815, is relieved from that duty, at his own request, in order to join his Corps on Field Service.

Captain and Brevet Major S. Cleaveland of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Ceylon on leave of absence for two months, from the 15th Instant.

Lieutenant D. H. M'Kenzie of the Artillery, is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

The furlough to Europe, granted in General Orders dated 7th September last, to Lieutenant E. Cadogan of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation.

Cornet H. P. Keighly of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Sea via Bombay, for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant Fireworker J. T. Warre of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Bombay, on leave of absence for four months, for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Frederick Emanuel Gristock is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.—Arrived at Ramnad the 18th December 1816.

Ensign Robert Bell of the Bengal Establishment, who was permitted in General Orders dated the 29th December 1812, to do duty with the Corps of Artillery, having been appointed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council, to the charge of the Artillery Detail attached to the Troops of His Highness the Nizam in Berar, from the 12th October 1816, is relieved from duty under this Presidency.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

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FORT ST. GEORGE, *10th January* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Ordered that the following Extract from a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, in the Military Department, dated 12th June 1816, be published in General Orders.

Para. 159. "We have permitted Captain Charles William Bell of the Madras Cavalry, to retire from the Service from the 8th April 1815."

160. "The following Military Officers belonging to your Establishment, have received our permission to return to their duty, viz.

Lieutenant T. Gifford,
Ensign James Robins,
Captain Lieutenant P. Fraser.

161. "We have appointed the Reverend Walter R. M. Williams, A. M. to be a Chaplain on your Establishment."

Ordered that the following Extract from a Report, dated the 3d Instant, on the examination of Lieutenant C. D. Dunn of the 22d Native Regiment, in the Hindoostanee Language, be published in General Orders.

Lieutenant Dunn executed the several tasks assigned to him, with perfect correctness, and in his translation into Hindoostanee, in particular, displayed a very appropriate command of words and accurate acquaintance with the idiom. The hand writing of Lieutenant Dunn is extremely good, his pronunciation sufficiently correct, and his manner of expressing himself in conversation easy and distinct—we have accordingly much satisfaction in recommending that Lieutenant Dunn may be presented with the usual honorary reward.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the usual honorary reward for proficiency in the Hindoostanee Language, be presented to Lieutenant Dunn.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *11th January* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The attention of the Commander in Chief having been recently drawn to the conduct of Corner John Smith of the 2d Regiment Cavalry, His Excellency had deemed it expedient that it should be submitted to the investigation of a General Court Martial, and had accordingly directed the arrest of that Officer, and Charges to be exhibited against him.

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This measure was not adopted, until His Excellency's opinions, and advice had been communicated to Cornet Smith, until that Officer had been well warned, of the consequences of obstinately persisting in error, nor until all the suggestions of Superior Authority and experience were found to be totally fruitless.

The Commander in Chief has however under present circumstances of more important consideration, determined not to assemble a General Court Martial, being unwilling to subject the Service to inconvenience by withdrawing at this moment so many Officers from duties of much greater consequence.

His Excellency therefore, under this impression, has preferred the present mode of procedure, and publishes to the Army, the expression of his censure and displeasure of the whole tenor of Cornet Smith's conduct, assuring that Officer, that he can only regain the good opinion of his Superior Officers, and that of his Commander in Chief, by a very opposite line of behaviour to what he has lately pursued.

Cornet Smith is a Young Officer, and has much to learn; but it is greatly to be feared, that he is deficient in those first principles of military subordination, which the Youngest Officer should be ashamed of being ignorant of, and that an unfortunate self-opinion unhappily fixes him in very erroneous impressions, inconsistent with his duty as an Officer, and which, if adhered to, may ultimately lead to results, which his inexperience, has not yet led him to contemplate.

The punishment which he has already suffered, in being in arrest and absent from his Corps, when employed on active Field Service, will it is trusted operate beneficially, upon him, and the Commander in Chief will allow himself to hope that his future conduct will be regulated by a more military and becoming spirit, than he has lately evinced; and is accordingly pleased to direct that Cornet Smith be released from his restraint, and that he join his Regiment *forthwith*.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 13th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

In reference to the G. O. by Government of the 7th Instant, the Commander in Chief has great satisfaction in declaring his cordial participation in the sentiments of approbation and applause expressed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, of the conduct of Major Oliver of the 6th Regiment N. I. Lieutenant Tweedie of the 2d Regiment N. I. Lieutenants Tulloh and Jackson of the 6th Regiment N. I. and the whole of the Native Officers and Men of the Detachment employed in Kemmedy.

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When an Officer has been distinguished by the approbation of the Government for his services, little can be added to such a testimonial of his merits, but the Commander in Chief will not deny himself the gratification of stating to the Army, that he considers the zeal, decision and spirit of Major Oliver to be highly exemplary and to afford a strong proof of the advantages of discipline, when united with judgment and experience to estimate it's capability against superior numbers, destitute of that essential.

Cornet Donald Macleod is *posted* to the 4th Regiment Light Cavalry, and will do duty as at present, until further orders.

Lieutenant Colonel Hugh Fraser of the 25th Regiment N. I. will proceed immediately to Nellore, and take charge of that Garrison, during the absence of Captain Turner.

Lieutenant Fireworker Seton of the 2d Battalion Artillery, is posted to the Horse Artillery, vice Mackenzie on furlough to Europe.

Captain Pitchford of the 3d Native Veteran Battalion, has three months leave of absence, to proceed to Cuddalore for the recovery of his health.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

6th Regiment N. I. 1st Battalion.

Jemadar Shaik Ibram to be Subadar, and Drill Havaldar Modeen Khan to be Jemadar; date of Commissions, 21st December 1813.

Jemadar Bawa Saib to be Subadar, and Havaldar Major Shaik Hussain to be Jemadar; date of Commissions, 1st January 1817.

The undermentioned Officer has leave of absence from his Corps.

Rank.	*Name.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lieutenant	G. Roberts	1st Bt. 12th Rt. or W. L. I.	30th April 1817	Cuddalore, sick cert.

HEAD QUARTERS: Choultry Plain, *15th January* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Surgeon Burton is posted to the 8th Light Cavalry. Assistant Surgeon F. Sevestre is removed from the Madras European Regiment to the 1st Battalion of Artillery.

Quarter Master Serjeant Donald Calder, is removed from the 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I. to the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment N. I.

Serjeant William Ross of the Madras European Regiment, is transferred to the Effective Supernumeraries as a Serjeant, and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant to the 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I.

Private Soldier Charles Philip St. Martin of the Effective Supernumeraries, is promoted to Serjeant.

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Head Quarters : Choultry Plain, 17th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Native General Court Martial of which Meer Sheerfordeen of the 1st Battalion 21st Regiment N. I. is President, is dissolved.

Head Quarters : Choultry Plain, 20th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extracts from G. O. issued by the Commander in Chief in India, are, by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Kurnaul, on Tuesday, the 10th day of September 1816, in obedience to General Field Army and Division Orders, and by virtue of a warrant under the hand and seal of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of Lieutenant John Elwood, 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry, and such other Persons as may be brought before it.

President.—Lieutenant Colonel A. Maxwell, 2d Battalion 6th Regiment N. I.

Deputy Judge Advocate.—Captain Patrickson, Deputy Judge Advocate General, 2d and 3d Divisions Field Army.

Interpreter.—Lieutenant Dunbar, Interpreter and Quarter-Master 2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I.

CHARGE.—Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Kyan, of the 2d, Regiment of Cavalry, ordered in arrest by me, on the following Charges.

1st.—On complaint of Lall Mahomed (Taylor and Camp Follower) in having had him, Lall Mahomed, severely punished by flogging him with a cat on the 25th of August 1816.

2d.—For having punished the said Lall Mahomed, in disobedience of the orders of the Honorable Court of Directors on that subject, as contained in their General Letters under date the 2d and 14th of April 1813, published at Lodhiana on the 22d of October 1813, and republished by me on the 6th May 1814.—Such behaviour being highly subversive of good order and military discipline and in breach of the Articles of War.

KURNAUL, 28th August 1816. (Signed) A. KNOX, Lt. Col. Comg. 2d Cavalry.

By order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM, 16th September 1816. (Signed) JAMES NICOL, Actg. Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

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SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely weighed the whole of the evidence brought before it, together with what the Prisoner, Lieut. and Brevet Captain Kyan, of the 2d Cavalry, has adduced in his defence, is of opinion, that he is not guilty of the 1st Charge exhibited against him, viz. "The having had Lall Mahomed (Taylor and Camp Follower) severely punished by flogging him with a cat on the 25th of August 1816;" it acquits him of it accordingly.

In regard to the 2d Charge, the Court is of opinion, that the Prisoner, Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Kyan, is guilty of disobedience of that part of the Honorable Court of Directors' Letter under date the 14th April 1813, as specified in that Charge, by illegally beating Lall Mahomed (Taylor and Camp Follower); the Court acquits the Prisoner of the remainder of the 2d Charge.

The Court having thus found the Prisoner, Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Kyan, guilty of so much of the 2d Charge exhibited against him, and the same being in breach of the Articles of War, it sentences him to be "Reprimanded" in such manner as His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief may be pleased to direct.

(Signed) A. MAXWELL, Lt. Colonel,
2d Bat. 6th Regt. N. I.
and President.

(Signed) W. G. PATRICKSON,
Deputy Judge Advocate General
2d and 3d Divisions Field Army,
conducting the Trial.

The Proceedings of the Court Martial, having been returned to the President, for a revision of the Sentence, with a full explanation from His Excellency The Commander in Chief of his reasons for not confirming it. The Court came to the following conclusion.

REVISED SENTENCE.—The Court after mature reconsideration, abide by their former opinion on the 1st Charge.

The Court, on reconsideration, are of opinion, that Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Kyan, of 2d Cavalry, is guilty of the whole of the 2d Charge, viz. "For having punished "the said Lall Mahomed, in disobedience of the orders of "the Honorable Court of Directors on that subject, as "contained in their General Letters under date the 2d and "14th April 1813, published at Lodhiana on the 22d "October 1813, and republished by me on the 6th May "1814; such behaviour being highly subversive of good "order and military discipline and in breach of the Articles "of

" of War;" and the Court sentence him, Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Kyan, to be reprimanded in such manner as His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief may be pleased to direct.

(Signed) A. MAXWELL, Lt. Col.
2d Bat. 6th Regt. N. I.
President.

(Signed) W. G. PATRICKSON,
Deputy Judge Advocate General
conducting the Trial.

DISAPPROVED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract.

(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

The Commander in Chief regrets the being obliged to express his entire disapprobation of the above Sentence.

It appears on the proceedings of the Court Martial, that the just and humane orders of the Honorable Court of Directors, prohibiting Officers from arbitrarily punishing Followers of the Camp, were transmitted by the Adjutant General to the 2d Regiment of Cavalry, and were regularly inserted in the Orderly Books of that Corps.

It appears that at a subsequent period, the Commanding Officer of the Regiment (excited as it would seem by some peculiar circumstance) published anew those orders, with a Regimental Order from himself, strictly enjoining a pointed obedience to them, while he indicated the mode to be pursued by Officers for bringing to speedy and legal punishment any Follower of the Camp who might be guilty of misconduct deserving chastisement: and the existence of this standing order was duly proved before the Court Martial.

It appears, that in contempt of these orders, Captain John Howard Kyan caused Lall Mahomed to be apprehended for an imputed offence, confined him for at least two days, then had him brought out, tied up and flogged with a cat (prepared for the purpose by Captain Kyan,) to the amount of between forty and fifty lashes; and again imprisoned him under the menace of further flogging, tho' Captain Kyan afterwards dismissed the man without renewed infliction.

The Court have found the Prisoner guilty of a breach of the order promulgated by the Honorable the Court of Directors; and they have considered this cool deliberate transgression, not stimulated by immediate passion, or attempted to be extenuated by any assertion of recent provocation, as calling for no more than a reprimand. A Sen-

A Sentence so glaringly inadequate, and in it's tendency so subversive of the authority of Officers at the head of Corps, would leave The Commander in Chief wholly without excuse for abstaining from the fulfilment of the Honorable Court's injunction to acquaint them with any case of an infraction of their order.

The Proceedings of the Court Martial on this occasion will therefore be laid before the Governor General in Council, with a view to their being submitted to the Honorable Court. In the mean time, Captain Kyan is to be released from his arrest.

By Command.

(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lieut. Col.*
Military Secretary.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Fort William, in obedience to General Orders of the 6th Instant, and held by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief in India, under date 6th December 1816.

Fort William, Friday, the 20th December 1816.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel G. Richards, 22d Nat. Regt.

Judge Advocate,—Lieutenant Colonel C. Fagan, Judge Advocate General.

CHARGE.—Private John Gribbin of the Honorable Company's European Regiment, confined by order of Major General John Sullivan Wood, Commanding the Garrison of Fort William, for conduct highly subversive of discipline and subordination, in having on the 10th Instant, attempted to force a Sentry, on his Post at the St. George Gate of Fort William, and for having struck and knocked down Subadar Shaick Pultoo (of the 2d Battalion 30th Regiment) in the execution of his duty.

By order of the Major General Commanding in Garrison.

FORT WILLIAM, 11*th December* 1816. } (Signed) H. S. MONTAGU, Fort Adjutant.

By order of The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

(Signed) JAMES NICOL,
Acting Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court having deliberately weighed the evidence before it, acquits the Prisoner of having attempted to force the Sentry, but finds him guilty of improper and unsoldier-like conduct in having abused him.

The Court also finds the Prisoner guilty of having struck the Subadar in the execution of his duty, it acquits him of having knocked him down. He is acquitted also of having struck the Subadar, with the knowledge of his being a Commissioned Officer.

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Having found the Prisoner guilty of a part of the Charge exhibited against him, the Court sentences him to solitary confinement for two months.

(Signed) C. FAGAN, Judge Advocate General. (Signed) G. RICHARDS, Lieut. Col. and President.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract.

(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

The Committee of which Major Preston, 1st Battaljon 17th Regiment N. I. is President, will re-assemble at Poonamallee, on Thursday next, the 23d Instant, at 10 A. M.

Lieutenant Hancorne of the Madras European Regiment, is relieved from the above mentioned Committee.

The following Removals are ordered.

Artillery.

Captain Lieutenant T. Bishop from 1st to 2d Battalion.
do do. Wilkinson „ 2d to 1st do.

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G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Removals are ordered.

3d Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Glen from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.
do Rorison do 1st do 2d do.
do Robins do 1st do 2d do.

13th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Manners from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.
do. Alves do 2d do 1st do.

Lieutenant John Gibbings of the 2d Battalion 18th Regiment N. I. is appointed *to do duty* with 2d Battalion 17th Regiment or Chicacole Light Infantry.

Assistant Surgeon Charles Jones is appointed *to do duty* with the 2d Native Veteran Battalion.

With reference to the Government G. O. of the 3d December 1816, the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct, that the Commandant of Artillery will issue the necessary orders, for drafting from the Corps of Gun Lascars, the necessary details, to form a complete Company of Laboratory and Magazine Lascars, and place them under the orders of the Commissary of Stores, and Sub-Director of the Laboratory, at St. Thomas's Mount.

The General Court Martial assembled at Bangalore, by G. O. dated the 27th September 1816, of which Colonel Pritzler, H. M.'s 22d Light Dragoons, is President, is dissolved. Private

Private Wm. Day of Effective Supernumeraries, is promoted to Serjeant.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

2d Regiment N. I. 2d Battalion.

	Date of Commissions.
Jemadar Venkatachellum to be Subadar,	3d January 1817.
Havaldar Major Mahomed Ally to be Jemadar,	

Pioneers, 1st Battalion.

Havaldar Mootoo to be Jemadar, 11th November 1816.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lt. Col.	D. C. Kenny	2d Bt. 19th Rt.	1st Apr. 1817	Presidency, on very urgent private affairs.
Major	W. Munro	Rifle Corps	30th June „	Presidency, sick cert.
Captain	J. Duncombe	1st Bt. 13th Rt.	22d July „	do. do.
Captain	F. W. Palmer	1st Bt. Art.	15th Apr. „	do. do.
Lieutenant	H. Tucker	1st Bt. 21st Rt.	31st Ma „	do. do.

1st February 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *20th January* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Brevet Captain J. J. Meredith of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope on sick certificate.

The leave of absence granted in General Orders dated the 3d May 1816, to Ensign A. M'Farlane of the 5th Native Regiment, has been extended for a further period of four months, from the 15th September last.

The leave to return to Europe on sick certificate, granted in General Orders dated 7th August 1816, to Lieutenant J. S. Trotter of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is cancelled at the request of that Officer.

The furloughs to Europe on sick certificate, granted in General Orders of dates the 5th and 14th October 1816, to the undermentioned Officers, will commence from the dates of their embarkation respectively.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon James Aitkin.

Captain W. L. Church of the 13th Regiment N. I.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon W. Haines is permitted to return to Europe, on furlough for three years.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon R. Filson is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Mr. George Knox is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Hon'rable

Honorable the Court of Directors.—Arrived at Madras the 8th Instant.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD.

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *27th January*, 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having received the satisfactory intelligence of the complete expulsion of the numerous body of Predatory Horse, which lately penetrated the Company's territory in the Ganjam District, deems it proper to express in the most public manner, his high sense, as well of the zeal, judgment and enterprize displayed by Lieutenant Alexander Borthwick of the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, throughout the operations which have led to this important and decisive result, as of the exemplary perseverance, exertion and gallantry of the Native Officers and Men of the Detachment under his command, whose conduct, equally in their unwearied pursuit of the enemy, and in every attack of their Camp, reflects the highest credit on the discipline and efficiency of the Corps to which they belong, and has entitled them to his unqualified approbation.

The Resident at Poonah, in a Despatch under date the 31st Ultimo, having communicated Major Lushington's report of the brilliant affair, in which the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry was engaged with a body of Predatory Horse at Cowah on the 26th Ultimo, after rapidly accomplishing a march of 53 miles,—The Governor in Council avails himself of the present opportunity to acknowledge the judgment, activity and professional ability, which have signalized Major Lushington's operations in this arduous service.—The Governor in Council performs a pleasing part of his duty, in conveying to the Officers, Native Officers and Men of the Regiment under Major Lushington's command, his warmest thanks for their eminently meritorious exertions; and has the greatest satisfaction in distinguishing their exemplary achievement by the expression of the cordial approbation of the Government.

The Governor in Council cannot close the public record of his sentiments on this occasion, without deeply lamenting, in the late of the late Captain Thomas Darke of the 4th Regiment Native Cavalry, the loss which the Service has sustained in this zealous, brave and excellent Officer.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD, SEC. TO GOVT.

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FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th *January* 1817.

G. O BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, that Funds have been allotted to the Paymaster at the Presidency, and in the several Divisions of the Army, for the discharge of all ordinary demands in the Military Department, in the course of the ensuing month of February.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 23d *January* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Private Soldier Axby of the Madras European Regiment, is promoted to Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries, and appointed Serjeant Major of the 2d Battalion 9th Regiment N. I.

Private Soldier William Calleghan of the Madras European Regiment, is appointed Clerk to the Chaplain at Chittore.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 25th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain Brown of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment N. I. will relieve Captain Norton of the 1st Battalion 19th Regiment N. I. as President of the Clothing Committee.

The Horses of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, which have been cast by the Committee, of which Captain Middleton of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, was President, are to be delivered over to the Commissariat, to be sold on account of Government, and are to be struck off the Returns of the Regiment, from the date of their being disposed of.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 26th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain Raynsford of the 3d Light Cavalry, to remain at the Presidency on furlough, for the recovery of his health, until the 31st March 1817.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 27th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Horses of the Horse Artillery, 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 7th and 8th Regiments of Light Cavalry, which have been cast by the Committees, of which Lieutenant Colonel Nuthall, Majors Doveton, Foulis, O'Donnell and Mason, were Presidents, with the exception of those recommended *as fit for Lounge*, regarding which the

the necessary instructions have been given, are to be delivered over to the Commissariat Department, to be sold on account of Government, and are to be struck off from the date of their being disposed of.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 28th January 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Private Murdock Cameron of the Madras European Regiment, is promoted to Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries, and appointed Engineer Serjeant in the Southern Division of the Army, vice Fisher deceased.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 1st February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The leave of absence granted in G. O. of the 9th November 1816, to Assistant Surgeon Atkinson, 2d Battalion 16th Regiment N. I. is cancelled, at that Officer's request.

Assistant Surgeon R. R. Afflick is appointed to do duty under the Superintending Surgeon Ceded Districts, and Assistant Surgeon F. E. Gristock with His Majesty's 30th Regiment of Foot.

On the occasion of publishing to the Army the Government G. O. of the 27th Ultimo, His Excellency the Commander in Chief cannot refuse to himself the gratification of expressing his sentiments of applause and cordial approbation of the conduct of Major Lushington of the 4th Cavalry, and Lieutenant Borthwick of the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment N. I.

The well established fame and former services of the 4th Cavalry, were sufficient pledges of the confidence with which that distinguished Regiment might be employed on any enterprize; but the indefatigable perseverance with which it persisted in it's pursuit of an enemy, whose rapidity of movement had hitherto eluded every other attempt to intercept or come up with him, stands unrivalled, and places the character and judgment of Major Lushington in the most flattering point of view, not only for the zeal and ability with which he profited by his intelligence, and conducted his Regiment, but for the spirit and decision with which he led his gallant Soldiers into the midst of an enemy by whose vast superiority of numbers he might have fairly expected to have had a formidable adversary to contend with.

The Commander in Chief offers to Major Lushington of the 4th Cavalry, his warmest acknowledgments, as well as to the Officers, Native Officers and Men of the Regiment he commands, for their exemplary gallantry, zeal, and exertions.

The congratulations of His Excellency would be as complete as they are sincere, did not the loss of so valuable and brave an Officer

Officer as Captain Darke, mix, with them, the duty of here paying a just but melancholy tribute of respect to his memory and services.—He was killed in front of his standard, animating his Men by an example *they* can never forget.

The Commander in Chief feels it a duty he is anxious to acquit himself of, to record his highest approbation and applause of the conduct of Lieutenant Borthwick of the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment, and the Native Officers and Men of his small but exemplary Detachment. It marks the talent, judgment and persevering spirit of Lieutenant Borthwick, and the discipline, attachment and patience of the excellent Troops which, with such inadequate numbers, have effected so much essential service in finally expelling from the Ganjam District so numerous a body of Predatory Horse.

It is, in affairs of this kind, that Officers, with limited means, have the opportunity of displaying their professional ability, resources, and spirit; and the present instance not only speaks the rising reputation of Lieutenant Borthwick, but places him in the light of those promising Officers who will be useful ornaments to the Service, and their profession.

Experience has proved that the opportunity only, is wanting, to record the names of many other Officers who, animated on all occasions, to zealous and indefatigable exertion, maintain with honor to themselves and to their Corps, the well earned reputation which, for its achievements in the Field, the Madras Army has so justly acquired.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 2d February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Court of Enquiry which assembled at Seringapatam on the 19th Ultimo, and of which Colonel Marriott is President, is dissolved.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

6th Regiment 1st Battalion.

	Date of Commissions.
Jemadar Shaik Ibram to be Subadar,	21st Dec. 1816.
Drill Havaldar Modeen Khan to be Jemadar,	
Jemadar Bava Saib to be Subadar,	1st Jan. 1817.
Havaldar Major Shaik Hussain to be Jemadar,	

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Bt. Major H. Yarde	M. L. R.	15th Mar. 1817	Bellary, sick Cert.	
Lieutenant J. P. James	1st Bt. 2d Rt.	15th Apr. „	Presidency, do.	
Lieutenant T. R. Mantell	2d Bt. 10th Rt.	28th Feb. „	Trichinopoly, do.	
Asst. Surg. W. Baird	2d Bt. 25th Rt.	30th Apr. „	Presidency, do.	
Ensign M. K. Young	1st Bt. 7th Rt.	1st May „	Sea Coast, do.	

10th February 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 27th January 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Promotions, and Alterations of Rank.

4th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Senior Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Robert Close to be Captain Lieutenant, and Senior Cornet Walter Hamilton to be Lieutenant, from the 27th December 1816,—in succession to Darke killed in action.

8th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Senior Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Stephen Martin to be Captain Lieutenant, and Senior Cornet W. T. N. Greaves to be Lieutenant, from the 9th April 1815,—in succession to Bell retired.

Alteration of Rank.

Cornet John Smith of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Rank from 9th April 1815, vice Bell retired.

Cornet George Sandys of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Rank from 29th July 1815, vice Neale deceased.

Cornet George Biss of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Rank from 13th January 1816, vice Simpson invalided.

Cornet E. G. Harris of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Rank from 28th October 1816, vice Fullarton deceased.

Cornet Donald Macleod of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, will take Rank from the 1st December 1816, in succession to Garrard invalided.

Captain J. D. W. Rand of the 4th Regiment N. I. on leave of absence at Calcutta, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough for three years.

The furlough to Europe on sick certificate, granted in General Orders dated 21st October last, to Brevet Captain E. Blackman of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant William Slade of the 9th Regiment of N. I., is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Lieutenant Thomas Jackson of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay for the recovery of his health, and to be absent on that account until the 31st July 1817.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon James Gilmour is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

The services of Mr. Assistant Surgeon A. Johnston being no longer required at Ganjam, that Gentleman is directed to resume the duties of his Station at Masulipatam.

Mr.

Mr. George Jenkins, Cadet for the Engineers of the Season 1814, is admitted on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors,—arrived at Vizagapatam the 4th January 1817.

Mr. Jenkins is promoted to the rank of Ensign, from the 11th July 1815.

Lieutenant W. H. Budd of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Lieutenant H. Moberly of the 10th Native Regiment, having returned to Fort St. George, is permitted to resume the duties of Acting Assistant Secretary to the Military Board.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *27th January* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Copy of a G. O. issued by the Supreme Government, and to direct that its provisions shall be considered as an established Regulation of this Presidency.

General Orders by His Excellency The Right Honorable The Governor General in Council.

FORT WILLIAM, 1ST NOVEMBER 1816.

His Excellency The Right Honorable The Governor General in Council having had under his consideration the subject of establishing one general rate of Exchange, to be observed in adjusting payments made at one Presidency on account of another, and the rate of Exchange fixed by the General Orders of Government of the 6th of July 1812, for the adjustment of payments made at this Presidency to Officers belonging to the Establishments of Fort St. George or Bombay, viz. Arcot or Bombay Rupees 350 to Sicca Rupees 325, appearing to unite with great simplicity in calculation, such a degree of accuracy, as to leave no adequate ground of objection to it's adoption; whether considered, in relation to the concerns of Government, or of Individuals; and on the whole to be greatly preferable to any other rate of Exchange which has been suggested, His Lordship in Council has been pleased to determine that the above rate of Exchange shall be applied to all payments made at this Presidency on account of either of the other Presidencies, with exception to payments on account of His Majesty's Government; His Majesty's Navy in India, and to the pay of the Troops of one Presidency on actual service at either of the others; which will be regulated as heretofore. The

The adoption of the same measure at the Presidencies of Fort St. George and Bombay, will be recommended by His Excellency in Council to the Governments of those Presidencies respectively.

(Signed) C. W. GARDINER,
Sec. to Govt. Mil. Dept.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *27th January* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to authorize an allowance of 26 Rupees per day, for the passage and accommodation of General Officers on the Staff of this Presidency, when proceeding on duty from Port to Port in India, to be drawn in the same manner and under the same general provisions as the passage money of other Officers when similarly employed.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *3d February* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Dates of Rank of the Officers promoted in General Orders dated the 5th and 23d April 1816, in consequence of the deaths of Lieutenant Generals Tolson and Geils, of the Senior List, be fixed as follows:

Senior Colonel of a Regiment and Lieutenant General George Roberts, transferred to the Senior List, from the 14th June 1815, vice Tolson, deceased.

Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel Thomas Munro, to be Colonel of a Regiment, from the 15th June 1815, vice Roberts placed on the Senior List.

Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Frith, to rank from 15th June 1815, vice Munro promoted.

Lieutenant Colonel George Wahab, to rank from 18th June 1815, vice Martin deceased.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Major John Macbean, Captain C. Cunningham, Captain Lieutenant H. J. Wilkinson, and Lieutenant J. P. Auber, to rank from 14th June 1815, in succession to Frith promoted.

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Major Charles Macleod, Captain F. Gregoe, Captain Lieutenant W.

W. B. Spry, and Lieutenant A. Macarthur, to rank from 18th June 1815, in succession to Wahab promoted.

Lieutenant John Thomas to rank from 27th October 1815, vice Varty deceased.

Senior Colonel of a Regiment and Lieutenant General A. Brown, transferred to the Senior List, from the 24th October 1815, vice Geils deceased.

Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel W. M'Leod to be Colonel of a Regiment, from the 25th October 1815, vice Brown placed on the Senior List.

Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Grant, to rank from 25th October 1815, vice M'Leod promoted.

Lieutenant Colonel D. C. Kenny, to rank from 19th January 1816, vice Colebrooke deceased.

Lieutenant Colonel J. Marshall, to rank from 23d March 1816, vice O'Reilly deceased.

24th Regiment Native Infantry.

Major R. Vans Agnew, Captain W. Story, Captain Lieutenant G. M. Stewart, and Lieutenant R. B. Brittridge, to rank from 25th October 1815, in succession to Grant promoted.

19th Regiment Native Infantry.

Major H. M. Kelly, Captain H. C. Harvey, Captain Lieutenant C. C. Johnston, and Lieutenant T. J. Masley, to rank from 19th January 1816, in succession to Kenny promoted.

2d Regiment Native Infantry.

Major Anthony Monin, Captain Alexander Cumming, Captain Lieutenant Boyce Combe, and Lieutenant F. Plowden, to rank from 23d March 1816, in succession to Marshall promoted.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, 10th *February* 18[illegible]

G. O. By Government.

Ordered that the following Extracts from Letters from the Honorable the Court of Directors, in the Military Department, under dates the 3d, 10th and 17th July, and 28th August 1816, be published in General Orders.

Letter dated 3d July 1816.

Para. 3d.—We have permitted Brevet Colonel Sir John Malcolm, K.C.B. to return to his duty upon your Establishment.

Letter dated 10th July 1816.

Para. 2d.—We have permitted Lieutenant George W. S. Skipp, and Cornet James Goodrich, Officers belonging to your Establishment, to remain in this country, till the departure of the first Ships of next Season.

3d.—We

3d.—We have permitted Mr. George Knox to proceed to your Presidency, to practice as a Surgeon. We direct that he do succeed as an Assistant Surgeon. The rank of Mr. Knox will be settled at a future period.

Letter dated 17th July 1816.

Para. 2d.—On reference to the list of Officers on furlough belonging to your Establishment, dated the 20th February 1816, it appears to be therein stated, that Colonel Sir John Malcolm's leave of absence commenced from the 17th of May 1811,—but in order to preserve this Officer, who is now on the eve of returning to his duty, from the effects of any resolution which, under a misconception of the circumstances of his case, you may possibly adopt unfavourable to him in respect to the period of his furlough, we think it proper to apprize you, that as Sir John Malcolm, who came to England a Passenger on board His Majesty's Ship Dromedary, did not leave Point de Galle till the 1st March 1812, up to which period he appears to have been in Correspondence with the Supreme Government upon subjects connected with his Mission to Persia, we consider the period of his absence from India to [illegible] from that date; and that, provided he shall arrive in India by the 1st March 1817, he will not have been absent from thence more than five years,—the period recognized by the Act of the 33d of the King, Cap. 52, Section 70.

Letter dated 28th August 1816.

Para. 3d.—We have permitted Mr. William Ritchie Selby to proceed to your Presidency, to practice as a Surgeon, and we direct that he do succeed as an Assistant Surgeon; the rank of this Gentleman will be settled at a future period.

4th.—We have permitted Ensign Nicol Spence, belonging to your Establishment, to remain in England till the departure of the first Ships of next Season.

5th.—We have permitted Captain David Ross of your Establishment, to remain till the departure of the last Ships of next Season.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD.

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 3d *February* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

His Excellency the Commander in Chief is pleased to offer to publish in General Orders, for the guidance of the Army, the following particulars respecting the Dress of Officers, that appear to be imperfectly understood or misconceived. The

The loose Overalls, (the present established Uniform of Officers, (*are* not considered as Appointments fitting for occasions of Ceremony; for a Ball Room; or Evening Dress; but White Pantaloons, and half Boots over them, may be worn on such occasions, by *all* Officers.

When Officers in *Evening Full Dress*, wear Shoes, they are to wear Shoe Buckles, and White Breeches with Knee Buckles, which should be established Regimentally.—Strings in the Shoes or at the knee are prohibited, and it must be understood, that in the Full Dress, the Sash is never to be worn.

Cocked Hats and long Coats according to Regulation, are only permitted to be worn, in *Evening Dress* with Shoes and Stockings, or Pantaloons and half Boots, as above described.

The foraging Cap and Undress Jacket are to be worn as described in G. O. dated 3d September 1816, *only on occasions quite unconnected with duty or ceremony*, and it is to be understood that Officers are not, to appear abroad, in public places, at the Presidency, or other Stations, except in the full established Regimentals of their respective Corps.

Corporal Thomas Lyte, 1st Battalion Artillery, is appointed a Sub-Conductor, to complete the Public Cattle establishment, to which he is attached.

Serjeant Major Seymour of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry, is confirmed as Serjeant Major of Bangalore.

Private Christopher Seagne of the Madras European Regiment, is promoted to Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries, and appointed Serjeant Major of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Head Quarters: Chouldry Plain, 4th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extracts from G. O. issued by The Commander in Chief in India, and by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

Extract from the Proceedings in confirmation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Meerut, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December 1816, in obedience to Station and Field Army Orders, and by virtue of a Warrant from His Excellency The Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K.G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of John M'Naughton Private in His Majesty's 8th [illegible] Dragoons, and all such other Prisoners as shall be brought before it.

President, Lieutenant Colonel Vaureneh, 2d Battalion 29th Regiment.

Deputy

Deputy Judge Advocate.—Captain Patrickson, Deputy Judge Advocate General 2d and 3d Divisions Field Army.

Interpreter.—Lieutenant Hales, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

CHARGE.—Frederick Whittle, Trumpeter in the Horse Artillery, confined by order of Major Pennington, Commanding, for Desertion in absenting himself from the Lines of the Horse Artillery, without leave, on Wednesday, the 30th of October, and not returning until brought back by a Guard from Loodeanah on the 12th of December 1816.

2dly. For taking away the Helmet of Matross Watson of the same Corps, well knowing that it did not belong to himself.

MEERUT, 13th December 1816. (Signed) T. LUMSDEN, Lieutenant, Adjt. and Qr. Master Horse Artillery.
(Signed) G. PENNINGTON, Major, Comg. Horse Artillery.

By order of Colonel Huskisson, Commanding.
(Signed) T. W. BROADBENT, *N. B.*

SENTENCE.—The Court having attentively considered the evidence brought forward on the part of the prosecution, together with what the Prisoner, Trumpeter Frederick Whittle, has adduced in his defence, is of opinion he is guilty of both Charges exhibited against him, and the same being in breach of the Articles of War, it sentences him, Trumpeter Frederick Whittle of the Horse Artillery, to receive eight hundred lashes on his bare back, in the usual manner.

(Signed) J. VAURENEN, Lt. Col. 2d Bat. 29th Regt. and President.

(Signed) W. G. PATRICKSON, Deputy Judge Advocate General conducting the Trial.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract.
(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lieut. Col. Military Secretary.*

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Meerut, on Tuesday, the 7th day of December 1816, in obedience to Station and Field Army Orders, and by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency the Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K.G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of John M'Naughton, Private in His Majesty's 8th Light

Light Dragoons, and all such other Prisoners as shall be duly brought before it.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel Vaurenen, 2d Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

Deputy Judge Advocate,—Captain Patterson, Deputy Judge Advocate 2d and 3d Divisions Field Army.

Interpreter,—Lieutenant Hales, Interpreter and Quarter Master Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

The Prisoner.—Matross William Clarke, 3d Troop Horse Artillery, by order of Major Pennington, Commanding, on the following Charges.

1st.—For making away with a pair of Leather Pantaloons, the property of Matross Young of the same Troop; and selling them to Private Butler of His Majesty's 67th Regiment.

2dly.—Desertion, in quitting his Corps without leave, on the 21st November 1816, and not returning until brought back by a Guard from Moorabad, on the 20th December 1816.

3dly.—Forcing a Sentry when under charge of a Guard of the 13th Native Infantry, on or about the 16th December 1816, carrying off a Bayonet, and again deserting when on his return from Mooradabad to Meerut.

MEERUT, 23d *December* 1816. (Signed) T. LUMSDEN, Lieut. Adjt. & Qr. Mr. Horse Artillery.

(Signed) G. PENNINGTON, Major, Comg. Horse Artillery.

By order of Colonel Huskisson, Commanding at Meerut.

(Signed) J. WILLIAMS, Acting Major of Brigade.

SENTENCE.—The Court having attentively considered the evidence brought forward on the part of the prosecution, together with what the Prisoner, Matross William Clarke of Horse Artillery has adduced in his defence, is of opinion he is guilty of the 1st and 2d Charges exhibited against him.

In regard to the 3d Charge, the Court is of opinion the Prisoner is not guilty of the first part, viz. "Forcing a Sentry," and acquits him of it accordingly.

The Court finds the Prisoner guilty of the remaining part of that Charge.

The Court having thus found the Prisoner guilty of the [illegible] 2d Charges exhibited against him, and so much of the 3d Charge, and the same being in breach of the Articles of War, it sentences him, the said Matross William Clarke,

Clarke, to receive one thousand lashes on his bare back, in the usual manner.

(Signed) J. VAURENEN, Lt. Col.
2d Bat. 29th Regt.
and President.

(Signed) W. G. PATRICKSON, Captain
Deputy Judge Advocate General
2d and 3d Divisions Field Army,
conducting the Trial.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract,
(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, Lt. Col.
Military Secretary.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Meerut, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December 1816, in obedience to Station and Field Army Orders, and by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K.G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of John M'Naughton, Private, His Majesty's 8th Light Dragoons, and all such other Prisoners as shall be duly brought before it.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel Vaurenen, 2d Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

Deputy Judge Advocate,—Captain Patrickson, Deputy Judge Advocate General 2d and 3d Divisions Field Army.

Interpreter,—Lieutenant Hales, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

CRIME.—Matross Richard Thomas, 1st Troop of Horse Artillery, confined by order of Major Pennington, Commanding the Horse Artillery, for quitting his Lines with an intention to desert the Service, on Thursday, the 21st November 1816, and not returning until seized on the banks of the Jumna by a Party of the Police, and by them brought back to his Lines a Prisoner, on Monday, the 25th November 1816.

Meerut, 26th November 1816. (Signed) G. PENNINGTON, Major, Comg. Horse Artillery.

By order of Colonel Huskisson Commanding at Meerut.
(Signed) T. W. BROADBENT,
Major of Brigade.

SENTENCE.—The Court having considered the evidence adduced on the part of the prosecution, and what the Prisoner Matross Richard Thomas of Horse Artillery, has offered in his defence, is of opinion he is guilty of the Charge preferred against him, and the same being in breach of [illegible] Articles of War,

War, it sentences him, the said Matross Richard Thomas, to receive eight hundred lashes on his bare back, in the usual manner.

(Signed) J. VAURENEN, Lt. Colonel,
2d Bat. 29th Regt.
and President.

(Signed) W. G. PATRICKSON,
Deputy Judge Advocate General
2d and 3d Divisions Field Army,
conducting the Trial.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract.
(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of a Native General Court Martial assembled at Kurnaul, on Wednesday, the 13th day of December 1816, in obedience to Field Army and Division Orders of the 25th November and 17th December 1816, and by virtue of a warrant under the hand and seal of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of Gunga Ram, Jemadar of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I. and Jymul Goorung, Sepoy of the 1st Nusseree Battalion, and such other Prisoners as may be duly brought before it.

President,—Chotch Sing, Subadar, 2d Cavalry.

Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate,—Lieutenant Munro, 2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I.

Interpreter,—Lieutenant Cauty, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I.

CRIME.—Jymul Goorung, Sepoy of the 8th Company 1st Nusseree Battalion, placed in confinement by order from His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief, on the following Charge.

For having murdered Sree Kissnoo, who had been recently discharged from the 1st Nusseree Battalion, at the village of Ticker, near the Sirmoor frontier, about the end of August, or beginning of September 1816.

By order of The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, (Signed) JAMES NICOL,
PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM, Actg. Adjt. Genl. of the Army.
the 15th November 1816.

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely investigated the evidence brought forward on the part of the prosecution, together with what the Prisoner, Jymul Goorung, Sepoy of the

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1st Nusseree Battalion, has urged in his defence, is of opinion that he is guilty of the Crime exhibited against him, viz. "For having murdered Sree Kissnoo, who had been recently discharged from the 1st Nusseree Battalion, at the village of Tieker, near the Sirmoor frontier, about the end of August or beginning of September 1816."—The Court therefore sentences him, the said Jymul Goorung, Sepoy of the 1st Nusseree Battalion, to suffer death, and he is hereby [illegible] accordingly.

(Signed in Nagree character,)
KOTCH SING, Subadar,
and President.

(Signed) C. A. MUNRO, Lieut.
2d Bat. 7th Regt. N. I.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) MOIRA.

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, Lt. Col.
Military Secretary.

Extract from the Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled at Kurnaul, on Wednesday, the 18th day of December 1816, in obedience to Field Army and Division Orders of the 25th November and 17th December 1816, and by virtue of a warrant under the hand and seal of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of Gunga Ram, Jemadar of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I. and Jymul Goorung, Sepoy of the 8th Company 1st Nusseree Battalion, and such other Prisoners as may be duly brought before it.

President,—Chotch Sing, Subadar, 2d Cavalry.

Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate,—Lieutenant Munro, 2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I.

Interpreter,—Lieutenant Cauty, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I.

CHARGES.—Gunga Ram, Jemadar of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I., placed under arrest by orders from His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief, on the following Charges.

1st.—For having been concerned with Dial Sing, late Pay Havaldar of the 4th Company 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I. in an attempt to defraud the estate of the late Juggernaut Sing of the same Battalion, of the sum of ninety Rupees, at Kurnaul, about the 21st of September 1816.

2d.—For having given false testimony at a Native Court of

of Inquiry ordered to assemble for the purpose of searching for a Will, and taking an inventory of the effects of the Jemadar Juggernaut, at Kurnaul, on the 21st September 1816. By order of The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

(Signed) JAMES NICOL, Acting Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

ADJ. GEN.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM, 9th Nov. 1816.

SENTENCE.—The Court having attentively investigated the evidence brought forward on the part of the prosecution, together with what the Prisoner, Gunga Ram, Jemadar of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N.I. hath urged in his defence, is of opinion that he is not guilty of the 1st Charge preferred against him, viz. "For having been concerned with Dial "Sing, late Pay-Havaldar of the 4th Company 2d Battalion "19th Regiment N. I. in an attempt to defraud the estate of "the late Juggernaut Sing of the same Battalion, of the sum "of ninety Rupees, at Kurnaul, about the 21st of September "1816," it doth therefore acquit him of the same.—The Court is further of opinion, that the Prisoner, Gupga Ram, is not guilty of the 2d Charge, viz. "For having given false "testimony at a Native Court of Inquiry ordered to assem- "ble for the purpose of searching for a Will, and taking an "inventory of the effects of the Jemadar Juggernaut Sing, at "Kurnaul, on the 21st September 1816."—The Court doth therefore acquit the Prisoner, Gunga Ram, Jemadar, of the 2d Bat. 19th Rt. N.I. of both the Charges preferred against him.

(Signed) in Nagree character.)

CHOTTER SING, Subadar, and President.

(Signed) C. A. MUNRO, Lieutenant,
2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

CONFIRMED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract. (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

The Members of the Court being the sole Judges of the credit to be given to the testimony of Witnesses, The Commander in Chief necessarily confirms the above Sentence: But His Excellency directs it to be explained to the Members, that as the opinion given by them is in direct contradiction to the concurring evidence of four Witnesses, which evidence was not even attempted to be disproved by the Prisoner, it behoved the Court to assign some reason for a decision apparently so extraordinary.

By Command. (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

The following Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native

Native General Court Martial held at Seringapatam, on Friday the 24th day of January 1817, under authority from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Ambojee Row, of the 2d Native Veteran Battalion, is President, are published to the Army.

CRIME.—Veeraswamy Naigue, No. ——, C. Company 2d Bat. 25th Regiment N. I. confined by me on complaint of Jemadar Shaik Ismaul, Native Adjutant of the same Corps.

For irregular conduct, in forwarding a Paper to Lieutenant Colonel Frith (who was then in command of the Corps) containing false and unfounded aspersions against his character, in the month of September 1816.

CANNANORE, 27th November 1816. (Signed) E. P. STEVENSON, Major, S.O. in charge 2d Bat. 25th Regt. N.I.

By Order. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the nature of the evidence on the part of the prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has said in his defence, and the evidence thereon, are of opinion that the Charge against the Prisoner has been in great part proved, and that he is guilty thereof in part, viz. "Of forwarding a paper to Lieutenant Colonel "Frith (who was then in command of the Corps) containing "false and unfounded aspersions against the character of "Jemadar Adjutant Shaik Ismaul," but the Court are of opinion, that some of the assertions are not false.

The Court do therefore, in virtue of the Articles of War for the better government of the Honorable Company's Forces, sentence the Prisoner, Veeraswamy Naigue, to be reduced to the Ranks and discharged the Honorable Company's Service.

The signature of AMBOJEE ROW, Subadar, and President, (in Telinga.)

(Signed) T. BECKETT, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieut. General.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 5th Februdry 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Removals are ordered.

3d Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant [illegible] Robins from the 3d to the 1st Battalion.

9th Regiment N. I.

Captain A. M'Leod from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

Captain J. Bell do 2d do 1st Battalion.

Medical Establishment.

Assistant Surgeon James Shadforth from the 3d Regiment N. I. to the 2d Native Veteran Battalion, Assistant

Assistant Surgeon R. Davidson from the 9th Regiment N. I. to the 3d Regiment N. I. and 1st Battalion.

Assistant Surgeon R. R. Shepherd from the 25th Regiment N. I. to the 9th Regiment N. I. and 2d Battalion.

Assistant Surgeon C. Jones from the 2d to the 1st Battalion 25th Regiment N. I.

Assistant Surgeon T. Williams from the Rifle Corps to the 20th Regiment N. I. and 1st Battalion.

Captain Turner having returned to Nellore, Lieutenant Colonel Hugh Fraser is relieved from the charge of that Garrison, and will resume his duties as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee, of which Colonel Graham is President.

Head Quarters: Chouldry Plain, 6th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial which assembled at Bangalore, on Thursday, the 3d day of October 1816, and continued by successive adjournments until Wednesday, the 18th day of December 1816, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Colonel Theophilus Pritzler, of His Majesty's 22d Regt. Light Dragoons, is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGE.—Lieutenant Fireworker George W. Lys of the Corps of Artillery, placed under arrest by me, for un-officer-like, and disgraceful conduct, in the following instances.

1st.—For having appeared on Parade when on duty, in a state of Intoxication, on or about the 29th July 1815.

2d.—Having challenged Matross Conner of Artillery, to fight with him, on or about the 29th July last.

3d.—For having degraded himself, by keeping up a criminal intercourse with the Wife of Matross Conner of Artillery, and for having tampered with John Sherman, a Corporal of Artillery, and others of the Corps, for the purpose of effecting a compromise between himself and Matross Conner, regarding his Wife, Mrs. Conner.—The whole of such conduct tending to destroy his respectability and influence as an Officer, in breach of the Articles of War, and subversive of all Military authority.

HEAD QUARTERS MYSORE DIVISION, BANGALORE, 5th *November* 1816. (Signed) J. HARE, Major Genl. Commanding in Mysore.

BY ORDER. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

OPINION AND SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the evidence adduced in support of the prosecution, as also what has been urged in his defence; decides as follows, viz.

1st.—That

1st.—That the Prisoner, Lieutenant Fireworker G. Lys of Artillery, is guilty of the 1st part of the Charge exhibited against him, viz.

" For having appeared on Parade, when on duty, in a " state of Intoxication, on or about the 29th July 1815."

2d.—The Court acquits the Prisoner of the 2d part of the Charge, viz.

" For having challenged Matross Conner of Artillery, to " fight with him, on or about the 29th July last."

3d.—The Court likewise acquits the Prisoner of the 3d part of the Charge, viz.

" For having degraded himself by keeping up a criminal " intercourse with the Wife of Matross Conner of Artillery, " and for having tampered with John Sherman, a Corporal " of Artillery, and others of the Corps, for the purpose of ef- " fecting a compromise between himself and Matross Conner, " regarding his Wife, Mrs. Conner. The whole of such " conduct tending to destroy his respectability and influence " as an Officer, in breach of the Articles of War, and sub- " versive of all Military authority."

The Court, having found the Prisoner, Lieutenant Fireworker George Lys, guilty of having appeared on Parade when on duty, in a state of Intoxication on or about the 29th July 1815, it has no alternative but to Sentence him, the said Lieutenant Fireworker G. Lys, to be Cashiered, in obedience to the Provisions of an *Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion of Officers and Soldiers in the Service of the United Company of Merchants trading to the East Indies, and for the punishment of Offences committed in the East Indies, and on the Island of St. Helena*; but the Court cannot help adverting to the very extraordinary circumstance, that no immediate notice appears to have been taken of this Crime, altho' made known to the Officer Commanding the Detachment of Artillery on the 30th July.—It therefore appears evident to the Court Martial, that it would not have been noticed, had it not been for the circumstance which occurred on the 8th of August, and that consequently the discipline of the Service, was not solely adverted to, in bringing forward the charge in question. (Signed) T. PRITZLER, Col.

L. Col. H. M. 22d R. D. President.

(Signed) J. KITSON, Lieut.
2d Bat. 12th Regt. N. I.
Officiating Dep. Judge Advocate.

CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieut. General.

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The Commander in Chief has confirmed the above Sentence, and in consideration of the Prisoner's youth, and inexperience, together with the recommendation of the Court, His Excellency is pleased to remit the punishment awarded to Lieutenant Fireworker Lys, who will consequently return to his duty.

The Commander in Chief however notices an irregularity which has occurred on the present trial.—The Prisoner, Lieutenant Fireworker Lys, of the Corps of Artillery, has been arraigned and tried under the Act, "For punishing Mutiny and Desertion of "Officers and Soldiers in the Service of the United Company of "Merchants trading to the East Indies."

Lieutenant Fireworker Lys in belonging to the Regular Forces in the Service of the Honorable East India Company, is entitled to a King's Commission, corresponding with that which he holds in the Company's Service, and whether or not he be actually in possession of the Commission, his character and title are the same, and he ought, therefore, conformably with the G. O. of the 2d April 1816, to have been tried, under the provisions of the Annual Mutiny Act.

His Excellency Sir Thomas Hislop, in consequence, takes this opportunity of explaining to the Army, with reference to that General Order, that such Officers *only* who have no other character as Officers than derived from their Commissions in the Company's Service, are subject to be tried under the Act, of the 27th of George the 2d, and that all Officers of the Regular Army being entitled to corresponding King's Commissions, are from that circumstance amenable to the Annual Mutiny Act, whether in actual possession, or not, of such corresponding Commissions.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 10th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Conductor J. Cowan is removed from Vizagapatam to the Arsenal of Fort St. George, and Conductor D. Hooker from the Arsenal of Fort St. George to Vizagapatam.

Assistant Surgeon George Knox is appointed to do duty with His Majesty's 25th Dragoons.

The following Native Promotions and Appointments are ordered.

3d Regiment 2d Battalion.

Jemadar Said Hussain to be Native Adjutant, from the 1st February 1817.

21st Regiment 1st Battalion.

Jemadar Survashoo to be Subadar, } Date of Commissions
Hevaldar Major Pressa Sing to be Jemadar, } 1st January 1817.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.

Rank.	Names.	Corps.	To what period.	To what place.
Captain J. Gibson	Mad. Eur. Regt.		31st March 1817	Presidency, sick leave.
Lieut. T. J. Masleh	1st Bt. 19th Rt. N. I.		30th April ,,	do. do.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *12th February* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Ensign Milson of the 1st Battalion 19th Regiment N. I. is relieved from the Clothing Committee.

The Horses of the 4th Regiment Light Cavalry, cast by the Committee of which Major Lushington was President, are to be immediately delivered over to the Commissariat Department, to be sold on account of Government, with the exception of those fit for the Longe, which are to be sent to the Cavalry Depôt at Arcot, agreeable to instructions which have been given.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 14th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Surgeon J. B. Pender is removed from the 25th Regiment N. I. to the 22d Regiment N. I. and 2d Battalion; and Surgeon J. Gilmour is posted to the 25th Regiment N. I. and 1st Battalion.

Conductor Mason is posted to the Arsenal of Fort St. George, and Conductor Briddy to the Garrison of Gooty.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 15th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Assistant Surgeon Williams of the Madras European Regiment, will proceed immediately to Poonamallee, and march in medical charge of Detachments of 22d Light Dragoons, 34th and 69th Regiments, ordered from that Station to Vellore and Bangalore.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 17th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The General Court Martial assembled at Fort St. George, on Monday, 4th November 1816, and of which Major General Browne is President, and which was adjourned until further orders by G. O. of the 27th December 1816; will re-assemble at Fort St. George, at 10 o'clock of the forenoon of Monday, the 18th day of March 1817.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 22d February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial, held in Camp near Chota Hurda, by order of Colonel Patrick Walker, Commanding the Nagpore Subsidiary Force, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant

Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. on Monday, the 27th day of January 1817, and of which Subadar Meer Sherfordeen, 1st Battalion 21st Regiment Native Infantry, is President, are published to the Army.

CRIME.—Mootoo, Sepoy, No. 77 of the Grenadier Company of the 1st Battalion 20th Regiment Native Infantry, placed in confinement, on the following Charge.

For occasioning the death of Veenige, Wife of Vankatachellum, Sepoy, No. 79 of the same Company, by striking her with his fist, on the 27th October 1816.

CAMP NEAR NAGPORE } (Signed) J. MACKENZIE, Major,
15*th November* 1816. } In charge 1st Bat. 20th Regt.
By order of Colonel Walker, Comg. Nagpore Subsidiary Force.
(Signed) E. L. SMYTHE,
Actg. Asst. Adjt. Genl.
Nagpore Subsidiary Force.

SENTENCE.—The Court, from what has appeared before it, are of opinion, that the Prisoner is guilty of the Charge preferred against him, which being Homicide by Misadventure, it doth therefore sentence him to receive (600) six hundred lashes on his bare back, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency The Commander in Chief may be pleased to direct, and to be discharged the Service.

The X mark of MEER SHERFORDEEN,
Subadar, and President.

(Signed) JOHN TOD, Lieut.
Adjutant C. L. I.
Officiating Judge Advocate.

Confirmed, but it being evident from every testimony, as well on behalf of the prosecution as of the defence, that the death of the deceased was occasioned by some accident, and that evil intention towards her never existed in the mind of the Prisoner; the Sentence awarded against him is remitted,—he will therefore be forthwith released from confinement and return to his duty.

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieut. General.

The undermentioned Officer has obtained leave of absence from his Corps and Station.

Rank.	*Name.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Major	J. Limond	2d Bat. Art.	10th March 1817	Pondicherry.

1st *March* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 27*th January* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having had under

under his further consideration the state of the Ordnance Department at this Presidency; and it having been found advisable that provision should be made for the employment of Persons of the Rank of Conductor in certain of the Departments and Public Offices; in addition to the number fixed by the General Order of 17th July 1815; the following arrangement is ordered to have effect from the 1st Instant.

The establishment of Conductors is divided into three distinct Classes, bearing the following denominations:

Conductors of Ordnance,
Commissariat Conductors,
Conductors,

and all having the same general Rank and Pay.

The First Class, including all Conductors employed on duties connected with the Ordnance branch of the Service, is distributed as follows, and their Pay will continue to be charged to the Ordnance Establishment, viz.

Arsenal of Fort St. George and Out-Stations, as fixed by the Code of Ordnance Regulations	28	
In Charge of Depôts of Camp Equipage at the Presidency and Wallajahbad	2	
Gun Carriage Manufactory and Powder Mills, each 1	2	
		32

The Second Class comprizes all Conductors employed in the Commissariat, according to the following disposition; and their Pay will be charged to that Department.

Karkanah Establishment	1	
Public Cattle Department	1	
Attached to the Corps of Dooley Bearers	3	
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The Third Class will be composed as follows;—the Pay of Conductors in this Class being placed to the General Account of Military Charges.

Adjutant General's Office	1	
Quarter Master General's Office	1	
Town Major's Office	1	
		3
The Total Permanent Establishment of Conductors being fixed at		40

All Conductors at present surplus to the above, are to be considered as Supernumeraries, and will be attached to the Ordnance Department until vacancies occur to bring them on the effective strength.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD, Sec. to Govt.

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FORT ST. GEORGE, 10*th February* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having had under consideration the Tentage allotted to the Native Troops of this Presidency, has been pleased to resolve, with a view to the better accommodation of the number of Men which by Regulation are apportioned to each Tent, and for the more efficient security of their Arms and Accoutrements; that Two Poled shall in future be substituted in lieu of One Poled Private Tents, for their use.—The establishment of Camp Equipage will correspond with the present allotment, viz. to a Company of Native Infantry, or half Squadron of Native Cavalry; but the number of Bamboo Coolies will be increased, from one Man, as at present allowed, to three Single Poled Tents—to two Coolies, to be provided in future, for three Double Poled Tents.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 17*th February* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Captain F. Brown of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Post Master with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, vice Bruce deceased.

Lieutenant E. J. Foote of the 7th Native Regiment, to be Quarter Master of Brigade in the Southern Division of the Army, vice Kelso.

Lieutenant W. G. Page of the 8th Native Regiment, to act as Quarter Master of Brigade in the Southern Division, until Lieutenant Foote's arrival at Trichinopoly.

Lieutenant H. O'Brien of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to act as Adjutant to that Corps, during the absence of Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Meredith.

Ensign J. Oliphant of the Corps of Engineers, to join the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, and to place himself under the orders of Lieutenant Davies.

2d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Senior Cornet W. C. Brunton to be Lieutenant, from the 28th January 1817, vice Budd resigned.

2d Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign J. J. De Paiba to be Lieutenant, from the 24th January 1817, vice Borthwick deceased.

12*th*

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign C. Boldero to be Lieutenant, from the 29th January 1817, vice Jackson deceased.

Medical Department.

Mr. Surgeon John Steddy to be a Superintending Surgeon on the Establishment, vice Gilmour permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Steddy is appointed to the medical charge of the Northern Division of the Army.

Mr. Surgeon Charles M'Cabe to the charge of the medical duties of the Garrison of Poonamallee, vice Steddy.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon H. Aitkinson to the medical charge of the Zilla of Mangalore.

Mr. William Ritchie Selby is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors.—Arrived at Madras, the 10th Instant.

First Dresser Richard Hughes is promoted to the Rank of Sub-Assistant Surgeon, and appointed to the Garrison of Masulipatam, vice Little deceased.

The furlough to visit the Presidency, granted in General Orders dated 3d December 1816, to Captain W. Garrard, Superintending Engineer in Mysore, is extended until the 15th of March next.

Captain F. D. Saunders of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant J. P. James of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

The leave to proceed to Bengal, granted in General Orders dated the 31st August 1816, to Brevet Captain J. Dalziel of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended; and this Officer is permitted to continue absent for a further period of six months, from the 28th Instant.

Captain P. Henderson of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, who obtained permission in General Orders of the 17th April 1816, to proceed to Sea on account of his health, having forwarded a medical certificate from Bombay, his leave of absence is extended for four months, from this date.

The furloughs to Europe on sick certificate, granted in General Orders dated the 26th October and 18th November 1816, to Lieutenants R. Waters of the 8th, and S. Hughes of the 20th Native Regiments, will commence from the dates of their embarkation respectively.

Doctor A. Watson, First Member of the Medical Board, is permitted to proceed to the Southward, on four months leave of absence, from the 1st of March 1817.

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Memorandum.

The permission to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health, granted by the Government of Bombay, to Cornet H. D. Keighly of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, is confirmed.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *27th February* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, that Funds have been allotted to the Paymasters at the Presidency, and in the several Divisions of the Army, for the discharge of all ordinary demands in the Military Department, in the course of the ensuing month of March.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *23d February* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extracts from G. O. issued by The Commander in Chief in India, are, by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

The following Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial held in Camp near Baroda, on the 9th day of December 1816, and continued by adjournments to the 12th of the same month, by virtue of a warrant under the hand and seal of His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Miles Nightingall, K.C.B. Commander in Chief, are published to the Army.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel H. S. Osborne, 2d Battalion 8th Regiment N. I.

Officiating Judge Advocate,—Captain J. Stewart, 2d Battalion 3d Regiment N. I.

CRIME.—Serjeant Major William Whiting of the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment, confined by me, on the following Charge:

For mutinous conduct on the evening of the 12th Instant, in striking me with a Stick, when directing him to be taken to the Quarter Guard, for irregular behaviour.

BARODA, 13th November 1816. (Signed) J. SALTER, Captain, In charge 1st Bat. 8th Regt.

BOMBAY: ADJT. GENL.'s OFFICE, 29th November 1816. By order of the Commander in Chief. (Signed) A. AITCHISON, Adjt. General of the Army.

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SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the evidence for the prosecution, and what the Prisoner has offered in his defence, is of opinion that he is guilty of the Charge preferred against him, which being in breach of the Articles of War in such cases made and provided, does sentence him, the Prisoner, William Whiting, to be reduced to the Ranks, and to receive one thousand lashes in the usual manner, at such time and place as the Commander in Chief may direct.

(Signed) H. S. OSBORNE,
President.

(Signed) J. STEWART, Captain,
Acting Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) M. NIGHTINGALL,
Lieutenant General.

Remarks by the Commander in Chief.

The conduct of the Prisoner, Serjeant Major William Whiting of the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment N. I. has been so atrocious, and the crime of which he has been found guilty is so heinous and of such enormous magnitude in the eye of a Soldier, that the Commander in Chief, (though with infinite reluctance and regret) feels it to be his bounden duty to direct that the Sentence be carried into execution, notwithstanding the recommendation of the Court and the former good character of the Prisoner.

Every Soldier must know that he is liable to incur the penalty of death, if he should so far forget himself as to lift his hand against his Superior Officer, and on this occasion that dreadful crime has been aggravated past all forgiveness by the rash, and intemperate act of the Prisoner, in having struck, the Commanding Officer of the Corps, when in the discharge of his public duty.

An outrage of such magnitude cannot be passed over, without endangering the discipline, and even the very existence of a Regular Army, nor can the plea of former good conduct, in this case, be sufficient to prevent the law from taking it's course.

The Commander in Chief therefore avails himself of this unfortunate and melancholy instance of mutinous and insubordinate conduct, in a Non-commissioned Officer, to inform the Army under his Command, that he can neither pardon nor mitigate the Sentence of a General Court Martial for a crime of a nature so heinous as that of which the Prisoner, Serjeant Major William Whiting, has been found guilty, and which is in fact considerably aggravated from it's having been committed by a Man placed in a situation so honorable and respectable as that of Serjeant Major of a Battalion.

Colonel East will be pleased to order the Sentence to be carried into

into execution, at such time and place as he may think proper, in presence of the 1st Battalion of the 8th Regiment N. I. and of such part of the Field Force as may be conveniently assembled for that purpose.

The Order of the 25th of last July, directing the recommendation of the Court to be placed on the Record after the Signature of the President and Judge Advocate, has not been complied with, the Lieutenant General requests that particular attention be paid to this point in future, as those Papers are liable to be lost.

The General Court Martial of which Lieutenant Colonel H. S. Osborne is President, is dissolved.

A true Extract, (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

Lieutenant A. MacLeod of the 3d Native Veteran Battalion, will join the Head Quarters of his Corps.

The period of suspension awarded Jemadar Balkistnah of the 1st Battalion 25th Regiment N. I. having expired, he will be considered as having returned to his duty from the 1st Instant,—and the period of suspension awarded Jemadar Shaikh Abdullah of the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment or Trichinopoly Light Infantry, expiring on the 7th Proximo, he will return to his duty from that date.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 24th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant Colonel Kenny of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I. and Major Dickson, c. B. 6th Light Cavalry, will relieve Major General Aiskill and Major Keates of the 2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I. as Members of the General Court Martial, of which Major General Bell, is President.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 27th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Cornet John Price of the 5th Regiment Light Cavalry, is removed, *at his own request*, to the 8th Regiment Light Cavalry, in which Corps he will rank next below Cornet E. G. Harris.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 28th February 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The General Order of the 17th January 1817, dissolving the General Court Martial, of which Subadar Sheikh Ibrahim is President, is cancelled.

The following Removals are ordered.

3d Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant E. J. Johnston, from 1st to 2d Battalion.

4th

8th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant C. St. John Grant, from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

8th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant George Lee, from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

9th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant T. M'Carthy, from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

11th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant W. Drake, from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

13th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant H. Harkness, from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

17th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Cadogan, from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

20th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant J. Crockatt, from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

21st Regiment N. I.

Captain J. Remmington and Lieutenant J. Webster, from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

22d Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Robert Frew, from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

24th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant F. W. Morgan, from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

25th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant R. Young, from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

Head Quarters, Choultry Plain, 1st March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Assistant Surgeon David Reid is removed from the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment, to the 2d Battalion 16th Regiment N. I.; and Assistant Surgeon William Haines is appointed to the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry.

The following Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled at Seringapatam, on Friday, the 24th day of January 1817, and continued by adjournments until Saturday, the 15th day of February 1817, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Ambojee Row, of the 2d (or Arnee) Native Veteran Battalion, is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGE.—Sheik Muderah, Havaldar, No. 4, H. Company 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I. confined by me, on complaint of Subadar Sheik Boorawn, G. Company of the same Battalion.

For insubordinate and unsoldier-like conduct, in having knocked down (without the least provocation) Subadar Sheik Boorawn, by giving him two severe blows over the Head and

and Shoulders with a large Bludgeon, on the 2d November 1816.

CANNANORE, 8th November 1816. (Signed) A. FRITH, Lt.-Col. Comg. 2d Bat. 25th Regt. N. I.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the nature of the Crime, and the evidence on the prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has said in his defence, and the evidence in it's support, are of opinion, that the Prisoner, Havaldar Sheik Mudenah, is guilty of the Crime laid to his Charge, viz. "Of having knocked down without the least "provocation, Subadar Sheik Boorawn, by giving him two "severe blows over the Head and Shoulders with a large "Bludgeon, on the 1st November (instead of the 2d) "1816."—which being in breach of the Articles of War for the better government of the Honorable Company's Forces, they do sentence him, Havaldar Sheik Mudenah, to be reduced to the Ranks, to receive five hundred lashes on his bare back, at such time and place as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may direct, and afterwards to be dismissed the Honorable Company's Service.

Signature in Telinga,
of Subadar
AMBOJEE ROW, President.

(Signed) THOMAS BECKETT,
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

The following Promotion is ordered.

6th Regiment Light Cavalry.

Drill Havaldar Vaukar Row, to be Jemadar, date of Commission, 8th February 1817.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Captain	C. A. Walker	1st Bn. 8th Regt.	27th May 1817	Cuddalore.
Lieut.	A. Maule	2d " 6th "	30th June "	Sea Coast, sick cert.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 4th March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial, held at Fort St. George, on Monday, the 13th day of January 1817, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency

Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and continued by sundry adjournments until Monday, the 24th day of February of the same year, and of which Major General Robert Bell of the Artillery, is President, are published to the Army.

Lieutenant Prendergast, 1st Battalion 9th Regiment N. I. arraigned on the following Charges:

CHARGE.—Lieutenant Prendergast of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment N. I. placed in arrest by me, in conformity with an order received from the Town Major of Fort St. George to do so, for a breach of the Rules and Regulations of the Service, and for contempt of that authority which it was his duty to obey, in the following Instances:

1st. Not joining the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment, between the 3d of April 1815, the date of the General Order in which he, Lieutenant Prendergast, was removed from the Corps of Pioneers and directed to join his Corps forthwith, and the 25th November 1816, when he was delivered to the Officer holding the Charge of the Battalion by a Serjeant of Artillery, who with a Corporal had been ordered to conduct him to the Corps.

2d. Withholding obedience of the orders of the Officer in Charge of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment, conveyed to him, Lieutenant Prendergast, in Letters from the Adjutant, dated June 20th, 1815, and August 28th, 1815, to account for his neglect of duty in not having made an earlier report of himself to Battalion Head Quarters than the 20th of May 1815.

3d. Neglecting to assign a sufficient cause for not having joined the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment before the expiration of certain leave, and for having omitted to send a sick certificate for the months of October and November 1815, which he, Lieutenant Prendergast, was required to do, by order of the Officer then holding Charge of the Battalion, in a Letter from the Adjutant, dated January 10th, 1816.

All such instances of a breach of the Rules and Regulations of the Service, and of contempt of authority, being contrary to good order, and subversive of military discipline.

MADRAS, (Signed) F. PIERCE, Lieut. Col.
12th December, 1816. Commg. 1st Bat. 9th Regt. and Colonel

By Order,

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

ADDITIONAL CHARGE—preferred against Lieutenant Prendergast, 1st Battalion 9th Regiment N. I. by order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

For

For disrespect and contempt of The Commander in Chief's authority, and determined disobedience of His Excellency's orders, given in three several Letters of dates the 30th November 1815, and 23d March and 2d April 1816, from the Adjutant General's Office to the Officer Commanding at Nellore, directing Lieutenant Prendergast to join his Corps, and which he contumaciously persisted in disobeying, under a false plea of inability from ill health until compelled by being placed under Guard and brought a Prisoner to the Presidency.

By order of His Excellency The Commander in Chief.

ADJT. GENERAL'S OFFICE, CHOULTRY PLAIN, 20th December 1816. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjt. General of the Army.

SECOND ADDITIONAL CHARGE— against Lieutenant Prendergast of the 9th Regiment N. I. preferred by order of His Excellency The Commander in Chief.

For highly insubordinate and unmilitary behaviour, in arraigning the conduct of his Commanding Officer, in a Charge which he preferred against Colonel Pierce, under date the 25th of December 1816, when he, Lieutenant Prendergast, was altogether disqualified from agitating any military question, being then in arrest.

By order of The Commander in Chief.

ADJT. GENERAL'S OFFICE, CHOULTRY PLAIN, 4th February 1817. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court find the Prisoner, Lieutenant Prendergast, guilty of so much of the 1st part of the Charge exhibited against him, as not joining the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment from October 1815 to the 25th November 1816, when he was delivered to the Officer holding the Charge of the Battalion by a Serjeant of Artillery who had been ordered to conduct [illegible] his Corps, but acquit him of not joining from the [illegible] as therein stated, the Court being of opinion that [illegible] certificate, dated 22d of September [illegible] Prendergast transmitted to the Head [illegible]attalion, satisfactorily accounted for his [illegible]etind[illegible]

[illegible] the second part of the said [illegible] having been adduced in [illegible]

[illegible] the 3d part of the [illegible]

[illegible]endergast guilty of the Additional

Additional Charge, but the Court is of opinion that he is not guilty of the second Additional Charge, and do therefore acquit him of the same, no criminality, in the Court's opinion, attaching to the simple fact, of his having when in arrest, preferred a Charge against his Commanding Officer.

The instances in which Lieutenant Prendergast has been declared guilty, being a breach of the Rules and Regulations of the Service and subversive of good order and military discipline, the Court do by virtue of the Articles of War, adjudge and sentence him to be dismissed from the Honorable Company's Service.

(Signed) ROBERT BELL, Major Genl.
President.

(Signed) T. WREN,
Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

Lieutenant Prendergast will be struck off the strength of the 9th Regiment from the date of the receipt of this Order by the 1st Battalion, which the Officer Commanding will report to the Adjutant General of the Army.

The General Court Martial of which Major General Bell is President, is dissolved.

A General Court Martial for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it, will assemble at the Court Martial Room in Fort St. George, on Thursday next, the 6th Instant, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and will be composed as follows:

Major General Innes — *President.*

MEMBERS.

Lieutenant Colonel M'Dowell, 6th Regiment N. I.
" " Must, 24th do.
" " Kenny 19th do.
" " Taynton, Artillery.
Major [illegible] Dickson[illegible] Light Cavalry.
" Kingd[illegible] 80th Regiment.
" Kenny [illegible] do.
" Preston [illegible] N. I.
Captain Norton [illegible]

The Garrison of Fort St. Georg[illegible] and three Subalterns as Members.

Lieutenant Co[illegible] conduct the Proce[illegible] Commissions of the [illegible]

Prisoners and Ev[illegible] ordered to attend.

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Ensign John George Hannington late promotion, is posted to *duty*, with the 1st Battalion 15th Regiment N. I. and will join that Corps immediately.

Lieutenant Colonels Hugh Fraser and T. A. Fraser, are relieved from the Off-reckoning Committee of which Colonel Graham is President.

Colonel Simons, Major Powell and Captain Wren are relieved from the duty of the Committee to enquire into the claims of the Heirs of deceased Native Soldiers to Pensions; and the following Officers are appointed to that duty.

Lieutenant Colonel Muat,—*President.*

Major W. Dickson, C. B. 6th Light Cavalry, and Major Preston, 17th Regiment N. I.—*Members.*

Colonel A. M'Cally and Lieutenant Colonel A. M'Dowell, are appointed Members of the Off-reckoning Committee of which Colonel Graham is President.

Captain Browne of the 13th Regiment N. I. is relieved from the Committee for the examination of Army Clothing.

Lieutenant Wood of the 8th Regiment N. I. and Lieutenant and Adjutant Hitchins of the Rifle Corps, are appointed Members of the Committee for the examination of Army Clothing.

Assistant Surgeon W. R. Selby is posted to the Madras European Regiment, and will join the Detachment at the Presidency.

Lieutenant Gibbings, attached to the Chicacole Light Infantry, will join and do duty with the Detachment of the Madras European Regiment under Lieutenant Hancorne, until it's arrival at Hyderabad.

The following Removals are ordered.

Lieutenant Colonel H. S. Scott, from the 20th to the 24th Regiment and 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Muat from the 24th to the 20th Regiment and 1st Battalion.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained [illegible] of absence from their Corps and Sta[illegible]

Rank.	*Names.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
L. Col.	J. Hasle[illegible]	10th June 18[illegible]	Presidency & Cuddalore.
Captain	J[illegible]	30th April	Presidency, sick cert.
Lieut.	[illegible]	30th	Bellary, sick cert.
Lieut. & Ad.	[illegible]	12th Ma[illegible]	Calicut and Quilon.
Ensi[illegible]	[illegible]	5th April	Presidency.

[illegible] of the 17th Ultimo, [illegible]ich Major General [illegible]day, the 18th March;

[illegible] hereby

[illegible] 15th

15*th March* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24*th February* 1817.

G. O. By GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant C. Temple of the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry to be Quarter Master, vice that Corps Martin promoted.

Major General Robert [illegible], Commandant of Artillery, is permitted to return to Europe on furlough.

Lieutenant Fireworker H. C. Bean of the Artillery, is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Lieutenant A. Cowan of the 17th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe on furlough for three years.

Mr. John George Hannington, Cadet of Infantry, is admitted on the Establishment, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors; and having received the Honorable the Court's permission "to proceed to his station on board "the ship Astell via Bengal",—Arrived there on the 30th September 1816.

Mr. Hannington is promoted to the Rank of Ensign—date of Rank to be settled hereafter.

Mr. Conductor W. Barlow, Junior, is promoted to be Deputy Commissary of Ordnance, for the Rocket Troop, vice Barlow, Senior, deceased.

In conformity with the directions received from The Right Honorable The Governor General in Council, Mr. Assistant Surgeon T. Tomkinson is appointed to afford medical aid to the Nawab Sulabut Khan and to his regular Battalions; and will accordingly place himself under the orders of the Resident at Hyderabad.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT [illegible] *March* 1817.

G. O. By GOVERNMENT.

The Transport [illegible] Master will receive on board [illegible] Majesty's Ship [illegible] on Saturday the 15th [illegible] Chief will be pleased [illegible] barkation according [illegible]

By order of the [illegible]

(Signed) [illegible]
By order [illegible]

HEAD QUARTERS: Choultry Plain, 12th March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Commandant of Artillery having been furnished with a Distribution of the Corps of Artillery, and orders to make such Removals and Appointments as may be necessary to complete it, The Commander in Chief is pleased to direct, that Officers Commanding Divisions, Districts, Forces, and Stations, will carry into effect such orders and arrangements in communication with the Commandant of Artillery as may be necessary.

To enable the Commandant of Artillery to exercise the duties of that branch of the Service, The Commander in Chief is pleased to direct, that all Officers Commanding Detachments of Artillery, shall report to the Commandant of Artillery at Head Quarters, all orders they may receive altering the strength or affecting the efficiency of their respective Detachments.

Whenever it may be necessary to send Men of the Artillery from detached Companies to the Presidency on sick certificate, a report is to be made of the circumstance to the Adjutant General of the Army, by the Officer under whose general charge they may be serving, & a similar report is to be made by the Officer Commanding the Detachment of Artillery to the Commandant of Artillery. Such Men on their arrival at the Presidency, are to report themselves at the Office of the Adjutant General of the Army.

An European General Court Martial is to assemble at Masulipatam, at such time as the Officer Commanding in the Northern Division, may appoint, for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it.

The Northern Division to furnish the Detail.

Lieutenant Smith, Fort Adjutant of Masulipatam, will officiate as Judge Advocate, to whom the Names, Rank, and Dates of Commissions of Officers for this duty, are to be sent.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

A Native General Court Martial to be assembled at Masulipatam, at such time as the Officer Commanding in the Northern Division, may appoint, for the trial of such Prisoners as may be brought before it.

The Northern Division to furnish the Detail.

The Proceedings to be conducted by Lieutenant Smith, Fort Adjutant at Masulipatam, to whom the Names, Rank, and Dates of Commissions of Officers for this duty, are to be sent.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Head

Head Quarters : Choultry Plain, 14th March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The General Court Martial [illegible] which Major General Innes is President, is dissolved.

Head Quarters : Choultry [illegible] March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER [illegible]

Assistant Surgeon Sheddon [illegible] the 3d Native Veteran Battalion, and Assistant Surgeon [illegible] Wyllie from the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry, [illegible] appointed to the medical charge of the Details of Madras Artillery and Pioneers with the Poonah Subsidiary Force.

Private Soldier George Gurnell is promoted to Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries, from the 1st Instant.

The *temporary* appointment by the Officer Commanding the Ceded Districts, of Serjeant Francis Govinine to act as Store Serjeant at Bellary, is confirmed, from the 7th December 1816.

Captain and Brevet Major Yarde of the Madras European Regiment, will immediately join, and do duty with the Head Quarters of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion.

REMOVALS.

15th Regiment.

Lieutenant Sinclair from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Wheeler from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

The following Extracts from G. O. issued by the Commander in Chief in India, are, by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

The following Extracts from the Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled at Camp at Serrook, on Monday, the 11th day of November 1816, by virtue of a warrant under the hand and seal of His Excellency Lieut. General Sir Miles Nightingall, K.C.B. Commander in Chief, and continued by adjournments to the 16th of the same month, are published to the Army.

President,— Subadar Ballajee [illegible] 1st Bat. 2d Regt. N. I.

Officiating Judge Advocate,— [illegible] John Michie, 1st Battalion 3d Regiment N. I.

Interpreter,— Do. Do.

CHARGE.—Subadar Shaik Jowan of the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment N. I. put under an arrest by me, on the 13th October 1816, on the following Charges.

1st—For unofficer-like and insolent conduct to me, his Commanding Officer, in refusing to obey my orders when ordered to take his Sword and do his duty in the Corps.

2d—For conduct unbecoming an Officer and subversive of

of military discipline, in refusing when ordered by me to do duty with the other two Native Officers of the Corps.

CAMP AT CHICKLETANNAH, 13th October 1816. (Signed) W. IMLOCH, Major, Comg. 1st Bat. 2d Rt. N. I.

BOMBAY, ADJT. GENL.'s OFFICE, 4th November 1816. By order of The Commander in Chief. (Signed) AITCHISON, Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely weighed and considered what has been brought in support of the prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has urged in his defence, are of the following opinion:

On the first instance of the Charge, viz. "Unofficer and insolent conduct to me his Commanding Officer, in refusing to obey my orders, when ordered to take his Sword and to do his duty in the Corps," that the Prisoner Shaik Jewan did decline receiving his Sword, but they do most fully acquit him of all intention of insolence and insubordination.

On the second instance of the Charge, "For conduct unbecoming an Officer and subversive of military discipline, in refusing when ordered by me to do duty with two "other Native Officers of the Corps," they are of opinion that the Prisoner is guilty, but not to the extent of criminality stated in the Charge.

The Court having found the Prisoner, Subadar Shaik Jewan of the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment N. I. so far guilty, do sentence him to be reprimanded in such manner as the Officer Commanding the Forces shall be pleased to direct.

(Signed) BALLAJEE PUPLEY, Subadar, and President.

(Signed) M. NIGHTINGALL, Lieutenant General.

Remarks by His Excellency The Commander in Chief.

The Commander in Chief can neither approve or confirm the Proceedings of the Native General Court Martial, held on Subadar Shaik Jewan, because the duties of Interpreter have been performed by the Officer who officiated as Judge Advocate, and this irregularity renders the whole of the Proceedings null and void: His Excellency therefore in the most pointed manner draws the attention of all Officers who may be called upon to act in future in the capacity of Judge Advocate, to the sentiments expressed by His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief in India, under date the 6th of May last, as an invariable rule for their guidance.

It is also necessary to observe that when objections are offered by a Prisoner to any Officer ordered as a Member of the Court, it is the duty

duty of that Court to enter the same on the record, for the information of the approving power.

With respect to the Prisoner, Subadar Shaik Jewan, The Commander in Chief deeply laments that an old and deserving Soldier bearing such high testimonials of his character, and conduct on so many occasions, should have persevered in resisting with so much obstinacy the order and advice of his Superiors, but although from mistaken motives, he has fallen into this error, it is a great consolation to find, that he has behaved throughout with moderation and respect, and the Lieutenant General has no doubt that he will profit by the advice now given and avoid a similar line of conduct in future.

Subadar Shaik Jewan is to be released from arrest, and ordered to return to his duty.

The Native General Court Martial of which Subadar Ballajee Pupley, 1st Battalion 2d Regiment, is President, is dissolved.

Serjeant Milton of the 1st Battalion Artillery, is removed to the Effective Supernumeraries, and will place himself under the orders of the Superintendent of the Gun Carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam.

The following Native Promotion is ordered.

Artillery, 2d Battalion.

2d Tindal Shaik Mahomed to be 1st Tindal,—Date of Commission, 1st February 1817.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave from their Corps and Stations.

Rank	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Bt. Capt.	J. Baxter	1st Bt. 21st Rt.	1st Sept. 1817	Sea Coast, sick certificate.
Lieut.	W. O'Reilly	1st „ 26th „	31st May „	Cuddalore, sick cert.
Lieut.	T. R. Mantell	2d „ 10th „	15th March „	Trichinopoly, sick cert.
Lt. & Qr. Mr.	J. N. Abdy	1st Bt. Art.	20th April „	Arcot.
Lieut.	A. French	Comg. the R. Escort, Mysore	15th May „	Presidency.

22d *March* 1817.

Fort St. George, 3d *March* 1817.

G. O. by Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Appointment and Promotions.

Captain Alexander M'Leod of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to be temporary Assistant Quarter Master General with the Division of Madras Troops, which will continue with the Nagpoor

Nagpoor Subsidiary Force, after the return of the Force detached under Colonel Walker's Command into the Territory of His Highness the Soubahdar of the Deckan.

Cavalry.

Senior Major (Brevet Lieutenant Colonel) Montague Cosby of the 8th Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel, from the 1st March 1817, vice Lewis deceased.

8th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Senior Captain (Brevet Major) Hugh O'Donnell to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Stephen Martin to be Captain of a Troop, Lieutenant Charles Barrett Darby to be Captain Lieutenant, and Cornet James Lyon to be Lieutenant, from the 1st March 1817, in succession to Cosby promoted.

Lieutenant Fyfe Yorker Basil Ronald of the Artillery, is permitted to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for four months, from the date of his embarkation.

Captain E. Osborne of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, Brigade Major in the Centre Division, is permitted to proceed to Sea on sick certificate, with leave of absence for six months, from the date of his embarkation.

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to return to Europe on furlough, respectively for three years.

Lieutenant George Norman of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry, and Lieutenant H. Dowden of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, 13*th March* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

Major James Limond of the Artillery, is permitted to return to Europe on furlough for three years, from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant John Ross of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bombay on sick certificate.

Captain A. Cumming, Assistant Commissary General, is permitted to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence for six weeks, from the date of his quitting the Ceded Districts.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon John Steddy will take rank from the 6th February 1817,—the date of Mr. Gilmour's embarkation for Europe.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon Goldie is permitted to visit the Presidency, on one month's leave of absence from the 15th Instant.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon George Howetson is permitted to visit the

the Presidency, on leave of absence from his Station for fifteen days.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD, SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 17*th March* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

On the occasion of the embarkation of His Majesty's 80th Regiment for Europe, The Right Honorable The Governor in Council has great satisfaction in publishing to the Army, his entire approbation of the conduct of that Corps, during the long period of it's service under the orders of the Government of Fort St. George.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD, SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.
By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 16*th March* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The suspension of Jemadar Kistnamah of the 2d Battalion 11th Regiment N. I. having expired on the 1st Ultimo, he is to be considered as having returned to his duty from that date.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 19th March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenants Cameron of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry, and White of the 2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I. doing duty with the Rifle Corps, are ordered to repair to the Presidency, and place themselves under the orders of the Quarter Master General of the Army. Lieutenant White is to be struck off the Returns of the Rifle Corps, and to be returned by his own Corps "On Command," until further orders; Lieutenant Cameron to be returned in the same way by the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Lieutenant Riddell of the 10th Regiment Native Infantry, doing duty with the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment or Wallajahbad Light Infantry, will join his Corps.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 22d March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Second Dresser Anthony De Cruz of the 2d Battalion 3d Regiment N. I. is promoted to First Dresser, vice Richard Hare, discharged.

The suspension of Subadar Shaikh Meean of the 1st Battalion 18th Regiment N. I. is to be considered as having expired on the 22d July 1816.

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The orders of Colonel Sir Augustus Floyer, K.C.B. Commanding Secunderabad, dated 30th January 1816, appointing Lieut. Spicer of the 2d Battalion 8th Regiment N. I. to officiate as Deputy Judge Advocate of the Native General Court Martial, of which Subadar Futta Homed was President, are confirmed.

The following Extracts from G. O. issued by The Commander in Chief in India, are, by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Meerut, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December 1816, in obedience to Station and Field Army Orders, and by virtue of a warrant under the hand and seal of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of John M'Naughton, Private in His Majesty's 8th Regt. of Light Dragoons, and such Prisoners as shall be duly brought before it.

President,—Lieut. Colonel Vaurenen, 2d Bat. 12th Regt N.I.

Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.—Lieutenant Auber, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, conducting the Trial.

Interpreter,—Lieutenant Hales, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

CHARGE.—John Kearnan, Corporal, 3d Troop Horse Artillery, confined by order of Major Pennington, on the following Charges.

1st.—For entering into a combination with several Men of the Horse Artillery and His Majesty's 67th Regiment of Foot, to desert.

2d.—For being concerned with others in unlawfully administering oaths of secrecy to Private Mathew Dawling of His Majesty's 67th Regiment of Foot, and others, between the 1st and 6th day of Nov. 1816, the purport of which oaths was not to divulge to their Commanding Officers or others the combination then forming to desert from their Corps.

3d.—Desertion, in quitting his Corps without leave on the 16th November 1816, and not returning until brought back by a Guard from Serinaghur on the 3d January 1817.

4th.—Carrying off Arms the property of the Honorable Company.

5th.—For making away with about seventy Rupees, which was entrusted to his care to defray the expenses of the Mess to which he belonged.

(Signed) G. PENNINGTON, Major,
Comg. Horse Artillery.

By order of Colonel Huskisson, Commanding at Meerut.
(Signed) T. W. BROADBENT, Major Brigade.

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SENTENCE.—The Court having most maturely weighed and considered the evidence on the part of the prosecution, together with what the Prisoner has adduced in his defence, is of opinion, that he, Corporal Kearnan, is guilty of all and every part of the Charges exhibited against him, which being in breach of the Articles of War, do therefore, sentence him, the Prisoner Corporal John Kearnan, to be shot to death, at such time and place as His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief may please to direct.

(Signed) J. VAURENEN, Lt. Col. 2d Bat. 12th Regt. and President.

(Signed) C. AUBER, Lieut. H. M.'s 67th Regiment, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, conducting the Trial.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED. (Signed) [illegible]

A true Extract. (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, Lt. Col. *Military Secretary.*

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President,—Lieut. Colonel Vaurenen, 2d Bat. 12th Regt. N. I.

Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate,—Lieutenant Auber, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, conducting the Trial.

Interpreter,—Lieut. Hales, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

CHARGE.—Matross James Dixon, 1st Troop Horse Artillery, confined by order of Major Pennington, on the following Charges.

1st.—For entering into a combination with several Men of the Horse Artillery and of His Majesty's sixty-seventh Regiment, to desert.

2d.—Desertion, in quitting his Corps without leave when on Guard on the night of the 16th November 1816, and not returning until brought back by a Guard from Serinaghur on the 3d January 1817.

MEERUT, 3d January 1817. } (Signed) G. PENNINGTON, Major, Comg. Horse Artillery.

SENTENCE.—The Court having most maturely and deliberately weighed and considered the evidence on the prosecution, and that the Prisoner, Matross James Dixon, has urged nothing in

in his defence, is of opinion that he, the Prisoner Matross James Dixon, is guilty of both the Charges exhibited against him, which being in breach of the Articles of War, does sentence him (the Prisoner Matross James Dixon,) to receive a corporal punishment of fifteen hundred lashes, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief may deem proper.

(Signed) J. VAURENEN, Lt. Col. 2d Bat. 12th Regt. and President.

(Signed) C. AUBER, Lieut. 67th Regiment, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, conducting the Trial.

CONFIRMED. (Signed) MOIRA.

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President,—Lieut. Colonel Vaurenen, 2d Bat. 12th Regt. N. I.

Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate,—Lieutenant Auber, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, conducting the Trial.

Interpreter,—Lieutenant Hales, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Bat. 29th Regt. N. I.

CHARGE.—Matrosses John Burke, James Clinton, William Johnston and Dennis Dynan, of the Corps of Horse Artillery, confined by order of Major Pennington, on the following Charges.

1st. For entering into a combination with several Men of the Horse Artillery and of His Majesty's 67th Regiment, to desert.

2d. Desertion, in quitting their Corps without leave on the night of the 26th Nov. 1816, and not returning until brought back by a Guard from Serinaghur on the 3d January 1817.

3d. Carrying off Arms the property of the Honorable Company.

MEERUT, 3d January 1817. } (Signed) J. LUMSDEN, Lieut. Adjt. & Qr. Master Horse Artillery.

(Signed) G. PENNINGTON, Major, Comg. Horse Artillery.

By order of Colonel Huskisson, Commanding at Meerut.

(Signed) T. W. BROADBENT, Major Brigade.

SENTENCE.—The Court having most maturely and deliberately weighed

weighed and considered the evidence on the part of the prosecution against the Prisoners, and that the Prisoners John Burke, James Clinton, William Johnston and Dennis Dynan, have urged nothing in their defence, is of opinion, that the Prisoners John Burke and William Johnston, are guilty of the whole of the Charges exhibited against them, which being in breach of the Articles of War, does therefore sentence them, the Prisoners John Burke and William Johnston, to receive a corporal punishment of fifteen hundred lashes each, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief may deem proper.

The Court is further of opinion, that the Prisoners James Clinton and Dennis Dynan, are not guilty of the first Charge exhibited against them, viz. "For entering into a combination with several Men of the Horse Artillery Majesty's 67th Regiment, to desert," and does therefore acquit them, the Prisoners James Clinton and Dennis Dynan, of that Charge, but the Court finds the Prisoners James Clinton and Dennis Dynan, guilty of the whole of the second and third Charges exhibited against them, which being in breach of the Articles of War, does sentence them, the Prisoners James Clinton and Dennis Dynan, to receive a corporal punishment of one thousand lashes, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief may deem proper.

(Signed) J. VAURENEN, Lt. Col. 2d Bat. 12th Regt. and President.

(Signed) C. AUBER, Lieut. 67th Regt.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, conducting the Trial.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED. (Signed) MOIRA.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Meerut, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December 1816, in obedience to Station and Field Army Orders, and by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Right Honorable The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief in India, for the trial of John M'Naughton, Private H. M.'s 8th Light Dragoons, and all such other Prisoners as shall be duly brought before it.

President,—Lieut. Colonel Vaurenen, 2d Bat. 12th Regt. N. I.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate,—Lieutenant Auber, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, conducting the Trial.
Interpreter,—Lieutenant Hales, Interpreter and Quarter Master 2d Battalion 29th Regiment N. I.

CHARGES

CHARGES.—Matross Michael Whealan, 3d Troop Horse Artillery, confined by order of Major Pennington, on the following Charges.

1st.—For entering into a combination with several Men of the Horse Artillery and of His Majesty's 67th Regiment, to desert.

2d.—Desertion, in quitting his Corps without leave when on Guard on the night of the 16th November 1816, and not returning until brought back by a Guard from Serinaghur on the 3d January 1817.

3d.—Carrying off Arms the property of the Honorable Company.

MEERUT, 3d January 1817. (Signed) G. PENNINGTON, Major, Comg. Horse Artillery.

By order of Colonel Huskisson, Commanding at Meerut.

(Signed) T. W. BROADBENT, Major Brigade.

SENTENCE.—The Court having most maturely weighed and considered the whole of the evidence on the part of the prosecution against the Prisoner, as well as what he has urged in his defence, is of opinion that he, the Prisoner Michael Whealan, is not guilty of the first Charge, viz. "For entering "into a combination with several Men of the Horse Artillery "and of H. M.'s 67th Regiment, to desert"; and it does therefore acquit him thereof: But the Court finds him guilty of the whole of the second and third Charges, which being in breach of the Articles of War, do sentence him, the Prisoner Michael Whealan, to receive a corporal punishment of one thousand lashes, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief may deem proper.

(Signed) J. VAURENEN, Lieut. Col. 2d Bat. 12th Regt. and President.

(Signed) C. AUBER, Lieut. 67th Regiment, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract.

(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lieut. Col. Military Secretary.*

The Commander in Chief has confirmed the foregoing Sentences, to avoid the loss of time which an Instruction to the Court to revise them would occasion; but His Excellency conceives it advisable, to point out to the Court the inexpedience of awarding a punishment of an amount which can never be inflicted.—In the

the instance of the Prisoners James Dixon, John Burke and William Johnston, who are sentenced to 1500 lashes each, The Commander in Chief reduces the corporal punishment to 500 lashes each, and orders the punishment allotted to James Clinton, Dennis Dyman and Michael Whealan, to be mitigated to the same number respectively.

By Command, (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col. Military Secretary.*

Lieutenant Colonel Cosby (late Promotion), is posted to the 6th Regiment Light Cavalry.

A Court of Enquiry will assemble at the Adjutant General's Office, at 10 o'clock, on Wednesday the 26th instant, to enquire into a circumstance that will be laid before it by the Adjutant General of the Army.

Lieutenant Colonel Kenny, 15th Regiment N. I. — *President*
Major Munro, Rifle Corps,
Captain Jolly, 4th Regt. N. I. } *Members.*
Major Preston, 17th Regt. N. I.
Captain Norton, 19th Regt. N. I.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Major	A. Jones	2d N. V. B.	30th Sept. 1817	Sea Coast, sick cert.
Captain	C. Wilson	1st Bat. Pioneers	31st May ,,	Presidency.
Lieut.	T. Jackson	2d Bat. 17th or C. L. I.	31st July ,,	do. sick cert.
Lieut.	R. Shaw	1st Regt. L. C.	30th Sept. ,,	Sea Coast, sick cert.

31*st March* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *24th March* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant C. George Alves of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Major of Brigade in the Centre Division of the Army, during the absence of Captain Osborne, on sick certificate.

Lieutenant John Riddell of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, during the absence of Lieutenant Alves, on other duty.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon J. J. Duncan, to the medical charge of the Zillah and Garrison of Ganjam, vice Rule deceased.

9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign George Williams to be Lieutenant, from the 12th March 1817, vice Prendergast dismissed. Lieutenant

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Sir John Malcolm, K.C.B. of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, has returned to his duty by permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, without prejudice to his Rank.

Lieutenant Henry Holmes of the 16th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe, on furlough for three years.

Brevet Captain Leonard Cooper of the 13th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health, and to be absent on that account for six months, from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant John Willows of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope, via St. Helena, with leave of absence for twelve months, on his private affairs.

The furlough to the Mauritius, granted in General Orders dated the 2d November last, to Lieutenant C. W. Mackintosh of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, is extended until the 30th June 1817.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *24th March* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Hamilton of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and Lieutenant H. B. Smith of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, are permitted to place themselves under the immediate orders of the Resident at Hyderabad, with a view to their employment in the Regular Service of His Highness the Soubahdar of the Deckan, without prejudice to their allowances as Officers on this Establishment.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *27th March* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Surgeon Gordon of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I. will proceed to St. Thomas's Mount and take medical charge of the Details of Artillery ordered to Trichinopoly and Quilon,—and Assistant Surgeon Cruickshanks of the 2d Battalion 21st Regiment N. I. will also proceed to St. Thomas's Mount, and take medical charge of the Details of Artillery directed to march to the Westward.

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The Native General Court Martial assembled at Seringapatam, by G. O. dated 16th December 1816, of which Subadar Amboje Row is President, is dissolved.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 28th March 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Assistant Surgeon Selby of the Madras European Regiment, and Assistant Surgeon Gristock, attached to His Majesty's 30th Regiment, will proceed immediately to St. Thomas's Mount, the former to take medical charge of the Detail of Artillery ordered to Bellary, and the latter of that directed to march to Masulipatam.—Assistant Surgeon Gristock will afterwards place himself under the orders of the Superintending Surgeon of the Northern Division.

The following Removals are ordered.

ARTILLERY.

Captain, Brevet Major Blair	from	1st	to	2d Battalion.
Captain, Brevet Major Court	,,	2d	,,	1st do.
Captain Lieutenant Gahagan	,,	1st	,,	2d do.
Captain Lieutenant Burton	,,	1st	,,	2d do.
Captain Lieutenant Lindsay	,,	2d	,,	1st do.
Captain Lieutenant Watson	,,	2d	,,	1st do.
Lieutenant Fireworker Lamb	,,	1st	,,	2d do.
Lieutenant Fireworker Ley	,,	1st	,,	2d do.
Lieutenant Fireworker Blundell	,,	1st	,,	2d do.
Lieutenant Fireworker Hosmur	,,	2d	,,	1st do.
Lieutenant Fireworker Taylor	,,	2d	,,	1st do.

The undermentioned Officer has obtained leave of absence from his Corps and Station.

Rank.	*Name.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lieutenant	J. H. Logan	Rifle Corps	19th June 1817	Bangalore, sick cert.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 1st *April* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Serjeant Page of the Barrack Department, is removed from Cuddalore, and appointed Serjeant of the 1st Class and to the charge of the Public Buildings at Jaulnah.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 4th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Assistant Adjutant General of the Army is appoin[ted] Member of the Committee upon Pension Claims, sitting at the Adjutant General's Office.

Major Preston is relieved from the Committee of which Lieutenant Colonel Muat is President.

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Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 7th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant Clarke of the Madras European Regiment, will join the Detachment of his Corps at the Presidency under Lieutenant Hancorne.

Ensign E. B. Blenkinsop is removed, at his own request, from the 8th to the 13th Regiment N. I. in which he will rank next below Ensign R. O'Dell.

Ensign Blenkinsop is posted to the 1st. Battalion of the 13th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Walters of the 2d Battalion 18th Regiment N. I. is posted to the Rifle Corps, and will join the Detachment under Captain Baker.

In conformity to the 10th Paragraph, 1st Section of the Commissariat Regulations, Officers Commanding at the different Stations of the Army will assemble Committees for the Survey of the Grain and Provision Departments at their respective Stations; the Proceedings of such Committees to be completed on the 30th Instant, and to be prepared in duplicate; one set to be forwarded direct to the Commissary General at Fort St. George, and the other to the Officer of the Commissariat attached to the Division in which the Committee is held.

The General Court Martial which was assembled at Secunderabad, and of which Lieutenant Colonel Boles is President, is dissolved.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Bt. Lt. Col.	A. Molesworth	2d Bt. 5th Rt.	25th July 1817	Presidency.
Bt. Major	M. West	3d Light Cav.	10th Oct. ,,	Sea Coast, sick cert.
Captain	F. W. Palmer	1st Bt. Art.	15th July ,,	Negapatam, sick cert.
Bt. Captain	W. Hargrave	1st Bt. 4th Rt.	30th June ,,	To join his Corps.
Captain	W. Pitchford	4th N. V. B.	10th July ,,	Cuddalore.
Lieutenant	J. Wright	2d Bt. 20th Rt.	30th June ,,	Presidency, sick cert.
Lieutenant	W. E. Fitzgerald	1st Bt. 19th Rt.	10th July ,,	Cuddalore and Presidency.

12*th April* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24*th March* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize Officers of His Majesty's Service who become Supernumerary

numerary to the complement attached to Regiments, to draw the Half Batta and the House Rent, (if not furnished with Quarters) of their Regimental Rank, during the time they may be detained in India, also the usual Travelling Batta from the time of their leaving the Stations where their Corps may be, for the purpose of proceeding to the Presidency.

This Order to have effect from the 1st May 1817.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *25th March* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, that Funds have been allotted to the Paymaster at the Presidency, and in the several Divisions of the Army, for the discharge of all ordinary demands in the Military Department, in the course of the ensuing month of April.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *7th April* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Circumstances no longer requiring the presence of a British Force in the territory of Kurnool, The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to abolish that Government Command, and to express at the same time in General Orders, his entire approbation of the manner in which the important duties of the charge have been executed by Lieutenant Colonel Thompson.

This Order will have effect from the date of the march of the Troops from the territory of Kurnool, under the directions which Lieutenant Colonel Thompson will receive from His Excellency the Commander in Chief for that purpose.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *8th April* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Assistant Surgeon Glider, doing duty under the Garrison Surgeon of Fort St. George, is appointed to the 2d Battalion 18th Regiment N. I. Private

Private William Miller of the Effective Supernumeraries, employed in the Gun Carriage Manufactory at Seringapatam, is promoted to Serjeant.

Quarter Master Serjeant William Hinton is removed from the 6th Regiment Light Cavalry, and attached as Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries to the Arsenal of Fort St. George.

Corporal Timothy Dod of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is appointed Hospital Serjeant at Seringapatam, vice Hunter, who will join his Regiment.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 10th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Assistant Surgeon De Lisle is removed from the Madras European Regiment, and directed to proceed to the Head Quarters of the Northern Division of the Army, and place himself under the orders of the Superintending Surgeon of that Division.

Lieutenant Henry Wahab of the 19th Regiment N. I. is posted *to do duty* with the Rifle Corps, and will join the Detachment under Captain Baker.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 11th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Private Soldier Samuel Hotton of the Madras European Regiment, is promoted to Serjeant, and appointed Serjeant Major to the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry.

The following parts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled at Seringapatam, on Friday, the 24th day of January 1817, by order of Major General James Hare, Commanding the Forces in Mysore, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and continued by sundry adjournments, until Wednesday, the 19th day of March 1817, and of which Subadar Ambojee Row of the 2d Native Veteran Battalion, is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGE.—Seravapah, Sepoy, No. 16, Grenadier Company 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I. confined by me to the Main Guard on the 15th February 1817, on complaint of Subadar Ramasamy of the same Company, on the following Charges.

1st. For having on the evening of the 31st January 1817. in the Barracks of the Corps uttered insubordinate expressions of a mutinous tendency in presence of four Native Officers, in words to this effect, viz. I am fostering this man (Subadar Ramasamy) like a pet sheep, with an intention at the next ceremony at the Pagoda to slaughter him like one, thereby threatening

threatening the life of his Superior Officer, and in making use of the said threat by putting himself in a menacing posture.

2d. For further insubordinate conduct of a mutinous tendency on the morning of the 9th February 1817, after the Battalion had returned from the General Parade, at the Barracks, by declaring in the presence of the Grenadier Company, that he (the Prisoner) would in the course of forty days let them see what he intended doing to the Subadar.

SERINGAPATAM, 15th *February* 1817. (Signed) E. P. STEVENSON, Major, S. O. in charge 2d Bat. 25th Regt. N. I.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court after mature consideration of the nature of the Charges, as well as the evidence produced, are of opinion that the Prisoner, Seravajan, is guilty of both the Charges preferred against him, so far as speaking the words therein stated, which being contrary to good order and military discipline, they do sentence him to receive five hundred lashes and be discharged the Honorable Company's Service.

(Signature in Telinga of)
AMBOJEE ROW,
Subadar, and President.

(Signed) T. BECKETT, Captain,
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

The Orders by Colonel Sir Augustus Floyer, K.C.B. Commanding Secunderabad, under dates 26th October and 5th November 1816, appointing Brigade Major Godley, to officiate as Deputy Judge Advocate to an European, and also to a Native General Court Martial, are confirmed.

The undermentioned Officer has obtained leave of absence from his Corps and Station.

Rank.	*Name.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lieutenant	A. Macqueen	2d Bat. 18th Rt.	31st July 1817	Presidency.

HEAD QUARTERS, CHOULTRY PLAIN, 15*th April* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Private Soldier William de Belle of the Madras European Regiment, is transferred to the Effective Supernumeraries, and appointed Clerk to the Military Chaplain at Vellore.

A Special Invaliding, &c. &c. Committee will assemble in the Committee Room in Fort St. George, at 10 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, the 16th Instant, to examine some Men of Lieutenant Hapcorn's Detachment of the Madras European Regiment, reported unfit for Field Service.

Major General Innes, President, and the Garrison of Fort St. George will furnish Two Field Officers as Members, also a Medical Officer to attend the Committee.

A Native General Court Martial for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it, is to be assembled at Bangalore, at such time as the Officer Commanding the Mysore Division may please to appoint.

The Mysore Division to furnish the Detail, and the Proceedings to be conducted by Lieutenant Kitson of the 2d Battalion 12th Regiment N. I.

Prisoners and Evidences to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Hegd. Quarters: Choultry Plain, 16th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Serjeant Richard Bustin of the 1st Battalion Artillery, is transferred to the Effective Supernumeraries, and appointed Store Serjeant at Bellary.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 19th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial, held in Camp at Ellichpoor, on Monday, the 24th day of March 1817, by order of Colonel John Doveton, Commanding the Subsidiary Force serving His Highness the Soubahdar of the Deccan, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and continued until Tuesday, the 25th day of the same month and year, and of which Subadar Ramasamy of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry, is President.

CRIME.—Abzul Beg, Private Trooper, No. 40, 2d Troop 3d Regiment Light Cavalry, confined by order of the Commanding Officer, for deserting from that Corps on or about the 29th day of January 1807, and not returning until he was apprehended in the Service of the Nawaub Sulabut Khan.

CAMP KASKAH, *15th March* 1817. (Signed) C. ADDISON, Dep. Adjt. Genl. Hyderabad Sub. Force.

BY ORDER. (Signed) C. ADDISON, Deputy Adjutant General.

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SENTENCE.—The Court finds the Prisoner (Abzul Beg, Private Trooper 3d Regiment Light Cavalry) guilty of the Charge preferred against him, viz. "For deserting from "that Corps on or about the 29th January 1807, and not "returning until he was apprehended in the Service of the "Nawaub Sulabut Khan," does therefore by virtue of the Articles of War established for the better government of the Honorable Company's Forces, sentence him to receive (1000) one thousand lashes on his bare back, and to be discharged from the Service.

(Signed) RAMASAMY,
his X mark,
Subadar, and President.

(Signed) J. NIXON,
Deputy Judge Advocate to the Army.

Approved and Confirmed, but remit the corporal punishment.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

A Committee of Enquiry will assemble at Seringapatam, at such time and place as the President may order, to enquire into a circumstance which will be laid before it by the Adjutant General of the Army.

Major General Hare,—*President.*
Colonel N. Forbes, } *Members* { Colonel T. Marriott.

All Persons required by the President are hereby ordered to attend.

Conductor F. Francke of the Commissariat Department, has a further extension of leave on sick certificate, till 31st July 1817.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lt. & Adjt.	J. Tocker	1st Bt. 20th Rt.	15th Aug. 1817	Sea Coast, sick certificate.
Ensign	H. B. Blenkinsop	1st Bt. 19th Rt.	1st May „	Presidency.

26*th April* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15*th April* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Appointments, Promotions and Alterations of Rank.

Captain T. MacLeane, Deputy Secretary to the Military Board, to act as Secretary to the Board, during the absence of Captain Ormsby on sick certificate.

Lieutenant J. W. Cleaveland of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry,

Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice Wahab permitted to resign.

6th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Cornet Robert Woodle to be Lieutenant, from the 2d August 1815, vice Turton retired.

4th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant J. D. W. Rand to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) John Dalziel to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign David Watson to be Lieutenant, from the 25th April 1816, in succession to Harris retired.

Ensign F. Heleman to be Lieutenant, from the 14th August 1816, vice Bruce deceased.

5th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant M. Cubbon to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Richard Guille to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign J. G. Mitford to be Lieutenant, from the 23d June 1816, in succession to Hughes deceased.

Ensign William Buck to be Lieutenant, from the 2d April 1817, vice Logan deceased.

9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant W. Marett to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Hugh Massey to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Henry Birch to be Lieutenant, from the 2d September 1815, in succession to Sanford retired.

Ensign G. Williams to be Lieutenant, from the 8th February 1816, vice Kinsey retired.

Captain Lieutenant H. Massey to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant T. Prendergast to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign R. Dormer to be Lieutenant, from the 2d June 1816, in succession to Griffenhoofle invalided.

Lieutenant J. M'Cormick to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. Milne to be Lieutenant, from the 12th March 1817, in succession to Prendergast dismissed.

11th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant H. M. Cooper to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. T. Saunders to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign George Gray to be Lieutenant, from the 30th March 1816, in succession to Lutwidge retired.

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Lieutenant H. J. Wilkinson to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) W. Jones to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign W. J. Wilkinson to be Lieutenant, from the 27th March 1816, in succession to Cunningham retired.

Captain Lieutenant W. Jones to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Frederick Brown to be Captain Lieutenant,

Lieutenant, and Ensign G. Buttanshaw to be Lieutenant, from the 30th April 1816, in succession to Moore deceased.

Captain Lieutenant Frederick Brown to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) L. Cooper to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign G. R. Manners to be Lieutenant, from the 10th May 1816, in succession to Malton deceased.

Ensign F. A. Prescott to be Lieutenant, from the 18th May 1816, vice Seward deceased.

Ensign G. Eastment to be Lieutenant, from the 5th August 1816, vice Auber deceased.

Ensign W. H. N. Younge to be Lieutenant, from the 19th September 1816, vice Prescott deceased.

Ensign R. D. O'Dell to be Lieutenant, from the 1st December 1816, vice M'Leod invalided.

19th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieutenant C. C. Johnston to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant R. C. Smith to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Nicholas Syme to be Lieutenant, from the 23d March 1816, in succession to Loftie deceased.

21st Regiment N. I.

Ensign G. Trimmer to be Lieutenant, from the 11th June 1816, vice Kingdon deceased.

Ensign W. Langford to be Lieutenant, from the 10th November 1816, vice Ellis deceased.

Lieutenant J. Rodgers of the 9th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice M'Cormick promoted.

Captain W. Ormsby, Secretary to the Military Board, is permitted to proceed to Bangalore on leave of absence for three months, from the 26th Instant, for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Surgeon G. Briggs is permitted to proceed along the Coast, for a period of four months, for the recovery of his health; with eventual permission to return to Europe on furlough, via Bombay.

Captain A. Balmain, Major of Brigade in Travancore, is permitted to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope on sick certificate, and to be absent on that account for nine months.

Lieutenant B. Blake of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal, on leave of absence for six months, from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant H. Tocker of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe on furlough for three years.

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate:

Lieutenant A. M'Queen of the 18th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Ensign

Ensign James Allan of the 19th Native Regiment.

Cornet C. O. Aveline of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, having forwarded a medical certificate from Bushire, his leave of absence is extended to the 30th Instant.

The leave of absence to proceed to the Cape of Good Hope, granted in General Orders dated the 24th Ultimo, to Lieutenant John Willows of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, is cancelled at his request.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 21*st April* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Authentic information having been received of the death of Lieutenant Colonel John De Morgan of the 8th Regiment of Native Infantry, at Sea, on the 27th November 1816; The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Promotions:

INFANTRY.

Senior Major (Brevet Lieutenant Colonel) Richard Podmore, from the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant Colonel, from the 28th November 1816, vice De Morgan deceased.

10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain H. G. A. Taylor to be Major, Captain Lieutenant E. Richardson to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Robert Bell to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Alexander Barnett to be Lieutenant, from the 28th November 1816, in succession to Podmore promoted.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain J. H. Edwards of His Majesty's 86th Regiment, to the Command of Poonamallee, vice Dalrymple returned to Europe.

Mr. Superintending Surgeon George Baillie is permitted to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence for two months, from the 1st of May.

Cornet C. O. Aveline of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Lieutenant J. G. Mitford of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, has returned to his duty by permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, without prejudice to his Rank.—Arrived at Madras the 14th April 1817.

Lieut. Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Sir John Malcolm, K. C. B. of the 5th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Bengal

Bengal on leave of absence for three months, from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 22*d April* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Men of the Madras European Regiment, invalided by the Special Invaliding, &c. Committee, of which Major General Innes is President, are to be struck off the Return of that Regiment on the 30th Instant, and brought upon the strength of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion from the 1st Proximo.

The above mentioned Special Invaliding, &c. Committee, is dissolved.

Lieutenant Hitchins of the Rifle Corps, will relieve Major Munro as a Member of the Court of Enquiry, of which Lieutenant Colonel Kenny is President.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 23d April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

An European General Court Martial is to assemble at Bellary, at such time as the Officer Commanding in the Ceded Districts may appoint, for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it.

PRESIDENT,—Colonel Webber, Madras European Regiment.

The remainder of the Detail to be furnished by the Ceded District Division.

Lieutenant Power, Fort Adjutant of Bellary, will officiate as Judge Advocate, and the Names, Rank, and Dates of Commissions of Officers for this duty, are to be sent to him accordingly.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned, and they are hereby ordered to attend.

Lieutenant Lancorne will deliver over to Captain Lee of the 21st Regiment N. I. the charge of the Men of his Detachment of the Madras European Regiment, recently transferred to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, and furnish him with the necessary Rolls, Pay Certificates, &c.

Cornet William Barlow, 1st Regiment Cavalry, is removed *at his own request* to the 6th Regiment Cavalry, in which he will rank next below Cornet Henry Smith.

The following Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled in Camp at Maltay, on Friday, the 28th March 1817, by order of Colonel Walker, Commanding

manding the Nagpoor Subsidiary Force, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Meer Sheerfordeen of the 1st Battalion 21st Regiment N. I. is President, are submitted to the Army.

CRIME.—Ismael Kawn, Sepoy No. 16, of the E. or 7th Company of the 1st Battalion 20th Regiment N. I. placed in confinement, on the following Charge, viz.

For deserting from the Corps when on Field Service, on or about the 28th December 1814, this being the second time of his desertion.

CAMP NEAR NAGPOOR, (Signed) J. M'KENZIE, Major,
7th January 1817. In charge 1st Bat. 20th Regt. N. I.

(Signed) H. S. SCOTT, Lieut. Col.
Commanding Brigade.

By order of Colonel Walker, Comg. Nagpoor Subsidiary Force.
(Signed) E. L. SMYTHE,
A. A. A. General N. S. F.

SENTENCE.—The Court, from what has appeared before it in support of the prosecution, as well as from the Prisoner's own confession, is of opinion that he is guilty of the Crime with which he is charged, viz. "For deserting from his Corps "when on Field Service, on or about the 28th December "1814, this being the second time of his desertion," which being in disobedience of the Rules and Articles of War, it doth sentence him (Ismael Kawn) to receive (1000) one thousand lashes on his bare back, with a cat of nine tails, at such time and place as His Excellency The Commander in Chief may direct, and to be dismissed the Service.

The X mark of
MEER SHEERFORDEEN,
(Signed) J. TOD, Lieut. Subadar, and President.
Adjutant C. L. I.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieut. General.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 24th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Native General Court Martial of which Subadar Meer Sheerfordeen of the 1st Bat. 21st Regt. N. I. is President, is dissolved.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 25th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain Gibson, Madras European Regiment, will relieve Lieutenant

Lieutenant Wood of the 8th Regiment N. I. as President of the Clothing Committee.

Lieutenant Wood will join the Detachment of his Corps at the Presidency.

Captain Lee, of the 21st Regiment N. I. having been reported to Lieutenant M'Pherson of the same Regiment, will relieve him in the charge of the Men recently transferred from the Madras European Regiment, to the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion.

Lieutenants Sergeant and Thomas of the 21st Regiment, will do duty with the Detachment.

Head Quarters : Choultry Plain, 26th April 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

A Committee will assemble at Koongul on Monday, the 19th of May next, to examine the Remount Horses for the season 1816-17, and will be composed of

Lieutenant Colonel The Hon. Tuyll, H. M. 25th Dragoons, — *President.*

Major Dawes, H. M. 22d Dragoons,
Captain Newnan, H. M. 25th Dragoons,
Captain Jefferies, 6th Regiment Cavalry,
Lieutenant Harrison, Horse Artillery, } *Members.*

The Committee will receive it's instructions from the Adjutant General of the Army.

The following Removals and Appointments are ordered.

Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel R. Fletcher, from the 10th Regiment N. I. to the 8th Regiment and 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel R. Podmore, late Promotion, is posted to the 10th Regiment and 2d Battalion.

Surgeon Pender from the 22d Regiment N. I. to the 18th Regiment N. I. and 1st Battalion.

Assistant Surgeon Gilder from the 18th Regiment N. I. to the 22d Regiment N. I. and 2d Battalion.

Assistant Surgeon John Wilson, from the Presidency General Hospital to the 18th Regiment N. I. and 2d Battalion.

Assistant Surgeon A. Stevenson, from H. M. 84th Regiment, is posted to the Rifle Corps, and will join the Detachment under Captain Baker.

Assistant Surgeon A. King, from the 24th Regiment N. I. is posted to the 9th Regiment and 1st Battalion.

Assistant Surgeon W. Train, from H. M. 89th Regiment, will proceed immediately and place himself under the orders of the Superintending Surgeon in Mysore.

1st Dresser R. B. Daly, doing duty with the 4th Native Veteran Battalion, is appointed to succeed 1st Dresser Richard Hughes in the Lunatic Hospital.

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The following parts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled in Camp at Ellichpoor, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March 1817, by order of Colonel Doveton, Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, and continued by successive adjournments until Tuesday, the 1st of April of the same year, in virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Ramasawmy of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment N. I. is President, are published to the Army.

Jemadar Nagashaw, placed in arrest by me, for conduct unbecoming a Native Commissioned Officer, in the following instances.

1st. For absenting himself from his Battalion from the night of the 19th till the night of the 20th Instant.

2d. For being intoxicated in the village of Hingolie, on the evening of the 19th Instant, when he had permission to return for the purpose of getting his Bandy repaired and bringing on his family and property.

3d. For unmilitary and neglectful conduct, in allowing five Muskets to be stolen from a Party given him, for the protection of his family and property.

4th. For allowing his Party to get intoxicated and neglecting their duty, by which means five Muskets were stolen from the said Party, the whole of which conduct being disgraceful to a Native Commissioned Officer.

CAMP AT KARLIE, 24th October 1816. (Signed) C. HEATH, Major, Comg. 1st Bat. 7th Regt.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court finds the Prisoner, Jemadar Nageshaw, guilty of the whole of the Charges preferred against him, does therefore by virtue of the Articles of War established for the better government of the Honorable Company's Forces, adjudge him to be dismissed from the Service.

(Signed) RAMASAMY, his X mark, Subadar, and President.

(Signed) J. NIXON, Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieutenant General.

CRIME.—Jemadar Abdul Cawder of the A. Company, 1st Battalion 7th Regiment N. I. placed in arrest by my order, this 9th day of January 1817, on the following Charges, viz.

1st. For unofficer-like conduct in the following instance, in

in being intoxicated when on General Duty and Commanding the Bazar Guard on the 9th January 1817.

2d. For irregular conduct on the same day, in allowing a great part of his Men to be absent from their Guard and unable to state where they had gone, or the cause of their absence.

CAMP AT SUNGAM SANGWEE, 9th January 1817. (Signed) C. HEATH, Major, Comg. 1st Bat. 7th Regt.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court finds the Prisoner, Jemadar Abdul Cawder, guilty of the whole of the Charges exhibited against him, does therefore by virtue of the Articles of War established for the better government of the Honorable Company's Forces, sentence him to be Cashiered.

(Signed) J. NIXON, Deputy Judge Advocate. (Signed) RAMASAMY, his X mark, Subadar, and President.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED

(Signed) G. HISLOP, Lieutenant General.

A General Court Martial will assemble at Quilon, at such time and place as Colonel Sewell may direct, for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it

Colonel C. Trotter,—*President.*

MEMBERS.

Lieutenant Colonel Vaughan, 4th N. V. Bat.
" " Mandeville, 25th Regt. N. I.
Major 15th, H. M. 89th Regiment.
" Gennys, 5th Regiment N. I.
" Ingleby, H. M. 53d Regiment.
" Nixon, Artillery.
" Coultman, H. M. 53d Regiment.
" Durand, 5th Regiment N. I.
" Hare, 19th Regiment N. I.

The Southern Division of the Army will furnish 3, and the Travancore Subsidiary Force 2 Captains, to sit as Members of the above General Court Martial.

Captain Stewart, Deputy Judge Advocate, will conduct the Proceedings, to whom the Names, Rank and Date of Commissions of the Officers ordered for the above duty, are to be sent.

Prisoners and Evidences to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Recent omission, oblige His Excellency the Commander in Chief

Chief to call the attention of the Officers of the Army to the Regulations, which require that all Officers, Medical as well as Military, either in His Majesty's or the Honorable Company's Service, on their arrival at, and departure from the Presidency, shall report themselves personally at the Adjutant General's Office, except in cases of sickness, when written reports may be made.

The above orders will not be considered as affecting those which require similar reports to be made to the Town Major of Fort St. George, and by Officers in His Majesty's Service to the Deputy Adjutant General and Brigade Major of H. M. Forces.

His Excellency further directs, that *all* Medical Officers shall report their arrival at, and departure from, the Presidency, to the Secretary of the Medical Board, either personally or in writing, for the information of the Board.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*For what period.*	*To what place.*
Lieutenant	C. Bodero	1st Bt. 12th Rt. or W. L. L.	18th July 1817	Presidency, sick cert.
,,	T. Casey	2d Bt. 14th Rt.	26th July ,,	Sea Coast, do.
Cornet & Adjt.	G. Faris	1st Cavalry	26th Oct. ,,	do. do.
Captain	E. Osborne	1st Bt. 2d Rt. M. B. Centre Division	26th Aug. ,,	To remain in the Carnatic and visit Mysoor on sick cert.
Lieutenant	J. Willows	1st Bt. 25th Rt.	15th July ,,	To remain at the Presidency and eventually to proceed to Ne gaptam on sick certificate.
Ensign	J. G. Mitford	1st Bt. 5th Rt.	26th July ,,	Presidency, on his private affairs

3d *May* 1817.

Fort St. George, 10*th March* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to resolve that the Officers Commanding at Arcot, Wallajahbad, Trichinopoly, Bangalore, Cannanore and Secunderabad, shall be subject to the payment of a Monthly Rent for the Public Quarters which they may respectively occupy, agreeably to the undermentioned rates, namely,

Arcot,	Pags. 20
Wallajahbad,	,, 10
Trichinopoly,	,, 10
Bangalore,	,, 20

Cannanore,

Cannanore, ... „ 20
and
Secunderabad, ... „ 20

The following Regulations are established for the guidance of Officers holding those Commands.

1st.—When an Officer is appointed to Command, his application for permission to occupy the Public Quarters, shall be forwarded to the Quarter Master General of the Army, to be submitted to the Military Board; And their decision will be communicated to him by that Officer.—The necessary notification will also be made to the Military Auditor General, by whom Paymasters will be instructed to make the prescribed stoppage, commencing from the date on which the Public Quarter may be occupied, to be certified by the Officer in charge of Public Buildings. Pending this reference, the Officer applying is authorized to enter the Quarter; on despatching his application.

2d.—When an Officer shall by removal or otherwise vacate the Public Quarter, a communication must be immediately made by such Officer to the Officer in charge of Public Buildings, whose duty it will be to notify the date to the Paymaster, and to make the necessary communication to the Quarter Master General. The Military Auditor General will be apprized by the latter Officer of the date on which such Officer's liability to the payment of rent may cease.

3d.—Officers Commanding who may be occasionally absent from their Command on Field Service, are to have the option of retaining the Public Quarter during their absence, paying the established rent; but if Officers so situated should wish to wave this option, they must proceed as directed in the 2d Paragraph; or they will be held answerable for the rent.

The Governor in Council has further been pleased to resolve, that in the event of the Public Quarters appropriated for the residence of Officers Commanding being vacant, the Officer Commanding the Division shall be considered as having a prior claim to the Quarter, provided it shall be at the Head Quarters; and whenever the General or other Commanding Officer of a Division shall be desirous of occupying the Public Quarter, his application must be submitted as directed in the 1st Paragraph.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, 2d *April* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

Ordered that the following Extracts from the Honorable Company's

Company's General Letter in the Military Department, under date the 12th June 1816, be published in General Orders.

To England 31st December 1813.

50. Mr. Robert Deany O'Dell, Cadet on this Establishment, who was wrecked on the Extra Ship Euphrates on the 1st January 1813, near Point de Galle, and afterwards proceeded from Ceylon to Bengal in charge of Recruits, permitted to receive his Pay and Allowances from that date, the period from which his time of service is to commence, left for Court's decision.

32. We are of opinion that the commencement of Mr. O'Dell's service ought to be reckoned from the date at which he has been permitted to draw Indian allowances.

68. Puckallies to be allowed to General and Staff Officers whenever they shall be encamped on duty.

41. We shall not object to the indulgence of Puckallies to the Staff Officers adverted to in this Paragraph, but it is our positive directions that no allowance whatever be made to General Officers on the Staff, beyond what has been already fixed for Officers of that Rank, and which we consider to be ample for every purpose of accommodation and respectability.

206 & 7. Mr. Filson provisionally admitted as an Assistant Surgeon and recommended to be confirmed from the 24th March 1815.

113. We have had frequent occasion to notice and disapprove Appointments similar to that proposed in this Paragraph.

114. Such Appointments are obviously improper, as they encourage men, of whose education and character we have had no means of judging, to resort to India, in hopes of obtaining, through the interest of Friends there, an introduction into the Company's Service.

115. We therefore direct this Appointment and any other of a similar kind which may have been since made, to be cancelled.

229. Noticing a dispute between the Commanding Officer at Bangalore, and Military Chaplain at that Station.

136. We think that the animadversions which you make upon the conduct of both the Gentlemen mentioned in this Paragraph, were very proper, and we desire that you will make our judgment upon this transaction publicly known. The proceeding of Colonel MacLeod was a disrespect to the duty of Divine Worship, which ought always to be performed with every attendant circumstance of propriety and decorum;—and Mr. Thomas himself, in the intemperate language he used,

used, forgot how much it was incumbent on him not to disparage the sacred character with which he is invested.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 2d *April* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following Regulation shall be observed in future in the issue of Camp Equipage to His Majesty's Regiments of Dragoons.—Two European Regulation Tents are to be allotted to the Detail attached to the Galloper Guns of a Dragoon Regiment, for the accommodation of the Men and cover of the Harness; and the number of Men so attached, will be deducted from the strength of the Regiment, in calculating the Tentage for the remainder agreeably to the rate at present established.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 15*th April* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council deems it expedient to direct, that the 31st Para. Page 178 of the Code of Pay Regulations, (which forbids the Sale of Horses, obtained by Cavalry Officers from the Remount Lots, before the amount of their price has been fully paid to the Honorable Company) shall be considered to extend to the transfer of Chargers from one Officer to another.—It will accordingly be incumbent on Officers to be particularly careful in selecting suitable Horses in the first instance from the Remount Lots.

If, however, the Commander in Chief, under any peculiar, or extraordinary circumstances, should see reason to allow a deviation from this Regulation, it will be competent to His Excellency to sanction an intermediate transfer—the Officer, by whom the Horse was first selected, still continuing to be responsible for it's purchase money, and the stoppages from his Pay and Allowances being continued, notwithstanding the transfer, until the full amount has been discharged; but in the event of death, removal from the Service, or other cause rendering the amount irrecoverable from the Officer to whom the Charger was originally issued, the actual possessor of the Horse is to be answerable for the sum which may remain unpaid at the period of such casualty.—It is to be further particularly understood, that on Horses being returned to the ranks,

ranks, no higher sum can, in any case, be claimed in repayment for them, than the amount which shall be shewn by the Certificates of Paymasters to have been actually paid for such Horses.

The provisions of the 25th Para. Page 176 of the Code of Regulations, under which Officers, receiving Horses from the Remount Lots, cease to draw Horse Allowance until the amount of the purchase money is paid, having been found inconvenient; Cavalry Officers, under the above circumstances, are in future to include Horse Allowance in their Regimental Abstracts, and to make deductions of the prescribed instalments, in the manner observed in the recovery of stoppages on account of Tents, Wine, Cloth, &c.; the amount to be brought to account by Paymasters under the head of "Horses, and Horse Accoutrements."

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD, Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, 29*th April* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, that Funds have been allotted to the Paymaster at the Presidency and in the several Divisions of the Army, for the discharge of all ordinary demands in the Military Department in the course of the ensuing month of May.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD, Sec. to Government.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: Choultry Plain, 29*th April* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain Taylor of H. M. 22d Light Dragoons, is appointed a Member of the Committee on Remount Horses, ordered to assemble at Koongul on the 19th Proximo, and of which Lieutenant Colonel the Baron Tuyll is President, vice Captain Jeffries relieved from that duty.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 1*st May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant James Taylor of the 1st Battalion 20th Regiment N. I. is appointed to the charge of the Detachment of the 2d Native Veteran Battalion stationed at Chingleput.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 2*d May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant Cleaveland of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I.

is

is relieved from the Clothing Committee ; and Lieutenant Dale of the Madras European Regiment, from that of which Major Preston is President.

The following Removals are ordered.

4th Regiment N. I.

Captain Lieutenant Daziel is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

5th Regiment N. I.

Captain Guille is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion ; Lieutenant M'Pherson from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

9th Regiment N. I.

Captain Hicks is removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion ; Lieutenant Smart from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

10th Regiment N. I.

Captain Howell is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion, and Captain Gwynne from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Burnet is removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

11th Regiment N. I.

Captain Cooper and Captain Lieutenant Saunders are removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion ; and Captain J. Stewart from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Drake is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

13th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Buttanshaw is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

The following Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial held at Secunderabad, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January 1817, by order of Colonel Doveton, Commanding the Subsidiary Force serving His Highness the Soubahdar of the Deckan, and continued by successive adjournments until Wednesday, the 9th day of April of the same year, in virtue of a warrant and under authority from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Futteh Mahomed, 15th Regiment N. I. is President.

CHARGE.—Paupah, Store Havildar 2d Battalion 24th Regiment N. I. confined by order of the Officer Commanding the Force, charged with the Murder of Rajah Homed, a Bazar Man in the Cantonment of Secunderabad, on Sunday, the 2d of June 1816.

CAMP SANGUM SINGWEE, 4th *January* 1817. (Signed) C. ADDISON, Deputy Adjutant General.

BY ORDER.

(Signed) C. ADDISON, Deputy Adjutant General.

SENTENCE.—The Court having duly considered every thing that

that has appeared before it, fully acquits the Prisoner of the Crime laid to his charge.

The X mark of
FUTTEH MAHOMED,
(Signed) W. GODLEY, Lieut. Subadar, and President.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 3d May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

William Holmes, late Arrack Godown Serjeant of Fort St. George, is re-admitted on the strength of the Effective Supernumeraries as a Serjeant, from the 1st Instant.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lt. Col.	G. Hamilton	1st Bt. 10th Rt.	Three months from the date of his departure from Masulipatam	Presidency.
Lieut.	J. Taylor	1st Bt. 20th Rt.	31st July 1817	do.

10*th May* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 7*th May* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to fix the Establishment of each Battalion of Native Infantry, including the Light Battalions, at nine hundred Privates, and His Excellency the Commander in Chief is requested to give directions for Recruiting the Army accordingly.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,
CHIEF SECRETARY.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 7*th May* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Appointments, Promotions and Corrections of Rank.

Lieutenant James Lyon to be Adjutant to the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, vice Smith.

Lieutenant H. Wallis of the 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, to

to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps, vice Dalziel promoted.

Lieutenant Lloyd Gwynne of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 1st Battalion of that Corps, vice Cracroft permitted to resign.

Lieutenant H.R. King of the 19th Regiment of Native Infantry, to act as Adjutant to the 2d Battalion from the 10th Ultimo, until Lieutenant and Adjutant Cleaveland joins the Corps.

ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant Francis Best to be Captain Lieutenant, and Lieutenant Fireworker W. F. Lewis to be Lieutenant, from the 15th April 1817, in succession to Gahagan deceased.

Corrections of Rank.

Cornet G. Biss of the 3d Regiment of Native Cavalry, to Rank from 2d August 1815, vice Turton retired.

Cornet E. G. Harris of the 8th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to rank from 13th January 1816, vice Simpson invalided.

Cornet Donald M'Leod of the 4th Regiment of Native Cavalry, to rank from the 28th October 1816, vice Fullerton deceased.

The permission to proceed to Sea, granted in General Orders dated 3d March last, to Captain E. Osborne of the 2d Regiment of N. I. is cancelled at his request.

Lieutenant George Dunn of the 20th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe on furlough for three years.

Lieutenant Dunn is permitted to proceed to Bengal; and his furlough will commence from the date of his embarkation at Fort William, if within three months after his arrival at that Presidency.

Captain H. Wright of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, has returned to his duty by permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, without prejudice to his Rank.—Arrived at Madras the 30th April 1817.

Ordered that the following Extract from a Report on the examination of Lieutenant C. D. Dunn of the 22d Regiment of Native Infantry, in the Persian Language, be published in General Orders.

"Lieutenant Dunn went through the several exercises presented to him in a manner which reflected the greatest credit on his talents and assiduity.—His translations were not only entirely free from error of every description; but that from English into Persian was distinguished by a style perfectly idiomatical and in which, although the eastern ornaments of writing were not neglected they were not admitted in too great profusion.—The conversation of

of Lieutenant Dunn was remarkable for correctness and fluency, and his pronunciation is free from any particular defect.—His hand-writing is extremely elegant."

"From the whole of the attainments above enumerated, we are induced to place Lieutenant Dunn on a level with the best Persian Scholars, who have appeared before us, and we consider him, as eminently entitled to the usual honorary reward, which we beg leave to recommend that he may receive accordingly."

The Governor in Council directs that the reward established by the General Orders of 17th November 1812, for proficiency in the Persian Language, be presented to Lieutenant Dunn.

Lieutenant John Willows of the 25th Regiment of Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to the Isle of France for the recovery of his health, and to be absent on that account for six months, from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *4th May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

With reference to the G. O. of the 26th Ultimo, The Commander in Chief is pleased to permit the Reports thereby required to be made, either personally *or in writing*, but such indulgence will be extended no longer than it is found not to interfere with the regular discharge of duty, and punctual obedience to the General Orders which all Officers are expected to make themselves acquainted with at the Office of the Public Staff Officer at each Station of the Army, and by reference to the Orderly Books at the Adjutant General's Office at the Presidency.

Colonel Pritzler of His Majesty's 22d Regiment Light Dragoons, is appointed President of the Committee, ordered to assemble at Koongul on the 26th Ultimo, for the Inspection of Remount Horses, vice Lieutenant Colonel the Baron Tuyll, relieved on account of being employed on other duty at the Presidency.

Assistant Surgeon Wilson of the 2d Battalion 18th Regiment N. I. will proceed *immediately* to Poonamallee and afford medical aid to the Detachments of His Majesty's 53d and 89th Regiments, ordered to march to the Southward.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 5th May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Desormeaux will proceed without delay and afford medical aid to the Troops stationed in Wynaud.

Head

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 6th May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Private George Campbell, late Serjeant in His Majesty's 80th Regiment, and recently transferred to the Honorable Company's Service, is promoted to the Rank of Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries, from the 25th March last, the date of his being struck off the strength of the 80th Foot.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 7th May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial held in Camp at Ellichpoor, on Saturday, the 5th day of April 1817, by order of Colonel Doveton, Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force serving His Highness the Subadar of the Deckan, and continued by successive adjournments until Wednesday, the 9th day of April of the same year, in virtue of a warrant, and under authority from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Subadar Ramasawmy of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment N. I. is President.

CRIME.—Mootoosawmy, Private No. 64 of A Company 2d Battalion 6th Regiment, confined by order of the Commanding Officer, charged with having murdered Achiamah his wife, on or about the 14th November 1816.

CAMP KURRAH, 16th *March* 1817. } (Signed) C. ADDISON, Deputy Adjt. General H. S. F.

BY ORDER. (Signed) C. ADDISON, Deputy Adjutant General.

SENTENCE.—The Court finds the Prisoner, Mootoosawmy, Private 2d Battalion 6th Regiment N. I. guilty of the Charge preferred against him, viz. With having murdered Achiamah his wife, on or about the 14th day of November 1816.

The Court having found the Prisoner guilty, as above stated, does therefore by virtue of the Articles of War, sentence him (the Prisoner) to suffer death by being hanged.

(Signed) RAMASAWMY, his X mark, Subadar, and President.

(Signed) J. NIXON, Deputy Judge Advocate to the Army.

Confirmed, but it appearing through the Proceedings of the Trial that the Court has established it's conviction of the Prisoner's guilt solely on presumptive grounds, no evidence having been adduced in proof of his having struck, or committed any act of violence whereby to have caused the death of his deceased wife, I do hereby remit the sentence of death awarded him, at the same time direct that he may be forthwith discharged from the Honorable Company's Service. (Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieutenant General.

Extracts

Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial held at Bangalore, on the 1st day of May 1817, by order of Major General Hare, Commanding the Mysore Division, and continued by successive adjournments until Saturday, the 3d day of May of the same year, in virtue of a warrant and under authority from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and of which Syrang Cassim, 2d Battalion of Artillery, is President.

CHARGE.—Jemadar Mahomed Hyder of the 2d Battalion 12th Regiment N. I. placed in arrest by me, for un-officerlike, and disgraceful conduct, in the following particulars, viz.

In having while on the *Sick Report*, been seen in a state of intoxication, on or about the 18th February 1817, gambling in or near the Bazar, with two Privates of the Corps, and some Native Inhabitants of the very lowest description, and for having pawned at that time a Kumlie to a Private of the Battalion for a few Fanams.

BANGALORE, *13th March* 1817. (Signed) T. POLLOK, Major, Senior Officer, 2d Bat. 12th Regt.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the evidence adduced in support of the prosecution, as also what has been urged on the defence, is of opinion that the Prisoner, Jemadar Mahomed Hyder of the 2d Battalion 12th Regiment N. I. is guilty of un-officerlike, and disgraceful conduct, in the following particulars, viz.

In having while on the *Sick Report*, been seen in a state of intoxication, on or about the 18th February 1817, gambling in or near the Bazar with two Privates of the Corps, and for having pawned at that time a Kumlie to a Private of the Battalion for a few Fanams.

The Court acquits the Prisoner of the remaining part of the Charge.

The Court having found the Prisoner guilty as above specified, which being in breach of the Articles of War, it does sentence him, the Prisoner Jemadar Mahomed Hyder, to be dismissed from the Service of the Honorable Company.

The mark of CASSIM, Syrang, and President.

(Signed) J. KITSON, Lieut. 2d Bat. 12th Regt. N. I.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.
Head

Head Quarters : Choultry Plain, 8th May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

A Native General Court Martial for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it, is to be assembled at Vellore, at such time as the Officer Commanding the Centre Division of the Army may please to appoint.

The Centre Division to furnish the Detail, and the Proceedings to be conducted by Captain Hicks of the 9th Regiment N. I.

Prisoners and Evidences to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Head Quarters : Choultry Plain, 9th May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

On the arrival of Captain Collet's Detachment at Secunderabad, Assistant Surgeon D. S. Young will proceed to the Northern Division of the Army, and place himself under the orders of the Superintending Surgeon.

Corporal Bunney of His Majesty's 25th Regiment Light Dragoons, is appointed *to act* as Serjeant Major, and Private Niel Currie of the same Regiment, *to act* as Quarter Master Serjeant to the 6th Regiment Cavalry. They will join the Detachment of that Regiment under Captain Jefferies, at Arcot.

Head Quarters : Choultry Plain, 10th May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant Strachan of the 19th Regiment N. I. will remain under the orders of the Deputy Quarter Master General of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, till he has completed his Survey, and will be returned accordingly.

Assistant Surgeon Knox, attached to His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons, will proceed in medical charge of Captain Jefferies's Detachment of the 6th Light Cavalry, ordered from Arcot to Bellary.

Captain and Brevet Major M. Campbell of the 4th Native Veteran Battalion, will join the Detachment of his Corps at Ramnad.

Captain and Brevet Major H. Durand of the 1st Battalion 5th Regiment N. I. will join and do duty with the Detachment of the 4th Native Veteran Battalion at Sankeridroog.

Colonel H. Webber (late promotion), is posted to the Madras European Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel J. Leith is removed from the 1st Battalion 5th Regiment N. I. to the Madras European Regiment.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel J. G. Graham is removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion 5th Regiment N. I. ; and

Lieutenant Colonel A. Molesworth (late promotion), is posted to the 2d Battalion 5th Regiment N. I.

William Bates, transferred from His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons to the Honorable Company's Service, is to be considered as having been received upon the Effective Supernumeraries as a Private, from the 25th March last, the date of transfer.

Serjeant Smith of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is appointed Garrison Hospital Serjeant at Vizagapatam.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

16th Regiment 2d Battalion.

	Date of Commissions
Jemadar Syed Hussain to be Subadar,	20th April 1817.
Drill Havildar Hussain Cawn to be Jemadar,	

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Major	M. L. Pereira	1st Bt. 11th Rt.	15th Sept. 1817	Presidency.
Lieut.	J. Watson	2d do 5th „	5th Sept. „	Cuddalore, sick cert.
Lieut.	W. Shaw	1st do. 10th „	30th Sept. „	Berhampore and Vizagapatam.
Major	P. V. Agnew (Dep. Adjt. Genl. of the Army.)		15th Aug.? „	Bangalore, on account of health.

17th *May* 1817.

Fort St. George, 28*th April* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

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

Infantry.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Henry Webber to be Colonel of a Regiment, from the 14th April 1817, vice Croker deceased.

Senior Major (Brevet Lieutenant Colonel) Arthur Molesworth to be Lieutenant Colonel, from the 14th April 1817, in succession to Webber promoted.

5th Regiment N. I.

Captain (Brevet Major) Charles Marriott to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Richard Guille to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant F. M. Whitehead to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign A. M'Farlane to be Lieutenant, from the 14th April 1817, in succession to Molesworth promoted.

Major General Sir John Chalmers, K. C. B. is permitted to remain at the Presidency until the 1st of July next. Lieu-

Lieutenant W. T. Brett of Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance at Cannanore, having returned to that Station from the Cape of Good Hope, is directed to resume the duties of his office.

Mr. Conductor John Hutchinson 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.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 12*th May* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Captain Lieutenant P. M. Whitehead of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry, to act as Brigade Major to the Troops in Travancore, during the absence of Captain Balmain.

Ensign James Low of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry, to act as Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, during the absence of Lieutenant and Adjutant Blake.

ENGINEERS.

Lieutenant William Monteath to be Captain, and Ensign Alexander Grant to be Lieutenant, from the 2d May 1817, in succession to Arthur deceased.

13th Regiment N. I.

Ensign E. B. Blenkinsop to be Lieutenant, from the 29th April 1817, in succession to Brumfield deceased.

The furlough to Europe for three years, granted in General Orders dated the 13th March 1817, to Major James Limond of the Artillery, is cancelled at his request.

Major Limond is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Colonel J. C. Scott, Commanding Seringapatam, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for two months.

Mr. William Colhoun, Staff Surgeon of the Travancore Subsidiary Force, is permitted to visit the Presidency on three months leave of absence from his Station.

The leave to proceed to Europe on sick certificate, granted in General Orders dated 12th December 1814, to Lieutenant James Taylor of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry, has been cancelled at his request; and this Officer has been permitted to continue absent at the Cape of Good Hope on sick certificate.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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FORT ST. GEORGE, 16th *May* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Captain H. Raynsford of the 3d Regiment Native Cavalry, is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD, SEC. TO GOVT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 12th *May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Ensign Thomas Walters is removed *at his own request*, from the 18th to the 9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 14th *May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The undermentioned Farriers are removed as follows, from the 10th Instant.

John Carmichael, John Fred. Deckmyer, James Blake, Charles Lanauze,	From the 1st to the 2d Regt. Cavalry.
Thomas Rose, William Madden,	From the 1st to the 6th Regt. Cavalry.
William Wiley, Arthur Cavinah,	From the 8th to the 6th Regt Cavalry.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 15th *May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant H. White of the 7th Regiment N. I. is appointed to the Pioneers and 1st Battalion, vice Massey promoted, to complete the establishment.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 16th *May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

A Native General Court Martial, consisting of a President and 14 Members, is to be assembled at Secunderabad, at such time as the Officer Commanding at that Station may appoint, for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it.

The Cantonment of Secunderabad to furnish the Detail, and the Senior Subadar or Syrang, to sit as President.

The Officer Commanding at Secunderabad will be pleased to detail an Officer to officiate as Judge Advocate, to whom the Names, Rank and Date of Commissions of Officers for this duty, are to be sent.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Extract

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial assembled at Masulipatam, on the 15th day of April, and continued by adjournments till the 21st day of April 1817, by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. Commander in Chief, &c. &c. and of which Brevet Colonel Robert Munro is President, are published to the Army.

Lieutenant H. Croasdaile, 10th Regiment N. I. is then arraigned on the following Charge.

CHARGE.—I charge Lieutenant H. Croasdaile, 1st Battalion 10th Regiment N. I. with conduct scandalous and infamous, such as is unbecoming the character of an Officer and a Gentleman, in having violently assaulted me on the General Parade at Masulipatam, in the afternoon of the 22d Instant, in presence of several Officers, and immediately in the vicinity of a Guard of Europeans.

MASULIPATAM, November 23, 1816. (Signed) J. W. HOWELL, Captain, 1st Bat. 10th Regt.

By Order,

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

SENTENCE.—The Court is of opinion that the Prisoner, Lieutenant H. Croasdaile of the 1st Battalion 10th Regiment N. I. is guilty of scandalous conduct, such as is unbecoming the character of an Officer and a Gentleman, in having violently assaulted Captain J. Howell of the same Corps, on the General Parade at Masulipatam, on the afternoon of the 22d November 1816, in presence of several Officers, and immediately in the vicinity of a Guard of Europeans, but acquit him of the remainder of the Charge, viz. "infamous conduct."

Having found the Prisoner, Lieutenant Croasdaile, 1st Battalion 10th Regiment N. I. guilty in the above instances, it doth sentence him to be cashiered.

(Signed) ROBERT MUNRO, Lt. Col. & Col. 20th Regt. N. I.—President.

(Signed) H. SMITH, Lieut.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

The Commander in Chief having approved and confirmed the foregoing Sentence is pleased, in consideration of the recommendation of the Court, the Prisoner's acknowledgment of error, and the contrition he has expressed, to remit the Sentence; at the same

same time the Commander in Chief cannot concur in the opinion which the Court has expressed in its recommendation, that any provocation existed to palliate the offence. It does not appear on the testimony of any of the Witnesses, that such was the case, on the contrary it is deposed, that the advice Captain Howell gave to Lieutenant Crosadaile was given in a friendly tone, and the Commander in Chief therefore desires, Lieutenant Crosadaile to remember that in whatever situation he may be placed, the advice of a Senior Officer carries with it the weight of authority, and that resistance in any shape is a breach of discipline and subordination.—The Commander in Chief trusts that the present result will prove a salutary warning to Lieutenant Crosadaile, who is ordered to be released from arrest and return to his duty.

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled at Masulipatam on the 1st day of May 1817, by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. Commander in Chief, &c. &c. and of which Subadar Bhood Singh of the 3d. Regiment N. I. is President; are published to the Army.

Shaik Alli, Sepoy, No. 49 of the H. or Lieutenant Conway's Company 1st Battalion 4th Regiment N. I. confined to the Quarter Guard on the morning of the 27th December 1816, by Subadar Gholam Hussain of the same Company, upon the following Charge.

CHARGE.—For highly mutinous conduct, in having on the morning of the 27th December 1816, assaulted and wounded with a Bayonet, Alli Khan, Havildar, No. 3 of the same Company, while on the Public Parade, and in the execution of his duty.

CAMP AT RAJAHMUNDRY, *December* 27, 1816. (Signed) H. T. HEYTHUSEN, Lt. Comg. Detachment 1st Bt. 4th Rt. N.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court finds the Prisoner *guilty* of the Charge preferred against him, and do therefore sentence him to receive 1,000 lashes with a cat of nine tails, on his bare back, at such time and place as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may please to direct, and afterwards to be discharged the Service.

The signature in Gentoo,
of BHOOD SINGH, Subadar,
and President.

(Signed) HENRY SMITH, Lieut.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED!

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieut. General.

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The following Extracts from G.O. issued by The Commander in Chief in India, are, by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

Extract from the Proceedings of an European General Court Martial assembled at Fort William, in obedience to General Orders of the 27th Ultimo and 2d Instant, and held by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief, under date the 5th April 1817.

FORT WILLIAM, *Monday, 7th April* 1817.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel Green, 30th Native Regiment.
Judge Advocate,—Captain J. Bryant, Judge Advocate General.

CHARGE.—John Pluck, alias Plook, Matross in the 3d Battalion of the Honorable Company's Regiment of Artillery, confined for deserting from his Corps on or about the 8th of March last.

By order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM,
31st March 1817.

(Signed) JAMES NICOL,
Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court find the Prisoner, Matross Pluck, alias Plook, guilty of the Crime laid to his charge, and sentence him to four months solitary imprisonment.

(Signed) ROBERT GREEN, Lieut. Col.
and President.

(Signed) J. BRYANT,
Judge Advocate General.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Fort William, in obedience to General Orders of the 27th Ultimo and 2d Instant, and held by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief, under date the 5th April 1817.

FORT WILLIAM, *Monday, the 7th April* 1817.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel Green, 30th Native Infantry.
Judge Advocate,—Captain J. Bryant, Judge Advocate General.

CHARGES.—Edward [illegible]han, Matross in the 1st Company 3d Battalion of the Honorable Company's Regiment of Artillery, confined on the following Charges.

1st.—Deserting from his Corps, on or about the 30th of November last.

2d.—For making his escape on the 17th of December 1816, from the Regimental Hospital of the Regiment of Artillery,

Artillery, when there a Prisoner; and not returning until seized, and brought back on the 20th of January last.

3d.—For breaking from his confinement in the Barrack Guard, on or about the 24th of January last.

By order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE: (Signed) JAMES NICOL,
PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM. Adjt. Genl. of the Army.
31st March 1817.

SENTENCE.—The Court are of opinion that the Prisoner, Matross Edward Sohan, is guilty of the first Charge exhibited against him.

That he is guilty of the second Charge.

That he is guilty of the third Charge.

The Court sentence him to six months solitary confinement.

(Signed) ROBERT GILLEN, Lieut. Col.
(Signed) J. BRYANT, and President.
Judge Advocate General.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

His Excellency The Commander in Chief has approved and confirmed the finding and sentence of the foregoing Courts Martial, but in consideration of the excellent Soldier-like appearance of the portion of the Regiment of Artillery recently reviewed, His Lordship is pleased, in compliment to the Corps, to remit the punishment awarded to Matrosses Edward Sohan and John Pluck.

(True Extracts.)

(Signed) C. J. DOYLE. *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

Extract from the Proceedings in continuation of an European General Court Martial assembled at Fort William, in obedience to General Orders of the 27th Ultimo and 2d Instant, and held by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Earl of Moira, K. G. Commander in Chief, under date the 5th April 1817.

FORT WILLIAM; *Tuesday, the 8th April* 1817.

President,—Lieutenant Colonel Green, 30th Native Infantry.
Judge Advocate,—Captain Bryant, Judge Advocate General.

CHARGE.—Edward Mumford, Private in the Honorable Company's European Regiment, confined for deserting from his Corps on or about the 24th of February last.

By order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE: (Signed) JAMES NICOL,
PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM. Adjt. Genl. of the Army.
31st March 1817.

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SENTENCE.—The Court find the Prisoner, Edward Mumford guilty of the Crime laid to his charge, and sentence him to three months solitary imprisonment.

(Signed) ROBERT GREEN, Lieut. Col. and President.

(Signed) J. BRYANT,
Judge Advocate General.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

(A true Extract)
(Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

The Orders by Colonel Scott, Commanding Seringapatam, appointing Acting Sergeant Major Bergin of the 1st Battalion Artillery, *to act* as Garrison Sergeant Major, are confirmed.

Serjeant G. C. Turner of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is appointed Garrison Serjeant Major of Seringapatam.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

2d Regiment Light Cavalry.

Jemadar Mahomed Sellar to be Subadar, } Date of Commissions,
Havildar Deen Thing to be Jemadar, } 26th April 1817.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Bt. Colonel	T. Wilson	1st Bt. 14th Rt.	17th Sept. 1817,	Sea Coast.
Captain	C. A. Walker	1st „ 8th „	30th June „	Cuddalore.
Lieutenant	G. Gill	1st „ 21st „	21st Oct. „	Madras, sick certificate.
Ensign	M. K. Young	1st „ 7th „	31st Aug. „	Madras, ditto.

HEAD QUARTERS, CHOULTRY PLAIN, 22*d May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

REVIEWS AND INSPECTIONS.

Former Regulations cancelled.

Para. 1st.—The existing Regulations for the half-yearly Reviews and Inspections of Corps on the Fort St. George Establishment being neither sufficiently minute, nor explicit in many points, thereby occasioning a great want of uniformity and regularity, His Excellency The Commander in Chief has deemed it of importance to substitute the following Rules and Observations by which Reviewing Officers will henceforth be guided, and from which no deviation whatever will be permitted; The present Regulations on this subject (General Regulations, Part II, Page 312) are accordingly cancelled and the

various transactions, and discharge their duty with diligence and fidelity.

23d.—Whether they are properly instructed, active, and intelligent: Whether they are obedient and respectful to their Officers, and, at the same time support their own authority in a becoming manner: Whether they perform their duty in the Field and in Quarters with promptitude and energy, and whether, by their conduct in their respective stations, they promote, to the best of their abilities the discipline of the Regimen. Non-Commissioned Officers in general.

24th.—Whether perfect in the different Soundings of the Trumpet and in the Beats of the Drum: Whether they are active, intelligent, and attentive to their duty in the Field and in Quarters. Trumpeters of Cavalry and Drummers of Infantry.

25th.—Whether the number is limited according to Regulation: Whether they play in correct time, and whether they are trained to, and fit for the Ranks. Musicians.

26th.—Whether a good body of Men, with a general appearance of health and cleanliness: Whether of proper standard: Whether the numbers actually in the Ranks, correspond exactly with the Returns: Whether well drilled, attentive, sober, and well behaved: Whether any Man is kept on the strength of the Regiment who is not clothed, and who does not do his duty as a Soldier. Private.

27th.—Whether well regulated:—Whether the interior arrangement of the Troops or Companies, is duly attended to: and whether the conduct of the Men in their Quarters is orderly and soldierlike. Interior economy.

28th.—Whether the Officers Mess together, and whether the Regimental Mess is established upon such a system of economy as enables the Subaltern Officers to belong to it without embarrassment. Mess.

29th.—Whether the different Troop or Company Books, and the Regimental Books, are kept in a proper manner, and according to the established Regulations; and whether the Captains or Officers Commanding, Troops, or Companies, are in the habit of settling *in person* with their Men. Books.

30th.—Whether the Regimental necessaries supplied to Soldiers appear to be charged or provided at a fair and reasonable price, and to be of a proper quality, and in due proportions. Regimental necessaries.

31st.—Whe-

Complaints. 31st.—Whether there are any complaints, and of what nature:—If any, to be particularly reported on.

Recruits. 32d.—What number of Recruits have joined since the date of the last Confidential Report: What attention appears to have been paid in perfecting them in their duty: Whether, from their general appearance, they are an acquisition to the Corps.

Recruit Boys. 33d.—Whether good or bad, and what number is likely to become fit for the Effective Ranks before next Review.

Pension Boys. 34th.—Whether selected from the most deserving cases, and whether proper attention, be in every respect paid to this branch, so as to meet, with the best effect, the liberal views and charitable objects of the present system.

Men proposed to be discharged. 35th.—A Return of those proposed to be discharged (if any) must accompany the Report, in which the age, character, services, and description of each Man must be stated, and the cause of his being deemed unfit for service.

Horses of Cavalry Regiment. 36th.—The general appearance, whether of sufficient size, strength, and activity: Whether in good condition and well trained:—A general description of the Remount Horses which have joined during the preceding year, which must therefore be inspected separately: A Return of those proposed to be cast (if any) must accompany the Report, in which the causes of their unfitness for further military service are to be particularly stated.

Horse Appointments. * Circular Letter to Cavalry Corps, 5th November 1816. 37th.—Whether the Saddles, Gun Harness, &c. be in good repair, and of the ordered muster,* and whether the Saddle Contract in general appears well and sufficiently fulfilled.

Line Articles. 38th.—Whether Line Articles are of proper description and supplied in due quantities, and under proper management.

Forage. * G. O. 16th March 1810. 39th.—Whether of good quality, issued with regularity, under due superintendence of Officers; and whether the System ordered* be strictly observed.

Field Exercise and Movement. 40th.—Whether the original formation of the Regiment is according to the established Regulations: Whether

Whether the Order of Reviews and Field Exercise and Movements are performed with precision: —Whether the various formations are made with correctness, and with a proper degree of celerity: —Whether the several Troops of Cavalry work well together: —Whether the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men of the Cavalry, are graceful Horsemen, understand the Management of their Horses, and are expert in the use of the Sword, and perform the Exercise well: —Whether the Riding Drill of the Regiment is well attended to, the Stirrups properly fitted and the Seat preserved and Lessons practised as ordered by "*Neville's Drill.*"

41st.—Whether the Orders and Regulations contained in the Circular Letter from the Adjutant General's Office to Cavalry Corps, be strictly attended to, and whether a light and compact mode of packing in marching order be established, and due care be taken to prevent sore backs and chafing. Circular to Cavalry, 10th November 1813.

42d.—Whether the Farrier Major is intelligent and competent to the duties of his situation: Whether the Horses are shod in strict conformity to Regulations: —Whether the Farriers are expert and well instructed in their business: Whether there has been any appearance of glanders or other contagious disease among the Horses since the date of the last Confidential Report, and to what extent; and whether the means adopted for the prevention of the infection have been attended with success. Veterinary Department in Regiments of Cavalry.

43d—Whether those of the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men are strictly conformable to the Regulations: —Whether they are in good condition: What Clothing is in wear and what due: —Whether the Regiment has Cloaks or great Coats, and of what description: Whether the Accoutrements are well preserved, and cleaned with proper applications: and Whether Belts and Pouches are properly fitted, so as to admit of the Pouch being drawn forward and the Cartridges easily taken out; It being the duty of the Commanding Officers of Corps to take care that the Clothing, Arms, Accoutrements, and every article of equipment, are kept complete, and in a constant state of fitness for service: —Officers, on inspecting a Corps, and on perceiving any deficiency in these articles, will require an explanation Clothing, Accoutrements and Appointments.

explanation of the cause of the deficiency from the Commanding Officers, and the measures which have been taken to obtain a supply of the articles deficient.

Circular to Infantry, 30th September 1811, and G. O. 3d April 1815.

44th.—Whether the system for marching order directed for Infantry Corps, be strictly complied with in every point: Whether the Corps is provided with Turband and Pouch Covers (in marching order) of the regular muster.

Standards and Colours.

45th.—Whether or not in conformity to the Regulations and in what condition.

Ammunition and Flints.

46th.—What quantity in Store, and whether due attention is paid to it's security, and if the system of Flinting as ordered,* is attended to.

* G. O. 3d March 1810.

Arms.

47th.—Whether clean and in a perfectly serviceable state, and whether all are regularly marked: Whether by proper inspections both on Parade and in Barracks, the best system is resorted to for their preservation: Whether repairs be properly executed and by Artificers competent to their business, and whether well secured from the weather.

Regimental Hospitals.

48th.—Whether conducted in conformity to Regulations: Whether the Hospital is well situated, the Wards airy and clean: Whether the proportion of sick is great, or the mortality considerable: Whether the Surgeon of the Regiment is capable, and zealous in the discharge of his duty, and whether his Assistants are well instructed and competent to their share of the medical duties of the Regiment: whether the practice of Inoculation is introduced: Whether any Men have been kept long on the sick list for slight and equivocal complaints.

Courts Martial.

49th.—Whether any irregularity has occurred in the Proceedings of Courts Martial, or in the execution of the Sentences awarded by them: Whether the Sentences appear to have been proportionate to the Crimes: Whether the necessity of frequent punishments has been superseded by the adoption of wise measures for the prevention of crimes, and by the zeal and assiduity of all the Officers in their different stations to carry them into effect, and to maintain the discipline of the Regiment. The Reviewing Officer will transmit with his Report an Extract from the Regimental Court Martial Book of the Names of the Soldiers who have been tried since the date of the last

last Inspection of the Regiment, stating the crime for which each Man has been tried; the punishment awarded; and the punishment inflicted.

50th.—The several heads as pointed out in the preceding Regulations are to be separately reported on, and not blended together with one general remark; and as each Inspection Report, in order to be complete, should contain in itself every possible information respecting the Corps reported on, such observations as have been made in former Reports are to be repeated, if necessary, and those Reports are not to be, in a general manner, referred to, for the particulars on which the several Remarks are founded.

Former Reports not to be referred to.

51st.—The foregoing Regulations embrace all the most essential points to be remarked upon by Reviewing Officers; it may however be necessary for an Inspecting Officer to report on other particulars, arising from a variety of causes which are subject to accidental situation, and circumstance; and the discretion and experience of a Reviewing Officer will be the best guides on such occasions, but it cannot be too strongly impressed upon the minds of Reviewing Officers, the extreme importance, to the welfare, good order and discipline of the Army, of a minute attention to every point connected with the great duty of Review and Inspection.

Responsibility of Reviewing Officers.

The Annual Confidential Report is a duty which ought to be felt deeply binding on the honor of all Inspecting Officers, who may be fully assured that their observations will be considered by the Commander in Chief as *strictly confidential* and His Excellency therefore with this promise, expects that due freedom of Report will invariably be observed, in these important communications.

52d.—Inspection Returns, and all accompanying documents, prepared according to the established Forms, are, together with the Confidential Reports, to be made out on paper of the *Demy size*, with a margin, for the purpose of being bound up together in Regimental Order.

Inspection Papers how to be made out.

53d.—Printed forms of the Established Returns and Papers required at a Review and Inspection, will be forwarded to Corps from the Adjutant General's Office.—These will be signed by Commanding Officers

Forms of Returns annexed.

Officers of Corps, and certified to be correct by the countersignature of the Inspecting Officer.

Circular Letters and G. O. annexed.

54th.—For the purpose of affording at one view the fullest possible information for the guidance of Reviewing Officers, the General Orders and Circular Letters referred to in the course of this Regulation are annexed.

Horse and Foot Artillery.

55th.—Reviews and Inspections of Horse and Foot Artillery, will be conducted, as much as possible, in the mode prescribed for Cavalry and Infantry, with such alterations as the particular nature of those branches of the Service may require, and with the addition of such Remarks and Observations, as may in consequence become necessary on the part of the Reviewing Officer.

REVIEWS.

Order of Procession.

56th.—The following is the Order of March to be observed at Reviews performed before His Majesty.

1. Detachment of Life Guards, or other Cavalry, preceded by an Officer of the Quarter Master General's Department.
2. The King's Led Horses.
3. Aides-de-Camp to the Commander in Chief.
4. Aides-de-Camp to the King.
5. Deputy Adjutant General—Deputy Quarter Master General—Deputy Barrack Master General, and King's Equerries not in waiting.
6. Adjutant General—Quarter Master General—and Barrack Master General.
7. Commander in Chief.
8. Princes of the Blood.
9. The King.
10. Gold Stick in waiting, and Master of the Horse.
11. King's Equerry in waiting.
12. General Officers on the Staff in successive order, according to Rank and Seniority, followed by such other General Officers, not upon the Staff, as may be present.
13. Assistant Adjutant General—Assistant Quarter Master General—and Deputy Assistants.
14. Aides-de Camp, and Majors of Brigade, to General Officers on the Staff.
15. Led Horses belonging to General Officers on the Staff.

16. The

16. The Royal Carriages.
17. Detachment of Cavalry.

57th.—The above Order of March is to be observed as far as it is applicable, in all Reviews before General Officers, especially with respect to the description of Staff Officers who are to precede the General, which is to be strictly confined to those immediately attached to his Person, preceded by an Officer of the Quarter Master General's Department of the District. To be observed in all Reviews.

58th.—The Officer Commanding the Corps to be Reviewed, will always be ready to meet the Reviewing Officer (after the Salute) upon the Flank of the Line, to pass along the Line with him, and will then present a Field Return of the Corps, and a Card of the Movements proposed to be executed, should the Reviewing Officer not consider it necessary to order any particular manœuvres. Officer Commanding the Corps.

CIRCULAR LETTERS AND GENERAL ORDERS REFERRED TO IN THE PRECEDING REGULATION.

HORSE APPOINTMENTS.

Circular to Cavalry, 5th November 1816, from the Military Board.

The Military Board having considered it expedient to reform the Muster of the Horse Appointments in use with the Native Cavalry Corps on this Establishment, I am directed to forward to you a Muster of the approved Appointments, consisting of the articles named in the margin, and which have been fixed by the Board as the only Musters to be used in future. The object of the Board is to introduce the new Musters with as little inconvenience and expense to the Officers holding the contract as possible. With this view the Board have resolved that the Musters shall be furnished to Corps to be lodged in Regimental Store, for the purpose of reference when a Reviewing General may require them, and you are accordingly directed from the receipt of these Orders to make up all articles of the exact shape and description of the Musters and not to deviate from them on any occasion without the orders of the Board.

Bridle with Bit, Bridoon and Nose Band complete, Breast Band, Head Collar and Reins, Saddle, Crupper, Holsters with Straps, Baggage Bag and 3 Straps, Stirrups and leathers, two, Cloak Straps, three. Girths, two.

Such parts of the Appointments as differ in description and make from those now in use with the Corps

Corps under your Command, you will gradually alter as those in use require to be renewed. The Bits and Stirrup Irons may be altered with the assistance of the Regimental Artificers, and the Board will not object to issue from any convenient store a moderate quantity of old Iron for the purpose, in consideration of the change of Muster.

Collar and Strap, Cloak Straps.

The articles now established, but not formerly in use, as per margin, are considered by the Board as essentially necessary, and are therefore added to the Appointments, and are to be introduced as early as circumstances will admit you to furnish them. On comparison of these Appointments with those now in use, it will be found that they are essentially lighter and equally durable, an improvement which the abolition of the use of the Carbine has rendered practicable, and on the whole the general expense will it is expected, be found nearly the same as before.

FORAGE.

G. O. Com. in Chief 16th March 1819.

The Officer Commanding the Army, orders, in the most express terms, that the practice of feeding the Officers Horses from the Gram issued to the Regiment, be discontinued in all Corps, whether of Horse Artillery, Dragoons or Cavalry, and that every part of the allowance of Gram shall be strictly applied to the feed of the Troop Horses and on no account whatever otherwise disposed of.

The Extra Gram can never be considered as a perquisite; an Officer can have no claim to apply to his own use that which is actually issued from the public stores for specific purposes; and the very circumstance of the Government having granted a liberal allowance to all Officers of Cavalry for the provision and maintenance of their Regimental Chargers implies, that such allowance is the full charge the Public are liable to, on their account.

In cases of change of food being necessary at any period for a Regimental Horse, the Officer Commanding, or in charge of the Troop, who is entrusted with the contract for Medicines, Massal and petty articles, is to provide such diet free of extra expense, and in such case alone can he be considered warranted in the appropriation of the regular issue of Gram for the feed of the Regimental Horses: and it is obviously here sanctioned, to enable him to meet such a demand free of extra expense.

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The foraging of a Regiment of Cavalry is of too serious an importance to be left dependant on casual circumstances, and must on all occasions occupy the anxious attention of the Officer Commanding the Regiment; it is also consistent with the Commanding Officer's situation of general control and responsibility that the economy of the Regiment in this important (as well as every other) duty should spring from his immediate orders, and that a general arrangement should exist for the regulation of such and every similar branch of internal economy.

It appears a general practice that Officers Commanding, or in charge of Troops, consider themselves vested with an exclusive right to manage the foraging of their respective Troops, on such principles, and by such means as appear most advisable to each; but this system being founded in error, the Officer Commanding the Army deems it essential to the good of the Service, to direct, that it, as well as every other arrangement of interior economy, shall be regulated by Commanding Officers respectively; and the following Regulation for providing forage in all Corps of Horse Artillery, Dragoons and Cavalry, shall be invariably practised.

The number of Grass Cutters being fixed by Government at one for each Horse, it is sanctioned by the same authority, that the amount of Pay and Batta be drawn for this class of Followers according to the actual effective strength in Horses, and not regulated by the numbers actually returned or mustered; this Regulation is obviously directed solely to the efficiency of the Corps, that forage may be supplied by purchase when Grass Cutters are wanting; it will therefore be the duty of Officers Commanding Corps to regulate the disbursements of such sums for the purpose intended, upon the following principle, but subject to such occasional modification as the nature of the country they are employed in may render necessary.

1st. The Officers Commanding, or in charge of Troops, will pay the full amount of Pay and Batta, (when the latter allowance is drawn) to the number of Grass Cutters actually returned and mustered in their respective Troops.

2d. The amount of casuals or sums drawn for Grass Cutters corresponding with the effective strength in Horses of their respective Troops above the number returned and mustered, is to be paid monthly on the issue of Pay to the Quarter Master of the Regiment, who will grant receipts for the same to Officers Commanding or in charge of Troops, and carry such sums to account, in account current with the Regiment.

3d. It will be the duty of the Quarter Master to purchase and furnish to the Regiment daily, under the orders of the Officer Commanding the Regiment, a supply of Grass or Forage equal to

to the proceeds of such sums, which is to be distributed to Troops in such proportions as the Officer Commanding the Regiment may deem it for the good of the Regiment to order.

4th. The Native Officer of the Day, assisted by the Choodries of Troops, will aid the Quarter Master in this duty, as well the Quarter Master of Troops in Regiments of Horse Artillery and Dragoons.

5th. The supply of forage to detached Troops or Detachments of Troops will be regulated upon the same principles, in such manner as the Officer Commanding the Regiment will direct.

CAVALRY.

Circular, from the Adjutant General, 10th November 1813.

The Commander in Chief having concluded a Review and Inspection of the Cavalry Brigade at Arcot, has deemed it necessary to issue the following Circular Instructions for all Regiments of Dragoons and Light Cavalry serving on this Establishment, relating to points which he considers from his personal observation to require uniformity of system and an undeviating adherence to the Regulations.

Discipline.

Altho' it may be possible that in some minor points of the system, improvements may be made, yet when it is considered that the individual excellence of Regiments is lost in the want of general uniformity, The Commander in Chief feels persuaded he need use no argument to prove, the only means by which the great and ultimate object of all the Dragoons and Light Cavalry of this Establishment being brought together to act in line, on fixed, defined and well understood principles, can be obtained; that he will find his opinions cheerfully adopted by all General Officers, Brigadiers and Commanding Officers of Regiments, and that they will in future be exclusively guided by the following orders.

1st.—That the Riding School of the Dragoons and Regiments of Light Cavalry be invariably conducted on the principles laid down in the System of Equitation and Light Cavalry Drill published by Captain Neville of His Majesty's 19th Regiment of Light Dragoons, and ordered to be adopted throughout the Cavalry on this Establishment by G. O. 31st May 1808.

2d.—That

2d.—That the Sword Exercise in Line and Circle, Attack and Defence, Carrying and Sloping Swords the length of Stirrup, &c. &c. be invariably practised as directed by His Majesty's Regulations for the Sword Exercise, published by His Majesty's Command from the Adjutant General's Office, 1st December 1796.

3d.—That on all other occasions when the Men are formed in Squadron of Manœuvre, that His Majesty's Rules and Regulations published for the guidance of the Army by the G. O. of the 1st December 1801, be strictly and undeviatingly adhered to, and that nothing be practised contrary to those Regulations that has not been sanctioned and published by authority.

It is scarcely necessary for The Commander in Chief to add, that neither in Regiment or in Line it is intended by these Orders to preclude Officers, from practising other Movements than those known by the name of the "18 Manœuvres of Dundas" but on the contrary, the more Movements are varied and simplified, the better; but the principles established by His Majesty's Regulations, are never to be departed from.

Precision, correctness and expertness in the personal movements of the Officers, and a strict adherence to the words of command as laid down in the Regulations, and also a simplification of those adopted when necessary, as well as the most minute attention to the telings off of Squadrons and the example of Officers in maintaining their proper distances and post in Squadron, are objects of the first importance towards that minute correctness in the groundwork of discipline, by which alone, the rapidity, weight and compactness which constitute the excellence of this valuable arm can be required.

Horses.

The Commander in Chief having thus stated his views and orders respecting the general discipline of the Dragoons and Light Cavalry, has directed me to express his anxiety, that the most minute attention be paid to the care, condition and training of the young Horses in the Ranks. No Horse under 4 years old is ever to be saddled (in time of peace) but

but for walking exercise, and after that age they must be sparingly rode until the age of five years old. The young Horse should be frequently loose, lounged, and it is desirable that until 3½ years old they should not on any occasion be saddled, Old Men who understand the care of Horses, should be as much as possible attached to young Horses.

Boots in Regiments of Light Cavalry.

Some doubt having been expressed relative to the right of property in the Men to their Boots and the extent of the Commanding Officer's charge for repairs or alterations, The Commander in Chief has desired me to explain

1st.—That as the Boots are a part of the Horse Appointment, the Soldier has never any claim to them; when new are issued, the old are to be returned into Regimental Stores and kept at the Commanding Officer's disposal to replace Casualties and keep up the establishment.

2d.—The Soldier is never to be permitted to alter or mend his Boots, or to be on any account charged with any expense regarding them (but for keeping them clean), or is to be allowed to take them from the Saddle but to wear on duty; and any Soldier having his Boots cut, pieced or mended by any means, but at the Regimental Store, will be punished for disobedience of orders.

The Regimental Artificers being under the Quarter Master of the Regiment, that Officer will be charged with the care of Boots in Store and the alteration and repair of those in use with the Regiment, and all expenses incident thereto will be defrayed by the Officer holding the Saddle Contract.

Small Stores.

The Hammer, Worm and Pricker, with spare Flints, are to be carried in the Sabre Pouch.

Pistols.

At Inspections, one Pistol is to be carried in the Frog on the Sword Belt on the left side, the other is to be slung on the right side through the fold of the Sword Belt.

The Iron Pistol Ramrods are to be worn on general occasions in the Cartouch Box, with a small cord fixed at an eye at the end of the Ramrod and attached to the Pouch at the other end, but when mounted, or the Dragoon or Trooper is booted on a Foot Parade, it is to be allowed to hang from the Pouch into the Boot on the right side.

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The Pistol Barrels, Sword Scabbards, Pistol Ramrods and Spurs are always to be kept bright, and such Regiments as have stained any part of them, will immediately order them to be brightened by the Regimental Clacklers, as the staining them has been found on trial to save but little trouble and not to answer.

Arms, &c.
Note.—If Brown Arms are issued from Stores they are to be used and kept so.

INFANTRY.

Circular from the Adjutant General, 30th September 1811.

The Pattern Man sent from the Corps under your Command, in obedience to orders from the Head Quarters of the Army, dated the 16th July 1811, having been furnished with a Pattern Knapsack sealed and approved by order of The Commander in Chief, I am directed to desire, that the size, make and pattern of the Knapsack and Straps may be minutely attended to in all future supplies of that article of the Soldier's equipments.

It is not the wish of The Commander in Chief to put the Sepoys to any unnecessary expense in providing their Knapsacks, but you will not unnecessarily delay to adopt the new pattern, and it may probably be in your power to do so at a reasonable expense, by applying the old materials to the necessary alteration. The Commander in Chief also trusts, that you will give every aid which the Battalion Stores can provide in making the Buckles and Rings, and sewing the Straps; you will also be pleased to indent on the nearest Stores for unserviceable Buff Belts for the Straps, and forward your Indent to this Office, that measures may be adopted, if practicable, for the supply of them gratis.

Note.—It has been found by experience that strong Canvas painted does not last and is liable to crack, it is therefore recommended that in all future supplies of Knapsacks, good Dungary, or Russia Duck, or Vittery be used.

When the Corps have been provided with Knapsacks of the new muster, The Commander in Chief expects, that your particular attention will be given to the important object of establishing uniformity in the mode of wearing them, & habituate the Sepoys to pack them with neatness and in obedience to the instructions hereafter detailed.

As it is not intended, that Rice shall on any future occasion be carried in the Knapsack, but in a Haversack slung across from the right shoulder to the left side, that article must also when necessary, be provided according to the muster furnished with the Knapsack.

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The following is the List of Articles to be carried by the Non-Commissioned, Rank and File, exclusive of Rice, &c. in the Haversack.

List of Articles to be Carried.

To be carried in the Knapsack.

- 3 White Jackets
- 3 pairs of Drawers
- 2 pairs Knee Bands
- 2 Handkerchiefs
- 2 Duffuttahs
- 2 Lungeys
- 1 Flat Dish — To be made of a small portable size and to fit into each other.
- 2 Basons — To be made of a small portable size and to fit into each other.
- Brushes, Combs, Emery Whiting, Blacking or Heel Ball, and Pipe Clay — In such quantities as shall be regulated by Commandants of Corps.

To be carried outside the Knapsack.

- 1 Carpet of a small size and neatly folded, to be placed on the top of the Knapsack, over which the Watch Coat is to be placed horizontally; and both attached to the Knapsack by the Straps.—Vide Drawing.
- 1 Jumbo to be slung from the Sepoy's right shoulder.

The Knapsack is to be carried so high, that it's weight may rest high up on the shoulders; and the Watch Coat resting above the Shoulders, even with the Man's neck.

MARCHING ORDER.

G. O. By the Commander in Chief, 3d April 1815.

Officers Commanding will give particular attention to the important duty of having frequent Regimental and Brigade Inspections in Marching Order, not only to ensure, a proper attention to the preservation of the Arms, Accoutrements and Ammunition, but to accustom the Men to pack and put on their packs with neatness and ease. Care must be taken to prevent their being overloaded, and to have them well put on, high upon the shoulders, with the Cloaks laying rather above the bend of the neck, all Straps neatly turned-in, so that the points may be concealed and the Cloak, &c. neatly rolled and placed on the top of the Knapsack. The attention of Commanding Officers is requested to the Circular Letter from the Adjutant General's Office on this subject, under date 30th September 1811.

Particular attention must also be given to uniformity and correctness in fixing the Flints as directed in the Memorandum issued in G. O. 3d March 1814.

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It is also of importance that the upper Tins in the Men's Pouches should be *frequently* taken out, and that the leather part of the Pouch (except the flap) should be well greased to prevent it's contracting and fixing the upper Tin so tight as to preclude it's being taken out, a consequence which may in time of need deprive the Soldier of the use of the Ammunition in the lower Tin, and is therefore an object for the particular and constant attention of Officers.

The upper leather or flaps of the Men's Pouches must, to preserve them, be well cleaned with Heel Ball, and it is recommended to Commanding Officers to have Covers made for the whole, either of the remains of old Clothing or some light Bazar Cloth.

All Buff Belts are to be kept whitened with Pipe Clay, as it appears from the result of experience that washing destroys them.

FLINTING.

The cause of a Piece missing fire, is generally ascribed to the badness of the Flint, the softness of the hammer, or the weakness of the main spring or feather spring, but the real cause will very generally be found to be a want of correctness in fixing the Flint.

Mem.—G.O. By The Commander in Chief,—3d March 1810.

This sometimes proceeds from carelessness, but it is too often owing to ignorance of the true principles which ought to direct the fixing of the Flint.

It is frequently imagined that an uniformity should prevail on this subject, as it does, and ought to do, on many others, respecting the movements and manœuvres of Arms; instances are not unfrequent where directions have been given that Flints should be fixed in exact conformity to some approved pattern.

This practice is founded in error, and is productive of more extensive mischief than can well be imagined.

In fixing Flints no uniform mode must be attempted; the flat side must be placed either upwards or downwards, according to the size and shape of the Flint, and also according to the proportion which the cock bears in height to the hammer, which varies in different Musquets.

This is ascertained by letting the cock gently down and observing whether the Flint strikes the hammer, which ought to be at the distance of about one third from the top of the hammer.

Most diligent observation ought at the same time to be made whether every part of the edge of the Flint comes in contact with the hammer, so as to strike out the fire from the whole surface.

A Flint will often appear to the eye to be carefully and skilfully fixed

fixed, and to stand firm and square; yet, on trial being made as now directed, it will prove to have been very ill fixed, in as much as the surface of the hammer in some Musquets does not stand square, but stands a little aslant to the cock.

Each particular Flint requires therefore it's own particular mode of being fixed, so as to accommodate itself to the particular proportions and conformation of each particular lock.

It is, perhaps unnecessary to mention, that, whatever the position of the Flint should be, it ought to be screwed in firmly; and that the cock should also be let down, in order to observe whether the Flint passes clear of the Barrel.

Whenever a Piece has been fired, the first opportunity should be embraced of examining whether the Flint is uninjured, and remains firm and fixed as it ought to be, and no time should be lost in correcting whatever may be found amiss.

Note.—The Flint should be fixed in a piece of thin sheet or beaten Lead, neatly cut to a size rather larger than the Jaws, and carefully edged.

FORMS

FORMS OF THE INSPECTION RETURNS REQUIRED FROM EACH DESCRIPTION OF TROOPS.

CAVALRY.

FIELD RETURN of Regiment of Light Cavalry, whereof Lieutenant Colonel is Commandant, at present Commanded by , and Stationed at this day of 18

Detail	European Commissioned and Staff Officers.										Native Commissioned and Staff Officers.			Non-commissioned Rank and File.				Horses.							
	Lieut. Colonel.	Majors.	Captains.	Capt. Lieutenants.	Lieutenants.	Cornets.	Adjutant.	Qr. Master.	Surgeon.	Asst. Surgeons.	European Serjeants.	Subidars.	Jemidars.	Adjutant.	Havildars.	Trumpeters.	Farriers.	Rank and File.	Total Non-Commissioned Rank & File including European Serjeants, Trumpeters & Farriers.	European Commissioned & Staff Officers.	European Serjeants.	Native Commissioned and Staff Officers.	Non-Commissioned Rank and File.	Trumpeters	Farriers.	Total Horses of the Non-Commissioned Rank and File, including European Serjts. Trumpeters & Farriers.	Remarks.
Present under Arms On Duty																										
Sick In Quarters																										
Sick In Hospital																										
Absent With leave																										
Absent Without leave																										
Prisoners																										
Total.																										
Wanting to Complete																										
Establishment																										
Supernumeraries																										

ABSENT OFFICERS.
EUROPEAN AND NATIVE.

Rank and Names.	By whose leave, or on what account, since what date, and for how long the furlough, &c. is granted.

CASUALTIES since the date of the last Review and Inspection by

	Rank.	Dead	Invalided	Pensioned	Dismissed	Discharged	Deserted	Promoted	Reduced	Recruits joined	Received from Desertion	Boys transferred	Killed in action	Missing	Cast	Drafts: Given	Drafts: To what Corps	Drafts: Received	Drafts: From what Corps	Total: Gained	Total: Lost	Remarks.
Europeans.	Lieut. Colonel																					
	Majors																					
	Captains																					
	Capt. Lieutenant																					
	Lieutenants																					
	Cornets																					
	Adjutant																					
	Quarter Master																					
	Surgeon																					
	Assist. Surgeons																					
	Staff Serjeants																					
Natives.	Subadars																					
	Jemadars																					
	Adjutant																					
	Havildars																					
	Trumpeters																					
	Farriers																					
	Rank and File				1																	
	Sepoy Recruits																					
	Puckallies																					
	Horses																					

GENERAL RETURN of the Names, Country, Cast, Age, and Service of the European and Native Commissioned and Staff Officers, of the Regiment of Light Cavalry, whereof is Colonel, with the dates of the several Commissions each Officer has held to the day of 18

Rank	Names.	Country.															Cast.			Years of		Dates of their Commissions in the Army.							
		English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Foreigner.	Bengal.	Decan.	Northern & Guntoor Circars.	Carnatic & Trichinopoly.	Madura and Dindigul.	Tanjore.	Travancore and Tinnevelly.	Malabar and Bombay.	Mysore.	Maratta.		Moor.	Hindoo.	Malabar.	Age.	Service.	Jemidar.	Subadar.	Cornet.	Lieutenant.	Capt. Lieut.	Captain.	Major.	Lieut. Col.
Lieutenant Colonel																													
Major																													
Capts.																													
Capt. Lieut. and Captain																													
Lieutenants.																													
Cadets.																													
Jemadars.																													
Adjutant.																													
Quarter Master.																													
Surgeon.																													
Assistant Surgeon																													
Native Adjutant.																													

GENERAL RETURN of the Country, Cast, Size, Age, and time of Service, of the Men of Regiment of Light Cavalry, whereof is Colonel,
including Havildars, Trumpeters, Farriers and Naigues.

Number of each Country.		Number of Men of each Cast.		Ages of the Men from upwards of 55, to 15 and under.		Size of the Men from upwards of 6 feet to 5 feet 4 inches & under.			Service from upwards of 35 years to 1 year & under.		Horses.	
				Years of Age.	Of each Age.	Ft.	In.	Of each size.	Years.	Number of Men.	No. of each Age.	No. of each Size.
Bengal		Moor										
Decan		Hindoo										
Northern and												
Guntoor Circars		Malabar										
Carnatic and												
Trichinopoly												
Madura and												
Dindigul												
Tanjore												
Travancore and												
Tinnevelly												
Malabar and												
Bombay												
Mysore												
Maratta												
				Upwards.		Upwards.			Upwards.		15 Yrs.	
				55		6	"		35			
				50		5	11½		30		14	
				45		5	11		25			
				40		5	10½		23		13	13 Hands
				37		5	10		21			
				35		5	9½		19		12	
				32		5	9		18			5½
				30		5	8½		16		11	
				28		5	8		15		10	
				27		5	7½		14			
				26		5	7		13		9	15
				25		5	6½		12		8	
				24		5	6		11		7	
				23		5	5½		10			
				22		5	5		9		6	14½
				21		5	4½		8		5	
				20		5	4		7		4	14
				19		Under			6		3	
				18					5			
				17					4			
				16					3			
				15					2			
				Under					1			
									Under			
Totals		Total		Total		Total			Total		Total	Total

Spurs	Cloaks.	Cartridges		Pistol.		Remarks.
		Ball.	Blunt.	Balls.	Flint.	
"						

INSPECTION RETURN of Arms, and Accoutrements, belonging to the Regiment of Light Cavalry [illegible] 18

Condition.	Belts!							Pouches & Small Stores.							Cartridges	Pistol.	Remarks.
	Broad Buff Cavalry.	Scotch Shoulder.	Waist Narrow.	Sabre Frogs Steel.	Sword Knots.	Drogs Buff Pistol.	Horns Bugle.	Pistols with Bandoliers Pairs.	Bandoliers Iron Spare	Cartridge Cavalry.	[illegible]	Privates.	Turnscrews.	Worms.	Scabbards Iron Sword Cavalry.	Trumpets.	[illegible] standards	Book Pairs.	[illegible]	Blunt.	Balls.	Flints.	

[illegible] Service, [illegible]
Bad [illegible]
Dam[illegible]

INSPECTION [illegible] of the Co[illegible] on the [illegible]

Condi[illegible]

to Complete [illegible]

[illegible]marks.

Serial Number.	No. of Number in the Troop.	Bank and Names.	Christian Name.	Country Village.	Height.	Hair.	Eyes.	Complexion.	Age.	Where Enlisted.	Remarks.

REGIMENT or LIGHT CAVALRY.

REGISTER of Courts Martial held since the date of the last Inspection, as extracted from the Court Martial Book.

Rank and Names of Prisoners.	General Number.	Letter & Number in the Troop.	Date of Court Martial.	Crime.	Sentence.	Whether inflicted in full or in part, or whether entirely remitted.	Remarks.

INSPECTION RETURN of the Recruit Boys of the Regiment of Light Cavalry, as taken on the day of 18

General Number.	Letter & Number in the Troop.	Names.	Age: Years.	Age: Months.	Height. Feet.	Height. Inches.	Past Service. Years.	Past Service. Months.	Cast.	When likely for transfer to the Ranks, or if likely ever to be so.

GENERAL MEMORANDUM of the Stations and Services of the Regiment of Light Cavalry, since the date of the last Inspection.

Station.	When arrived at.	When marched from.	How long at each.	* General Statement of Services.

* This Column to contain in general terms whether the Corps has been employed in Field or Garrison duties, and if it has been on Field service it is to be mentioned, where, and with what Force, and in what Action if any.

REGIMENT or LIGHT CAVALRY.

REGISTER of Horses proposed to be Cast at the Review and Inspection taken by on the day of 18 at

Letter of & Number in the Troop.	General Number.	Colour.	Age.	Date of being received into the Regiment.	Height. Hands.	Height. Inches.	Particular Marks.	Why Recommended to be Cast.	Remarks.

(Signature of Inspecting Officer.)

(Signature of Officer Comg. the Corps).

HORSE ARTILLERY.

The Forms for Horse Artillery correspond with those fixed for the Cavalry, with the exception of the general alterations which will be necessary from the difference between an European and Native Corps; The Return of "Terms of Service unexpired" as in the European Infantry, and the following Return of Arms and Accoutrements.

ARMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS.

	Belts.		Musketry.			Swords.											
	Pouches	Pouch	Swords	Pistols Pairs	Ramrods Pairs	Flints	Cavalry	Scabbards	Horse Bugle	Trumpets	Tompions	Prickers	Worms	Boots	Spurs	Helmets	Cloaks
Serviceable																	
Repairable																	
Unserviceable																	
Total																	

EUROPEAN INFANTRY.

FIELD RETURN of the Regiment, whereof is Colonel, at present Commanded by and Stationed at this day of 18

Detail.	Commissioned Officers.							Staff Officers.				Non-Commissioned Officers and Private Men.				Remarks.
	Colonel.	1st Lieut. Colonel.	2d Lieut. Colonel.	1st Major.	2d Major.	Captains.	Capt. Lieutenants.	Lieutenants.	Ensigns.	Chaplain.	Adjutant.	Qr. Master.	Surgeon.	Ass. Surgeons.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	
Present under Arms																			
On Duty																			
Sick { In Quarters																			
Sick { In Hospital																			
Absent { With leave																			
Absent { Without leave																			
Prisoners																			
Total																			
Wanting to Complete																			
Establishment																			
Supernumeraries																			

ABSENT OFFICERS.

Rank and Names.	By whose leave, or on what account, since what date, and for how long the furlough, &c. is granted.

CASUALTIES since the date of the last Review and Inspection.

Rank.	Dead	Invalided	Pensioned	Dismissed	Discharged	Deserted	Promoted	Reduced	Recruits joined	Received from Desertion	Killed in action	Missing	Drafts				Total		Remarks.
													Given	Towhat Corps	Received	From what Corps	Gained	Lost	
Europeans. Colonel																			
1st Lieut. Colonel																			
2d Lieut. Colonel																			
1st Major																			
2d Major																			
Captains																			
Capt. Lieutenants																			
Lieutenants																			
Ensigns																			
Chaplain																			
Adjutant																			
Quarter Master																			
Surgeon																			
Assist. Surgeons																			
Serjeants																			
Drummers																			
Corporals																			
Privates																			
Natives—Puckallies.																			

GENERAL RETURN of the Names, Country, Age, and Service of the Commissioned and Staff Officers of the Regiment, whereof is Colonel, with the dates of the several Commissions each Officer has held to the day of 18 .

Rank	Names.	Country. English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Foreigner.	Years of Age.	Years of Service.	Dates of their Commissions in the Army. Ensign	Lieut.	Capt. Lieut.	Captain	Major	Lieut. Colonel.	Colonel.
Colonel														
1st Lieutenant Colonel														
2d Lieutenant Colonel														
1st Major														
2d Major														
Captains.														
Capt. Lieut. and Captain														
Lieutenants.														
Ensigns.														
Chaplain.														
Adjutant.														
Quarter Master.														
Surgeon.														
Assistant Surgeon.														
Assistant Surgeon.														

GENERAL RETURN of the Country, Size, Age, and Time of Service of the Serjeants, Corporals, Drummers, and Private Men of the Regiment, whereof is Colonel.

Number of each Country.

	Ser-jeants	Cor-porals	Drum-mers.	Pri-vates.
English				
Scotch				
Irish				
Foreigners				
Total				

Number of each Size.

	Ser-jeants	Cor-porals	Drum-mers.	Pri-vates.
Feet In.				
Of 6 2 and upwards				
6 0				
5 11				
5 10				
5 9				
5 8				
5 7				
5 6				
5 5				
Under Boys				
Total				

Past Services.

	Ser-jeants	Cor-porals	Drum-mers.	Pri-vates.
35 Years and upwards.				
30				
25				
21				
18				
14				
12				
10				
8				
7				
6				
5				
4				
3				
2				
1				
Under				
Total				

Age.

	Ser-jeants	Cor-porals	Drum-mers.	Pri-vates.
Years.				
Of 55 and upwards.				
50				
45				
40				
35				
30				
25				
20				
18				
Under				
Total				

Terms of Service yet unexpired.

	Ser-jeants	Cor-porals	Drum-mers.	Pri-vates.
Unlimited Service.				
12 Years.				
11				
10				
9				
8				
7				
6				
5				
4				
3				
2				
1				
Less than 1 Year.				
Total				

INSPECTION RETURN of Arms, Accoutrements, and Ammunition, belonging to the Regiment, for 18 :

Condition.	Belts.								Cases.			Drums	Fifes.		Musketry.		Pouches.			Scabbards.		Small Stores.			Slings.				Swords.			Whistles.	Colours Union and Regimental, with Cases, &c.	Ball Cartridges		Musket.	
	Bayoneis.	Fuzil.	Musket.	Sword Buff Sergeants.	„ Drummers.	Bayonet Buff Infantry.	Bayonet „ Fuzil.	Pouch „ „ Fuzil.	Pouch „ „ Musket.	Buff leather cuffs for Recruits.	Fife.	Drum Bass.	Common.	Leather Cases for Musket Locks.	Bass with Sticks.	Common.	Europe.	Country.	Halberts.	Horns Bugle.	Carbines, to be repaired for Recruits.	Muskets.	Fuzils.	Infantry.	Fuzil.	Old for Recruits.	Magazine.	Drum and Bugle Cases with Brass.	Sword Sergeants.	Sabres.	Sword Drummers.	Bayonet Musket.	Fuzil.	Pricker, Nipt or Brass with Shanks & Brushes.	„ Fuzil do do.	Cap Screws for Muskets.	Fuzil „	Worms Musket.	Fuzil.	Musket Buff.	Fuzil „	Drum Bass.	„ Common.	Fife Cases.	Bugle.	Sergeants.	Sabres.	Drummers.							
Serviceable.																																																
Bad & Repairable.																																																
Unserviceable.																																																
Wanting.																																																
Complement.																																																

INSPECTION RETURN of the Clothing, Half Mounting, and Necessaries of the Regiment, as taken by on the day of 18

Condition.	Arms.	Trowsers.	Jackets.	Gaiters.	Fatigue Collars.	Belly Band.	Banyan Shirts.	Banyan Trowsers.	Suspenders.	Shoes.	Stocks.	Chaces.	Clamps to keep the Flaps Collar on.	Brushes.	Combs.	Black Garters.	Haversack.	Watch Coat.	do. Slings.	Foraging Cap.	Knapsack.	Slings Knapsack.	Remarks.
Good																							
Bad																							
Wanting to Complete																							

REGIMENT.

REGISTER of Men proposed to be Discharged at the Review and Inspection taken by at
on the day of 18

General Number. / Letter of the Company. / Number in that Company.	Rank and Names.	Country.	Ship arrived in or from whence received.	Year of arrival.	Height. Feet.	Height. Inches.	Age. Years.	Age. Months.	Past Service. Years.	Past Service. Months.	Particular description.	Why Recommended.	Remarks.

REGISTER of Courts Martial held since the date of the last Inspection, as extracted from the Court Martial Book.

Rank and Names of Prisoners.	Number.	Company.	Date of Court Martial.	Crime.	Sentence.	Whether inflicted in full or in part, or whether entirely remitted.	Remarks.

GENERAL MEMORANDUM of the Stations and Services of the Regiment, since the date of the last Inspection.

Stations.	When arrived at.	When marched from.	How long at each.	* General Statement of Services.

* This Column to contain in general terms whether the Corps has been employed in Field or Garrison duties, and if it has been on Field Service it is to be mentioned, where, and with what Force, and in what Actions if any.

ARTILLERY.

The Forms for the Artillery will correspond with those fixed for European Infantry, allowing for the difference in heading the various Columns, and the Return of "Arms, Accoutrements and Ammunition," which is as follows.

RETURN of Arms, and Accoutrements of the Battalion of Artillery.

Condition.	Belts.						Cases.			Drums.		Fifes.		Scabbards.				Small Stores.				Slings	Swords.				
	Bayonet Fuzil.	Sword Buff Native Officers.	" Sergeants.	" Hazildars.	" " Drummers Bayonet Belt Fuzil.	" " Pouch.	Sword Leather Lascars.	Leather for Fuzil Locks.	Fife.	Drum Bass.	" Common.	Bass with Sticks.	Common.	Europe.	Country.	Fuzils Artillery.	Pouches.	Fuzil Locks.	Sword Sergeants and Havildars.	" Drummers.	" Lascars.	Bayonet Fuzil.	Prickers Fuzil with Brass Chains and Brushes.	Turnscrews.	Worms.	Drum Bass.	" Common.	Fife Case.	Swords Native Officers.	Sergeants and Havildars.	Drummers.	Lascars.	Remarks.
Serviceable																																
Repairable																																
Unserviceable																																
Total																																

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NATIVE INFANTRY.

FIELD RETURN of the Battalion Regiment N. I. whereof is Colonel, at present Commanded by stationed at this day of 18 .

Detail.	Colonel.	Lieut. Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Capt. Lieutenant.	Lieutenants.	Ensigns.	Adjutant.	Surgeon.	Asst. Surgeon.	European Serjeants.	Subadars.	Jemadars.	Adjutant's	Havildars.	Drummers & Fifers.	Naigues.	Sepoys.	Total Non-commissioned, Rank and File, including European Serjeants, Drummers and Fifers.	Remarks.
Present under Arms On Duty -																				
Sick { In Quarters - In Hospital -																				
Absent { With leave - Without leave																				
Prisoners -																				
Total. - -																				
Wanting to Complete Establishment -																				
Supernumeraries -																				

ABSENT OFFICERS.
European and Native.

Rank and Names.	By whose leave, or on what account, since what date, and for how long the furlough, &c. is granted.

CASUALTIES, since the date of the last Review and Inspection.

Rank.	Dead	Invalided	Pensioned	Dismissed	Discharged	Deserted	Promoted	Reduced	Recruits joined	Received from Desertion	Boys transferred.	Killed in action	Missing	Drafts Given	Drafts Towhat Corps	Drafts Received	Drafts From what Corps	Total Gained	Total Lost	Remarks.
Colonels																				
Lieut. Colonels																				
Majors																				
Captains																				
Capt. Lieutenant																				
Lieutenants																				
Ensigns																				
Adjutants																				
Surgeon																				
Asst. Surgeons																				
Staff Serjeants																				
Subadars																				
Jemadars																				
Adjutant																				
Havildars																				
Drummers & Fifers																				
Rank and File																				
Sepoy Recruits																				
Puckallies																				

GENERAL RETURN of the Names, Country, Cast, Age, and Service of the European and Native Commissioned and Staff Officers of Battalion of Regiment of Native Infantry, whereof is Colonel, with the dates of the several Commissions each Officer has held to the day of 18

Rank	Names.	Country.													Cast.			Years of		Dates of their Commissions in the Army.							
		English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Foreigners.	Bengal.	Decan.	Northern & Guntoor Circars.	Carnatic & Trichinopoly.	Madura and Dindigul.	Tanjore.	Travancore & Tinnevelly.	Malabar & Bombay.	Mysoor.	Marratta.	Moor.	Hindoo.	Malabar.	Age.	Service.	Jemadar.	Subadar.	Ensign.	Lieutenant.	Capt. Lieut.	Captain.	Major.	Lieut. Colonel.
Lieut. Colonel																											
Major																											
Captains																											
Capts. Lt. and Capt.																											
Lieutenants.																											
Ensigns.																											
Subadars.																											
Jemadars.																											
Adjutant.																											
Surgeon.																											
Assistant Surgeon.																											
Native Adjutant.																											

GENERAL RETURN of the Country, Cast, Size, Age, and time of Service, of the Men of Battalion Regiment of Native Infantry, whereof is Colonel, including Havildars, Drummers, Fifers and Naigues.

Number of Men of each Country.		Number of Men of each Cast.		Ages of the Men from upwards of 55, to 15 and under.		Size of the Men from upwards of 6 feet to 5 feet 4 inches & under.		Service from upwards of 35 years to 1 year and under.	
				Years of Age.	Of each Age	Size. Ft. In.	Of each size.	Years.	No. of Men
Bengal		Moor		Upwards.		Upwards.		Upwards.	
Decan		Hindoo		55		6		35	
Northern and Guntoor Circars				50		5 11½		30	
Carnatic and Trichinopoly		Malabar		46		5 11		25	
Madura and Pondigul				40		5 10½		23	
Tanjore				37		5 10		21	
Travancore & Tinnevelly				35		5 9½		20	
Malabar and Bombay				32		5 9		19	
Mysore				30		5 8½		18	
Maratta				28		5 8		17	
				27		5 7½		16	
				26		5 7		15	
				25		5 6½		14	
				24		5 6		13	
				23		5 5½		12	
				22		5 5		11	
				21		5 4½		10	
				20		5 4		9	
				19		Under		8	
				18				7	
				17				6	
				16				5	
				15				4	
				Under				3	
								2	
								1	
								Under	
Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.	

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INSPECTION RETURN of Arms, Accoutrements, and Ammunition, belonging to the Battalion Regiment Native Infantry, for 18

Condition.	Belts.								Cases.				Fifes.		Musketry.		Pouches.			Scabbards.			Small Stores.					Slings.			Swords.			Whistles.		Cartridges.		Muskets.	
	Fuzil.	Bayonets.	Sword Buff Officers.	Sergeants, Havildars and Drummers.	Bayonet Buff Infantry.	Pouch "	Fuzil.	Bayonet "	Pouch "	Buff leather d'o for Recruits.	File.	Drum Bags.	" Common.	Leather for Musket Locks.	Bags with Slacks	Drums	Europe.	Country.	Halberts.	Horns Bugle.	Carbines old repaired for Recruits.	Muskets.	Fuzils.	Infantry.	Fuzil.	Gl'or Recruits.	Magazine.	Drum and Bugle Cases with Belts.	Sword Officers.	Sergeants & Havildars.	Sabres.	Sword Drummers.	Bayonet Musket.	" Fuzil.	Pricker, Master Brass with Chains & Brushes.	" Fuzil do do.	Turnscrew Musket.	" Fuzil.	Worms Musket.	" Fuzil.	Musket Brush.	Fuzil "	Drum Bags.	" Common.	Fife Case.	Bugle.	Native Officers.	Havildars.	Sergeants & Havildars.	Sabres.	Drummers.	Native Officers.	Havildars.	Colours, Union and Regimental, with Cases, &c.	Ball.	Blank.	Ball.	Blank.	Flint.	Remarks.
Serviceable																																								
Repairable																																								
Unserviceable																																								
Wanting																																								
Complement																																								

INSPECTION RETURN of the Clothing, Half Mounting, and Necessaries of the Battalion Regiment, as taken by on the day of 18

Condition.	Regimental Jackets.	White Under Jackets.	Trowsers.		Handkerchiefs.	Dopattahs.	Lungeys.	Turbands.	Belt Plates.	Knapsacks.	Sleeping Carpets.	Watch Coats.	Haversacks.	Dishes.	Jumboos.	Remarks.
			Parade.	Marching.												
Good																
Bad																
Wanting to Complete																

BATTALION REGIMENT.

REGISTER of Men proposed to be Discharged at the Review and Inspection taken by al
on the day of 18

General Number.	Letter of and Number in the Company.	Rank and Names.	Cast.	Country and Village.	Height. Feet.	Height. Inches.	Age. Years.	Age. Months.	Past Service. Years.	Past Service. Months.	Particular description.	Why Recommended.	Remarks.

BATTALION REGIMENT.

REGISTER of Courts Martial held since the date of the last Inspection, as extracted from the Court Martial Book.

Rank and Names of Prisoners.	Number.	Company.	Date of Court Martial.	Crime.	Sentence.	Whether inflicted in full or in part, or whether entirely remitted.	Remarks.

INSPECTION RETURN of the Recruit Boys of the Battalion Regiment N. I. as taken on the day of 18

General Number.	Letter of, & Number in the Company.	Names.	Age.		Height.		Past Service.		Cast.	When likely for transfer to the Ranks, or if likely ever to be so.
			Years.	Months.	Feet.	Inches.	Years.	Months.		

GENERAL MEMORANDUM of the Stations and Services of the Battalion Regiment N. I. since the date of the last Inspection.

Stations.	When arrived at.	When marched from.	How long at each.	General Statement of Services.*

* This Column to contain in general terms whether the Corps has been employed in Field or Garrison duty, and if it has been on Field Service it is to be mentioned, where, and with what Force, and in what Actions if any.

RIFLE CORPS and LIGHT INFANTRY.

The Forms for Battalion of Rifle and Light Infantry, correspond exactly with those established for the Regular Infantry, with the exception of the Returns of "Arms, Accoutrements and Ammunition," which are as follows.

RIFLE CORPS.

RETURN of Arms, Accoutrements and Ammunition, belonging to the Rifle Corps, for the Month of 18

	Belts.					Cases.		Drums.	Fifes.			Knots.	Pouches.		Scabbards.		Small Stores.	Slings.		Swords.		Whistles.		Cartridges.		
	Sword for Officers complete.	Pouch " "	Sword complete with Belt for Sergeants and Havildars.	Pouch for Sergeants and Havildars.	Sword Buglers.	Pouch Rifle.	Pouch Leather old for Recruits.	Bass with Slicks.	Common "	Europe.	Country.	Horns Bugle with Garniture.	Halberts.	Horns Bugle.	Sergeants & Havildars.	Sword Leather Officers.	Sergeants & Havildars.	Muskets Rifle.	Carbines old repaired.	Native Officers.	Sergeants and Buglers.	Rifle.	With Belt for Drums and Bugle Cases.	Artillery old for Recruits.	Sword Officers.	Sergeants & Havildars.	Buglers.	Musket Rifle.	Pricklers.	Turnscrews & Musket.	Worms, &c. &c.	Musket Rifle.	Drum Bass.	Common.	Fife Case.	Bugle.	Native Officers.	Sergeants & Havildars.	Buglers, &c.	Musket Rifle.	Native Officers Gilt complete.	Havildars Brass do.	Colours, Union and Regiment, with Case, &c.	Ball.	Blank.	Rifle.	Musket.	Flint.	Rammers.
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Repairable																																																	
Unserviceable																																																	
Total																																																	

LIGHT INFANTRY.

RETURN of Arms, Accoutrements, and Ammunition, belonging to Battalion Regiment or Light Infantry, for the Month of 18

	Belts.							Knots.	Muskets.	Pouches.		Scabbards.		Small Stores.	Slings.		Swords.		Whistles.		Cartridges.		
	Sword for Officers complete.	Pouch " "	Sword complete with Belt for Sergeants and Havildars.	Sword for Sergeants and Havildars.	Sword Light Infantry with Bugle Cases.	Pouch Light Infantry.	Sword Drummers, &c.	Pouch leather old for Recruits.	Fife.	Drum Bass.	" Common.	Halberts Giant Pattern.	Horns Bugle.	" Magazines with Buckles.	Sword leather Officers.	" Sergeants & Havildars.	Muskets Light Infantry.	Carbines old repaired.	Native Officers.	Sergeants and Havildars.	Light Infantry common.	With Belt for containing Drum and Bugle Cases.	Artillery old for Recruits.	Sword Officers.	" Sergeants & Havildars.	" Drummers.	" Musket Light Infantry.	Pricker fixed with Worms and Brushes.	Turnscrews Musket.	Worms.	Musket.	Drum Bass.	" Common.	Fife Case.	Bugle. "	Native Officers.	Sergeants & Havildars.	Drummers, &c.	Musket Light Infantry.	Native Officers Gilt complete.	Havildars Brass do.	Colours, Union and Regiment, with Cases, &c.	Balls.	Blank.	Balls.	Flint.	Rammers.
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31st May 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19th May 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant C. C. Nattes of the Corps of Engineers, to be Superintending Engineer in Travancore.

Ensign J. W. Nattes of Engineers, to be Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in Mysore.

Ensign George Jenkins of Engineers, to be Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in the Southern Division of the Army.

Lieutenant John Cameron of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Field Assistant Quarter Master General with the Force detached under the Command of Lieutenant Colonel Thompson.

5th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign J. Hill Winbolt to be Lieutenant, from the 11th May 1817, vice Watson deceased.

9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Ensign Thomas Walters to be Lieutenant, from the 13th May 1817, vice Slade deceased.

Captain John Duncombe of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Major Vans Agnew is permitted to proceed to Mysoor on three months leave of absence.

Captain George Cadell will act as Superintendent of Family Pensions, and of Pensions, during the absence of Major Vans Agnew, and on his responsibility.

Assistant Commissary General Captain Henry Harvey is permitted to visit the Presidency for three months on sick certificate.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 27th May 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, that Funds have been allotted to the Paymaster at the Presidency and to the several Divisions of the Army, for the discharge of all ordinary demands in the Military Department in the course of the ensuing month of June.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD, SEC. TO GOVT.

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FORT ST. GEORGE, 28th *May* 1817.

C. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following *further* Distribution of Off-reckonings for the year 1809, received from the Supreme Government, and to authorize payment of the Shares of such of the Officers of this Establishment as are now in India to the Representatives of those who have died in India.

Distribution of the Sum of Sicca Rupees 39,788 3 3 formerly debited to the Off-reckoning Fund of the year 1809, being the cost of Leather Breeches and Pantaloons sent from Europe by the Honorable Court of Directors and issued to the Horse Artillery and Native Cavalry of the Bengal Establishment, which sum is transferred to the credit of the Fund, in virtue of the authority conveyed in Mr. Assistant Secretary Nisbet's Letter of the 10th June 1816.

Amount to be distributed	Sicca Rupees	39,788	3 3
Number of Shares as per Statement No. 1. of the Off-reckoning Distribution of the year 1809	.. .. ..	76	0 0
Amount of each Share	....	523	8 5
Lost by Fractions	....		3 7

STATEMENT shewing the Names of the Officers entitled to share in the above Sum.

FORT WILLIAM.

Major General	Thomas Nicholls (alias Broad-horse)	Full Year	523	8 5
Lieut. General	George Russell	do	523	8 5
do	Sir Evan Baillie ..	do	523	8 5
do	Sir John M'Donald	do	523	8 5
do.	William Palmer (the late)	do	523	8 5
Major General	Edward Clarke do.	do	523	8 5
Lieut. General	James Dunn ..	do	523	8 5
do	James Dickson ..	do	523	8 5
do	Samuel Watson ..	do	523	8 5
Major General	Robert Rayne (the late)	do	523	8 5
do	Richard Macan do.	do	523	8 5
Lieut. General	George Hardyman ..	do	523	8 5
Major General	James Pringle do.	do	523	8 5
Lieut. General	Hugh Stafford ..	do	523	8 5
do	James Morris ..	do	523	8 5
do	Peregrine Powell ..	do	523	8 5
do	Robert Phillips ..	do	523	8 5
Major General	Robert Bruce do.	do	523	8 5

Major

Major General H. G. Palmer (the late)	Full Year	523	8	5
do	Sir Robert Blair ..	do	523	8	5
do	W. Kirkpatrick do.	do	523	8	5
do	John M'Intyre ..	do	523	8	5
do	John Gardiner do. ..	do	523	8	5
do	Henry De Castro ..	do	523	8	5
do	Bennet Minley ..	do	523	8	5
do	William Byrne (the late)	do	523	8	5
do	Thomas Hawkshaw do	do	523	8	5
do	Dyson Marshall	do	523	8	5
do	Daniel Conyngham ..	do	523	8	5
do	Samuel Bradshaw ..	do	523	8	5
do	Sir George Wood ..	do	523	8	5
do	Nicholas Carnegie ..	do	523	8	5
do	Sir John Horsford ..	do	523	8	5
do	John Gordon ..	do	523	8	5
do	T. S. Bateman ..	do	523	8	5
	FORT ST. GEORGE.				
Colonel Keith M'Allister		Full Year.	523	8	5
do	Thomas Dallas	do	523	8	5
Major General John Pater		do	523	8	5
do	John Orr	do	523	8	5
do	David Smith 1st of January to 18th July 1809		285	6	11
Lieut. Col. Commandant Tredway Clarke, 19th July to 31st December 1809			238	1	6
do	Robert Bell ..	Full Year.	523	8	5
Major General Robert Croker ..		do	523	8	5
Colonel Daniel M'Neill		do	523	8	5
do	William Kinsey	do	523	8	5
do	Thomas Bowser	do	523	8	5
do	Alexander Cuppage ..	do	523	8	5
do	R. M. Strange	do	523	8	5
do	Charles Corner	do	523	8	5
do	John Richardson	do	523	8	5
do	Alexander Dyce	do	523	8	5
Major General Daniel Burr, 1st January to 10th September 1809			362	14	2
Colonel John James Durand, 11th September to 31st December 1809			160	10	3
Major General Francis Gowdie ..		Full Year.	523	8	5
do	George Roberts	do	523	8	5
do	Urban Vigors	do	523	8	5
do	Archibald Browne ..	do	523	8	5
Colonel Aldwell Taylor		do	523	8	5

Major

Major General David Campbell	Full Year	523	8	5
Colonel John Chalmers	do	523	8	5
Major General Francis Torrens	do	523	8	5
do Carey Lalande	do	523	8	5
Colonel Barry Close	do	523	8	5
do P. A. Agnew	do	523	8	5
do Robert Mackay	do	523	8	5
do Gabriel Doveton	do	523	8	5
do Hector M'Lean	do	523	8	5
BOMBAY.				
Major General Richard Jones	Full Year	523	8	5
do Kenneth M'Pherson	do	523	8	5
do James Kerr	do	523	8	5
do Richard Gore	do	523	8	5
do John Wiseman	do	523	8	5
Colonel Kenny Oakes	do	523	8	5
do Thomas Marshall	do	523	8	5
do Charles Reynolds	do	523	8	5
do Andrew Anderson	do	523	8	5
do Charles Boye	do	523	8	5
do Burnaby Boles	1st January to 30th September 1809	391	9	1
Lieutenant Colonel Commandant M. Grant	from 1st October to 31st December 1809	131	15	4
	Total Distributed, Sicca Rupees	39,787	15	8
	Lost by Fractions	0	3	7
	Total Sicca Rupees	39,788	3	3

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 22d *May* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

An European Special Invaliding, Pensioning and Discharging Committee, is to be assembled at St. Thomas's Mount, on Saturday the 24th Instant, to examine the Men of the 1st Battalion Artillery, who have recently arrived from the Detachment doing duty with the Poonah Subsidiary Force, and are reported to be unfit for further service.

The Cantonment of St. Thomas's Mount will furnish the Officers for the Committee, the President of which is to be a Field Officer.

Head

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 23d May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

A General Court Martial for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it, is to be assembled in the Exchange of Fort St. George, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday next, the 26th Instant, and will be composed as follows:

Colonel Graham,—*President.*

Members.

Colonel M'Cally	18th Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant Colonel A. M'Dowell	6th Regiment N. I.
Lieutenant Colonel Muat	20th Regiment N. I.
Major Dickson, c. s.	6th Light Cavalry.
Captain Haly	H. M. 53d Regiment.
Captain G. Jones	H. M. 80th Regiment.
Captain Cunningham	H. M. 89th Regiment.
Captain Gibson	Madras European Regiment.
Captain C. Wilson	Pioneers.
Captain Grant	H. M. Royal Scots.
Lieutenant Pric.	H. M. 69th Regiment.

The Garrison of Fort St. George to furnish one Field Officer and two Captains, as Members.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Lieutenant Colonel Welsh, Deputy Judge Advocate, will conduct the Proceedings, to whom the Names, Rank and Dates of Commissions of the Officers ordered for this duty, are to be sent.

Memorandum.

The Office of the Adjutant General of the Army has been removed to the House on the Mount Road, known by the name of Doctor Gahagan's Gardens.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 24th May 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The European and Native General Courts Martial which assembled at Secunderabad, the first on the 22d of July, and the second on the 15th of July 1816, are to be considered as having been dissolved, the former from the 3d September, and the latter from the 9th August 1816, the respective dates of their publication in General Orders.

Captain Walker of the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment N. I. will join and take charge of the Detachments of that Corps at Vellore.

Gunner Le Creux of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is appointed Key Serjeant at Seringapatam.

Private —— Castles of Effective Supernumeraries, is promoted to Serjeant, appointed Sub-Conductor, and attached to the Arsenal of Fort St. George, vice Kilman deceased.

Head

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 29th May, 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Assistant Surgeon C. A. Price, doing duty with His Majesty's 53d Regiment, will immediately join and do duty with His Majesty's 34th Regiment.

Lieutenant Henry Bevan of the 1st Battalion 14th Regiment, is removed to the 1st Battalion Pioneers, vice Morgan.

The following Removals are ordered.

15th Regiment N. I.

Captain Hall from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Captain Williams from 2d to 1st Battalion.

The General Court Martial ordered to assemble at Bellary in G. O. of the 23d April last, is dissolved.

Troop Serjeant Major North of His Majesty's 22d Dragoons, transferred to the Honorable Company's Service from the 25th Ultimo, is received upon the strength of the Effective Supernumeraries as a Serjeant, from that date, and will do duty in the Arsenal of Fort St. George until further orders.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Major & Commissary of Stores Seringapatam	W. G. Pearse	Artillery	31st Aug. 1817	Bangalore, sick cert.
Captain	Baron Kutzleben	Cantonment Adjt. Wallajabad	10th July ,,	Sadras.
Captain	C. Wilson	1st Bat. Pioneers	30th June ,,	Presidency.
Lieut. & Adjt.	C. Herbert	2d Bat. 5th Regt.	10th Sept. ,,	Sea Coast, sick cert.
Lieutenant	T. J. Wilkins	1st Bt. 6th Regt.	15th June ,,	Vizianagram, sick cert.
Invalid Conductor	W. Rouse		18th July ,,	Presidency.

HEAD QUARTERS. CHOULTRY PLAIN, *7th June* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extract from G. O. issued by The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief in India, are, by His Excellency's orders, published to the Army under this Presidency.

Extract from the Proceedings of an European General Court Martial assembled at Bareilly, on Friday, the 25th day of April 1817, by order and in virtue of a warrant under the hand and seal of His Excellency The Earl of Moira, G. C. Commander in Chief of all the Forces in India for the trial of Major A. Campbell, 1st Battalion 4th Regiment N. I. and all other Persons who may be brought before it.

President.—Major General St. George Ashe.

Deputy

Deputy Judge Advocate General,—Captain E. B. Craigie, 1st Division Field Army, conducting the trial.

CHARGE.—Major Alexander Campbell of the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment N. I. placed in arrest by order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief, for conduct subversive of military discipline and subordination.

1st.—In having between the 27th of November 1816 and 4th of February 1817, written to Lieutenant Colonel Lyons, Commanding the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment, his immediate Commanding Officer, several Letters containing disrespectful and offensive expressions towards Lieutenant Colonel Lyons, and groundless and injurious imputations of neglect and oppression in the discharge of his duty as Commanding Officer.

2d.—Also in having written a Letter dated the 3d of February 1817, addressed to Major General Sir John Horsford, K. C. B. Commanding 1st Division Field Army, wherein he unwarrantably and injuriously comments on the conduct of his immediate Commanding Officer, Lieut. Colonel Lyons.

By order of The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM, } (Signed) J. NICOL,
21*st March* 1817 } Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the evidence for and against the Prisoner, together with what he has urged in his defence, is of opinion that he is guilty of the whole of the Charges preferred against him, which being in breach of the Articles of War, they do sentence him, the said Major Alexander Campbell, 1st Battalion 4th Regiment N. I. to forfeit the whole of his Army and Regimental Rank, and to Rank in the Army and in his Regiment from this twenty-ninth day of April 1817.

(Signed) ST. GEORGE ASHE, Major Genl. and President.

(Signed) E. B. CRAIGIE, Captain,
Dep. Judge Advocate Genl. 1st Division
Field Army, conducting the trial.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) MOIRA.

A true Extract. (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

Remarks by The Commander in Chief.

There is a want of precision in the terms of the above Sentence: Because the word would in rigorous acceptation bear that the meaning of the Court was to reduce Major Campbell to the situation of lowest Commissioned Officer in the Regiment to which he

he belongs; whereas The Commander in Chief rather suspects that the purpose of the Court was to reduce Major Campbell in his Rank of Major to the date of the twenty-ninth of April 1817.—As the Commander in Chief, however, would not have conceived a Sentence of absolute dismissal too severe for the froward, litigious, and indefensible insubordination proved against Major Alexander Campbell, His Excellency can have no difficulty in accepting and approving the Sentence of the Court in it's most extensive latitude. Having thus sanctioned and confirmed a verdict which will be sufficient for the just purposes of example, The Commander in Chief feels himself justified in considering the long services of Major Alexander Campbell, and the circumstance of that Officer's having been thrice wounded; in consequence of which His Excellency is pleased to remit the penalty of a Sentence regarded by him as most just and salutary; and he directs Major Alexander Campbell to be restored to his duty.

By Command. (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col.*
Military Secretary.

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial held at Bellary, on Wednesday, the 7th day of May 1817, by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and continued by sundry adjournments until Friday, the 23d of May of the same year, and of which Colonel Webber of the Madras European Regiment, is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGES against Lieutenant and Adjutant M'Cormick of the 2d Battalion 9th Regiment N. I.

1st.—For highly irregular and insubordinate conduct, in addressing an official Letter to me, under date the 3d April 1817, reflecting upon and censuring my conduct, whilst his immediate Commanding Officer, in June last; thereby tending materially to injure my character as an Officer and subversive of all order and military discipline.

2d.—For coming over to my Tent at Kurnool, some time in August last, and assuring me, his immediate Commanding Officer "that the public money was correct, and that he "would be responsible that it was so," when he was well aware that it was not the case.

Bellary, 4th *April* 1817. (Signed) T. H. SMITH, Captain, Brevet Major, 2d Bat. 9th Regt.

By Order. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjt. General of the Army.

ADDITIONAL CHARGE against Lieutenant and Adjutant M'Cormick of the 2d Battalion 9th Regiment.

For

For conduct subversive of good order and military discipline, in stating in the same official Letter addressed to Major Smith, dated 3d of April, that His Excellency The Commander in Chief had, he conceived, been led to form the opinion he had given with respect to the Band and Mess property, from having only an imperfect knowledge of the transaction, thereby reflecting on me, his immediate Commanding Officer, and by such insubordinate assertion setting forth in the Corps under my command a principle of a most dangerous tendency, calculated to render my integrity questionable and consequently to lessen my authority.

Bellary, 4th April 1817. } (Signed) T. STEWART, Major, Comg. 2d Bat. 9th Regt.

By Order.
(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,
Adjt. General of the Army.

OPINION AND SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely considered the evidence in support of the prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner, Lieutenant and Adjutant M'Cormick, has adduced in his defence, is of opinion, that he is not guilty of the first Crime laid to his charge, and do therefore acquit him of it.

The Court is also of opinion that the Prisoner is not guilty of the second Crime, and do therefore fully honourably acquit him of the same.

The Court is further of opinion that the Prisoner is not guilty of the Additional Charge, and do therefore acquit him of it.

(Signed) H. WEBBER, Colonel,
President.

(Signed) J. POWER, Lieut. 25th Regiment,
Officiating as Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial held at Vellore, on the 19th day of May 1817, by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Commander in Chief and continued by adjournment until Tuesday, the 20th of May of the same year, and of which Subadar Husnaud Cawn is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGES preferred by me against Subadar Mahomed Esoph, A. Company 2d (or Arnee) Native Veteran Battalion.

For conduct unbecoming the character of a Commissioned Officer and in contempt of my authority, in the following instances. Charge

Charge 1st.—For having on the 25th of March 1817, after I had refused him furlough to Wallajahbad, (from which Station he had been recently removed for improper conduct), declaring in the presence of two Subadars of the Battalion that he would repeat his application to me for the said furlough, that if again refused by me he would apply to the Officer Commanding Vellore, and if not then granted, he would deposit his Sword and Sash in the Battalion Quarter Guard and proceed to Wallajahbad without leave.

2d.—In having on the evening of the 26th March 1817 absented himself from his Company Parade at Roll-Call without leave, although he was fully aware it was his duty to have attended, and on the Native Adjutant sending to him, to know the cause of such unauthorized absence, in declaring that he would not attend; that it was his intention not to do any more duty with the Battalion, and that his only wish was to receive his discharge from the Service.

The whole of the above instances being subversive of all military authority and in breach of the Rules and Regulations of the Service.

VELLORE, 29th April 1817. } (Signed) G. KEATES, Major, 7th Regt. Comg. 2d N. V. B.

By Order.
(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,
Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court having maturely weighed what has appeared in support of the prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has urged in his defence, find him, Subadar Mahomed Esoph, guilty of the whole of the Charges preferred against him, it does therefore, by virtue of the Rules and Articles of War established for the better government of the Honorable Company's Forces, sentence the Prisoner, Mahomed Esoph, Subadar 2d Native Veteran Battalion, to be dismissed the Service.

The mark of
(Signed) T. HICKS, Captain, Offg. Deputy Judge Advocate. HUSMAUN CAWN, Subadar, and President.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

In consideration of the services of the Prisoner, Subadar Mahomed Esoph, and the recommendation of the Court, The Commander in Chief remits the Sentence awarded him, Subadar Mahomed Esoph is removed from the 2d to the 4th Native Veteran Battalion.

Extract

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial held at Masulipatam, on the 15th day of April 1817, by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Commander in Chief, and continued by adjournment till Saturday, the 3d of May of the same year, and of which Colonel Robert Munro is President, are published to the Army.

Patrick Harford, Private Soldier in the E. or Brevet Major J. D. Brown's Company, 1st Battalion Artillery, confined.

1st.—For discharging a Fuzil against his hand for the purpose of disabling himself, while Sentry at the Barrack Guard of the Company, on the 11th Instant.

2d.—For making away with a Ball Cartridge on the 11th Instant.

MASULIPATAM, 26th March 1817. } (Signed) W. BURTON, Capt. Lieut. in Charge E. Company 1st Bat. Art.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court are of opinion that the Prisoner is guilty of the Charges preferred against him, and do therefore sentence him to suffer 6 months solitary confinement, at such time and place as His Excellency The Commander in Chief may please to direct.

(Signed) ROBERT MUNRO, Lt. Col. & Col. 20th Regt. N. I. & President.

(Signed) HENRY SMITH, Lieut. Officiating as Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieutenant General.

No applications for furlough to Europe are to be forwarded to Head Quarters until further orders, excepting in cases of certified sickness.

Major Munro of the Rifle Corps, and Major Preston of the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment N. I. will relieve Major Dickson, C. B. of the 6th Light Cavalry, and Lieutenant John Scott, Assistant Adjutant General of the Army, as Members of the Committee of which Lieutenant Colonel Muat is President.

The Court of Enquiry of which Lieutenant Colonel Kenny is President, is dissolved.

Lieutenant Walters of the 9th Regiment N. I. is posted to the 1st Battalion.

The following Removals are ordered.

7th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Burman from 2d to 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Hitchins from 1st to 2d Battalion.
Lieutenant Cuxton from 2d to 1st Battalion.
Lieutenant M. K. Young from 1st to 2d Battalion.
Ensign W. N. Burn from 2d to 1st Battalion.

17th Regiment N. I.

Captain J. Wahab from 2d to 1st Battalion.
Captain J. Lambe from 1st to 2d Battalion.

24th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant R. Jenkins from 1st to 2d Battalion.
Lieutenant H. L. Harris from 2d to 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant H. L. Harris of the 24th Regiment N. I. is appointed to do duty with the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment of Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Lieutenant T. Jackson of the 17th Regiment N. I. will join and do duty with the Infantry Recruiting Depôt, until further orders.

Lieutenant Colonel G. Keates (late promotion) is posted to the 20th Regiment N. I. and 2d Battalion, and is to be struck off the strength of the 2d Native Veteran Battalion.

Major J. C. Stokoe of the 9th Regiment N. I. is posted *to do duty* with the 2d Native Veteran Battalion.

Major Woodhouse is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion 7th Regiment.

Lieutenant M'Pherson of the 5th Regiment N. I. doing duty with the Rifle Corps, is permitted *at his own request*, to join his Corps.

Lieutenant Van Heythusen of the 4th Regiment N. I. is appointed to do duty with the 1st Battalion 3d Regiment of Palamcottah Light Infantry.

Serjeant William Thomas of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is removed to the Effective Supernumeraries from the 1st Instant, and is appointed Quarter Master Serjeant to the 4th Native Veteran Battalion.

The General Court Martial which assembled at Bellary on the 7th May, and of which Colonel Webber of the Madras European Regiment, is President, is dissolved.

The Native General Court Martial which assembled at Vellore on the 19th Ultimo, and of which Subadar Husmaun Cawn is President, is dissolved.

The General Court Martial which assembled at Masulipatam on the 15th April, and of which Colonel Robert Munro of the 20th Regiment N. I. is President, is dissolved.

Conductor Hutchinson of the Invalid establishment, is permitted to reside and draw his Pay at Cuddalore.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

2d Regiment Light Cavalry.

Jemadar Abdul Nubby to be Subadar, Havildar Major Sida Madheen to be Jemadar, and Havildar Huyder Khan to be Jemadar; date of Commissions 20th May 1817.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lt. Col.	G. Keates	2d Bat. 20th Rt.	31st Aug. 1817	Presidency, sick cert.
Lieut.	F. Derville	Horse Art.	30th Sept. ,,	Sea Coast, sick cert.
Cornet & Cantonment Adjt. Arcot.	J. H. Kaye	1st Lt. Cav.	10th July ,,	Presidency.

7th June 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *10th May* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain Robert Short of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Second Assistant to the Military Auditor General.

The furlough to Europe on sick certificate, granted in General Orders dated the 17th February last, to Lieutenant J. P. James of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry, will commence from the date of his embarkation.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, *28th May* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

2d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant and Adjutant J. Smith to be Quarter Master, vice M'Queen.

Lieutenant and Quarter Master D. M'Queen to be Adjutant, vice Smith.

INFANTRY.

Senior Major George Keates from the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant Colonel, from the 19th May 1817, vice Munro deceased.

7th Regiment N. I.

Captain (Brevet Major) William Woodhouse to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Pringle Fraser to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant

Lieutenant Edward Fitzpatrick to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign Marshall Keith Young to be Lieutenant, from the 19th May 1817, in succession to Keates promoted.

6th Regiment N. I.

Ensign Robert Brody to be Lieutenant, from the 21st May 1817, vice Maule deceased.

The furlough granted in General Orders dated 24th February 1817, to Major General Robert Bell, Commandant of Artillery, will commence from the date of his embarkation.—Major General Bell has been permitted to proceed to Sea on leave of absence for two months.

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to return to Europe on furlough for three years, respectively.

Lieutenant Richard James of the 7th Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant E. Holmes of the 4th Native Infantry.

Captain Henry Harvey of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to return to Europe, on sick certificate.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

Sec. to Government.

Fort St. George, *28th May* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

1. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to establish the following Regulations in the Military Pay Department.

Regarding supplies of Cash for the payment of the Army.

2. That Letters of Credit, in place of Bills on Collectors, Residents, &c. shall in future be transmitted to Paymasters for the supply of money for the payment of the Troops and Establishments within their respective ranges;—but, as it frequently happens that the amount authorized to be issued to Paymasters, exceeds that which is actually required, they are prohibited taking up more than is necessary for the payments, altho' a larger amount should be authorized by their Letters of Credit.

3. The above rule will apply equally to the Additional as to the General Monthly Estimates; and Receipts are to be given by Paymasters in all cases for the sums which they receive under authority of Letters of Credit.

4. The existing Regulation which authorizes Paymasters to take up money on emergency from Collectors, &c., is not affected by the foregoing provisions.

5. In cases when Paymasters may not draw the whole amount authorized by their Letters of Credit, no part of the undrawn balance

balances shall be issuable in the ensuing, or in any subsequent month; as the Letters of Credit are to apply to those months only for which they are granted.

6. It being the object of the above Regulation to prevent unnecessary issues of money to the Military Department, Paymasters will, at all times, be liable to representations to Government, should their accounts exhibit a larger Cash balance than may be consistent with attention to the orders hereby promulgated;—unless very satisfactory explanations shall accompany their Abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements to the Office of the Military Auditor General.

Regarding the discontinuance of Transfer Bills.

7. The Governor in Council is further pleased to order the total discontinuance of all Transfer Bills, that is to say, of all Bills drawn in the Military Department on the Accountant General, or the Commissary General, which are now intended for payment *in Cash* at the Presidency; in lieu of which Receipts will in future be issued, and considered as equivalent to Transfer Bills, the Parties respectively debiting and crediting themselves in their Accounts Current and Abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements, each under the head of the other, for the amount; and the Receipts being transmitted to the Accountant General as Vouchers of Account, in the same manner precisely as the Transfer Bills have heretofore been.

TRICHINOPOLY, 1st *June* 1817. Received from Captain G. W. Military Paymaster at Vellore, the sum of Star Pagodas fifty-six, Fanams ten, and Cash forty, (56 10 40) being the amount of a Retrenchment from my accounts of the month of January 1817, admitted on reaudit in favor of Major R. W. by whom this Receipt is to be countersigned in testimony of the amount having been repaid to him.

(Signed) G. G. Paymaster at Trichinopoly.

Countersigned.
R. W.
Major, 18th Rt. N. I.

Or as follows:

TRICHINOPOLY, 1st *June* 1817. Received from Capt. G. W. Military Paymaster at Vellore, the sum of [illegible] Pagodas three hundred and sixty (360) being the amount paid into my hands by Captain W. R. Assistant Commissary General, for the pur-

8. Under the above Regulation, a Paymaster requiring to remit a sum of money to an Officer in repayment of a retrenchment, or on any other authorized account, provided it is not payable at the Presidency, is to transmit in place of the Bills, directed by the 56th Para. of the Code of Pay Regulations, Page 332, a Receipt in the form laid down in the margin; and Paymasters are authorized and directed to discharge all such Receipts on demand, requiring to each the countersignature of the Officer receiving the amount, in the manner directed by the 20th Paragraph of the G. O. of the 22d July 1814, which is found to answer every public purpose, the occasional small remittances, referred

to

pose of a corresponding payment being made at Vellore to Lieut. J. L. Assistant Commissary General, by whom this Receipt is to be countersigned in testimony of the amount having been paid to him.

(Signed) G. W. Paymaster at Trichinopoly.

Countersigned.

J. L.

Asst. Commissary Genl.

to in the 12th Para. of the G. O. of the 4th October 1814, are to be made by Receipts in the manner above directed.

9. With regard to the Commissariat, the Receipts for sums issued by Paymasters or by Collectors, &c. to Officers of that Department, are to be transmitted in like manner (as Vouchers of Account) to the Accountant General, and such arrangement is to be established between that Officer and the Commissary General, as shall afford the latter the same information as the Transfer Bills, heretofore drawn on him, were intended to convey.

10. The Accountant General will transmit such subsidiary instructions to the Civil Officers, from whose Treasuries Funds for the payment of the Army are issued, and also to Paymasters, as shall ensure the fullest effect to the above Orders; and the Commissary General, in communication with the Accountant General, will in like manner make the necessary communications to the subordinate Officers of his Department. Copies of all such subsidiary orders are to be transmitted for the information of the Military Auditor General.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 2*d June* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right 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 1811.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

General Orders, by His Excellency The Right Honorable The Governor General in Council.

FORT WILLIAM, *April* 18, 1817.

His Excellency The Right Honorable The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, that the following Statements, Nos. 1 to 9, prepared by the Military Auditor General, of the Surplus Off-reckonings for the year 1811, and of the Distribution of them among the Officers of the Presidencies of Fort William, Fort St. George

George, in 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 of 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 1811, shewing the 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 for the year 1811, Sicca Rupees		316,208 14 11	
Deduct the Amount paid to nine Officers on the Retired List, at £ 543 15s. each, Sa. Rs.	37,462 8		
Ditto Ditto of $\frac{1}{4}$ proportion of the sum of Sonaut Rupees 32,854 1 6, laying at the Debit of the General Fund connected with the years 1811, 1812, and 1813, for equipments furnished to the Horse Artillery and to the Non-Commissioned Officers of the Native Cavalry Regiments, Sonaut Rupees 10,951 5 10, or Sicca Rupees ..	10,479 5 1		
		47,941 13 1	
Net Surplus, arising from the Off-reckonings of the Bengal Establishment, Sicca Rupees		268,267 1 10	

FORT ST. GEORGE.

Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the year 1811, as per Statement received with Mr. Secretary Gardiner's Letter of the 29th November last, Star Pagodas 72,438 34 15, or Sicca Rupees		221,312 10 3	
Deduct the Amount paid to eight Officers on the Retired List, at £ 543 15s. each,		33,300 0 0	
Net Surplus appertaining to Fort St. George, Sicca Rupees, ..			188,512 10 3

BOMBAY.

Amount of the Surplus Off-reckonings of the year 1811, as per Statement received with Mr.

Secretary

Secretary Gardiner's Letter of the 31st October 1812, Bombay Rupees 60,180. 3 3½, or Sicca Rupees	60,485	15	5
Deduct the Amount paid to four Officers on the Retired List, at £ 543 15s. each, Sicca Rupees	10,650	0	0
Net Surplus appertaining to Bombay, Sicca Rupees	49,835	15	5
Grand Total of the Consolidated Disposable Surplus of the three Presidencies, Sicca Rupees	506,615	11	8

ABSTRACT OF SHARES.

General Officers and Colonels of the Presidency of Fort William, including the Agents,	37
Do. Do. of Fort St. George,	30
Do. Do. of Bombay, ..	11
Total Number of Shares ..	78

The Amount of each Share is, Sicca Rupees	6,495	1	2
Lost by Fractions	0	0	6

No. 2.

STATEMENT shewing the Names of the Officers of the three Presidencies, who are entitled to share in the remaining Surplus Off-reckonings for the year 1811, and the Amount resulting to each Individual.

FORT WILLIAM.

Major Gen. Thomas Nicholls (the late)	Full Share	6,495	1	2
Lt. Gen. George Russell	do	6,495	1	2
Sir Ewen Baillie	do ..	6,495	1	2
Sir John M'Dogald	do	6,495	1	2
W. Palmer (the late)	do ..	6,495	1	2
Maj. Gen. E. Clarke (the late)	do	6,495	1	2
Lt. Gen. James Dunn	do	6,495	1	2
James Dickson	do	6,495	1	2
S. Watson (the late)	do	6,495	1	2
Maj. Gen. R. Macan (the late)	do	6,495	1	2
Lt. Gen. G. Hardyman	do	6,495	1	2
Hugh Stafford	do	6,495	1	2
James Morris	do	6,495	1	2
Peregrine Powell	do	6,495	1	2
Robert Phillips	do	6,495	1	2

Maj.

Maj. Gen. R. Bruce (the late) Full Share	6,495		2
H. C. Palmer, (the late) from the 1st Jan. to the 24th Aug. 4,199 8 9	6,495	1	2
Sir G. Martindell, from the 25th Aug. to the 31st Dec. .. 2,295 8 5			
Sir Robert Blair for the whole Year	6,495	1	2
W. Kirkpatrick (the late) for the whole Year	6,495	1	2
John M'Intyre do ..	6,495	1	2
J. Gardiner (the late) do	6,495	1	2
Henry De Castro do ..	6,495	1	2
Bennet Marley do ..	6,495	1	2
W. Burne (the late) do ..	6,495	1	2
Thomas Hawkshaw do	6,495	1	2
Dyson Marshall do ..	6,495	1	2
D. Conyngham (the late) do	6,495	1	2
Samuel Bradshaw do	6,495	1	2
Sir George Wood do	6,495	1	2
John Haynes do	6,495	1	2
Nicholas Carnegie do	6,495	1	2
John Horsford do	6,495	1	2
John Gordon do	6,495	1	2
T. S. Bateman do	6,495	1	2
Henry White do	6,495	1	2
The Clothing Agent of the 1st Division, Lt.-Colonel Ainslie, do	6,495	1	2
Do. 2d Do Major Browne, do	6,495	1	2
Proportion payable to Bengal Officers,			214,337 6 6

FORT ST. GEORGE.

Col. Keith Macalister for the whole Year	6,495	1	2
Thomas Dallas do	6,495	1	2
Maj. Gen. John Pater do	6,495	1	2
John Orr do	6,495	1	2
Colonel Tredway Clarke do	6,495	1	2
Robert Bell do	6,495	1	2
Maj. Gen. Daniel M'Neil do	6,495	1	2
Robert Croker do	6,495	1	2
W. M'Kenzie do	6,495	1	2
Thomas Bowser do	6,495	1	2
Colonel Alex. Cuppage do	6,495	1	2
Alexander Dyce do	6,495	1	2

Colonel

Col. R. M. Strange, from 1st Jan. to 29th Nov.	5,925	10	2	6,495	1 2
John Cuppage, from 30th Nov. to 31st Dec.	569	7	0		
C. Corner for the whole Year				6,495	1 2
John Richardson			do	6,495	1 2
John James Durand			do	6,495	1 2
Maj. Gen. Francis Gowdie			do	6,495	1 2
George Roberts			do	6,495	1 2
Urban Vigors			do	6,495	1 2
Archibald Brown			do	6,495	1 2
David Campbell			do	6,495	1 2
Colonel A. Taylor			do	6,495	1 2
John Chalmers			do	6,495	1 2
Maj. Gen. F. Toppens			do	6,495	1 2
Carey Lalande			do	6,495	1 2
Barry Close			do	6,495	1 2
P. A. Agnew			do	6,495	1 2
Robert M'Kay			do	6,495	1 2
Gabriel Doveton			do	6,495	1 2
Hector M'Lean			do	6,495	1 2
Amount payable to Madras Officers, Sa. Rupees					194,852 3 0
BOMBAY.					
Maj. Gen. R. Jones for the whole Year				6,495	1 2
Kenneth M'Pherson			do	6,495	1 2
James Kerr			do	6,495	1 2
Richard Gore			do	6,495	1 2
John Wiseman			do	6,495	1 2
Henry Oakes			do	6,495	1 2
Thomas Marshall			do	6,495	1 2
Charles Reynolds			do	6,495	1 2
Colonel Andrew Anderson			do	6,495	1 2
Charles Boye			do	6,495	1 2
Malcolm Grant			do	6,495	1 2
Amount payable to Bombay Officers, Sa. Rupees					77,445 12 10
Lost by Fractions					0 0 6
Grand Total of the Consolidated Surplus of the year 1811, Sicca Rupees					506,615 11 6

No. 3.

STATEMENT of the Balance of Shares of Off-reckonings for the year 1811, 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.

Lieut.

Lieut. Genl. Sir John M'Donald,						
Amount of his Share	6,495	1	2			
Deduct the Amount received in advance	6,000	0	0			
				495	1	2
Lieut. Genl William Palmer (the late) as M'Donald				495	1	2
Samuel Watson (the late)		do		495	1	2
Major General Richard M'Lean		do		495	1	2
Lieut. General Hugh Stafford		do		495	1	2
James Morris		do		495	1	2
Major General H. C. Palmer (the late) to the 24th August 1811	4,199	8	9			
Deduct received in advance	3,879	6	5	320	2	4
Major General Sir Robert Blair, as M'Donald				495	1	2
Bennet Marley		do		495	1	2
Dyson Marshall		do		495	1	2
Sir George Wood		do		495	1	2
Sir J. Horsford		do		495	1	2
John Gordon		do		495	1	2
Major Gen. Sir Gabriel Martindell, 25th Aug. to 31st Dec. 1811.	2,295	8	5			
Deduct the Amount received in advance	2,120	9	7	174	14	10
Lt. Col. Ainslie, Agent for the 1st Clothing Division, full Share as Colonel	6,495	1	2	1,995	1	2
Deduct the Amount received in advance,	4,500	0	0			
Major M. W. Brown, Agent for the 2d Division, full Share as Colonel	6,495	1	2	495	1	2
Deduct the Amount received in advance	6,000	0	0			
Amount remaining to be paid to Bengal Officers in India, Sicca Rupees				8,926	1	6

No. 4.

STATEMENT of the Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund of the year 1811, payable to Colonels of the Presidency of Fort William, who are in Europe, or who have died in Europe.

Major General Thomas Nicholls, alias Broadhurst (the late),	full Year	6,495	1	2
Lieutenant General George Russell	do	6,495	1	2
Sir Ewen Baillie	do	6,495	1	2

Major

Major General Edward Clarke (the late)	Full Year.	6,495	1	2	
Lieut. General James Dunn	do	6,495	1	2	
James Dickson	do	6,495	1	2	
George Hardyman	do	6,495	1	2	
Peregrine Powell	do	6,495	1	2	
Robert Phillips	do	6,495	1	2	
Robert Bruce (the late)	do	6,495	1	2	
Major General William Kirkpatrick (the late)	do	6,495	1	2	
John M'Intyre	do	6,495	1	2	
John Gardiner (the late)	do	6,495	1	2	
Henry De Castro	do	6,495	1	2	
William Burne (the late)	do	6,495	1	2	
Thomas Hawkshaw	do	6,495	1	2	
Daniel Conyngham (the late)	do	6,495	1	2	
Samuel Bradshaw	do	6,495	1	2	
John Haynes	do	6,495	1	2	
Nicholas Carnegie ..	do	6,495	1	2	
T. S. Bateman	do	6,495	1	2	
Henry White	do	6,495	1	2	
Off-reckonings to be adjusted in Europe on account of Bengal Officers, Sicca Rupees ..		142,891	9	8	

No. 5.

STATEMENT of the Balance of Shares of Off-reckonings of the year 1811, 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.

Lieutenant General J. Pater, Amount of his Share	6,495	1	2	753	11 1
Deduct the Amount received in advance	5,741	6	1		
Major General R. Bell, as Pater				753	11 1
A. Taylor, do				753	11 1
Chalmers, do				753	11 1
Lieut. General R. Croker do				753	11 1
F. Torrens do				753	11 1
C. Lalande do				753	11 1
Major General J. J. Durand do				753	11 1
Colonel R. M. Strange to the 29th Nov. 1811 ..	5,925	1	2	183	11 1
Deduct the Amount received in advance ..	5,741	6	1		
Amount payable in India to Madras Officers, Sicca Rupees				6,213	3 9

No.

No. 6.

STATEMENT of the Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund of the year 1811, 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 as have received advances in India.

Colonel	Keith Macalister for the full Year		6,495	1	2
	T. Dallas ..	do	6,495	1	2
Major General	J. Orr ..	do	6,495	1	2
Lieut. Col.	Commdt. T. Clarke	do	6,495	1	2
Colonel	Daniel M'Neil	do	6,495	1	2
	William Kinsey	do	6,495	1	2
	T. Bowser ..	do	6,495	1	2
	A. Cuppage	do	6,495	1	2
	A. Dyte	do	6,495	1	2
	J. Cuppage from the 30th November to the 31st December		569	7	0
	C. Corner for the full Year		6,495	1	2
	J. Richardson	do	6,495	1	2
Major General	F. Gowdie	do	6,495	1	2
	G. Roberts	do	6,495	1	2
	U. Vigors	do	6,495	1	2
	A. Brown	do	6,495	1	2
	D. Campbell	do	6,495	1	2
Colonel	B. Close	do	6,495	1	2
	P. A. Agnew	do	6,495	1	2
	R. M'Kay	do	6,495	1	2
	G. Doveton	do	6,495	1	2
	H. M'Lean	do	6,495	1	2
Amount payable to Madras Officers in Europe, Sicca Rupees			136,965	15	6

No. 7.

STATEMENT of Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund for the year 1811, due to Colonels of the Bombay Establishment, who are in India, or who have died in India, and shewing the sums to be deducted from the Shares of each, on account of advances made at that Presidency.

Major General Kenneth M'Pherson,

Amount of his Share ..	6,495	1	2
Deduct Amount received in advance	3,827	9	5
		2,667	7	9

Colonel

Colonel Charles Bowie, Amount of his Share ..	6,495	1	2	
Deduct Amount received in advance	3,827	9	5	
				2,667 7 9
Amount payable in India to Bombay Officers, S. Rs.				5,334 15 6

No. 8.

STATEMENT of the Shares in the Off-reckoning Fund of the year 1811, payable to the Colonels of the Presidency of Bombay, who are in Europe, or who have died in Europe.

Maj. Gen. Richard Jones	for the full Year ..	6,495	1	2
James Kerr	do ...	6,495	1	2
Richard Gore	do ..	6,495	1	2
John Wiseman	do ..	6,495	1	2
Henry Oakes	do	6,495	1	2
Thomas Marshall	do ..	6,495	1	2
Charles Reynolds	do ..	6,495	1	2
Andrew Anderson	do ..	6,495	1	2
Malcolm Grant	do ..	6,495	1	2
Amount due to Bombay Officers in Europe, Sicca Rupees		58,455	10	6

No. 9.

STATEMENT of the Surplus Off-reckonings due to Officers Commanding Independent Corps for the year 1811.

1st BATTALION NATIVE INVALIDS.

Gross Amount of Off-reckonings for 1811, Sicca Rupees	11,155	7	11	
Total Charges against the Fund, including the advance made to Captain Dick	7,812	12	10	
Balance payable to Captain W. Dick,				3,342 11 1

2d BATTALION NATIVE INVALIDS.

Gross Amount of Off-reckonings for 1811, Sicca Rupees ..	9,909	9	11	
Total Charges against the Fund, including the advance made to Lieut. Col. Forbes	7,385	5	6	
Balance payable to Lt. Col. Richard Forbes, Sa. Rs.				2,524 4 5

CORPS

CORPS OF HILL RANGERS.

Gross Amount of Off-reckonings for 1811, Sicca Rupees ..	3,215	2	8		
Total Charges against the Fund, including the advance made to Major Littlejohn	2,720	11	7		
Balance payable to Major (now Lieut. Col.) Littlejohn, Sa. Rs.				494	7 1

CORPS OF PIONEERS.

Gross Amount of Off-reckonings for 1811, Sicca Rupees ..	5,712	10	9		
Total Charges against the Fund, including the advance made to Captain Swinton, Sicca Rupees	4,278	5	6		
Balance payable to Captain John Swinton, Sicca Rupees				1,434	5 3

CORPS OF GOLUNDAUZE.

Gross Amount of Off-reckonings for 1811, Sicca Rupees	7,446	9	1		
Total Charges against the Fund, including the advance made to Captain S. S. Hay, Sa. Rupees	6,682	0	4		
Balance payable to Captain S. S. Hay, Sicca Rupees				764	8 9

RAMGHUR BATTALION.

Gross Amount of Off-reckonings for 1811, ...	8,910	9	11		
Total Charges against the Fund, including the advance made to Capt. Roughsedge, ...	7,212	7	3		
Balance payable to Captain Roughsedge,				1,698	2 3
Total payable to Commanding Officers of Independent Corps, Sicca Rupees				10,252	7 3

The Accountant to the Military Department will take the necessary measures for the payment of the balances of Shares of the Off-reckoning Fund to the Officers of the Bengal Establishment for

for the year 1811, as contained in Statements Nos. 3 and 9.

(Signed) J. YOUNG.
Offg. Sec. to Govt. Military Dept.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *8th June* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled at Secunderabad, on Monday, the 26th day of May 1817, by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and continued by adjournments until Saturday, the 31st of May of the same year, and of which Subadar Shaik Emaum of the 24th Regiment N. I. is President, are published to the Army.

CHARGES.—Ram Sing, Sepoy, No. 17, in the Grenadier Company, 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, confined by me to the Main Guard, on the following Charge, grounded upon the Proceedings of a Battalion Native Court Martial, which assembled on the 14th of April 1817.

For inciting Men of the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment to desert, by holding out promises of being otherwise provided for if they would go away with him; particularly in the instance of Jaganath Sing, Sepoy in the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, who deserted from his Corps on the 10th April 1817, at the instigation of the said Ram Sing.

SECUNDERABAD, 25*th April* 1817. } (Signed) THOMAS BOLES, Lieut. Col. Comg. 2d Bat. 15th Regt.

ADDITIONAL CHARGE against Ram Sing.

For attempting to desert on the night of the 11th April 1817, when he, the said Ram Sing, was on duty.

SECUNDERABAD, 25*th April* 1817. } (Signed) THOMAS BOLES, Lieut. Col. Comg. 2d Bat. 15th Regt.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court having duly considered every thing that has appeared before it, finds the Prisoner guilty of the 1st Charge, in as much as it relates to Sepoy Jaganath Sing only; but acquits him of the remainder of it.

The Court finds the Prisoner guilty of the Additional Charge.

Both of which instances being to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, it does, therefore, sentence the Prisoner to receive (800) eight hundred lashes, with a cat of nine tails, on his bare back, at such time and place as His Excellency

Excellency the Commander in Chief may be pleased to appoint.

The X mark of
SHAIK EMAUM,
Subadar, and President.

(Signed) W. GODLEY, Lieut.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.
(Signed) T. HISLOP,
Lieutenant General.

CHARGE.—Hurry Doss, and Tadra Doss, Camp Followers residing in the Bazar of the European Regiment, in the Cantonment of Secunderabad, confined by me to the Rear Picquet on the following Charges, grounded on the Proceedings of a Battalion Native Court Martial which assembled on the 14th April 1817, in the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment.

1st.—For inciting to desert from the Honorable Company's Service, Soldiers belonging to the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, and abetting their desertion; particularly in the instance of Ram Sing and Jaganath Sing, Sepoys of the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, on the night of the 9th April 1817.

2d.—For facilitating the desertion of the said Ram Sing and Jaganath Sing, Sepoys in the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, on the nights of the 9th, 10th and 11th of April 1817, and for allowing the Knapsacks of the above Men, knowing their intention to desert, to be deposited in their houses, where they were found.

SECUNDERABAD, 25th *April* 1817. (Signed) THOMAS BOLES, Lt. Col. Comg. 2d Bat. 15th Regt.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court acquits the Prisoners of the Charges preferred against them.

The X mark of
SHAIK EMAUM,
Subadar, and President.

(Signed) W. GODLEY, Lieut.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

CHARGE.—Roop Sing, a Camp Follower of the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, confined by me to the Rear Picquet, on the following Charges, grounded upon the Proceedings of a Battalion Native Court Martial which assembled on the 14th of April 1817, in the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment.

1st.—For

1st.—For encouraging to desert from the Honorable Company's Service, Soldiers belonging to the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, by purchasing articles of Small Stores, Clothing and Necessaries from Sepoys, knowing it to be their intention thereby to desert; particularly in the instance of Ram Sing and Jaganath Sing, Sepoys in that Corps, on the 9th of April 1817.

2d.—For obtaining, and secreting in his house 54 Musket Blank Cartridges, and 9 Ball Cartridges, which were found there in the Knapsack of Ram Sing, Sepoy, No. 34, G. Company 2d Battalion 15th Regiment N. I.

SECUNDERABAD, 25th *April* 1817. } (Signed) THOMAS BOLES, Lt. Col. Comg. 2d Bat. 15th Regt.

BY ORDER.

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

SENTENCE.—The Court acquits the Prisoner of the Charges preferred against him.

The X mark of
SHAIK EMAUM,
Subadar, and President.

(Signed) W. GODLEY, Lieut.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieut. Genl.

Captain H. Massey of the 9th Regiment N. I. is posted to the Pioneers and 1st Battalion, vice Wilson.

Prize Rolls of all Puckallies and Native Followers, attached to Corps, Detachments and Departments, on the Expedition against Java in 1811, are ordered to be sent in, as soon as possible, in *duplicate*, to Major Dickson, C. B. Prize Agent, &c. Fort St. George.

Corresponding Prize Certificates are to be sent to the Adjutant General's Office, for delivery to the Individuals.

Lieutenant Henry Holmes of the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment N. I. will do duty with the 2d Battalion 4th Regiment N. I. until further orders.

Ensign W. Stewart, Madras European Regiment, is posted to *act* with the 1st Battalion Pioneers, during the absence of Lieutenant White on other duty.

Assistant Surgeon D. S. Young will do duty with the Madras European Regiment, until further orders.

Ensign B. B. Newport is, at his own request, removed from the 14th to 5th Regiment N. I. and will rank next below Ensign W. D. Datzell.

Ensign

Ensign Thomas Clemons is, at his own request, removed from the 3d to the 9th Regiment N. I.

The following Native Promotions are ordered.

6th Light Cavalry.

Havaldar Abdul Cawder 1st, to be Jemadar,—Date of Commission 2d June 1817.

Artillery, 2d Battalion.

1st Tindal Akell Mahomed to be Syrang } Date of Commissions
2d ditto Ramasamy to be 1st Tindal } 19th May 1817.

2d Regiment N. I. 2d Battalion.

Jemadar Syde Modeen to be Subadar } Date of Commissions
Hav. Major Abdul Cawder to be Jemadar } 18th May 1817.

7th Regiment N. I. 1st Battalion.

Drill Havaldar Nagumona to be Jemadar } Date of Commissions
Havaldar Major Shaik Hommed to be ditto } 27th April 1817.

12th Regiment N. I. 2d Battalion.

Havaldar Major Shaik Ameed to be Jemadar,—Date of Commission 21st May 1817.

The undermentioned Medical Pupils are promoted to be 1st Dressers.

David Pye,
William King,
Thomas Peacock,
Alexander Eason,
Nicholas Bazely,
J. A. Bingar,
Alexander Mackay.

The Native General Court Martial which assembled at Secunderabad on the 26th Ultimo, and of which Subadar Shaik Emaum of the 24th Regiment N. I. is President, is dissolved.

Serjeant Edward Hill, late of H. M. 89th Regiment, is received on the strength of Effective Supernumeraries as a Serjeant, from 25th May, the date of his transfer to the Honorable Company's Service, and is appointed Serjeant Major 2d Battalion 17th Regiment or Chicacole Light Infantry.

Matross John Thompson of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, is appointed Barrack Serjeant at St. Thomas's Mount.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 14th June 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

An European Court Martial, consisting of a President and 14 Members, for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it, is to assemble at Bangalore, at such time as the Officer Commanding in the Mysore Division may be pleased to direct.

PRESIDENT.

Colonel Webber, Madras European Regiment.

MEM-

MEMBERS.

Colonel	Forbes	15th N. Regt.
,,	Marriott	12th ,,
Lieut. Colonel	Podmore	10th ,,
Major	Bishop	19th ,,
,,	De la Douespe	H. M. 69th Regt.
,,	Chitty	16th N. Regt.
,,	Stevenson	25th ,,
,,	Hole	H. M. 25th Light Drags.
,,	Brodie	11th N. Regt.
,,	Ahmuty	8th ,,
,,	Pearse	Artillery.
Captain	Faunt	H. M. 34th Regiment.
,,	Wilson	3d N. Regt.

The Cantonment of Bangalore will furnish one Captain as a Member.

Captain R. Home of the 8th Regiment N. I. is to officiate as Deputy Judge Advocate, to whom the Dates of Commissions of the Officers detailed for this duty are to be sent.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned, and are hereby ordered to attend.

Lieutenant Colonel Worsley, C. B. H. M. 34th Regiment, and Major Munt of the 6th Light Cavalry, having been prevented by sickness from attending the General Court Martial of which Major General Browne is President, are relieved from that duty.

Captain Pitchford, 4th Native Veteran Battalion, will at the expiration of his furlough, join the Head Quarters of the Battalion to which he belongs.

Lieutenant O'Reilly, 1st Battalion 25th Regiment N. I. has an extension of furlough to the Sea Coast on sick certificate, to the 31st July 1817.

Conductor Francke of the Dooley Corps, has an extension of leave till the 30th September next, on sick certificate.

Quarter Master Serjeant Martin is removed from the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment to the 2d Battalion 8th Regiment N. I. vice Hughes deceased; and Matross Daniel Cashbolt of the 1st Battalion Artillery, is promoted to Serjeant of Effective Supernumeraries and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant of the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment, vice Martin.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 18th June 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

That part of the G. O. of the 10th Ultimo, directing Captain and Brevet Major Durand to join and do duty with the 4th Native Veteran Battalion, is cancelled.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Carter, lately transferred from the 4th Regiment N. I. to the Invalid establishment, will *forthwith* join the Detachment of the 4th Native Veteran Battalion at Sankerrydroog.

Captain Lieutenant Hoofstetter of the 3d Native Veteran Battalion, will join the Detachment of his Corps at Berhampore.

The undermentioned Privates of the Madras European Regiment, are promoted to Serjeants of Effective Supernumeraries, and attached to the Adjutant General of the Army in the Field.

D. Wier, J. Diegler, W. Sanders, M. M'Gowan, and W. T. Starkenburgh.

HEAD QUARTERS, CHOULTRY PLAIN, 19*th June* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extract from G. O. issued by The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief in India, are, by His Excellency's Orders, published to the Army serving under this Presidency.

Extract from the Proceedings of an European General Court Martial assembled at Fort William, in obedience to General Orders of the 9th Instant, and held by virtue of a warrant from His Excellency The Right Hon. The Earl of Moira, K.G. Commander in Chief of all the Forces in India, under date 15th May 1817.

FORT WILLIAM, MONDAY, *the* 19*th May* 1817.

President,—Major Griffiths, 22d Native Regiment.

Judge Advocate,—Captain J Bryant, Judge Advocate General.

CHARGE.—John Pluck alias Plook, Matross of the 3d Battalion of the Honorable Company's Regiment of Artillery, confined by order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief, on the following Charge.

For having deserted from his Corps on or about the 26th of April last, ten or twelve days after the sentence passed on him, for a similar crime by a General Court Martial had been remitted.

By order of His Excellency The Right Honorable The Commander in Chief.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE; PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM, *the* 13*th May* 1817. } (Signed) JAMES NICOL, Adjt. General of the Army.

SENTENCE.—The Court Sentence the Prisoner Matross John Pluck alias Plook, to be shot to death.

(Signed) H. GRIFFITHS, Major, 2d Bat. 22d Rt. & President.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) HASTINGS.

(A true Extract.) (Signed) C. J. DOYLE, *Lt. Col. Military Secretary.*

Extract

Extract from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial held at Fort St. George, on Monday, the 26th day of May 1817, by order of His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. and continued by adjournment till Saturday, the 14th day of June of the same year, and of which Colonel J. G. Graham of the 5th Regiment N. I. is President, are published to the Army.

CRIME.—Timothy Harrington, Matross in the Gr or Captain (Brevet Major) J. C. Francke's Company, 2d Battalion Artillery, confined by me to the Quarter Guard, for mutinous conduct, in the following instances:

1st.—For loading his Fuzil with a Ball Cartridge and threatening to shoot me, and when deprived of his Arms by Serjeant Muirhead, Pay Serjeant of the Company, very grossly abusing and threatening to shoot me, Serjeant Muirhead and Serjeant Kilby, as soon as he should be released from confinement, if it were even twelve months hence.

2d.—For making use of similar threatening and abusive language after about two hours and a half, adding he would put his threats into execution if it should be seven years hence, or as long as hands were on his arms, or words to that effect.

3d.—For making away with a Ball Cartridge entrusted to his charge.

CAMP NEAR CARUNGOOLY, 4th *May* 1817. (Signed) A. CRAWFORD, Lieutenant, Artillery, Comg. Detachment.

BY ORDER. (Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY, Adjt. General of the Army.

(A true Copy.) (Signed) J. J. MACKINTOSH, M. B. Artillery.

SENTENCE.—The Court finds the Prisoner, Timothy Harrington, guilty of the Crime laid to his charge, which being in breach of the 5th Article 2d Section of the Articles of War, established for the better government of the Honorable Company's Forces, it doth sentence him to receive (1000) one thousand lashes on his bare back, in the usual manner, at such time and place as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may be pleased to direct.

(Signed) J. G. GRAHAM, Colonel, & President.

(Signed) J. WELSH, Lieut. Col. & Deputy Judge Advocate.

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. HISLOP, Lieutenant General.

Captain

Captain Wilson of the 3d Regiment N. I. is relieved from the European Court Martial ordered to be assembled at Bangalore, of which Colonel Webber is President, and the Cantonment of Bangalore will furnish *two* Captains for that duty.

Lieutenant Mitford of the 1st Battalion 5th Regiment N. I. will relieve Lieutenant Hitchins as a Member of the Clothing Committee.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 21st June 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Pursuant to the tenor of Instructions which have been received by Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. from the Most Noble the Governor General in Council, it is hereby notified to the Army, that His Excellency, in communication with the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, has assumed the immediate and personal Command of the whole of His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Forces serving in the Deccan, including the Division under Colonel Pritzler, now assembling in Advance of Adoni.

Surgeon W. H. Jones is posted to the Horse Artillery, vice Wyse; and Surgeon G. Briggs is appointed to the 6th Light Cavalry, vice Jones.

Assistant Surgeon Baird is removed from the 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I. and will place himself under the orders of the Superintending Surgeon of the Northern Division of the Army.

Cornet Macleod of the 4th Light Cavalry, will do duty with the 6th Light Cavalry until an opportunity offers for his joining his Regiment.

The Committee of Enquiry ordered to assemble at Seringapatam in G. O. of the 19th April last, and of which Major General Hare is President, is dissolved.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Captain	J. Wahab	1st Bt. 17th Rt.	1st Dec. 1817	Bangalore, & Presidency.
Lieut.	W. Buck	2d Bt. 5th Rt.	6th Sept. „	Sea Coast.

21*st June* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 9*th June* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant John Smyth, of the 7th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice Fitzpatrick promoted. Lieutenant

Lieutenant W. Strachan of the 19th Native Regiment, to act as Field Assistant Quarter Master General with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, during the absence of Lieutenant Stewart on sick certificate.

Captain C. Wilson of the 12th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant Commissary General, vice Harvey.

Mr. Surgeon James Wyse to be Garrison Surgeon of Cannanore.

Mr. Surgeon Prichard of the Garrison of Trichinopoly, is permitted to visit the Presidency on leave of absence, from the 15th Instant to the 31st July.

Lieutenant A. Stewart, Assistant in the Quarter Master Genesal's Department with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, is permitted to proceed to Bombay and eventually to Sea, for the benefit of his health.

The permission to return to Europe on sick certificate, granted by the Government at Fort William, to Lieutenant F. W. Morgan of the Pioneers, is confirmed.

The permission to return to Europe on sick certificate, granted by the Government at Fort William, to Captain Lieutenant J. Dalziel of the 4th Native Regiment, is confirmed.

Lieutenant Henry Carter of the 4th Native Regiment, is transferred to the Invalid Establishment, at his own request, from the 31st ultimo.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD, Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George, *9th June* 1817.

G. O. By Government.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following distribution of Off-reckonings for the year 1812-13, and to direct that the Amount of the Balances allotted to the undermentioned Officers (who are not included in the General Distribution of the three Presidencies), be paid in Cash in the usual manner.

DISTRIBUTION of OFF-RECKONINGS for the year 1812-13.

GENERAL FUND.

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.				1,36,929	39	50

From

From which is deducted the following Charges, admitted by the Off-reckoning Committee, viz.						
Agent's Charges for Clothing supplied	77,161	38	68			
Do. for Standards and Colours	480	22	40			
Compensation in lieu of Clothing	618	23	63			
Do. Do. (paid by the Agent)	141	20	17			
Half-mounting (calculated on the Strength of Corps.) ..	1,407	7	40			
Proportion of Contingent Charges	3,325	20	42			
Do. of Agent's Salary ..	3,490	34	15			
To the Town Major of Fort St. George, 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 ..	2,000	0	0			
				88,625	32	45
Surplus to be thrown into the General Fund in Bengal				48,304	7	5

SQUADRON OF HORSE ARTILLERY.

Amount of Stoppages, as computed by the Military Auditor General. ..				3,567	13	40
From which is deducted the following Charges, admitted by the Off-reckoning Committee, viz.						
Agent's Charges for Clothing supplied	637	8	9			
Compensation in lieu of Clothing, paid by the Agent ..	4	27	15			
Half-mounting calculated on the Strength of the Corps ...	203	43	0			
Proportion of Contingent Charges	27	20	17			
Do. of Agent's Salary	28	37	11			
				902	1	2
			Pagodas	2,665	12	38

Allotted

	Amount of each share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.
Allotted to Captain Noble, Commanding	2665 12 38	700 0 0	1965 12 38

MADRAS VOLUNTEER BATTALION.			
Amount of Stoppages as computed by the Military Auditor General ...			1666 31 60
From which is deducted the following Charges, viz. admitted by the Off-reckoning Committee:			
Agent's Charges for Clothing supplied	521 34 72		
Compensation in lieu of Clothing	113 35 74		
Ditto Ditto (paid by the Agent)	293 29 67		
Half-mounting as per Calculation	1 31 40		
Proportion of Contingent Charges	22 21 65		
Ditto of Agent's Salary	23 27 10		
			977 1 8
		Pagodas	689 30 52

	Amount of each share.	Amount already received.	Amount to be refunded
Allotted to Major Munro, Commanding	689 30 52	900 0 0	210 14 28

1st BATTALION or PIONEERS.			
Amount of Stoppages, as computed by the Military Auditor General ..			1808 28 0
From which is deducted the following Charges, admitted by the Off-reckoning Committee :			
Agent's Charges for Clothing supplied	852 35 17		
Compensation in lieu of Clothing (paid by the Agent)	3 6 0		
Half-mounting, as per Calculation	4 42 0		
Proportion of Contingent Charges	36 33 54		
Ditto of Agent's Salary ..	38 26 0		
			936 7 71
		Pagodas	872 20 9

Allotted

	Amount of each share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.
Allotted to Capt. Hughes, Commanding	872|201 9	800| 01 0	72|201 9

2d BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as computed by the Military Auditor General		1,752 12 46	
From which is deducted the following Charges, admitted by the Off-reckoning Committee :			
Agent's Charges for Clothing supplied	809 14 40		
Compensation in lieu of Clothing (paid by the Agent)	13 23 0		
Half-mounting as per Calculation	2 21 0		
Proportion of Contingent Charges	34 39 42		
Ditto of Agent's Salary ..	36 27 44		
		896 05 46	
	Pagodas	855 21 74	

	Amount of each share.	Amount already received.	Balance to be paid.
Allotted to Captain Smithwaite, Commanding	855|21|74	800| 01 0	55|21|74

STORE AND TENT LASCARS.

Amount of Stoppages as computed by the Military Auditor General		3,283 24 0	
From which is deducted the following Charges, admitted by the Off-reckoning Committee :			
Agent's Charges for Clothing supplied	2909 21 31		
Compensation in lieu of Clothing	17 27 0		
Proportion of Contingent Charges	125 16 72		
Ditto of Agent's Salary ..	131 28 0		
		3,184 3 23	
	Pagodas	99 20 57	

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD, SEC. TO GOVT.
FORT

FORT ST. GEORGE, 12th June 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council was pleased, in the Public Department, under date the 9th Instant, to appoint Mr. Assistant Surgeon R. H. Stewart, to afford medical aid to the Coroner, when required in the execution of his duties.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19th June 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Captain Lieutenant W. M. Burton of the Artillery, to act as Commissary of Stores at Bellary, during the absence of Captain Lieutenant Cullen, on other duty.

Lieutenant John Riddell of the 10th Regiment Native Infantry, to receive charge provisionally of the branch of the Survey Department remaining at Fort St. George, on the departure of the Surveyor General for Fort William.

Lieutenant S. W. Steele of the 12th Native Regiment, to act as Field Assistant Quarter Master General with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, during the absence of Lieutenant O'Donoghue on other duty.

Lieutenant Alexander Anderson and Ensign J. W. Nattes of the Engineers, to join the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, and to place themselves under the orders of the Superintending Engineer Lieutenant Davies.

4th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign John Metcalfe to be Lieutenant, from the 1st June 1817, vice Carter invalided.

Senior Captain (Brevet Major) W. Clapham to be Major, Captain Lieutenant John Dalziel to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Arthur Stock, to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign G. B. Wardell to be Lieutenant, from the 4th June 1817, in succession to Moore deceased.

9th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign Thomas Clemons to be Lieutenant, from the 9th June 1817, to complete the Establishment.

Mr. William Murray Sutherland is admitted an Assistant Surgeon on the Establishment, in conformity with his Appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors,—arrived at Madras, on the 10th Instant.

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to return to Europe on sick certificate.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Colonel T. Nuthall, 8th Regiment Native Cavalry.
Lieutenant W. Buck, 5th Regiment Native Infantry.

The Governor in Council cancels the furlough to Europe, granted in General Orders of the dates set against their Names respectively, to the undermentioned Officers.

Lieut. H. Tocker	21st	Rt.	N. I.	G. O.	15th April	1817.
„ G. Norman	9th	„	„	„	3d March	„
„ G. Dunn	20th	„	„	„	7th May	„
„ E. Holmes	4th	„	„	„	28th „	„
„ R. James	7th	N.	C.	„	28th „	„
„ H. Holmes	16th	Rt.	N. I.	„	24th March	„
Ensign James Allan	19th	„	„	„	15th April	„

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.
(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.
By order of the Commander in Chief.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, *19th June* 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Native General Court Martial ordered to assemble at Fort St. George, and of which Subadar Hoosaine of the 1st Battalion Artillery, is President, is dissolved.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 23d June 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Native General Court Martial of which Syrang Cassim of the 2d Battalion Artillery, is President, is dissolved; and a Native General Court Martial for the trial of all such Prisoners as may be brought before it, is to assemble at Bangalore, at such time as Major General Hare, Commanding in Mysore, is pleased to direct.

The Mysore Division will furnish the Detail, and Captain Home of the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment N. I. will act as Deputy Judge Advocate.

Assistant Surgeon Shedden is attached to the Horse Artillery, and will join the Detachment with Colonel Pritzler's Field Force.—On the arrival of Assistant Surgeon Shedden, Assistant Surgeon Campbell will return to his duty with the Cavalry Recruiting Depôt.

Head Quarters: Choultry Plain, 28th June 1817.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. having assumed the immediate and personal Command of all the Troops serving in the Deccan, is pleased to direct that Returns of all Detachments

Field

Field Forces, Corps, and Departments, serving under His Excellency's Command beyond the Frontiers, be immediately transmitted to the Adjutant General of the Madras Army at Hyderabad.

His Excellency Sir Thomas Hislop, Bart. is pleased to publish the following List of the Officers of the General and Personal Staff who will accompany the Head Quarters of the Army, and form His Excellency's Suite; and the Commander in Chief directs, that these Officers be recognized and obeyed in their several stations by all Troops serving under his Command whether within or beyond the Frontiers.

GENERAL STAFF.

Lieutenant Colonel T. H. S. Conway, Adjutant General of the Army.

Lieutenant G. Jones } Assistant Adjutant Generals of the
Cornet William Barlow, } Army.

Lieutenant Colonel V. Blacker, Quarter Master General of the Army.

Captain C. C. Johnston, Assistant Quarter Master General of the Army.

Lieutenant Colonel Macgregor Murray, (King's Troops), Deputy Adjutant General.

Lieutenant Colonel The Honorable L. Stanhope, (King's Troops), Deputy Quarter Master General.

Lieutenant Colonel Morison, Commissary General.

Lieutenant Ffrench, Post Master.

SUITE of His Excellency The Commander in Chief.

Captain H. Scott, Military Secretary.

Captain J. T. Wood, Private Secretary.

Captain J. T. Wood, 1st Aid-de-Camp.

Lieutenant T. Van Buerle, 2d Aid-de-Camp.

Lieutenant H. E. Fitzclarence, Additional Aid-de-Camp.

Lieutenant J. Eden, 2d Additional Aid-de-Camp.

James Annesley, Esq. Surgeon.

His Excellency the Most Noble the Governor General in Council having been pleased to appoint Colonels John Doveton, Sir John Malcolm, K.C.B. and K.L.S. and Sir Augustus Floyer, K.C.B. of the Madras Army—and Colonel Lionel Smith of His Majesty's 65th Foot, to be Brigadier Generals, pending the duration of a Special Service beyond the Territories of the Honorable Company; Lieutenant General Sir Thomas Hislop, Baronet, in notifying the same to the Army, directs that these Officers be recognized and obeyed as Brigadier Generals accordingly, from the date of this Order.

Under the authority of The Right Honorable The Governor in

In Council, the Commander in Chief is pleased to make the following Appointments.

Colonel Hewett, C. B. to Command the 1st Brigade, and Lieutenant Colonel H. Fraser the 2d Brigade of Infantry with the Field Force under the Command of Colonel Pritzler.

Serjeant William Holmes of Effective Supernumeraries, is appointed 2d Line Serjeant in the Quarter Master General's Department with the Head Quarters of the Army.

The following Removals are ordered.

Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel Hewett, C B. from the 18th Regiment N. I. to the 3d Regiment N. I. and 1st Battalion.

4th Regiment N. I.

Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel J. Simons from the 2d to the 1st Battalion; and Lieutenant Colonel A. Grant, C. B. from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Blackburne from the 3d to the 11th Regiment N. I. and 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Hugh Fraser from the 25th to the 12th Regiment and 2d Battalion.

18th Regiment N. I.

Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel A. M'Cally from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Muat from the 20th to the 18th Regiment and 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel B. Dod from the 11th to the 20th Regiment and 1st Battalion.

Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel H. Hall from the 12th to the 25th Regiment and 2d Battalion.

14th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Hilton from the 2d to the 1st Battalion, and Lieutenant Hanson from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

With reference to the G. O. of the 27th January 1817, Conductors of Ordnance are posted as follows:

C. Pollich,	Palamcottah.
J. F. Zscherpel,	Fort St. George.
W. Bredin,	Ditto.
D. Hooker,	Vizagapatam.
S. Carter,	Gun Carriage Manufactory.
T. Clarke,	Bangalore.
C. E. Houghton,	Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.
R. Brady,	Fort St. George.
J. Heyden,	Ditto.
E. Stokes,	Cannanore.
W. Gore,	Seringapatam.
E. Atkinson,	Camp Equipage Department.

W.

W. Hill,	Fort St. George.
J. Cowan,	Ditto.
E. Bonjour,	Ganjam.
M. M'Gowan,	Masulipatam.
P. Nixon,	Chitteldroog
G. Gibson,	Trichinopoly.
P. Closey,	Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.
T. Clarke,	Ditto.
W. Morris,	St. Thomas's Mount.
G. Buttery,	Trichinopoly.
H. Bacon,	Powder Mills.
R. Fyzsimons,	Fort St. George.
H. Ross,	Ditto.
W. Brindley,	Gooty.
J. Short,	Vellore.
R. Hayden,	Seringapatam.
R. M'Leod,	Fort St. George.
W. Laurence,	St. Thomas's Mount.
G. Ross,	Bellary.
H. Hyatt,	Ditto.
H. A. Uthoff,	Camp Equipage Department.

The remainder of the furlough granted in G. O. of the 7th April last, to Lieutenant Colonel Molesworth of the 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry, is cancelled; and that Officer will relieve Lieutenant Colonel Muat of the 2d Battalion 18th Regiment Native Infantry, as President of the Committee for investigating claims to Pensions; and Captain Saunders of the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment or Trichinopoly Light Infantry, is appointed a Member of the same Committee, vice Major Munro, who will relieve Colonel M'Cally as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee.

The following Native Promotion is ordered.

Rifle Corps.

Drill Havaldar Narsiah to be Jemadar,—Date of Commission 2d June 1817.

When Assistant Surgeon King joins the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment N. I. Surgeon Wylie has permission to visit the Presidency on four months leave of absence.

The General Court Martial which assembled at Quilon, and of which Colonel Trotter is President, is dissolved.

Captain Massey is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion, and Captain Lieutenant M'Cormick from the 2d to the 1st Battalion of the 9th Regiment N. I.

Lieutenant Colonel Hazlewood of the Carnatic European Veteran Battalion, has an extension of furlough until the 10th August 1817.

That

That part of the G. O. of the 26th April 1817, respecting Assistant Surgeon Train, is cancelled, and that Officer will do duty under the Staff Surgeon at Quilon.

Assistant Surgeon George Knox will do duty with Captain Baker's Detachment of the Rifle Corps, during the absence of Assistant Surgeon A. Stephenson at the Presidency on duty.

Acting Sub-Assistant Surgeon Godfrey and Medical Pupils Ronald M'Andrew, Isaac Chapman, Peter Murray, and J. G. Williams, are appointed to do duty with Colonel Pritzler's Field Force, under the orders of Mr. Staff Surgeon Scarman.

The undermentioned Officers have obtained leave of absence from their Corps and Stations.

Rank.	*Names.*	*Corps.*	*To what period.*	*To what place.*
Lt. & Adjt.	J. Toriano	2d Bt. 16th Rt.	25th Oct. 1817	Presidency, sick cert.
Lieutenant	G. Norman	1st Bat. 9th Rt.	14th July ,,	Do. on furlough.
Asst. Surg.	D. Reid	2d Bt. 16th Rt.	31st Oct. ,,	Do. on sick certificate.
Lt. Fireworker	F. Bond	1st Bt. Artillery	25th Sep. ,,	Do. Do.

30*th June* 1817.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 19*th June* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

1. It being deemed of importance to reduce, as far as may be found practicable, the number of Vouchers which are at present required to accompany the Pay Abstracts of Officers; The Right Honorable the Governor in Council, is pleased to direct the discontinuance in the Military Pay Department, of the undermentioned documents, and that the remarks opposite to each shall be attended to, by the Parties and Authorities concerned.

Vouchers to be discontinued in the Military Pay Department.

Superintending Surgeon's Certificates prescribed by the 54th Para. Page 224 of the Code of Pay Regulations.

REMARKS.

Superintending Surgeons are directed to notify to the Medical Board, any failure which may occur in the transmission of the prescribed Journals, Registers, Returns, &c. required from Medical Officers, in order that such notice may be taken of the neglect or inattention, on the part of Medical Officers, as the case may require.

Muster and Inspection Reports of Camp Equipage of all Officers drawing Tent Allowance, and of the Chargers of Cavalry Officers.

The Muster and Inspection Reports of Camp Equipage, and of Regimental Chargers of Officers, both of His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Service, doing Regimental duty, which are required to be forwarded with the Regimental Pay Abstracts,

Abstracts, to the Office of Audit, are in future to be retained at the Head Quarters of Corps; and Officers Commanding are to affix to their Monthly Returns to the Quarter Master General of the Army, a declaration upon honor to the same effect, as that which is at present required to Muster Reports, stating that the whole of the abovementioned Equipments were in a serviceable condition, and in complete readiness for Field Service, or otherwise, stating the exceptions which may occur, in order, that such notice may be taken thereof, as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may deem expedient, according to the circumstances of each case.

The Muster Reports of Camp Equipage and Regimental Chargers of Division, District, Garrison, Cantonment, and Personal Staff Officers, in place of accompanying the Pay Abstracts of such Officers, are in future to be transmitted to the Head Quarters of the Division, District, Garrison or Cantonment respectively of such Officers, the Commanding Officer of each District or Station, reporting the state of the Camp Equipage, &c. to his Division Head Quarters, from which specific notifications of any neglect which may occur in the state of those Equipments, are to be made to Head Quarters, by Officers Commanding Divisions.

As the musters of Camp Equipage and Regimental Chargers of Officers on the General Staff will continue to be taken by the Quarter Master General, it will be the duty of that Officer to notify for the information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, any inattention on the part of the Officers concerned, to the Regulations under which those Equipments are required to be mustered.

The first charges of Horse Allowance of Cavalry Officers, and Cadets, equally after the return of the former from absence in Europe, as on their first arrival in India, to commence from the date of their being actually in possession of the prescribed number of Chargers, of which their own written declarations upon honor are to accompany the Abstracts in which the charges appear.

Lists of Public Letters required by G. O. of Government, 9th September 1809.

Lists of Public Letters which the Heads of Departments, Corps, &c. are required to transmit with their Monthly Abstracts, are in future to be sent by those Officers to the Post Master General direct, who will be instructed to report for the information of Government, any neglect or inattention in the regular transmission of those documents.

Separate receipts required from each Individual of Office establishments prescribed by Para. 48, Page 309 of the Code of Pay Regulations.

An Acquittance Roll with the signature of each Individual to be in future forwarded, in lieu of separate receipts.

The

Separate Rolls of Men entitled to a gratuity on account of having served in repelling the Vellore Mutiny, as authorized by the 31st Para. Page 280 of the Code of Pay Regulations.

The Men entitled to this allowance are in future to be noted in the Muster Rolls, and to be exhibited separately in the Abstract, at the foot of each Muster Roll.

Separate bills required for Batta drawn on account of Escorts and small Detachments.

Separate bills are in future to be forwarded in those cases only, where the Parties have been employed on duties connected with the Political, Revenue, Judicial or Commercial Departments, which require that the Batta shall be entered in the Paymasters Disbursements, under those heads—on all other occasions the Batta is to be included in the Pay Abstracts under the head of Extra Charges, in the following manner:

			F.
1	Jemadar	25 days batta	75
2	Havildars		50
2	Naigues		50
25	Sepoys		625

The Muster Rolls are to specify the dates the Parties are detached and rejoined, the Stations to which they were detached, and the nature of the service on which they were employed.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 24*th June* 1817.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

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

Lieutenant E. J. Johnson of the 3d Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant in the Quarter Master General's Office, vice Bayley.

Lieutenant W. Strahan of the 19th Native Regiment, to be Field Assistant Quarter Master General with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, vice Bayley.

Lieutenant C. D. Dunn of the 22d Native Regiment, to be acting Field Assistant Quarter Master General with the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, during the absence of Lieutenant Stewart on sick certificate.

Mr. Surgeon G. Evans to act as Garrison Surgeon at Seringapatam, during the absence of Mr. Surgeon Scarman on other duty.

14th Regiment Native Infantry.

Senior Ensign William Graham to be Lieutenant, from the 6th June 1817, vice Birch deceased.

The leave to visit the Presidency granted in General Orders dated the 12th Ultimo, to Mr. Staff Surgeon Colhoun, of the Travancore Subsidiary Force, is cancelled at his request.

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) E. WOOD,
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

END OF THE THIRTY-FIFTH VOLUME.

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5 Held at Secunderabad, on Venkatachellum, Private No. 29, in the G. Company 1st Battalion 2d Regiment Native Infantry.
7 Assembled at Fort William, on Assistant Surgeon Compton, 4th Volunteer Battalion.
9 Assembled in Fort St. George, on Mahomed Baboo, Naigue, 2d Battalion 18th Regiment.
11 Annamuntoo, Sepoy 2d Battalion 18th Regiment N. I. and
11 Sheik Ahmed, Sepoy 2d Battalion 18th Regiment N. I.
13 Held in Camp near Kottrah, on Jemadar Sheik Abdellah, in the J. Company of the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment, or Trichinopoly Light Infantry.
24 Assembled at Kurnaul, on Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Kyan, of the 2d Regiment of Cavalry.
27 Assembled at Fort William, on Private John Gibbins of the Honorable Company's European Regiment.
39 Assembled at Meerut, on Frederick Whittle, Trumpeter in the Horse Artillery, and on
40 Matross William Clarke, 3d Troop Horse Artillery.
42 Matross Richard Thomas, 1st Troop of Horse Artillery.
43 Assembled at Kurnaul, on Jymul Goorung, Sepoy of the 8th Company 1st Nusseree Battalion.
44 Gunga Ram, Jemadar of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment N. I.

46 Held at Seringapatam, on Veerasamy, Naigue, No. C. Company 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I.

47 Assembled at Bangalore, on Lieutenant Fireworker George W. Lys of the Corps of Artillery.

50 Held in Camp near Chota Hurda, on Mootoo, Sepoy, No. 77 of the Grenadier Company of the 1st Battalion 20th Regiment Native Infantry.

55 Held in Camp near Baroda, on Serjeant Major William Whiting of the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment.

58 Assembled at Seringapatam, on Shaik Mudenah, Havaldar, No. 4, H. Company 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I.

59 Held at Fort St. George, on Lieutenant Prendergast of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment N. I.

66 Assembled at Camp at Serroor, on Subadar Shaik Jewan of the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment B. N. I.

71 Assembled at Meerut, on John Kiernan, Corporal, 3d Troop Horse Artillery,

72 Matross James Dixon, 1st Troop Horse Artillery.

73 Matross John Bucke, James Clinton, William Johnston and Dennis Dynan, of the Corps of Horse Artillery.

75 Matross Michael Whealan, 3d Troop Horse Artillery.

81 Assembled at Seringapatam, on Seravapah, Sepoy, No. 16, Grenadier Company 2d Battalion 25th Regiment N. I.

83 Held in Camp at Ellichpoor, on Abzul Beg, Private Trooper, No. 40, 2d Troop 3d Regiment L. C.

89 Assembled in Camp at Maltay, on Ismaul Kawn, Sepoy No. 16, of the E. or 7th Company of the 1st Battalion 20th Regiment N. I.

91 Assembled in Camp at Ellichpoor, on Jemadar Nagashaw — and on Jemadar Abdul Cawder of the A. Company 1st Battalion 7th Regiment N. I.

98 Held at Secunderabad, on Paupah, Store Havaldar 2d Battalion 24th Regiment N. I.

102 Held in Camp at Ellichpoor, on Mootoosawmy, Private No. 64 of A Company 2d Battalion 6th Regiment.

108 Held at Bangalore, on Jemadar Mahomed Hyder of the 2d Battalion 12th Regiment N. I.

108 Assembled at Masulipatam, on Lieutenant H. Croasdaile, 10th Regiment N. I.

109 Shaik Ali, Sepoy, No. 49 of the H. or Lieutenant Conway's Company 1st Battalion 4th Regiment N. I.

110 Assembled at Fort William, on John Pluck alias Plook, Matross in the 3d Battalion of the Honorable Company's Regiment of Artillery.

110 Edward Sohan, Matross in the 1st Company 3d Battalion of the Honorable Company's Regiment of Artillery.

111 Edward Mumford, Private in the Honorable Company's European Regiment.

166 Assembled at Barielly, on Major Alexander Campbell of the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment N. I.

168 Held at Bellary, on Lieutenant and Adjutant M'Cormick of the 2d Battalion 7th Regiment N. I.

169 Held at Vellore, on Subadar Mahomed Esoph, A. Company 2d (or Arnee) Native Veteran Battalion.

171 Held at Masulipatam, on Patrick Harford, Private Soldier in the E. or Brevet Major J. D. Brown's Company, 1st Battalion Artillery.

186 Assembled at Secunderabad, on Ram Sing, Sepoy, No. 17, in the Grenadier Company 2d Battalion 15th Regiment.

187 Hurry Doss, and Tadra Doss, Camp Followers residing in the Bazar of the European Regiment, in the Cantonment of Secunderabad.

187 Roop Sing, a Camp Follower of the 2d Battalion 15th Regiment.

191 Assembled at Fort William, on John Pluck alias Plook, Matross of the 3d Battalion of the Honorable Company's Regiment of Artillery.

192 Held at Fort St. George, on Timothy Harrington, Matross in the G. or Captain (Brevet Major) J. C. Pringle's Company, 2d Battalion Artillery.