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GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 28th December 1876.

No. 863 of 1876.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. O. Mayne, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Superintending Engineer, &c., Oudh.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 21st December 1876.
Major J. C. Gunning, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.	
Surgeon-Major J. Murray, M.D., Indian Medical Department, Examiner of Medical Accounts, &c.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 22nd December 1876.
Surgeon-Major J. Wilkins, M.D., 29th Madras Native Infantry	

No. 864 of 1876.—Major F. J. Hicks, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, 1st Grade, Kurnool, is granted an extension of his leave to Europe for two days, to enable him to rejoin.

Fort St. George, 2nd January 1877.

No. 1 of 1877.—The following List received from the India Office is published:—

No. 20, dated 1st December 1876.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major G. S. B. Hewetson, Staff Corps.
Surgeon-Major G. A. Burn.
Captain J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps.
Surgeon-Major J. Ross.
Captain V. L. Mathias, Staff Corps.
Colonel H. C. Z. Claridge,* Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major A. Farrer, Cavalry.....	6 months m. c.
Captain J. Hotham, Infantry.....	6 months m. c.
Captain G. C. Cooper, Infantry.....	6 months m. c.

No. 2 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th November 1876, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th November 1876.

BREVEF.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-Generals.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel William Alexander Deasy, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Ezekiel Gage, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Duncan Taylor, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Clerk, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel William James Jones, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.

* In supersession of the permission to return previously granted to this Officer.

To be Colonels.

* Lieutenant-Colonel Charles James, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.
 * Lieutenant-Colonel Patrick Salter, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.
 * Lieutenant-Colonel Josiah Hudleston, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1876.

To be Surgeon-General.

Deputy Surgeon-General William Johnston, M.D., Madras Army. Dated 29th November 1876.

India Office, 25th November 1876.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.*To be Captain.*

Captain (Brevet-Major) William Sim Macleod, late 1st Madras Light Cavalry. Dated 16th July 1864.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Hew Francis Cadell, 83rd Regiment. Dated 12th February 1874.

No. 3 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished:—

*No. 1261.—APPOINTMENT—**Medical Department.*

Surgeon-Major J. Lamprey, M.B., Madras Medical Department, is brought on the Administrative Staff of the British Medical Service in Bengal and appointed to the medical superintendence of the Presidency Circle, with effect from the date on which he may take up the duties of the office.

No. 4 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished:—

No. 1265.—The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander James Bruce, Madras Staff Corps.	} Dated 20th December 1876.
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No. 5 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished:—

No. 1273.—PENSIONS—

Joseph Chapman, late 13th Brigade, and John Carroll, late Brigade, 5th Royal Artillery, Out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India, viz., one shilling each per diem, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay.

No. 6 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished:—

Cavalry—Pay and Allowances.

No. 1278.—The Honorable the President in Council is pleased to notify that, with the approval of Her Majesty's Government, the contract* allowances for shoeing and line gear, hitherto drawn by Officers Commanding Troops of British Cavalry serving in India, will cease from the 1st April 1877, from which date the supply and repairs of

these articles will be effected in accordance with the practice in force in Her Majesty's Service in England and in the Colonies.

2. Detailed instructions for the supply and repair of line gear will be issued hereafter.
3. The following sums will be allowed, monthly, to officers commanding troops:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Troop command allowance	..	..	..
Repairs of arms and accoutrements	..	..	..
Stationery	..	..	..
	RS.		
	.. 30		
	.. 10		
	.. 10		

4. An allowance of twelve annas per mensem, to be paid to the troop farriers, will be given for shoeing each horse.

5. Country veterinary medicines and appliances, according to the sanctioned scale, will be supplied by the Commissariat Department, half yearly, on indents countersigned by the Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon.
6. An allowance of 1½ annas per maund for grinding gram, barley or other grain, will be given to cover all petty charges incurred in preparing the food.
7. Two drachms of salt per horse, daily, will be supplied by the Commissariat Department.
8. One private per squadron will be allowed as an assistant to the farriers, receiving, whilst so employed, the pay of a shoeing smith, viz. :—

	Gross pay.	Net pay, i.e., gross pay minus nine pies per diem for grocery ration.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
For a month of 28 days..	27 6 1	26 1 1
Ditto. of 29 days..	28 5 8	26 15 11
Ditto. of 30 days..	29 5 4	27 14 10
Ditto. of 31 days..	30 5 0	28 13 9

9. In accordance with the practice in the Bengal Presidency one native shoeing smith, or nalband, per troop will be allowed to Regiments of British Cavalry serving in Madras and Bombay on the following rates of pay :—

Madras, Rupees 14 }
Bombay, „ 15 } per mensem.

10. A monthly allowance will be given, of Rupees 2 each, for two syces per troop employed in the repair of line gear, and of Rupees 1 for one syce or grass-cutter per troop employed as choudries of grass-cutters.

No. 7 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished :—

No. 1279.—ORDNANCE—

War Materiel. The following clauses in list of changes in War Matériel are made applicable to India :—

Dated 1st September 1875.

No. 2770.—Whip, Drivers'.

Dated 1st September 1876.

- No. 2953.—Arms, interchangeable, rifles, B.L., Martini-Henry, parts of :—
Bayonet, common, complete, with locking ring, long.
Scabbard, leather, complete, long.
- No. 2954.—Arms, interchangeable, rifle, B.L., Martini-Henry, part of :—
Bayonet, sword, saw-backed. } Mark I.
Scabbard, black leather, with steel mountings. }
- No. 2955.—Arms, interchangeable, rifles, B.L., Martini-Henry, parts of :—
Rod, cleaning. Alteration of mark I.
- No. 2956.—Arms, interchangeable, rifles, B.L., Martini-Henry, parts of :—
Rod, cleaning, mark II.
- No. 2957.—Jack, lifting, general service, except R.E. (mark II).
- No. 2958.—Jack, lifting, general service, (mark III).

No. 8 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 507 of 1875 :—

No. 1280.—EQUIPMENT TABLES—

Artillery—Equipment. With reference to G.G.O. No. 747 of 1875, the following note is to be made in the Equipment tables for 9-pounder M.L.R. Batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery,* page 4, against the entry—“Traces, Web, Maude's pattern” :—

NOTE.—If rope traces are used, substitute for traces Web—

	PER BATTERY OF	
	Royal Horse Art.	Field Battery.
Traces, rope, saddlery, breast, harness, pairs	 70	20
Straps, trace, breast, harness	 140	40
Tugs, trace, do. do.	 140	40

No. 9 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 48 of 1875 :—

Equipment—British Infantry. No. 1281.—Referring to G.G.O. No. 56 of 1875, the following alterations and additions are to be made in the equipment table for British Infantry :—

Instruments, Drawing, &c.

- Page 9, Cancel Cases, Leather, Binocular.
 Do. 9, do. Glasses, Field, do.
 Do. 9, do. Stands, Telescope, tripod with legs complete.
 Do. 9, Add Cryptographs 2 } Per regiment.
 Do. 9, „ Heliographs 2 }
 Do. 10, Cancel Belts, Leather, Waist, Army signalling.
 Do. 11, do. Books, Signal, Army and Navy.
 Do. 11, do. Bottles, tin, for oil, with screw top, 2 quarts.
 Do. 11, do. Bugles, fog, horn.
 Do. 11, do. Cans, tin, oil, feeding, 1 pint.
 Do. 11, do. Cases, leather, for waist belt. Books feeding can.
 Do. 11, do. Chest, Wood, Army, signalling stores.

Miscellaneous.

- Do. 11, Add Cards, Signalling Morse, 7 per regiment.
 Do. 11, For Flags, Army signalling 4 feet square, black or blue, 2 per regiment.
 Do. 11, Flags, Army signalling, 4 feet square, white with a black or blue stripe, 2 per regiment.
 Do. 11, Substitute Flags, 4 feet square, black, 3 per regiment.
 Do. 11, do. Flags, 4 feet square, white 3 per do.
 Do. 11, Cancel Flags, Army signalling, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet square, black or blue, 4 per regiment.
 Do. 11, do. Flags, Army signalling, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet square, white with black or blue stripe, 4 per regiment.
 Do. 11, Add Staves, Bamboo, 7 feet, 9 inches long, 6 per regiment.
 Do. 11, Cancel Staff, Wood, Army signalling $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 8 \text{ feet } 2 \\ 4\frac{1}{2} \text{ „ } 4 \end{array} \right\}$ Per regiment.
 Do. 11, For Lamps, signalling, Bull's eye, 4 per regiment.
 Do. 11, Substitute Lamps, hand, signalling, 2 per regiment.
 Do. 12, Cancel Scissors, Lamp, Army, signalling.
 Do. 12, do. Wheels, Cypher, Bolton's.
 Do. 21, Enter Candles, to be procured as required.
 Do. 21, Cancel Cotton, raw.
 Do. 22, do. Oil, Colza.
 Do. 22, do. Wick, Cotton, Lamp, round, signalling, $\frac{3}{4}$."

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Fort St. George, 6th January 1877.

No. 10 of 1877.—The Medical Fund Annuities for January 1877 are granted as follows:—

To Retired Deputy Surgeon-General E. Dixon (a Member on Small Annuity).	A large Annuity ..	}	From 1st January 1877.
To Retired Surgeon-Major G. W. Walter (a Member on Small Annuity).			
To Retired Surgeon-Major J. L. Paul, M.D.			
To Retired Surgeon-Major J. T. Williams.	The Established Small Annuity.		From the date of payment of minimum, provided the same is paid on or before 1st March 1877.
To Surgeon-Major J. A. Cox, M.D.	A Liberated Small Annuity.		From the date of payment of minimum, or from the date of retirement from the service, whichever may be the later, provided both events take place on or before 1st March 1877.
To Retired Surgeon-Major F. Day.	Do.		From the date of payment of minimum, provided the same is paid on or before 1st March 1877.

No. 11 of 1877.—The services of Veterinary Surgeon W. S. Adams being no longer required on special duty in the Revenue Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

Fort St. George, 8th January 1877.

No. 12 of 1877.—Colonel W. H. Hessey, Staff Corps, Superintendent, Revenue Survey, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 13 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment, from the 22nd January 1877:—

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Beem Sing, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

29th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Venketsawmy, on Rupees 25 per mensem.

Jemadar Shaik Ebram, on Rupees 12 per mensem.

Fort St. George, 9th January 1877.

No. 14 of 1877.—Colonel S. Mainwaring, Staff Corps, will be entitled to Colonel's allowances from the 15th January 1877, under the provisions of paragraph 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808 of 1866.

No. 15 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel D. Scott, Staff Corps, Deputy Quartermaster-General, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, six months and ten days, and on medical certificate for five months and twenty days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 16 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major E. E. Lloyd, Indian Medical Department, is granted an extension of his leave to Europe for one day, to enable him to rejoin.

No. 17 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major H. E. Coningham, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, (Arrived at Tuticorin on the
Tinnevely District. { 11th December 1876.

No. 18 of 1877.—Major J. Lidderdale, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 38th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and four months, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

No. 19 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Malcolm Furlong, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 4th January 1877.

No. 20 of 1877.—The services of Surgeon J. G. Collis, M.D., Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Judicial Department.

No. 21 of 1877.—Lieutenant Charles Henry Simpson, of H. M.'s 18th Hussars, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 32nd Regiment N. I., Officiating Adjutant, of His Grace the Governor's Body Guard, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, from the 18th November 1875, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 22 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department :—

Passed Hospital Apprentice Michael Pereira, to be 2nd Class Assistant Apothecary, from the 22nd December 1876, *vice* Assistant Apothecary Dawson, seconded.

No. 23 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

37th Regiment (Grenadiers).

Subadar Major Sawmy, on Rupees 25 per mensem, with the Staff Allowance of his rank, from the 22nd January 1877.

No. 24 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th November 1876, is republished :—

India Office, 25th November 1876.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

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To be Lieutenants.

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Lieutenant Peter Robert Bairnsfather, 16th Lancers. Dated 2nd November 1872.

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Lieutenant Francis Robert Bonham Knox, 45th Regiment. Dated 13th November 1872.

No. 25 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th December 1876, is republished :—

No. 1286.—The undermentioned Officer of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Francis, Madras Staff Corps,—27th December 1876.

No. 26 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th December 1876, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 199 of 1872 :—

No. 1293.—The following is to be substituted for paragraph 3, G.G.O. No. 775, dated 30th July 1872 :—

Bedding. "In case of extra issues under the authority of this order, a report detailing the extent of the issue and the necessity for it, is to be made for the information of Government through the Controller of Military Accounts."

No. 27 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1876, is republished:—

No. 1277.—CLOTHING—

Clothing. In publishing for information and guidance the following statement showing, on account of great coats, cloaks, and capes of both the new and old patterns, their value when new, periods of duration, value when worn out and annual depreciation of value for each year's service, the Honorable the President in Council is pleased to prescribe that, in determining the value, when lost by neglect, of great coats and capes of Infantry and dismounted men of Artillery and Engineers, which are required, as at present, to last double the periods of duration at home, each year's wear in England, previous to embarkation, will be reckoned as two years' wear in India.

2. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

ARTICLES.		Value when new.	Duration in years.	Value when worn out.	Annual depreciation of value for each full year's service or use.
<i>Great Coats, Cloaks, and Capes of new pattern</i>					
Cavalry ..	Cloak without cape for mounted men ..	RS. A. P. 18 2 8	10	RS. A. P. 3 0 0	RS. A. P. 1 8 3
Artillery ..	Cape only for do. (all ranks) ..	5 9 4	10	1 0 0	0 7 4
Engineers ..	Great coat without cape for dismounted men ..	10 11 4	8	3 0 0	0 15 5
Engineers ..	Cape only for do. (all ranks) ..	5 10 0	8	1 0 0	0 9 3
Infantry ..	Great coat without cape .. { Staff ..	11 8 0	10	2 8 0	0 14 4
	Other rank ..	7 9 4	8	2 8 0	0 10 2
	Cape only .. { Staff ..	5 0 0	10	1 0 0	0 6 4
	Other rank ..	4 2 8	8	1 0 0	0 6 4
Schoolmaster's cloak	.. ..	15 2 8	10	3 0 0	1 3 6
<i>Great Coats, Cloaks, and Capes of old pattern.</i>					
Cavalry ..	Cloak without cape for mounted men ..	17 4 8	10	3 0 0	1 6 10
Artillery ..	Cape only for do. (all ranks) ..	7 4 8	10	1 0 0	0 10 1
Engineers ..	Great coat with cape attached (all ranks) ..	16 15 4	8	3 0 0	1 11 11
Artillery ..	Do. do. { Staff ..	15 3 4	10	2 8 0	1 4 4
Engineers ..	Other rank ..	10 10 8	8	2 8 0	1 0 4
Schoolmaster's cloak	.. ..	15 0 0	10	3 0 0	1 3 3

No. 28 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th December 1876, is republished:—

No. 1295.—EQUIPMENT TABLES—

Artillery—Equipment. The wooden targets required for the annual practice of Batteries of Royal Artillery in India will in future be of the same dimensions as in the Home Service, viz., 6' x 6' x 3" instead of 9' x 9' x 2".

The necessary corrections will be made in the Equipment Tables R.M.L. Batteries, "Stores supplied annually," page 6.

No. 29 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st January 1877, is republished:—

Native Army—Pay and Allowances. No. 1 of 1877.—The Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council has much gratification in announcing to the Native Armies of India that, with a view to the improvement of the condition of the Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers and men serving in the Armies of the three Presidencies and the Punjab Frontier Force, the following measures, recommended by the Government of India, have received the sanction of Her Majesty's Government:—

I.—A grant of Rupees 30 will be made to every recruit of Artillery, Infantry, and Sappers and Miners, and to the Madras Cavalry and Governor-General's Body Guard, on enlistment, to aid in the provision of the established kit.

II.—An annual allowance of Rupees 4 will be given to every Non-Commissioned Officer, Drummer, and Private of Artillery, Infantry, and Sappers and Miners, and to the Madras Cavalry and Governor-General's Body Guard, in aid of half-mounting. This will not be given to soldiers of less service than eighteen months.

III.—Good-conduct pay at the rate* of one, two, and three Rupees monthly will be granted in future as follows, viz., to the Bengal Cavalry and Punjab Frontier Force, after three, nine, and fifteen years, instead of after six, ten, and fifteen years' service; and to the Madras Cavalry, to the Artillery of the Bombay Army and Punjab Frontier Force, and to the Infantry and Sappers and Miners of all three Presidencies, after a service of three, nine, and fifteen years, instead of one and two Rupees after six and ten years, as at present.

IV.—Increased pay will be given to Native Commissioned Officers at the following rates, which include cantonment batta, viz:—

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* NOTE.—This advantage is already enjoyed by the Bombay Cavalry, the Privates of which draw on enlistment the highest rate of pay, inclusive of good-conduct pay, attainable by Privates of the Bengal Cavalry and Punjab Frontier Force.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S BODY GUARD.

						Per Mensem.		
						RS.	A.	P.
1 Subadar ..	..	..	..	..	..	180	0	0
1 Jemadar ..	..	..	..	..	..	70	0	0
1 Jemadar ..	..	..	..	..	..	60	0	0

MADRAS CAVALRY.

Subadars ..	one-half	..	..	..	..	150	0	0
" ..	"	..	..	..	..	110	0	0
Jemadars ..	one-half	..	..	..	..	60	0	0
" ..	"	..	..	..	..	50	0	0

BODY GUARD OF THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY.

1 Ressaldar ..	..	..	..	..	..	250	0	0
1 Ressaidar ..	..	..	..	..	..	135	0	0
1 Jemadar ..	..	..	..	..	..	70	0	0

BOMBAY CAVALRY EACH REGIMENT, INCLUDING THE SIND HORSE.

1 Ressaldar-Major ..	..	..	..	..	..	300	0	0
1 Ressaldar ..	..	..	..	..	..	250	0	0
1 Ressaldar ..	..	..	..	..	..	200	0	0
1 Ressaidar ..	..	..	..	..	..	150	0	0
1 Ressaidar ..	..	..	..	..	..	135	0	0
1 Ressaidar ..	..	..	..	..	..	120	0	0
1 Woodie-Major ..	..	..	..	..	..	150	0	0
6 Naib Ressaldars ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	80	0
						3	75	0
6 Jemadars ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	70	0
						3	65	0

ARTILLERY.

Subadars ..	after 6 years' service	..	..	..	..	100	0	0
Subadars ..	under 6 do.	..	..	..	..	80	0	0
Jemadars ..	after 6 do.	..	..	..	..	50	0	0
Jemadars ..	under 6 do.	..	..	..	..	40	0	0

INFANTRY OF THE THREE PRESIDENCIES AND PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE AND SAPPERS AND MINERS.

						Per Mensem.		
						RS.	A.	P.
Subadars ..	one-half	..	..	..	..	100	0	0
" ..	"	..	..	..	..	80	0	0
Jemadars ..	one-half	..	..	..	..	50	0	0
" ..	"	..	..	..	..	40	0	0

In the Bombay Sappers and Miners two Subadars and three Jemadars will receive the higher rates, and the remaining Officers the lower rates of pay.

The allowance to all Subadar-Majors will be increased from Rupees 25 to Rupees 50 per mensem.

V.—Compensation for dearness of provisions, which is now granted to other branches of the service in the three Presidencies, will be extended to the Bengal Cavalry, including that of the Punjab Frontier Force.

The several indulgences thus granted to the Native Armies of India will have effect from the date on which Her Majesty's gracious assumption of the style and title of Empress of India is proclaimed to Her Majesty's subjects in this Empire, viz., from the 1st January 1877.

No. 30 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st January 1877, is republished:—

Order of British India.

No. 2 of 1877.—In continuation of General Order No. 1 of this date, His Excellency the Viceroy has much gratification in announcing to the Native Armies of India that, in order still further to record Her Imperial Majesty's appreciation of the services of the Native Officers, and in commemoration of the assumption of the Imperial title, the Right Honorable the Secretary of State has been pleased, on the recommendation of the Government of India, to sanction an increase to the Order of British India from its present establishment to 175 members of each class, proportioned as follows to the three Armies:—

						1st Class.	2nd Class.
Bengal ..	..	..	..	..	..	88	88
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	..	53	53
Bombay ..	..	..	..	..	..	34	34
Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	175	175
Grand Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	350	

2. G.G.O. No. 551 of 1868 is cancelled. All vacancies in the above establishment will hereafter be filled up as they occur, whether caused by an effective or non-effective member.

3. In pursuance of the above, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the following Native Officers to the 1st and 2nd Classes, respectively, of the Order of British India :—

To the 1st Class with the title of "Sirdar Bahadur."

BENGAL.

Inspector, 4th Class, Khan Sing, Oude Police, late Ferozepore Regiment.
Ressaldar-Major Raheemdad Khan, "Bahadur," 2nd Bengal Cavalry.
Subadar-Major Thakoorsad Misser, "Bahadur," 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar Gobrayh Sing, "Bahadur," 8th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Shawa Ram, "Bahadur," 13th (The Shekhawattee) Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Ram Rutton, "Bahadur," 15th (The Loodianah) Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar Ramchurun, "Bahadur," 38th (The Agra) Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Runbahadoor Sing, "Bahadur," 42nd (Assam) Regiment Native Light Infantry.
Subadar-Major Bahadoor, "Bahadur," 43rd (Assam) Regiment Native Light Infantry.
Subadar Runbeer, "Bahadur," 1st Goorkha Regiment Light Infantry.
Subadar Surrupjeet Thappa, "Bahadur," 2nd (Prince of Wales' Own) Goorkha Regiment (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Subadar-Major Taij Bahadur Khawas, "Bahadur," 3rd Goorkha (The Kemaon) Regiment.
Ressaldar Ramtuhul Sing, "Bahadur," 4th Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force.
Subadar-Major Unoka Sing, "Bahadur," 5th Regiment Native Light Infantry.
Subadar-Major Jewun Sing, "Bahadur," 32nd (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry (Pioneers).
Subadar Hubbeboollah Khan, "Bahadur," Governor-General's Body Guard.
Subadar-Major Kurrug Sing Rana, "Bahadur," 44th (Sylhet) Regiment Native Light Infantry.
Subadar-Major Bullea Thappa, "Bahadur," 4th Goorkha Regiment.
Subadar Sewsahie Sing, "Bahadur," 34th (The Futteghurh) Regiment Native Infantry.
Ressaldar Ausuf Ally, "Bahadur," 3rd Bengal Cavalry.
Subadar-Major Bussawun Singh, "Bahadur," Corps of Sappers and Miners.
Subadar-Major Kurramutoollah Khan, "Bahadur," 33rd (The Allahabad) Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Pyabb, "Bahadur," 1st Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force.
Ressaldar Kumrooddeen Khan, "Bahadur," 17th Bengal Cavalry.
Subadar-Major Bulwunt Sing, "Bahadur," 6th Regiment Native Light Infantry.
Subadar Sewbuccus Doobey, "Bahadur," 11th Regiment Native Infantry.
Ressaldar-Major Meer Jaffir Ally, "Bahadur," 5th Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force.
Ressaldar-Major Allaooddeen Khan, "Bahadur," 2nd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent.
Subadar Ram Chunder, "Bahadur," 2nd (Prince of Wales' Own) Goorkha Regiment (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Subadar Hoomail Khan, "Bahadur," 42nd (Assam) Regiment Native Light Infantry.
Subadar Ramoo Kuthait, "Bahadur," 13th (The Shekhawattee) Regiment Native Infantry.
Ressaldar Moortuza Khan, "Bahadur," 6th Bengal Cavalry.

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Subadar-Major Sheik Homed, "Bahadur," 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Sheik Surver, "Bahadur," 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Kistnamah, "Bahadur," 41st Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Mootoosawmy, "Bahadur," 5th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Sheik Hussein, "Bahadur," 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar Rungasawmy, "Bahadur," 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar Jehangir Khan, "Bahadur," 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar Nirsomaloo, "Bahadur," 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Soobiah, "Bahadur," 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Mahomed Cassim, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Luehmun Sing, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Mohdeen Khan, 28th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Sheik Homed, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
Subadar-Major Mahomed Cassim, 3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.
Subadar-Major Appavoo, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Dalliah, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Appiah, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Baboo Ram, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
Subadar-Major Yacoub Khan, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.

BOMBAY.

Ressaldar-Major Bennec Sing, "Bahadur," 3rd (Queen's Own) Regiment Light Cavalry.
Subadar-Major Simalljee Israel, "Bahadur," 27th Regiment Native Light Infantry, or 1st Belooch Regiment.
Subadar Ballojee Moray, "Bahadur," Corps of Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Shaik Emam Dharwar, "Bahadur," No. 1 Mountain Battery, Native Artillery.
 Subadar Saye Errapa, "Bahadur," Corps of Sappers and Miners.
 Ressaldar-Major Meer Kassum Ali, "Bahadur," 3rd Regiment Sind Horse.
 Subadar-Major Samueljee Issajee, "Bahadur," 3rd Regiment Native Light Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Peetamber, "Bahadur," 29th Regiment Native Infantry, or 2nd Belooch Regiment.
 Subadar-Major Chundum Ditchit, "Bahadur," 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Rubenjee Israel, "Bahadur," 8th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Ressaldar-Major Hoosain Bux, "Bahadur," Poona Horse.
 Ressaldar-Major Moostuffa Khan, "Bahadur," 1st Regiment, Sind Horse.
 Subadar-Major Shaik Muddar, "Bahadur," 25th Regiment Native Light Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Shaik Oosman, "Bahadur," 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Shaik Esmail, "Bahadur," 21st Regiment Native Infantry or Marine Battalion.
 Ressaldar-Major Shaik Hoosain, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
 Subadar-Major Deveo Sing, 20th Regiment of Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Appurbul Sing, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.

To the 2nd Class with the title of "Bahadur."

BENGAL.

Subadar-Major Gunnesha Sing, 27th (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Gomundha Singh, 2nd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force.
 Subadar-Major Abdoolah Khan, 26th (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Kussool Khan, 6th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force.
 Subadar-Major Peer Bux, 22nd (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Sohunlall Tewarry, 8th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Bhundoo Ram, Deolallee Irregular Force, Infantry.
 Ressaldar-Major Jaffer Ally Khan, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force.
 Subadar-Major Mardan Ali Shah, No. 1 Mountain Battery, Punjab Frontier Force.
 Ressaldar-Major Khanan Khan, Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy, (Queen's Own) Corps of Guides, Cavalry.
 Subadar-Major Jhummun Singh, 17th (The Royal Poorbeah) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Ressaldar-Major Sheikh Bahadoor, 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent.
 Subadar-Major Sheek Muhboob, 3rd Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Urjoon Singh, 19th (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Gamah Khan, 24th (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Hookum Sing, 45th (Rattray's Sikhs) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Nehal Singh, 20th (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Khoaj Mahomed, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Ressaldar Ram Sing, 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse.
 Subadar Siboo Sing Nagee, 3rd Goorkha (The Kemaon) Regiment.
 Subadar Chuttur Bhoj Awusthe, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Bhola Persad Sookl, Corps of Sappers and Miners.
 Subadar Nehal Singh, 14th (The Ferozepore) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Ressaldar Jehangeer Khan, 10th Bengal Lancers.
 Subadar Runbeer Khuttree, 2nd (Prince of Wales' Own) Goorkha Regiment (The Sirmoor Rifles).
 Subadar Sewtahal Sing, 2nd (Queen's Own) Regiment Native Light Infantry.
 Subadar Gobordun Sing, 41st (The Gwalior) Regiment Native Infantry.
 Ressaldar Tahour Khan, 6th Bengal Cavalry.
 Subadar Rambuccus Misr, Nepal Escort.
 Ressaidar and Woordie-Major Emam Buksh Khan, 15th Bengal Cavalry.

MADRAS.

Subadar-Major Mherwar Sing, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Sheik Emaum, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Nagiah, 31st Regiment Light Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Veeragoo, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Venketsawmy, 8th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Bowani Sing, 16th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Sheik Booden, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Abdool Nubby, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
 Subadar Sirdar Khan, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Sheik Mirdeen, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Sheik Abdool Cawder, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Syed Ahmed, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Sheik Secunder, 37th Regiment Native Infantry (Grenadiers).
 Subadar Homed Beg, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Manuel Davis Cozen, 34th Regiment Light Infantry.
 Subadar Sheik Oosman, 32nd Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Pethepeermaal, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Rungiah, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Mohamed Moideeree, 11th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Syed Abdool Cawder, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Ghoolam Nubbee, 20th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Yacoob Khan, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.

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Subadar-Major Louis Gabriel, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Shaik Sooltan, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Solomon Elijah, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Durriow Sing, 18th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Mahomed Khan, 11th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Bheema Nair, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Lakshemon Rao Dongrey, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Ittoojee Jadow, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Essobjee Israel, 16th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Sayajee Scinday, 2nd (Prince of Wales' Own) Regiment Native Infantry (Grenadiers).
 Subadar-Major Mahadoo Seerka, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Miosajee Israel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar-Major Wullee Mahomed, 1st Regiment Native Infantry (Grenadiers).
 Subadar-Major Hajjee Khan, 30th Regiment Native Infantry or Jacob's Rifles.
 Subadar-Major Shaik Oomer, 10th Regiment Native Light Infantry.
 Ressaldar-Major Shadee Khan, 2nd Regiment Sind Horse.
 Subadar Shaik Mohideen, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Gunness Sing, 28th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Shaik Abdoola, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Raghojee Moruskur, 4th Regiment Native Infantry or Rifle Corps.
 Subadar Bheeka, 3rd Regiment Native Light Infantry.

No. 31 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st January 1877, is republished:—

Native Regiments—British Officers—Designation. *No. 3 of 1877.*—His Excellency the Governor-General of India in Council is pleased to notify, with the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, that in future the British Officers attached to Native Regiments will, save in the case of the Commandant, be placed in two classes as respects designation.

2. Squadron and Wing Officers, including the Second in Command, will be designated Squadron and Wing "Commanders," and the remainder, including the Adjutant in the Cavalry and the Adjutant and Quartermaster in the Infantry, will be styled Squadron and Wing "Officers" respectively. The post of Adjutant in the Cavalry, and of Adjutant and Quartermaster in the Infantry, will be filled by one of the Squadron or Wing Officers.

3. It is also notified that in future, Officers of Native Regiments nominated to purely Military or personal Staff appointments, tenable for fixed periods, will be "seconded" in their Regiments.

4. An Officer thus seconded will continue to hold his position in the Regiment, and be eligible to be promoted in room of any vacancy as if he were present, and will revert to his Regimental appointment on the expiration of his tour of Staff service.

No. 32 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st January 1877, is republished:—

Bands. *No. 4 of 1877.*—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to announce that a Band will be allowed in every Regiment of Native Infantry in the three Presidencies, or Punjab Frontier Force, in which the Officers express a desire to establish one, and that in such cases the usual allowance will be granted in aid of its maintenance.

No. 33 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st January 1877, is republished:—

Pay and Allowances. *No. 7 of 1877.*—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased, on the occasion of the assumption by Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, of the Title of Empress of India, to grant a day's pay to every Petty Officer and Seaman and to every Non-Commissioned Officer and Private of the Royal Marines on board the vessels of the Royal Navy serving in the Indian Seas.

A day's pay, including good-conduct pay, will also be granted to every Non-Commissioned Officer and Soldier, British and Native, of Her Majesty's Army in India, and to every Non-Commissioned Officer and Private of the Volunteer Force present at the Imperial Assemblage.

No. 34 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Rolls for the weeks ending 21st and 30th December 1876.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Rolls were despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mails of the 23rd December 1876 and 6th January 1877.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
<i>Week ending 21st December 1876.</i>		
1	December ..	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Crawford, James, Lieutenant-Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Carnegy, P. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Elliot, C. S., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hawkes, George, Lieutenant, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Magrath, B. H. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Major, F. W., Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
2	Do. ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. C do. do.
2	Nov. & Dec. ..	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	December ..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Head-qrs. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 1st do. 21st Fusiliers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
2	November ..	Do. " 89th do.
1	December ..	Picton-Warlow, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Rogers, C. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Stuart, H. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Saunders, A., Major, Commandant Poonamallee, for Serjeant-Major W. C. Lynch.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, James, Lance Serjeant, H. M.'s 43rd Regiment.
33	Returns.	
<i>Week ending 30th December 1876.</i>		
	December ..	Arbuthnot, G. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Assistant Adjutant-General, for Key Serjeant John Patton.
1	Do. ..	Bates, C. E., Colonel, 31st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Furlong, Malcolm, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Macdonald, J. M., Captain, Commanding European Veterans, for Bombardier Charles Smith.
1	Do. ..	Oxley, C. R., Captain, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding No. 7 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 1st do. 21st Fusiliers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Serres, William, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do. ..	Saunders, A., Major, Commandant Poonamallee, for Serjeant Richard Mildon.
15	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 10th January 1877.

No. 35 of 1877.—Colonel S. Mainwaring, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in England.

No. 36 of 1877.—The services of Captain C. T. P. Luxmoore, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 10th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for appointment to the Military Account Department on probation.

No. 37 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department :—

Passed Hospital Apprentice Alfred Edwin Korb to be 2nd Class Assistant Apothecary, from the 26th December 1876, *vice* Assistant Apothecary Garraty, deceased.

Fort St. George, 11th January 1877.

No. 38 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Surgeon-Major E. E. Lloyd, Indian Medical Department	..	{ Arrived at Madras on the
		{ 24th December 1876.
Captain R. C. Hutchinson, Infantry, 2nd Squadron Officer, Corps of Guides, Punjab Frontier Force.		{ Arrived at Bombay on the
		{ 4th January 1877.
Captain E. T. Chapman, Infantry, 2nd Wing Subaltern 32nd Native Infantry.		{ Arrived at Madras on the
		{ 6th January 1877.

No. 39 of 1877.—In modification of G.O.G. No. 691, dated 28th October 1875, Private E. Meehan, 44th Foot, will be considered as having been permitted to draw pay up to 22nd July 1876, inclusive, at Secunderabad, and after that date at Sydney.

No. 40 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 1839.—Private Thomas Beale, 89th Foot,—Madras.

No. 41 of 1877.—Her Majesty's 16th Lancers are struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 5th December 1876, the date of their embarkation at Bombay.

Fort St. George, 12th January 1877.

No. 42 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment from the 1st February 1877 :—

4th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Virdiah, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Shekh Sooleyman, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

Fort St. George, 15th January 1877.

No. 43 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Cumberlege, Staff Corps, Commissioner, Chattisgarh Division, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eight months, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 16th January 1877.

No. 44 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major E. E. Lloyd, Indian Medical Department, Zillah Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Tanjore, is granted 30 days' subsidiary leave on return from furlough.

No. 45 of 1876.—Surgeon H. D. Cook, M.B., Indian Medical Department, Zillah Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Masulipatam, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 46 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
1st Regiment N. I. ..	Subadar Sirdar Khan "Bahadoor"	Subadar-Major ..	27th December 1876.

No. 47 of 1877.—The following List received from the India Office is published:—

No. 21, dated 15th December 1876.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain T. H. B. Young, Staff Corps.
Colonel J. Puckle, Staff Corps.
Captain W. H. M. Francklyn, Infantry.
Surgeon-Major W. P. Kelly.

No. 48 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th December 1876, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 15th December 1876.

BREVET.

* * * *

The undermentioned promotion to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of Major-General Frederick Maitland, Bengal Infantry, on 3rd August 1876:—

Colonel William George Owen, Madras Infantry, to be Major-General in the East Indies. Dated 4th August 1876.

No. 49 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st January 1877, is republished:—

No. 556, dated the 25th June 1874.
No. 1, dated the 1st January 1875.
No. 294, dated the 15th March 1875.
No. 1, dated the 1st January 1876.

Officers' Retirement Scheme. No. 8.—
With reference to the G.G.Os. noted in the margin, and with the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that:—

- I. During the year 1877 ninety (90) Officers of the Staff Corps, and Cavalry and Infantry of the Indian Army, will be permitted to retire from the service, receiving, in addition to the pension to which they may be entitled by length of service under existing regulations, not exceeding the full-pay pension of a Colonel (£456-5-0 per annum), an annuity representing the estimated value of their prospective claim to the Colonel's allowance, or its capitalized value as they may prefer.
- II. This offer is restricted to substantive Lieutenant-Colonels who shall have completed 28 years' service, from the date of first commission, on or before the date from which they apply to retire, who may either, 1st, have been appointed to one of the Staff Corps on or before the 12th September 1866, and can claim the Colonel's allowance under the provisions of G.G.O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, or 2ndly, may be entitled, under G.O.G.G. of the 12th September 1862, to the Colonel's allowance after 12 years' service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

III. The number allowed to retire under these conditions will be distributed as follows:—

For Bengal	40
„ Madras	30
„ Bombay	20
Total	90

In the event of the whole of the retirements allotted to a particular Presidency not being taken up in that Presidency, those remaining will be distributed in such manner as may be determined by the Government of India.

- IV. Applications to retire will be considered and disposed of successively according to priority of proposed dates of retirement until the number of retirements allotted to the service shall have been accomplished, when retirements under this order will cease for the year. In the event of its becoming necessary to select one from among two or three applicants for retirement on the same day, preference will be given according to seniority from the date of first commission.
- V. Officers wishing to retire under the terms of this order must, whether in or out of India, submit their applications to the office of the Adjutant-General of their respective Presidencies, naming such prospective dates for their retirements as will admit of the receipt of their applications by the Adjutant-General on or before the date named, such date not to be earlier than the 1st April 1877.
- VI. Officers whose applications are accepted will be gazetted out from the dates named by themselves, but will continue to perform their duties and receive the pay and allowances of their positions until officially informed of their removal from the effective list, either by direct communication, or by publication of the *Gazette* at the station* at which they may be serving.
- VII. Officers retiring under this arrangement will forego both the good service pension, if they are in receipt thereof, and all claim to bonus compensation under the terms of the despatch of the 8th of August 1866,* No. 160.
- * G.G.O. No. 808 of 26th September 1866.
- VIII. Applicants to retire must state—
- 1st.—Their rank and service.
 - 2nd.—Their age (supported by certificate of birth, or, in its absence, by a formal declaration).
 - 3rd.—Whether they wish to receive commutation for their prospective allowances in the shape of an annuity, or to capitalize its value. Officers who desire to receive the capitalized value of the annuity must attach to their applications a certificate in the form given in Appendix A. In the case of Officers retiring out of India, the health certificate required will be called for and furnished under instructions from the India Office in London.
 - 4th.—Whether they desire to receive payment, wholly, or in part, in India, or in England.
- IX. The Table given in Appendix B shows the rates at which the expectation of the Colonel's allowance will be calculated in carrying this order into effect in the case of Officers of various ages and service.
- X.—For the purpose of arriving at the amount payable in each case, whether as an annuity or in a single payment, Officers' ages will be calculated from their birthday next succeeding the date from which they propose to retire, and the number of years they have to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance will be calculated from the date of the proposed retirement. When the period to serve contains a fraction of a year, the fraction, if it be six months or under six months, will be excluded altogether; if it exceeds six months, it will be reckoned as a complete year.
- XI. Payments of the capitalized value of the annuity made in India under this order will be at the rate of Rs. 10½d. for the Rupee.
- XII. Officers who elect to receive an annuity in preference to the capital sum, will not, after their retirements have appeared in the *Gazette*, be allowed to capitalize such annuity under the provisions of this order; and it is to be understood that no separate applications of individual Officers to retire after the present retirements have been allotted will be entertained on the basis of this order.

XIII. Officers of the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will be permitted, if disposed to retire from the service, to avail themselves of this scheme of retirement, provided they are eligible thereto by the fulfilment, previously to their transfer to the half-pay list, of all the conditions required. The time passed by an Officer on the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will not count towards the 12 years in the grade of Lieutenant-Colonel required to qualify for promotion to the Colonel's allowance.

XIV. No application from Officers to cancel their retirement or to change the date of such retirement will be entertained after it has been announced in the official *Gazette* of the Presidency to which they belong.

APPENDIX A.

Form of Medical Certificate in the case of an officer in India applying for the capitalized value of the Annuity.

I certify that I have examined Lieutenant-Colonel _____ of the _____ and find him to be in a state of health which affords the prospect of an average duration of life.

Station and date.

Surgeon.

N.B.—The certificate to be in the handwriting of, and signed in India by, the Medical Officer in charge of the Regiment; or if the Officer who applies to capitalize his annuity is not serving with a Regiment, then by some other Civil or Military Medical Officer not under the rank of Surgeon-Major.

APPENDIX B.

Table for the Valuation of Prospective Colonel's Allowance.

Years to serve.	1.	2.	3.	1.	2.	3.	1.	2.	3.	1.	2.	3.	1.	2.	3.	1.	2.	3.
	Values.	Ages.	Annuities.	Values.	Ages.	Annuities.	Values.	Ages.	Annuities.	Values.	Ages.	Annuities.	Values.	Ages.	Annuities.	Values.	Ages.	Annuities.
12	£ 2,310	42	£ s. 176 10	£ 2,231	43	£ s. 172 13	£ 2,160	44	£ s. 169 9	£ 2,095	45	£ s. 166 17	£ 2,037	46	£ s. 164 16	£ 1,984	47	£ s. 163 6
11	2,508	43	194 5	2,425	44	190 5	2,351	45	187 4	2,285	46	184 16	2,226	47	183 5	2,174	48	182 6
10	2,726	44	213 17	2,640	45	210 4	2,564	46	207 8	2,496	47	205 10	2,439	48	204 11	2,390	49	204 9
9	2,967	45	236 6	2,879	46	232 18	2,801	47	230 12	2,735	48	229 8	2,682	49	229 8	2,640	50	230 9
8	3,236	46	261 15	3,145	47	258 10	3,069	48	257 8	3,008	49	257 5	2,962	50	258 11	2,930	51	261 6
7	3,536	47	291 1	3,446	48	289 1	3,375	49	288 14	3,321	50	289 19	3,288	51	293 4	3,244	52	295 8
6	3,874	48	324 18	3,790	49	324 4	3,727	50	325 7	3,687	51	328 16	3,640	52	331 9	3,583	53	333 5
5	4,260	49	364 8	4,185	50	365 7	4,137	51	368 19	4,081	52	371 13	4,012	53	373 18	3,949	54	375 3
4	4,704	50	410 14	4,643	51	414 6	4,580	52	417 1	4,508	53	419 6	4,431	54	421 19	4,353	55	421 14
3	5,222	51	465 14	5,143	52	468 6	5,058	53	470 10	4,969	54	472 1	4,876	55	473 4	4,775	56	473 11
2	5,781	52	526 8	5,680	53	528 7	5,576	54	529 14	5,467	55	530 12	5,358	56	531 7	5,243	57	531 7
1	6,385	53	593 18	6,261	54	594 17	6,135	55	595 8	6,008	56	595 17	5,883	57	596 5	5,750	58	595 18
0	7,038	54	668 12	6,890	55	668 12	6,742	56	668 12	6,597	57	668 12	6,452	58	668 12	6,302	59	668 12
12	1,935	48	£ s. 162 6	£ 1,888	49	£ s. 161 11	£ 1,849	50	£ s. 161 8	£ 1,817	51	£ s. 162 1	£ 1,779	52	£ s. 162 19	£ 1,742	53	£ s. 182 15
11	2,128	49	182 0	2,085	50	182 1	2,052	51	183 0	2,012	52	183 4	1,965	53	182 15	1,925	54	205 14
10	2,349	50	205 2	2,315	51	206 9	2,271	52	206 17	2,222	53	206 13	2,165	54	205 14	2,105	55	231 5
9	2,608	51	232 12	2,562	52	233 7	2,509	53	233 7	2,449	54	232 13	2,383	55	231 5	2,315	56	259 13
8	2,887	52	262 18	2,830	53	263 5	2,766	54	262 15	2,695	55	261 11	2,610	56	259 13	2,525	57	291 7
7	3,189	53	296 12	3,120	54	296 8	3,043	55	295 7	2,962	56	293 14	2,875	57	281 7	2,785	58	326 15
6	3,515	54	333 19	3,433	55	333 3	3,344	56	331 13	3,252	57	329 11	3,153	58	326 15	3,055	59	366 13
5	3,868	55	375 7	3,773	56	374 2	3,672	57	372 3	3,566	58	369 11	3,456	59	366 13	3,345	60	411 18
4	4,251	56	421 10	4,142	57	419 16	4,027	58	417 6	3,909	59	414 13	3,789	60	411 18	3,665	61	464 2
3	4,667	57	472 19	4,542	58	471 15	4,414	59	468 5	4,285	60	465 17	4,157	61	464 2	4,025	62	523 11
2	5,118	58	530 8	4,979	59	528 4	4,839	60	526 1	4,701	61	524 18	4,555	62	523 11	4,415	63	591 4
1	5,610	59	595 3	5,458	60	593 9	5,309	61	592 0	5,152	62	592 2	4,986	63	591 4	4,825	64	668 12
0	6,150	60	668 12	5,989	61	668 12	5,818	62	668 12	5,639	63	668 12	5,460	64	668 12	5,281	65	741 1

DIRECTIONS FOR THE USE OF THE TABLE.

Find in the marginal column to the left of the Table the number of years the Officer has to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance, and then in the same line of the Table the Officer's age—(in column 2).

The figure in the same line to the right of his age (in column No. 3, "Annuities") shows the annuity, and the figure to the left of his age (under column No. 1, "Values") shows the capitalized value of the annuity offered to him under this order.

EXAMPLE.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. applies to retire on the 1st April 1877. He will be 49 years of age on the 4th May 1877. He will become entitled to the Colonel's allowance on the 1st August 1882. For the purpose of making the calculation his age is 49, and the time he has to serve for the Colonel's allowance being five years and four months, the time he has to serve, for the purpose of the calculation under Para. X of the order, is five years. The annuity offered to him is £384-8-0, and its capitalized value is £4,260.

No. 50 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette* is republished:—

Public Works Department, Bengal Establishment, the 8th January 1877.

No. 3.—*Notification*.—Captain G. F. E. S. Neil, M.S.C., Executive Engineer (temporary rank), 2nd Grade, assumed charge of the Burdwan Division on the 15th December 1876, after-noon.

No. 51 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 11th January 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *etd* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 13th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	January ..	Blundell, J. E., Captain, Brigade-Major, Southern District.
1	Do. ..	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Browning, Charles, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cloete, J. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Revenue Survey.
1	Do. ..	Clerk, E. M., Captain, Infantry General List.
1	Do. ..	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Drayner, A. W., Colonel, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, Barrack Master, Kampjee.
1	Do. ..	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Gray, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Grant, S. F. M. S., Major, 12th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Gib, W. A., Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Grey, W. F. H., Lieutenant, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hooper, G. S., Major, Madras Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hay, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Captain, R.E., Commanding 42nd Company, R.E., for
7	Do. ..	Corporals Bailey, Basset, Cooney, Curtis, Dean, and Tizzard, and Serjeant-Major Cleghorn.
2	Do. ..	Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Knocker, J. B., Colonel, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Nepean, H. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 37th Grenadiers.
1	December 1876.	Officer Commanding C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	January 1877 ..	Do. Head-qrs., 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	December 1876.	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	January 1877 ..	Do. No. 2 do. 5th do. do.
1	November 1876.	Do. No. 7 do. 6th do. do.
1	January 1877 ..	Do. Head-qrs., 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. B Battery, 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
1	December 1876.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Head-qrs.)
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing.)
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing.)
2	January 1877 ..	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, for
1	Do. ..	Store-Serjeant Quinn and Armourer-Serjeant Barber.
1	Do. ..	Williamson, William, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
51	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for November and December 1876, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail :—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1876.	
1	December ..	Lewis, E. J. G., Lieutenant, Acting Paymaster, Presidency, for Colonel Watts, Madras Infantry.
2	November ..	Officer Commanding B Battery C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	C do. C do. do.
1	October ..	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	November ..	Do. No. 2 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
2	October ..	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
2	Oct. & Nov. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 6th do. do.
2	November ..	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	October ..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	November ..	Do. A do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
2	October ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment of Foot.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 1st do. 21st Fusiliers.
2	November ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
4	Oct. & Nov. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	October ..	Do. " 89th do. (Head-qrs.)
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
39	Returns.	

The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1876.	
1	November ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 1st Battalion, 21st Fusiliers.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. A do. 20th do. do.
13	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amounts set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian name and Surname in full of Officer and Non-Commissioned Officer, deceased.	Branch of Service to which deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.										
1	Francis Pemberton Campbell.	Military.	Her M.'s 14th Hussars.	Lt.-Col.	Bangalore.	14th June 1875.	RS. A. P. 2,204 10 4	Testate.	1876. Deposited 5th Dec.	1
2	Charles Godwin.	Do.	Her M.'s 2nd Battn. 16th Foot.	Major.	Secunderabad.	21st June 1875.	1,256 6 10	Intestate.	Do. do.	2
3 {	Clement Chute	} Do.	{ European Veterans.	} Lieut.	Madras.	{ 16th Oct. 1875 }	6 1 6	} Do.	{ Do. 13th Dec. Do. 21st do.	{ 3 4
4 {	Cottrell.					{ 1875 }	0 6 1			
5	Dudley St. Leger Hill.	Do.	Royal Arty.	Do.	On Board Steamer <i>Bagdad</i> , off Bimlipatam.	6th Aug. 1875.	0 14 11	Not known	Do. 19th do.	5
6	Andrew Thomas.	A. Medical.	Indian Medical Dept.	Surgeon	Banda ..	14th August 1875.	One sealed packet.	Do.	Do 5th do.	6

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secy. to Govt., Milly. Dept.

Fort St. George, 9th January 1877.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by the Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1877.

No. 52 of 1877.—Major H. A. T. Nepean, Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Commander, 15th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and two days, and on medical certificate for eleven months and twenty-eight days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Madras.

No. 53 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Captain J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 27th Regiment Native Infantry.	Arrived at Bombay on the 12th January 1877.
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No. 54 of 1877.—No. 4462, Gunner William Carter, of the D Battery, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery, is permitted to reside and draw pay at Secunderabad, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension.

Fort St. George, 18th January 1877.

No. 55 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Morris, Cavalry, District Superintendent of Police, Central Provinces, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

No. 56 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Major G. S. B. Hewetson, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.	Arrived at Bombay on the 11th January 1877.
Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) V. L. Mathias, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 39th Regiment Native Infantry.	
Major R. Houghton, Staff Corps, Superintendent, British Burmah Police.	Arrived at Madras on the 16th January 1877.

Fort St. George, 19th January 1877.

No. 57 of 1877.—The following alterations of rank and promotion are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Officiating Sub-Conductor George Dempster, to take rank from 1st October 1876, *vice* Sub-Conductor W. P. Carson, transferred to the Supernumerary List.

Officiating Sub-Conductor Patrick McKenna, to take rank from 16th October 1876, *vice* Sub-Conductor Greenhill, promoted.

Store-Serjeant William Riley, to officiate as Sub-Conductor, from the 19th October 1876, *vice* Sub-Conductor McMillan, remanded to regimental duty.

Fort St. George, 20th January 1877.

No. 58 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels, having completed 26 years' service.

Majors.	{	Thomas Wakefield	}	From the 11th January 1877.
		Seafeld Falkland Murray Treasure Grant		
		Henry Seymour Robinson		
		William Moore Lane		
		Thomas Boone Everest Tennant		
				From the 20th January 1877.

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains.	{	George Augustus St rover	}	From the 20th January 1877.
		William Vertue		

No. 59 of 1877.—Major C. J. Stuart, Staff Corps, Deputy Director of Revenue Settlement, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

This cancels G.O.G. No. 600, dated 4th October 1876.

No. 60 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Captain G. H. Tillard, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Nellore.	} Arrived at Madras on the 16th January 1877.
Captain (Brevet-Major) W. S. Macleod, Staff Corps, Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore.	
	} Arrived at Madras on the 17th January 1877.

No. 61 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
14th Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar Shekh Cassim Havildar, No. 2478, Syed Ally	Subadar Jemadar	} 10th January 1877.

Fort St. George, 22nd January 1877.

No. 62 of 1877.—The services of Lieutenant B. Poulter, of the Royal Engineers, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Financial Department.

Fort St. George, 23rd January 1877.

No. 63 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Surgeon J. H. Ritchie, Indian Medical Department	} Arrived at Bombay on the 10th January 1877.
Captain R. C. Evanson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, British Burnah.	
Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Menzies, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner and Inspector-General of Registration, Hyderabad Assigned Districts.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 18th January 1877.
Major R. A. Walters, Staff Corps, Superintendent Central Jail, Trichinopoly.	
Captain E. Austin, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 19th Regiment Native Infantry.	} Arrived at Madras on the 20th January 1877.
Lieutenant C. W. Walker, Staff Corps.	

No. 64 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Major John Ewing, Staff Corps, Assistant Quartermaster-General, to officiate as Deputy Quartermaster-General, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel D. Scott, or until further orders.

No. 65 of 1877.—The following Officer is promoted to the rank of Captain by Brevet, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Charles Warren Walker, from the 31st January 1877.

No. 66 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department, from the 16th January 1877, or from the date on which Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary J. Fox delivers over charge of the depot at Trichinopoly :—

Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary Thomas Harney to officiate as Assistant Commissary, and Supernumerary Conductor Joseph Costello to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary, *vice* Fox on medical certificate, or until further orders.

Conductor George Ramsbottom to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary, *vice* Costello on other duty, or until further orders.

Sub-Conductor Henry William Dunlop, to officiate as Conductor, and Store Serjeant Daniel Hemsworth to officiate as Sub-Conductor, *vice* Ramsbottom promoted, or until further orders.

Officiating Sub-Conductor Charles Floate of the Ordnance Department, to be Sub-Conductor from the 1st October 1876, *vice* Stephenson promoted.

No. 67 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel B. H. W. Magrath, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 68 of 1877.—Major W. S. Macleod, Staff Corps, Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore, is granted 15 days' subsidiary leave on return from furlough.

No. 69 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major J. Houston, M.D., Indian Medical Department, Surgeon to the Mysore Commission, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for six months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 70 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 22nd December 1876, are republished:—

India Office, 21st December 1876.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

To be Colonels.

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Lieutenant-Colonel William Ramsay, Madras Infantry.	Dated 8th July 1876.		
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To be Captains.

Lieutenant Vincent Lewis Mathias, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 22nd March 1876.
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SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major George Vanburgh Law. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Hugh Gordon Thomson. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Major Malcolm Bandinel Sabin Lloyd. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Major Frederick Lyon Playfair. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Major Thomas Ross Church. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Major Henry Mack Nepean. Dated 15th June 1876.
 Major Alfred Charles Forth. Dated 20th July 1876.

To be Majors.

Captain David Frederick Moore Lane. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Captain William Henry Hodges. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Captain Edward James Watson. Dated 14th June 1876.
 Captain Theophilus Higginson. Dated 26th June 1876.
 Captain Alexander Cook. Dated 26th June 1876.
 Captain Thomas Henry Stoton. Dated 26th June 1876.
 Captain Joseph Beauchamp Leggett. Dated 16th August 1876.
 Captain Edgar Hastings Thomas. Dated 16th August 1876.
 Captain John Macdougall. Dated 20th August 1876.
 Captain Charles Hayter. Dated 29th August 1876.
 Captain Lacy Bowring Bance. Dated 10th September 1876.
 Captain George Corrie Bird. Dated 20th September 1876.
 Captain William Nesbitt Wroughton. Dated 23rd September 1876.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Alfred Western Hatchell Hornsby. Dated 26th July 1876.
 Lieutenant Alfred Vincent Chick. Dated 9th September 1876.
 Lieutenant Edward Alexander Fraser. Dated 13th September 1876.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) James Buchanan. Dated 16th July 1876.
 Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) George Travis Radcliffe. Dated 1st August 1876.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Edward Melville Lawford. Dated 10th February 1876.
 Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) George Alexander Arbuthnot. Dated 16th July 1876.
 Major Western George Morris. Dated 1st August 1876.

Late 1st Light Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) George Stanley Hooper to be Major. Dated 1st August 1876.

Late 3rd Light Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Henry Fraser to be Major. Dated 16th July 1876.

Late 4th Light Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) William James Morris to be Major. Dated 10th February 1876.

Late 8th Light Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Richard Campbell Stewart to be Major. Dated 16th July 1876.

INFANTRY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Thomas Williams. Dated 16th July 1876.
 Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Henry Watts. Dated 1st August 1876.
 Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Charles Philip Yorke Triscott. Dated 17th August 1876.

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RESIGNATION.

Captain John Nevitt Bennett, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th July 1876.

The names of the undermentioned Officers should be as follows, and not as stated in the London Gazettes, named :—

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London Gazette 15th August 1876—Lieutenant-Colonel C. James Godfrey.

London Gazette 15th August 1876—Major E. G. Morrogh, not *Murrough*.

London Gazette 8th October 1875—Lieutenant-Colonel E. Bosc Sladen.

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London Gazette 7th March 1876—Lieutenant E. E. *Kenny*, not *Kenney*.

London Gazette 30th May 1876—Major F. H. *Tyrell*, not *Tyrell*.

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No. 71 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th January 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.O. No. 603 of 1876 :—

No. 15.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has approved of the exchange between Lieutenant B. H. Pollard, Bengal Staff Corps, and Lieutenant A. F. Cotton, Madras Staff Corps, sanctioned in G.G.O. No. 998 of 1876.

No. 72 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th January 1877, is republished :—

No. 16.—The services of Lieutenant E. C. Dowse, 45th Foot, appointed to the Punjab Frontier Force as a probationer for the Bengal Staff Corps, by G.G.O. No. 832 of 1876, are, at his own request, replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 73 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th January 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 300 of 1876 :—

Furlough. *No. 24.*—With reference to G.G.O. No. 510 of 1876, it is notified that furlough

Rules VIII, XIV, and XXIV of the Furlough Regulations granted to Military Officers in Civil employ under the notification by the Financial Department, No. 2294, dated the 20th April 1876, for a period

not exceeding three months, is not to be considered as furlough requiring an interval of three years' service between two furloughs.

Such furlough will, however, be excluded from the three years' service required between two furloughs.

No. 74 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th January 1877, is republished :—

No. 27.—PENSIONS—

Henry Moore, late 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery, an Out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, is permitted to draw his pension (which is chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India, viz., one shilling per diem, from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay.

No. 75 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India* are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 9th January 1877.

No. 3.—APPOINTMENTS.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Lucie Smith, Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Class, in the Central Provinces, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class, *vice* Colonel J. N. H. Maclean, retired.

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Major C. H. Plowden, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Class, *vice* Mr. Read.

Major H. I. Lugard, Cantonment Magistrate of Jubbulpore, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Class, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, *vice* Major Plowden, and to continue to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Class.

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Captain E. W. C. H. Miller, Assistant Commissioner of the 4th Class, and Officiating Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class, *vice* Mr. Nicholls, and to continue to officiate as Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class.

No. 5.—APPOINTMENTS.—Captain M. M. Bowie, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, in the Central Provinces, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Class, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel James, retired, and to continue to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class.

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No. 7.—APPOINTMENTS.—Major C. W. Street, Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Grade, and Officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of British Burmah, to be confirmed in the latter appointment.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. McMahon, Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Grade, *vice* Major Street.

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Lieutenant-Colonel W. Munro, Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Grade, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, *vice* Mr. Ireland.

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No. 76 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India* is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT—GENERAL.

Fort William, the 9th January 1877.

No. 13-G.—PROMOTIONS.—Consequent on the departure on furlough of Major H. E. Mottet, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, the following temporary promotions are made in the Mysore Commission, until further orders:—

Captain E. P. Maltby, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class.

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No. 77 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 11th January 1877, is republished:—

No. 35 of 1877.—The undermentioned officer is allowed furlough to Australia and the Colonies for six months, on medical certificate, under the Furlough Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Major D. F. M. Lane, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 78 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 18th January 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 20th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	January ..	Adam, Hunter, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Carroll, J. H., Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	December 1876.	Chambers, C. A., Master Armourer, Magazine, Rangoon.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	January 1877 ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, for Garrison Serjeant-Major Murray.
1	Do. ..	Kidd, D. W., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Kilcoin, Patrick, 1st Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	O'Leary, T. C., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 43rd Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Ring, John, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Reynolds, William, Major, Bombay Invalid Establishment.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Depôt, Wellington.
1	Do. ..	Western, George, 1st Class Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
22	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by the Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 24th January 1877.

No. 79 of 1877.—In modification of paragraph 1 of G.O.G. No. 104, dated 2nd April 1870, His Grace the Governor in Council directs the publication of the following alteration in the classification of the Brigade Commands in the Madras Army, to have effect from the date on which Major-General W. G. Owen may be relieved from the Command of the Ceded Districts:—
The Northern District to be a 2nd-Class Brigade.
Malabar and Canara to be a 1st-Class Brigade.

Fort St. George, 25th January 1877.

No. 80 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Major J. C. Gunning, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, from the 25th December 1876, and during the absence of Major Sewell on general leave in India, which expires on the 10th May 1877.

No. 81 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Surgeon-Major W. P. Kelly, Indian Medical Department . . . { Arrived at Madras on the
17th January 1877.

No. 82 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 847, dated 22nd December 1876, Jemadar Hyath Khan, 8th Regiment Native Infantry, is transferred to the Pension Establishment from the 16th January 1877.

Fort St. George, 26th January 1877.

No. 83 of 1877.—Conductor John Peel, of the Remount Depôt, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" from the 1st February 1877, on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem.

Fort St. George, 29th January 1877.

No. 84 of 1877.—Lieutenant C. W. Walker, Staff Corps, is granted an extension of his leave to Europe for two days, to enable him to rejoin.

No. 85 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

14th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Nursimaloo, Sirdar Bahadur, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank,—from the 1st February 1877.

Fort St. George, 30th January 1877.

No. 86 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel B. H. Magrath, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, is permitted to embark from Madras, Bombay, or Calcutta, on the furlough to Europe granted to him in G.O.G. No. 67, dated 23rd January 1877.

No. 87 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to return to duty:—

Captain C. W. Campbell, Bengal Cavalry.

No. 88 of 1877.—Captain H. W. Pardoe, Cavalry General List, Squadron Officer, 2nd Light Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Sea and Australia on furlough on private affairs for three months, under the Regulations of 1868, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 89 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
8th Regiment N. I.	Havildar, No. 221, Mahomed Attavoolah ..	Jemadar	10th January 1877.
9th Regiment N. I.	Jemadar, No. 1,375, Mahomed Abbash ..	Subadar	} 22nd January 1877.
	Havildar, No. 1,470, Syed Mooltance ..	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 1,620, Veeraswamy ..	Jemadar	

No. 90 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 822, dated 15th December 1876, the services of Major G. U. Knox, Royal Artillery, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 91 of 1877.—Major R. A. Walters, Staff Corps, Superintendent, Central Jail, Trichinopoly, arrived at Bombay on the 11th, and not on the 18th, January 1877, as notified in G.O.G. No. 63, dated 23rd idem.

No. 92 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 30, dated 9th January 1877, republishing G.O.G. No. 2 of 1877, for Subadar Homed Beg, 9th Regiment Native Infantry, read Subadar-Major Furreed Beg, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. 93 of 1877.—The leave to Major C. J. Stuart, notified in G.O.G. No. 59 of 1877, was granted on production of a medical certificate.

No. 94 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 29th December 1876, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 29th December 1876.

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Deputy Assistant Commissary George Edward Wiffen, Warrant Officer, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, but to be junior of that rank for one year. Dated 24th July 1876.

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The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

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Lieutenant-Colonel James Murray Grant, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 22nd July 1876.

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Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Hessey, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th August 1876.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Reginald Quintin Mainwaring, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th August 1876.

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No. 95 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of the Punjab, dated 24th January 1877, is republished:—

No. 11.—Lieutenant H. V. Gaitskell, 3rd Punjab Infantry, is granted leave of absence under the Rules of 1868, for 30 days, on medical certificate, from such date as he may avail himself of it, to proceed to Bombay and appear before a Medical Board.

No. 96 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th January 1877, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 28.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Captain C. T. P. Luxmore, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 10th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to be an Assistant Military Accountant, on probation, with effect from the 10th January 1877.

No. 97 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th January 1877, is republished:—

No. 29.—Colonel C. L. Brown, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, having returned from furlough, will officiate as Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 8th January 1877, junior Officers acting in higher grades reverting to their proper places in the department.

No. 98 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th January 1877, is republished:—

No. 32.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

3rd Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Shaw, Wing Commander, 11th Madras Native Infantry, and Officiating Commandant, 1st Infantry, to be Wing Commander, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Pedler, appointed to the 4th Infantry.

Colonel Shaw will continue to officiate in the 1st Infantry until further orders.

4th Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. P. Pedler, Wing Commander, 3rd Infantry, and Officiating Commandant, 4th Infantry, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel W. Weldon, retired.

No. 99 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th January 1877, is republished:—

Officers—Pay and Allowances. *No. 43.*—The following Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is published for information and guidance:—

Military.

No. 341.

INDIA OFFICE,

London, 30th November 1876.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor-General of India in Council.

MY LORD,—Two cases have recently come before me, in which I have been called upon to consider in Council the conditions under which Officers of the Indian Staff Corps and local Officers may be permitted, when demand is made from proper quarters, to give their services beyond Indian limits.

2. And I have thought it well to endeavor to lay down a rule of general application in such cases.
3. The circumstances under which such demands will come before Government are various. In some cases the services of Officers are desired beyond Indian limits by Her Majesty's Government, whether within or beyond the territories of Great Britain and her Dependencies, on account of special reasons affecting the interests of the British Empire.
4. In other cases the services of Indian Officers may be sought (as they have been several times of late years) on account of special qualifications for local assistance by Governments of British Colonies (or by friendly Foreign States).
5. And your Officers may be applied for to serve on the personal staff of General Officers or in analogous positions out of India, when the grounds of the application are, from the nature of the case, of a private and personal, though perfectly legitimate nature.
6. No one will question that every practical facility should be given to compliance with the demand for Officers under the first of the preceding categories. But I think also that, as a general principle, and within reasonable limits, no needless obstacle should be allowed to stand in the way of such demands under whichever class they come. The more free the scope we can give to the employment of our officers consistently with what is due to the Indian administration, the more are we likely to elevate the credit and the tone of the service and to add to its prestige.
7. It will of course rest with you to consider and decide on every demand of this kind as it arises.
8. And I propose to lay down as a rule that every officer whom you shall so permit to serve beyond the limits of India shall, while so serving, receive at the charge of Indian revenues the English furlough pay of his rank in addition to the allowances that may be assigned to him from other sources in each case, and that his service under such circumstances shall count for pension, subject to the following limitations:—
 - A. That where an officer is called for to serve on personal staff out of India, the privilege first named shall not be enjoyed beyond three years.
 - B. That when an officer's services are lent for other than imperial purposes either in England or in a British Colony or to a Foreign State, the officer shall contribute to the Indian Exchequer a proportion, to be fixed by you, not exceeding one-fifth of the emoluments which he may receive during such transfer of his services, in compensation for the retention of his claim to pension during his absence from Indian duty.

I have, &c.,

CARNARVON.

No. 100 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 20th January 1877, is republished:—

Home Department, Port Blair, Fort William, the 17th January 1877.

No. 4.—Captain M. Protheroe, Deputy Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, appointed to officiate as Chief Commissioner, received charge of the office of Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars from Major-General C. A. Barwell, C.B., on the forenoon of the 27th November last.

No. 101 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 20th January 1877, are republished:—

Foreign Department, General, Fort William, the 18th January 1877.

No. 92-G.—LEAVE.—Major E. R. C. Bradford, C.S.I., General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thuggee and Dacoitee, is granted privilege leave for three months from 15th January 1877, or subsequent date.

APPOINTMENT.—Lieutenant J. H. Newill is appointed to officiate as General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thuggee and Dacoitee during the absence of Major Bradford, or until further orders.

The 19th January 1877.

No. 100-G.—TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS.—From the date on which Major Powlett assumed charge of Kotah—

*	*	*	*	} Substantive— <i>Pro tempore</i> .
Captain E. A. Fraser, to be Political Assistant, 3rd Class.				

No. 102 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 24th January 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 27th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	January	Bailey, W. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bradford, W. J., Colonel, Royal Artillery, Nagpore Force, for Army School-master Thomas Simms.
1	Do.	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hooper, G. S., Major, Madras Cavalry.
1	Do.	Hawkes, George, Lieutenant, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	McMahon, A. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. C do. C do. do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Pope, Henry, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
1	Do.	Do. „ 33rd Regiment of Foot.
1	Do.	Do. „ 43rd do.
1	Do.	Do. „ 44th do.
1	Do.	Do. „ 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do.	Romilly, F. J., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Walton, C. S. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
22	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by the Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 31st January 1877.

No. 103 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Surgeon-Major J. Ross, Indian Medical Department } Arrived at Madras on the
20th January 1877.

No. 104 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. ⁴⁴₁₈₃ Brigade, Private David Humphreys, 44th Foot Secunderabad.

Fort St. George, 2nd February 1877.

No. 105 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Colonel H. C. Z. Claridge, Staff Corps, Wing Commander 34th Native Infantry, and Officiating Commandant 37th Native Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the
28th January 1877.

No. 106 of 1877.—Captain G. H. Tillard, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is granted an extension of his leave to Europe for three days, with the necessary subsidiary leave, to enable him to rejoin.

No. 107 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
1st Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Calliappah	Subadar	27th December 1876.
	Havildar, No. 1808, Abdul Rhymon	Jemadar	
37th Regiment N. I. (Grenadiers.)	Do. No. 1892, Mulliappah	Do.	10th January 1877.
	Subadar Shaik Secunder, "Bahadoor"	Subadar-Major	22nd do. "
	Jemadar Shaik Homed	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 110, Mahomed Wazeer	Jemadar	

No. 108 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

24th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Laul Homed, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 15th February 1877.

Fort St. George, 3rd February 1877.

No. 109 of 1877.—Major-General G. W. Walker, of the Royal Engineers, is permitted to return to Europe on the 2nd April 1877, and to reside and draw pay there.

No. 110 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Captain W. H. M. Francklyn, Infantry General List } Arrived at Madras on the
Surgeon D. H. Cullimore, Medical Department } 27th January 1877.
Surgeon-Major W. R. Cornish, Medical Department, Sanitary Commissioner, Madras. } Arrived at Madras on the
28th January 1877.

No. 111 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

4th Regiment Light Cavalry.

Subadar Nooralla Beg, on Rupees 59-8-0 per mensem, from the 15th February 1877.

No. 112 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
16th Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar, No. 40, Abdoolah Khan	Subadar	} 22nd January 1877.
28th Regiment N. I. {	Havildar, No. 213, Venketroydoo	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 253, Venketsawmy	Do.	11th do. "

Fort St. George, 5th February 1877.

No. 113 of 1877.—Captain J. O. Goldie, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 20th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Calcutta.

No. 114 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published:—

No 1, dated 5th January 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Surgeon D. H. Cullimore.
Major J. Gordon, Staff Corps.
Colonel W. Rose, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Captain G. Thomas, Staff Corps 2 months m. c.
Surgeon A. McClorg 6 months m. c.

Fort St. George, 6th February 1877.

No. 115 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 740, dated 22nd November 1876, the services of Lieutenant-Colonel A. E. F. Bloomfield, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 116 of 1877.—Major W. N. Wroughton, Staff Corps, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Superintendent of Army Schools, during the employment of Major C. J. Jennings as Officiating Superintendent, or until further orders.

No. 117 of 1877.—Major H. F. deLousada, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for five months and twenty-seven days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 118 of 1877.—Major N. Swanston, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Ceded Districts, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 119 of 1877.—The furlough on private affairs granted to Surgeon-Major D. Kearney, Indian Medical Department, in G.O.G. No. 784, dated 5th December 1876, is cancelled.

No. 120 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Captain C. W. Campbell, Bengal Cavalry, Adjutant of His Grace the Governor's Body Guard. } Arrived at Madras on the
2nd February 1877.

No. 121 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th January 1877, is republished:—

No. 61.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

3rd Cavalry.

Surgeon C. E. McVittie, in medical charge 1st Infantry, to the medical charge, *vice* Surgeon-Major J. G. Reed, M.D., deceased.

1st Infantry.

Surgeon T. Hume, officiating in medical charge 4th Infantry, to the medical charge, *vice* Surgeon C. E. McVittie.

No. 122 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th January 1877, is republished:—

No. 65.—*Brevet*—

The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Norman Maclean, Madras Staff Corps		} 26th January 1877.
Lieutenant-Colonel Pritzler James Pakenham Wetherall, Madras Staff Corps.		

No. 123 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th January 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 72.—Edward Jackson, late 16th Lancers, an Out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, is permitted to draw his pension (which is chargeable to imperial revenue) in India, viz., one shilling and three pence per diem, from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay.

No. 124 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th January 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 603 of 1876:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

Pay and Allowances. No. 78.—In continuation of paragraph 4 of G.G.O. No. 1007 of 1876, the following establishment of lance ranks to be paid in India has been fixed, with effect from the 1st April 1876:—

	Lance Serjeants.	Lance Corporals.	Acting Bombardiers.
Cavalry, each Regiment including dépôt	4	12	0
Infantry, each Regiment including dépôt	5	15	0
Horse and Field Artillery, per Battery	0	0	4
Garrison Mountain and Heavy Field Batteries	0	0	3

2. Lance ranks will cease to draw pay as such on leaving their corps or batteries to proceed to England as invalids or for discharge.

No. 125 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 27th January 1877, is republished:—

Home Department, Medical, the 26th January 1877.

No. 46.—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeon C. Little, M.D., is confirmed in his appointment of Civil Surgeon of Akola, in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts.

No. 126 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 27th January 1877, is republished:—

Foreign Department, General, Fort William, the 22nd January 1877.

No. 128-G.—POSTING.—With reference to Notification of this date, No. 127-G, Captain E. A. Fraser, Officiating Political Assistant, 1st Class, is posted as 1st Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General for Rajputana.

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No. 127 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 27th January 1877, is republished:—

Public Works Department, Establishment, the 26th January 1877.

No. 26.—In consequence of the return from furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel J. O. Mayne, R.E., Superintending Engineer, 1st Grade, the following Officers will revert to their substantive appointments, with effect from 27th December 1876:—

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Major W. Chrystie, R.E., from temporary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, to Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade.

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No. 128 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 31st January 1877, are republished:—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd January 1877.

No. 19.—*Notification.*—The following officers, holding temporary rank, will revert to their permanent rank, as specified opposite to their names, with effect from the 8th December 1876:—

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Captain G. F. E. S. Neill, m.s.c., Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Burdwan Division.

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No. 20.—*Promotions.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following temporary promotions in the Provincial Engineer Establishment in Bengal.

ENGINEER ESTABLISHMENT.

TEMPORARY.

* * * *

To be Executive Engineer, Second Grade.

Captain G. F. E. S. Neill, m.c.s., Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Burdwan Division, with effect from the 29th December 1876.

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No. 129 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 31st January 1877.

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No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	January ..	Court, H. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Nov. 1876 and Jan. 1877.	Officer Commanding C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	January 1877.	Do. A do. 9th do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 48th Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
8	Returns.	

J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by the Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 7th February 1877.

No. 130 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. Minchin, Staff Corps, Political Agent and Superintendent, Bahwalpur, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for twenty months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

No. 131 of 1877.—The services of Captain A. N. Pearse, Royal Artillery, Assistant Superintendent of Factories, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief from the 22nd February 1877, on appointment as Adjutant at the School of Gunnery, Shoeburyness.

No. 132 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
36th Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Chelmiah Havildar, No. 2632, Jemaul Khan	Subadar Jemadar	17th December 1876.

Fort St. George, 10th January 1877.

No. 133 of 1877.—Her Majesty's 12th Lancers are brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 31st January 1877, the date of their arrival at Bombay.

No. 134 of 1877.—Colonel C. G. H. Coote, Staff Corps, Commandant, 16th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

No. 135 of 1877.—Captain C. B. Cooke, Staff Corps, Political Agent, Bhamo, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Rangoon, Calcutta, or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 10th February 1877.

No. 136 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major W. Pearl, of the Indian Medical Department, in medical charge "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and twenty-three days, and on medical certificate for eleven months and seven days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 137 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 82, dated 31st January 1877, permitting Lieutenant H. F. V. Gaitskell, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 3rd Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on medical certificate for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 138 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
14th Regiment N. I.	Subadar Venketsawmy	Subadar-Major ..	1st February 1877.

Fort St. George, 12th February 1877.

No. 139 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels, having completed 26 years' service.

Majors {	Henry Crosby Barry Barnett		} From 10th February 1877.
	William George Ward .. .. .	.. .. .	
	George Carr Hodding .. .. .	.. .. .	

No. 140 of 1877.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India and with reference to G.O.G. No. 38, dated 11th January 1876, the admission to the Madras Staff Corps of Captain James Turner Cummins, Adjutant, 4th Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is antedated to the 28th August 1875.

Native Army—Recruits—Passages.

No. 141 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council directs that, in future, all Recruits of the Native Army considered unfit by Regimental or Depot Committees shall, when possible, be brought before a Board of Medical Officers, on whose decision they will be retained, or discharged, as the case may be.

2. Rejected Recruits will be granted the usual travelling allowance to their homes, or when any portion of the journey can be performed by rail or steamer, free passages for such portions, and travelling allowance for the remainder of the journey.

The travelling allowance is thus only to be granted to rejected Recruits for that portion of the return journey for which free passage is not given.

Fort St. George, 13th February 1877.

No. 142 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Gun Carriage Factory :—

Store Serjeant George Blazey to officiate as Sub-Conductor, from the 27th January 1877, *vice* Sub-Conductor Shaw, deceased.

No. 143 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
14th Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar Hoossain Khan	Subadar	} 1st February 1877.
	Havildar, No. 2006, Lookman Khan	Jemadar	

No. 144 of 1877.—The services of Lieutenant S. P. C. Scott, of H. M.'s 48th Regiment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Revenue Department, for special duty.

No. 145 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 89, dated 30th January 1877, the date of Commission of Jemadar Mahomed Attavoolah, 8th Regiment Native Infantry, is 16th, not 10th January 1877.

Pension Code.

No. 146 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council directs that the following be substituted for paragraphs 8 and 9, Section IV, of the Pension Code :—

8. Pensioners of all stations will be mustered three times a year, in such months as may be directed by the Superintendent of Pensions. Two of these musters will be conducted by the Officer in charge of Pensioners, who will be responsible that each person is the rightful owner of the ticket presented, the third will be held either by the Superintendent of Pensions or by an Officer specially detailed by the Station or District authorities, on the application of the Superintendent to the Officer Commanding the Division or (at a civil station) to the Head of the District.

9. The Superintendent of Pensions or the Officer specially appointed will minutely examine and inspect all Pensioners and Heirs, comparing each one with the description given in the Pension

Certificate; on completion of the muster the Officer (when other than the Superintendent of Pensions) will forward a report of the same, when concluded, to the Superintendent. The Officer in charge is to be present during the examination and will personally assist the Examining Officer.

No. 147 of 1877.—With reference to the G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 91, dated 5th February 1877, permitting Captain H. T. H. Baber, General List, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 3rd Regiment P. L. I., to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

No. 148 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th January 1877, is republished:—

India Office, 11th January 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

* * * *

To be Major.

Captain Peter Lawrence Gordon, Madras Cavalry. Dated 4th October 1876.

No. 149 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 16th January 1877, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 16th January 1877.

BREVET.

* * * *

The second Christian name of Brevet-Colonel Shakespear, Madras Staff Corps, who was granted the honorary rank of Major-General on retirement, in the *Gazette* of 25th August 1876, is *Maxton* and not *Maxtone*, as therein stated.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Clyde Fletcher, Madras Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 17th January 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George Markham Carter, Madras Army, to be Major-General. Dated 17th January 1877.

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The undermentioned Warrant Officers to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, but to be junior of that rank for one year:—

* * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary James Butler, Madras Establishment. Dated 19th September 1876.

Deputy Assistant Commissary Frederick John White, Madras Establishment. Dated 21st October 1876.

No. 150 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st February 1877, is republished:—

HONORS AND SALUTES.

Honors and Salutes. No. 101.—It is hereby announced that Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, has been graciously pleased to sanction the hoisting of the Royal Standard at Aden and the Presidency towns of Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay on Royal Anniversaries.

No. 151 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st February 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 507 of 1875:—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Artillery—Equipment. No. 102.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 747 of 1875, the following note will be made opposite "Chests, tool, empty," at page 6 of Equipment Tables for 9-pounder Muzzle Loading Rifled Batteries, Royal Horse and Field Artillery:—

Padlocks will be supplied for chests not fitted with trunk locks.

No. 152 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st February 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. Nos. 563 of 1875 and 330 of 1876:—

STAFF CORPS.

Service—Officers. *No. 103.*—With reference to G.G.O. No. 839, dated the 18th August 1875, it is hereby notified, under the authority of Her Majesty's Government, that, for all purposes under the Staff Corps Warrant except for the calculation of service qualifying for admission to the Staff Corps and for furlough and pension, an Officer's service will be considered as commencing from the date of his first permanent commission, that is, from the date of his commission as Lieutenant.

G.G.O. No. 560, dated the 17th May 1876, is accordingly cancelled.

No. 153 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st February 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 624 of 1876:—

STAFF COLLEGE.

Officers—Staff College—Sandhurst. *No. 104.*—With the sanction of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is hereby notified that Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Army, selected for admission to the Staff College, Sandhurst, under the terms of G.G.O. No. 1044 of 1876, who may hold appointments with Native Regiments, will be seconded for the whole period of their absence from regimental duty.

No. 154 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st February 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. Nos. 206 and 220 of 1874:—

CLOTHING.

Clothing. *No. 105.*—In G.G.Os. Nos. 780 and 837 of 1874, omit the word "Jack" in the supply of spurs for the British Artillery and Cavalry in India.

No. 155 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 8th February 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 10th instant.

No. of Remitt.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	February ..	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Browning, Charles, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Bowlby, P. E., Captain, Brigade-Major, for Serjeant-Major Nicholas.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do. ..	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hamond, R. T., Major, Royal Artillery, for Store-Serjeant Dallison.
1	Do. ..	Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Kingsley, W. H. B., Major, for Serjeant-Major Lynch.
1	Do. ..	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. A do. 20th do. Royal Artillery.
1	January ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	February ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Rogers, C. G., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Redmond, James, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Straker, C. D. A., Captain, Royal Artillery, for himself and Store-Serjeant Lunn.
1	Do. ..	Stainforth, William, Captain, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Theobalds, J. R., Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Wellesley, H. R. E., Brevet-Major, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for December 1876, and January 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail :—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.					
1	1877. January ..	Controller of Military Accounts on account of the Estate of the late Major C. H. Pickering, Royal Artillery.					
1	1876. November ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.					
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 1 Battery,	5th Brigade,	Royal Artillery.		
1	December ..	Do.	No. 2 do.	5th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 5 do.	5th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 6 do.	5th do.	do.		
1	November ..	Do.	No. 7 do.	5th do.	do.		
2	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do.	A do.	9th do.	do.		
1	December ..	Do.	D do.	9th do.	do.		
1	November ..	Do.	G do.	9th do.	do.		
2	December ..	Do.	A do.	20th do.	do.		
1	Do. • ..	Do.	B do.	20th do.	do.		
3	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do.	C do.	20th do.	do.		
1	December ..	Do.	D do.	20th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	E do.	20th do.	Royal Horse Artillery.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	F do.	20th do.	do.		
2	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do.	G do.	20th do.	do.		
1	December ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.					
2	November ..	Do.	16th Lancers.				
4	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do.	2/16th Regiment of Foot.				
2	November ..	Do.	1/21st do.				
4	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do.	33rd do.				
2	Do. ..	Do.	43rd do.				
2	December ..	Do.	44th do.				
2	Do. ..	Do.	45th do.				
1	Do. ..	Do.	48th do.				
2	Do. ..	Do.	67th do.				
1	November ..	Do.	89th do.				(Head-quarters).
1	Do. ..	Do.	89th do.				(Left Wing).
2	Dec. 1876 to Jan. 1877.	Paymaster, Presidency, for Captain J. E. Gubbins and for a Detachment of 7/5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.					
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The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.					
	1876.						
1	December	..	Officer Commanding	No. 5	Battery,	5th	Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	..	Do.	No. 7	do.	5th	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	No. 7	do.	6th	do.
2	Do.	..	Do.	A	do.	9th	do.
3	Do.	..	Do.	G	do.	9th	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	B	do.	20th	do.
1	Do.	..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 16th Lancers.				
2	Do.	..	Do.	..	1/21st Regiment of Foot.		
1	Do.	..	Do.	..	43rd do.		
1	Do.	..	Do.	..	67th do.		
2	Do.	..	Do.	..	89th do.		
							(Left Wing).
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the Officer named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian name and Surname in full of Officer and Non-Commissioned Officer, deceased.	Branch of Service to which deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICER.										
1	Andrew A. Thomas.	Medical.	Indian Medical Dept.	Surgeon	Banda.	14th August 1876.	RS. A. P. 1,063 12 4	Not known	Deposited 22nd January 1877.	1

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secy. to Govt., Milly. Dept.

Fort St. George, 7th February 1877.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 15th February 1877.

No. 156 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Paupiah, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 25th February 1877.

14th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Annamunpersaud, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 25th February 1877.

Fort St. George, 16th February 1877.

No. 157 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department:—

Officiating Sub-Conductor George McDonald to be Sub-Conductor, from the 1st October 1876, *vice* Sub-Conductor Carson, transferred to the Supernumerary List.

Fort St. George, 17th February 1877.

No. 158 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
29th Regiment N.I.	Havildar, No. 1697, Shaik Ameer	Jemadar	6th February 1877.

No. 159 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 1885, Private George Fowler, 89th Regiment of Foot (late 105th Regiment)....Palamecottah.

Fort St. George, 19th February 1877.

No. 160 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G.G. No. 121, dated 9th February 1877, permitting Major W. W. Pemberton of the Madras Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, British Burmah, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on medical certificate for nine months, under Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Calcutta.

No. 161 of 1877.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, Captain Campbell Walker, of the Staff Corps, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is allowed an extension, for nine months, of the special leave of absence to New Zealand, granted to him in G.O.G. No. 775, dated 1st December 1875.

No. 162 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Captain J. B. Gahan, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 31st Regiment Light Infantry, } Arrived at Madras on the 15th February 1877.

No. 163 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor having permitted Captain C. W. Campbell, Bengal General List, Cavalry, to resign, at his own request, the appointment of Adjutant of His Grace's Body Guard, that Officer's services are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 164 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published :—

No 2, dated 19th January 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extension of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain J. B. Gahan, Staff Corps.
Surgeon-Major J. S. Ridings.
Captain G. Thomas, Staff Corps.
Captain R. H. T. Hill, Infantry.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major T. Higginson, Staff Corps 6 months, m. c.

Fort St. George, 20th February 1877.

No. 165 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Colonel Alexander Crombie Silver, of the Infantry, to be a Brigadier-General, to complete the establishment.

No. 166 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers in Civil employ are permitted to retire from the service from the 31st March 1877, under the terms of the despatch from the Secretary of State for India in the Home Department, to the Government of India, No. 81, dated 13th July 1876 :—

Rank and Names.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized Value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
Lieut.-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Alexander George Davidson, Deputy Commissioner, Jalaun.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 5,781 0 0	England.
Lieut.-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) James Davidson, Deputy Commissioner, Jhansi.	Do. ..	456 5 0	417 1 0	.. .. .	Do.
Lieut.-Colonel James Allardyce, Judicial Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts.	Do. ..	292 0 0	.. .. .	2,735 0 0	Do.

No. 167 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major Jacob Wilkins, M.D., of the Indian Medical Department, having altered his names to Gerald deWilton, he will be borne accordingly on the rolls of the Army.

No. 168 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains. { Edward George Vere Holloway } From the 20th February 1877.
William Octavius Foord }

No. 169 of 1877.—With reference to the General Order issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 53, dated 22nd January 1877, permitting Surgeon J. A. W. Spence, L.R.C.P.E. and F.R.C.S.E., Indian Medical Department, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough on medical certificate under Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, to appear before a Medical Board in England.

No. 170 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th February 1877, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 109.—The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the dates specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

	*	*	*	*
Lieutenant-Colonel Douglas Scott, Madras Staff Corps.	*			
Lieutenant-Colonel Augustus Frederick Williams, Madras Staff Corps.	*			
Lieutenant-Colonel Walter John Vizard, Madras Staff Corps.	*			
	*	*	*	*
Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Spence Hawks, Madras Staff Corps.				

} 4th February 1877.

} 5th February 1877.

No. 171 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th February 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 592 of 1876:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 126.—FURLOUGH—

Furlough—Pay and Allowances.

G.O.G. No. 991 of 1876.

The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India having decided to give retrospective effect to the privilege of drawing their furlough pay at the rate of exchange of 2s. the rupee, granted to those Officers who elected the Furlough Rules of 1868 before the 1st July 1871, it is notified that all Officers who may desire that their arrears of pay may be issued to their Agents in England, should make application to that effect through the Government of the Presidency to which they belong.

No. 172 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th February 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 499 of 1876:—

Indian Furlough Regulations. British Officers.

No. 127.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is hereby notified that G.G.O. No. 813 of 1876 does not apply to Officers in Command of Divisions and Brigades.

No. 173 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 15th February 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 17th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	February ..	Bradford, W. J., Colonel, Commanding Royal Artillery, Nagpore Force, for Army Schoolmaster Simms.
3	Do. ..	Cookes, C. H., Colonel, Commandant, Wellington, for Privates Kissick, Brown, and Army Schoolmaster Sherwood.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, R. E., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	O'Leary, T. C., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	February ..	Officer Commanding No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2/16th Regiment of Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Romilly, F. J., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Armourer Serjeant Barber.
1	Do. ..	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General.

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 21st February 1877.

No. 174 of 1877.—Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary James Butler, of the Adjutant-General's Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 1st March 1877, on the invalid pension of Rupees 140 per mensem.

Fort St. George, 22nd February 1877.

No. 175 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment in the Ordnance Department:—

Lieutenant R. W. O'Grady, Royal Artillery, to be Assistant Superintendent of Factories, from the date on which Captain Pearse vacates.

Fort St. George, 23rd February 1877.

No. 176 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Surgeon-Major G. A. Burn, M.A. and M.D., Indian Medical Department. { Arrived at Bombay on the 11th February 1877.

No. 177 of 1877.—Captain Q. S. A. Jamieson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster 34th Regiment Light Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and three days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 178 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th February 1877, is republished. The services of the Officer therein named are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief:—

No. 186.—The services of Sub-Lieutenant J. S. G. Manera, 17th Foot, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George, for appointment to a regiment in that Presidency as a probationer for the Staff Corps.

No. 179 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry.	Jemadar Shaik Homed Havildar, No. 774, Syed Ally	Subadar Jemadar	15th February 1877.

No. 180 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Major Shekh Furreed, Sirdar Bahadoor, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank, from the 11th March 1877.

No. 181 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 3518, Brigade Serjeant-Major Charles Alford, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery. } Coimbatore.

Fort St. George, 24th February 1877.

No. 182 of 1877.—Lieutenants G. E. Shute and S. C. N. Grant, of the Royal Engineers, are admitted on the Madras Establishment from the 13th February 1877, the date of their arrival at Bombay.

No. 183 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Warrant Grades of the Public Works Department:—

Serjeant Joseph Smith to be Sub-Conductor.

Fort St. George, 26th February 1877.

No. 184 of 1877.—Surgeon M. E. Murphy, M.D., in medical charge 4th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for 20 months, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 185 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 1329, Private William Chapman, 1st Battalion, 21st Fusiliers (late } Bangalore.
Madras Regiment of Infantry).

Fort St. George, 27th February 1877.

No. 186 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major John Anderson Cox, M.D., Indian Medical Department, is permitted to retire from the service from the 1st March 1877, on a pension of £220 per annum.

No. 187 of 1877.—Veterinary Surgeon J. H. Cox, British Veterinary Department, 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 188 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Yacoo Khan, Sirdar Bahadoor, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank, from the 11th March 1877.

No. 189 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published:—

No 3, dated 3rd February 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain J. T. Cummins, Staff Corps.
Captain G. Godfrey, Infantry.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Colonel T. C. Longcroft, Staff Corps	..	..	..	3 months, m. e.
Captain F. R. B. Byrch, Infantry	..	..	..	6 months, m. e.
Major D. McNeill, Staff Corps	..	..	..	6 months, m. e.
Colonel R. H. Sankey, Royal Engineers	..	..	..	3 months, p. a.
Major T. O. Underwood, Staff Corps	..	..	..	6 months, m. e.

No. 190 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 26th January 1877, are republished:—

India Office, 24th January 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

To be Majors.

Captain Charles Chase Morris, Madras Cavalry. Dated 20th October 1876.

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SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Charles Campbell Hewetson. Dated 4th November 1876.

No 191 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 30th January 1877, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 30th January 1877.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert John Baker, Madras Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 11th February 1876.

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The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

To be Major-Generals.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Robert John Baker, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 17th January 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel James Edmund Mayne, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 31st January 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles Crawford Mason, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 31st January 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Walter Weldon, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 31st January 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry John Thomas Neild, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 31st January 1877.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Coulson Frederick Joseph Skottowe, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 31st January 1877.

No. 192 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th February 1877, is republished :—

No. 130.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant F. F. R. Burgess having, with reference to G.G.O. No. 1280 of 1875, fulfilled the necessary conditions, is confirmed in his appointment as Assistant Military Accountant, with effect from the 23rd January 1877.

No. 193 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th February 1877, is republished :—

No. 132.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

1st Infantry.

Lieutenant F. D. Welchman, 48th Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Wing Officer, on probation.

No. 194 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th February 1877 is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 507 of 1875 :—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Equipment. No. 145.—The Equipment Tables published under authority of G.G.O. No. 747 of the 22nd July 1875 detail the stores forming the equipment of a 9-pr. M. L. Battery, but do not include General Stores, such as Fire Engine, Gardening Tools, &c., which are handed over to the relieving battery.

The orders regarding the supply of all such stores continue in force.

No. 195 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th February 1877, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 147.—REGULATIONS—

Volunteer Corps. In paragraph 257 of the Regulations for the Volunteer Force in India, for the words "the annual," substitute the word *a*.

No. 196 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 17th February 1877, is republished:—

Foreign Department, General, Fort William, the 16th February 1877.

No. 418-G.—Consequent on the deputation on special duty of Mr. C. B. Saunders, C.B., Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, the following temporary appointments were made with effect from 12th December 1876 to 19th January 1877, both days inclusive:—

* * * *

Colonel J. L. Pearse, Commissioner, Nundidroog Division, to officiate as Judicial Commissioner, *vice* Mr. Gordon.

No. 197 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 22nd February 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 24th idem.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	February	Chambers, C. A., Master Armourer, Magazine, Rangoon.
1	Do.	Dyer, T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Assistant Adjutant-General, British Burmah Division, for Garrison Serjeant-Major Marony.
1	Do.	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Madras Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hooper, G. S., Major, Madras Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Macdougall, John, Major, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. Head-qr., 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 33rd Regiment of Foot.
1	Do.	Do. „ 43rd do.
1	Do.	Do. „ 44th do.
1	Do.	Do. „ 67th do.
1	Do.	Do. „ 89th do.
1	Do.	States, Harry, Staff Serjeant, Commissariat Department, Tonghoo.
1	Do.	Woodhouse, A. T., Captain, 29th Regiment Madras Native Infantry
17	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 28th February 1877.

No. 198 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Colonel W. Rose, Staff Corps, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command 15th Regiment Native Infantry.	Arrived at Bombay on the 21st February 1877.
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No. 199 of 1877.—Captain C. J. T. Whitlock, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Cuddapah District, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eight months and twenty-one days, and on medical certificate for one year, three months, and nine days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 1st March 1877.

No. 200 of 1877.—The following extract from a General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished :—

No. 145 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for eighteen months on medical certificate, under the Furlough Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. White, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 201 of 1877.—Lieutenant G. T. Montgomery, Madras Volunteer Guards, is granted two years' leave of absence to Europe on private affairs.

No. 202 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Officiating Conductor Henry William Dunlop to be Conductor, Sub-Conductor Francis Sheridan to officiate as Conductor, and Store Serjeant William Morrison to officiate as Sub-Conductor, from the 17th February 1877, *vice* Greenhill, deceased.

Fort St. George, 2nd March 1877.

No. 203 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Captain G. Thomas, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.	Arrived at Madras on the 27th February 1877.
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No. 204 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 136, dated 20th February 1877, permitting Captain J. G. Pollock, Royal (Madras) Artillery, Commandant No. 2 Horse Light Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on medical certificate for one year under Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave,—embarking from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 3rd March 1877.

No. 205 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

BODY-GUARD.

Captain (Brevet-Major) J. M. C. Galloway, 4th (P.W.O.) Regiment of Light Cavalry, to be Commandant, with effect from the 1st March 1876, *vice* Colonel J. M. Macgregor, succeeded to Colonels' allowance, and

Lieutenant C. H. Simpson, Madras Staff Corps, to be Adjutant, with effect from the 19th February 1877, *vice* Captain C. W. Campbell, resigned.

No. 206 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains	{	James Henry Prendergast	}	From 3rd March 1877.	
		Charles John Oswald Fitzgerald		}	From 4th March 1877.
		George Henry Oakes			

Fort St. George, 5th March 1877.

No. 207 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Major T. Obbard, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 26th Regiment Native Infantry, private affairs, for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Captain H. E. D. Bayley, Infantry General List, Wing Officer and Adjutant 33rd Regiment Native Infantry, private affairs, for one year and eighteen days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868,—embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 208 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
4th Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar Syed Khader	Subadar	} 1st February 1877.
6th Regiment N. I. ..	Havildar, No. 308, Mahalingum	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 1186, Venkatasoo	Do.	
			6th October 1876.

Fort St. George, 6th March 1877.

No. 209 of 1877.—So much of G.O.G. No. 458, dated 26th July 1876, as relates to the movement of the C Company "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, from Bangalore to Secunderabad, is cancelled.

No. 210 of 1877.—Colonel A. Howlett, c.b., Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 211 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Lieutenant-Colonel S. H. E. Chamier, of the Royal (Madras) Artillery, to act as Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, during the absence on other duty of Colonel N. G. Campbell, or until further orders.

No. 212 of 1877.—Major R. Griffith, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 35th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to sea on leave on private affairs for three months, under Rule XXVII of the Regulations of 1868, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 213 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Major G. S. B. Hewetson, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, from the 1st February 1877, and during the absence of Major Sewell on general leave in India, which expires on the 10th May 1877.

No. 214 of 1877.—Lieutenant A. G. H. Hayne, Her Majesty's 89th Foot, Wing Officer 15th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 12th November 1876, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 215 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Lieutenant G. M. J. Moore, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, until further orders.

No. 216 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Gun Carriage Factory :—

Officiating Sub-Conductor George Mathias Dorsey, to be Sub-Conductor, from the 22nd May 1876, *vice* Sub-Conductor Vanderholt, promoted.

No. 217 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished :—

No. 152.—The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant-Colonel George Robert Frederick Bardin, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th February 1877.

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No. 218 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished :—

HONORS AND REWARDS.

No. 163.—GOOD SERVICE PENSION—

It is hereby announced that on the recommendation of the Government of India Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer a good service pension on the undermentioned Officer, with effect from the 15th June 1876, in room of Colonel C. M. Shakespear, Madras Staff Corps, retired :—

Brevet-Colonel JAMES EDMUND MAYNE, Madras Staff Corps, late Judge Advocate-General (since retired).

Dates of Commissions.

Cornet	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24th January 1839.
Lieutenant	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20th February 1844.
Captain	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1st November 1849.
Brevet-Major	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6th June 1856.
Major	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18th February 1861.
Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2nd July 1862.
Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24th January 1865.
Brevet-Colonel	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24th „ 1870.

Appointments.

Quartermaster and Interpreter, 8th Regiment Light Cavalry	..	..	..	..	..	..	1st March 1845.
Adjutant, 8th Regiment Light Cavalry	..	..	..	..	..	..	19th July 1849.
Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Kurnool	..	..	..	..	..	..	22nd „ 1857.
Deputy Judge Advocate-General	..	..	..	..	..	..	27th November 1857.
Deputy Judge Advocate-General, Centre Division	..	..	..	..	..	..	4th December 1857.
Judge Advocate-General	..	..	..	..	..	..	17th March 1873.

War Services.

Commanded a regiment and subsequently a Brigade of Cavalry in the Turkish Contingent, during the war with Russia, and has received the order of the Medjidie—served as Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General in the Kurnool Moveable Column, and as Deputy Judge Advocate in the Sangor Field Division—was engaged in Central India, in suppression of the mutiny, under Major-General Sir G. C. Whitlock, K.C.B.—was present at the affairs of Sheegunge and Kobraie, battle of Banda, and storming the heights of Punwaree. Turkish Medal. Medal and clasp for Central India.

No. 219 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 30 of 1877 :—

No. 164.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

In continuation of G.O.G. No. 2 of 1877, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the following Native Officers to the 2nd Class of the Order of British India with the title of “Bahadoor,” with effect from the 1st January 1877 :—

Madras.

Subadar-Major Hyet Khan, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
 Subadar Narrainsawmy, “Queen's Own” Sappers and Miners.
 Subadar Muhammad Ayoob, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. 220 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 166.—Gunner Joseph McDougall, late 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery, an Out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, is permitted to draw his pension (which is chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India, *viz.*, one shilling per diem, from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay.

No. 221 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 172.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I, "British Troops":—

Article 388.—In the margin enter "G.L. No. 1248-52 of 27th November 1876."

Insert the following additional article:—

"2059-b. When women and children (the families of British soldiers) proceed from port to port in India, they should be provided with between-deck or second class accommodation, whether accompanied by their husbands or not."

G.L. No. 275-8 of 6th December 1876.

Insert the following additional article:—

"1264-b. When an officer proceeds on furlough or leave on private affairs in or out of India, he does so entirely to suit his own convenience, and subject to any contingencies which may arise, during his absence, necessitating his presence with his regiment: he may therefore be required to rejoin his regiment at his own expense, wherever it may be ordered on active service."

G.L. No. 1030-31 of 23rd November 1876.

Article 223 as revised.—Insert the following note after the word "rules" in the fourth line:—

"Note.—The fact of an officer absent under the furlough rules of 1868 or 1875, being restricted to the maximum furlough allowance of £1,000 a year, affords no claim on behalf of the acting incumbent, to more than the half staff salary of the appointment calculated in the ordinary way—Article 67."

G.L. No. 559-61 of 11th December 1876.

Article 2024.—Add—"This rule will also govern the grant of free conveyance from an asylum or orphanage in such cases."

G.L. No. 687 of 13th December 1876.

Page 171. After the term "Preparatory leave," immediately above Article 862, enter the following:—

G.G.O. No. 1145 of 1876.

"Note.—The term 'subsidiary leave' has been substituted for 'preparatory leave,' and the former only is to be used."

G.G.O. No. 1176 of 1876.

Article 936.—After the words "home service" enter "(*viz.*, three years)."

Article 1121, 5th line.—Expunge the words "after five years' service." Expunge the seventh line "Deputy Surgeon-General under five years' service."

G.G.O. Nos. 1116 and 1117 of 1876.

Article 2086.—Add—"Compensation in lieu of rations may be drawn, if preferred, for the wife and family of a trained schoolmaster, the rate being fixed annually according to the actual cost of rations during the preceding year."

G.G.O. No. 1208 of 1876.

Article 1170, page 223.—Insert the following additional clause:—

"s. When left behind sick, or allowed to remain behind on account of the illness of his wife, after the march of his regiment or detachment—provided he is required to join quickly, or that, the distance being very great, he would be materially delayed by being required to march at his own expense."

G.L. No. 932-5 of 18th December 1876.

Article 1744.—Substitute "G.L. No. 497-8 of 9th February 1877" for the words "For approval" in the margin.

Insert the following article:—

"111a. A Sub-Inspector of Army Schools is allowed, on first arrival in India, staff pay from date of landing (inclusive), provided the usual time for joining his appointment is not exceeded."

G.L. Nos. 193-6 of 5th February 1877.

Article 2085, Clause (c).—Add—"provided in cases (f) and (j), the soldier is sentenced by Court-martial to a long period of imprisonment extending over one year, or one year at the least."

G.L. No. 547-9 of 15th January 1877.

Insert the following article:—

"1667a. Lance pay being only admissible when in performance of regimental duty, it will be forfeited by a lance-serjeant, lance-corporal, or acting bombardier, on leaving his regiment for staff or departmental employment."

G.L. No. 671 of 17th January, and Nos. 1427-28 of 31st January 1877.

Article 1926.—To the amount ("£1") granted to the best judge of distance in each company of infantry, affix an asterisk (*) and enter the following foot-note:—

G.O. No. 364 of 1876.

* This prize is derived from two sources, viz., 10s. as the best judge of distances, and 10s. as one of the 10 per cent.

Article 1810.—The second portion commencing "A report" is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

"The difference, if any, between the amount of passage money lodged at home and that paid for his passage in India, will be paid to the man at the port of embarkation, at the rate of exchange fixed annually."

G.L. Nos. 1105-9 of 24th November 1876.

Article 2076.—Enter in the margin "G.L. Nos. 1228-29 to Madras and Bombay, dated 29th January 1877."

G.L. Nos. 1314-16 of 30th January 1877.

Article 1882.—After the words Sappers and Miners in the fifth line, insert "serjeant-instructors of volunteer corps."

Article 306.—Add the following clause:—

"The leave granted under this article may be taken at any time during an officer's tour of service, provided that it is included in the five years."

G.L. Nos. 978-82 of 24th January 1877.

Insert the following article:—

"326-a. An officer who, while present with his corps, may have been in sick quarters for one month, forfeits half staff pay after that period.

This rule also applies to a commandant who, under such circumstances, is required to make over the commandant of his corps to the next senior officer."

G.L. Nos. 131-2 of 4th December 1876.

Article 330-a.—Add the following:—

"No portion of the staff pay granted under this article, can be drawn during absence from duty on any account, except privilege leave."

G.L. Nos. 867-73 of 22nd January 1877.

Article 61, Clause c, page 26.—Expunge the appointment and salary of the Foot Adjutant, Chunar, which is abolished from the 4th May 1877.

G.G.O. No. 1062 of 1876.

No. 222 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 173.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume II, Native Troops:—

G.L. No. 828—9 of 15th December 1876.

Article 127 is re-constructed as follows:—

"127. A soldier who, within twelve months of any previous forfeiture, is again convicted of an offence requiring entry in the regimental defaulters' book, must serve for two years

from date of original forfeiture, without another entry, before he can claim restoration of the reward."

G.O. No. 341 of 1876.

Insert the following article:—

"127-a. The period of one or two years' approved good conduct required under Articles 126 and 127 shall count, in the case of a commanding officer's award, from the date of such award,

if it shall not have been accompanied by imprisonment, and otherwise from date of release; and in the case of the forfeiture having been awarded by court-martial, or been consequent on a conviction, from date of sentence when corporal punishment or imprisonment is remitted, and otherwise from date of the execution or the termination of the sentence."

Article 39.—After the word "gratuities" in the third line, insert "but men who have brought disorders on themselves by indulgence in drugs or from other causes, have no claim to gratuity on discharge."

G.L. No. 1305—7 of 30th January 1877.

Insert the following additional article:—

"413-a. It being considered unnecessary that a native officer of cavalry proceeding on recruiting service should be mounted, free conveyance by rail for his charger will not be allowed."

G.L. No. 395—9 of 12th January 1877.

Article 423-a.—Expunge the parenthetical sentence and add the following at the end of the article:—

"Such passages may also be furnished for native escorts proceeding in the charge of Government stores sent by that mode of conveyance, when it is considered necessary that, with reference

G.O. No. 332 of 1876.

to the value or nature of the stores or the country to be traversed, a guard is absolutely necessary."

G. L. No. 465—8 of 9th February 1877.

Article 352, page 69.—In the scale of rations on boardship, expunge the dagger against "Bombay" and omit corresponding foot-note.

No. 223 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 24th February 1877, is republished:—

Home Department, Fort William, the 23rd February 1877.

No. 149.—APPOINTMENTS—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. M. Playfair, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, to be Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class, *vice* Colonel Waddington.

Captain W. Vertue, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, to be Cantonment Magistrate, 2nd Class, *vice* Major Brook, and to continue to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class.

No. 224 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 28th February 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 3rd March 1877.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	February ..	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C Battery, C Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, James, Lance Serjeant, 43rd Regiment Light Infantry.
13	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 7th March 1877.

No. 225 of 1877.—Surgeon H. H. Smith, Indian Medical Department, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for eighteen months, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 8th March 1877.

No. 226 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. L. Smith, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Central Provinces, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for ten months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 9th March 1877.

No. 227 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 160, dated 28th February 1877, permitting Major A. A. Johnson, Staff Corps, Commandant, 4th Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 228 of 1877.—Captain (Brevet-Major) A. D. Parsons, Squadron Commander, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and four months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 10th March 1877.

No. 229 of 1877.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Revenue Department, for employment on famine relief :—

Major E. H. Thomas, Staff Corps.
Major F. M. Alexander, 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry.
Captain J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps.
Captain D. V. Shortland, Royal Artillery.
Lieutenant J. W. Thompson, Her Majesty's 44th Foot.
Lieutenant C. L. Casey, Royal Artillery.

No. 230 of 1877.—Major W. O. Foord, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 231 of 1877.—The services of Surgeon A. H. Leapingwell, Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, for employment as Residency Surgeon, Mandalay.

No. 232 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 1800, Farrier Serjeant Maurice O'Donnell, C Battery, 20th Brigade, } Madras.
Royal Artillery.

Fort St. George, 12th March 1877.

No. 233 of 1877.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Revenue Department, for employment on famine relief.

Captain G. Vernon, Her Majesty's 2nd/16th Foot.
Lieutenant W. N. Lockyer, Royal Artillery.
Lieutenant J. Power, Her Majesty's 2nd/16th Foot.
Lieutenant W. H. Riddell, Her Majesty's 2nd/16th Foot.

No. 234 of 1877.—In G.O.G. No. 634, dated 19th October 1876, for "Havildar, No. 1554, Mogun Singh," read "Havildar, No. 1544, Mohun Singh."

Fort St. George, 13th March 1877.

No. 235 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 171, dated 2nd March 1877, permitting Captain H. F. H. Sewell, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, 2nd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for eighteen months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

No. 236 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Captain K. F. Stevenson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 38th Regiment Native Infantry—private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868—embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Captain A. W. Poord, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 14th Regiment Native Infantry—private affairs for twenty months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868—embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 237 of 1877.—Lieutenant Edmund Francis Braine, Her Majesty's, 1st/21st Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 30th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, from the 15th February 1876, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 238 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published:—

No 4, dated 16th February 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major R. H. Cunliffe, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Osborn, Staff Corps.

Major J. G. Bell, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Captain T. H. Campbell, Infantry	.. . . .	6 months, m. c.
Major G. C. Bird,* Staff Corps	.. . . .	2 months, u. p. a.
Colonel J. Goddard, Royal Engineers	.. . . .	6 months, m. c.
Colonel W. Fane, c.b., Staff Corps,	.. . . .	6 months, m. c.

* The permission to return previously granted to this Officer is cancelled.

No. 239 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1877, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 174.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Colonel J. W. Rideout, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 1st Grade, to officiate as Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, with effect from the date on which he may take up the duties of the office, *vice* Colonel T. Gillilan, proceeding on furlough.

No. 240 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1877, is republished:—

No. 176.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Leslie Grove, Madras Staff Corps, 24th February 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Hale Warden, Madras Staff Corps, 24th February 1877.

No. 241 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1877, is republished:—

TRANSFER OF OFFICERS.

No. 184.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel S. H. E. Chamier, Royal Artillery, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George.

No. 242 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1877, is republished:—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 191.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Thomas Gillilan, Madras Staff Corps, Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, private affairs, for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 10th April 1877.

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No. 243 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 57 of 1874:—

No. 197.—REGULATIONS—

Furlough Regulations. Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, the following clauses are substituted for Clauses 2 and 3 of Rule IX of the Furlough Regulations of 1868, republished in G.G.O. No. 171 of 1874:—

- "2. Leave granted under these Rules, without furlough pay, will not reckon as furlough already taken in calculating the balance at an officer's credit, or as part of the total of eight years allowed as shown in Rule XVI, but all furlough with furlough pay, whether on private affairs or on medical certificate, taken under these rules, will so reckon.
- "3. Furlough and leave previously taken under the Rules of 1796 or 1854, will count as respects officers who have elected these Rules, as follows:—
- "Furlough on private affairs, with pay, taken under the Rules of 1796 or 1854, counts in all respects as furlough.
- "Leave on sick certificate, under the Rules of 1796, does not count in any respect as furlough.
- "Leave on sick certificate, with pay, under the Rules of 1854, counts as part of the maximum of eight years allowed under these Rules, but until the maximum thus made up be reached, this leave will not count as furlough already taken in determining the amount of furlough to which an officer is entitled.
- "Leave without pay under the Rules either of 1796 or 1854, does not count in any respects as furlough."

No. 244 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 422 of 1869:—

Furlough. No. 198.—In continuation of G.G.O. No. 1244 of 1869, and under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is hereby notified that in the case of a Colonel of the Indian Army who may be desirous of proceeding on furlough on the expiration of his term of Brigade Command, he may, if he has furlough to his credit, avail himself of it without reference to the restriction ordinarily imposed of serving three years from the date of his last return to duty.

No. 245 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1877, is republished:—

EQUIPMENT.

No. 199.—BRITISH CAVALRY—

Equipment—British Cavalry. With reference to G.G.O. No. 1278, dated 21st December 1876, paragraph 2, the following rules for the supply and repair of line gear, &c., to regiments of British cavalry serving in the three Presidencies, are published for information and guidance.

2. All surplus stores, materials for repairs, &c., of a suitable description and in serviceable condition, the property of officers commanding troops, will be taken over by Government at a valuation to be decided on by a special committee.

3. Special committees will be convened on an early date at stations where British cavalry regiments are located, in the Bengal Presidency under the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, and in Madras and Bombay by direction of the Governments of those Presidencies.

4. The stores, materials, &c., will be carefully examined, weighed, counted or measured in the presence of the committee. And to enable the committee to arrive at a just valuation, a certificate will be signed by the officer commanding each regiment showing the actual cost that was incurred by commanding officers of troops in obtaining the various articles and materials locally.

5. The committee will also note and report on the condition of all articles already the property of Government, and record their opinion whether they will last the full period of service or not. In the latter case, the committee will state the reasons, which as far as can be ascertained, will lead to their earlier condemnation.

6. Bills supported by the proceedings of such committees will be forwarded to the Examiner of Ordnance Accounts for adjustment.

7. Articles of line gear and materials for their repair will be supplied in the following proportions on indents to be submitted in the usual form on the 1st February of each year to the departments concerned. Indents for the year 1877-78 to be submitted as soon as possible.

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	PROPORTION.		NUMBER REQUIRED PER REGIMENT.			Period of duration.	Source of supply.	REMARKS.
	No.	Per	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.			
Bags, Canvas, Europe, coarse, painted, for	Head stalls, head ropes, eye fringes, and watering bridles. Heel ropes and loops. Gram .. Leather (or gunny) nose-bags. Pegs and mallets. Canvas ..	..	..	..	..	....	....	Will be fixed hereafter.
Bags, Nose.	Leather ..	1 Horse ..	436	..	436	To be repaired or replaced as required.	Commissariat Department.	
	Leather ..	1 Do. ..	436	..	436	3 years ..	Arsenals ..	In the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, Bags, Nose, "Gunny," will be supplied in lieu by the Commissariat Department. They will be repaired or replaced as required as in the case of "Canvas Nose-bags."
Baskets, country ..	..	1 2 Horses.	218	..	218	To be obtained and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding regiments.	
Blankets ..	..	1* Horse ..	436	..	436	2 years or longer till worn out.	Commissariat Department.	* Or 2 per horse according to climate, if deemed necessary by the Officer Commanding the Brigade, District or Division of the Army. These will be in addition to the blankets now authorized for horses without stables, and for Water Remounts that have not been a year in the country.
Bridles, watering ..	..	1 Do. ..	436	22	458	Rein 1 year; Bit till worn out.	Arsenals ..	
Brooms ..	..	1 2 Horses.	218	..	218	To be obtained and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding regiments.	
Brushes, country-made ..	..	1 Horse ..	436	22	458	6 months, or longer till worn out.	Commissariat Department.	
Buckets, wooden, water, small.	..	12 Troop ..	72	..	72	To be obtained, repaired, and renewed as required.	Do. ..	These articles are not to be taken on line of march but will be left behind for the relieving regiment.
Combs, Curry, country-made.	..	1 Horse ..	436	22	458	5 years, "tentative."	Do. ..	
Cordage for tying up hay ..	..	13 feet to every 4 horses per quarter.				3 months ..	To be procured locally by officers commanding regiments.	In the Bombay Presidency only.
Dusters ..	..	2 Horse ..	972	..	972	6 months ..	Commissariat Department.	
Eye fringes, leather ..	..	1 Do. ..	436	..	436	2 years ..	Do. ..	
Head Stalls ..	..	1 Do. ..	436	22	458	3 years ..	Arsenals ..	
Loops, heel, rope, of leather.	..	1 Do. ..	436	44	480	1 year ..	Do. ..	
Machines, clipping ..	..	6 Regiment.	6	..	6	3 years or longer till worn out.	Do. ..	
Do. rope-making ..	..	1 Do. ..	1	..	1	Till worn out ..	To be procured locally by officers commanding regiments.	

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	PROPORTION.		NUMBER REQUIRED PER REGIMENT.			Period of duration.	Source of supply.	REMARKS.
	No.	Per	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.			
Mallets for driving pegs ..	12	Troop ..	72	..	72	To be repaired and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding regiments.	
Pegs, wooden (Babool) ..	3	Horse ..	1308	..	1308	Do. ..	Do.	
Pickers, hoof ..	12	Troop ..	72	..	72	Till worn out.	Arsenals.	
Posts, picketing, wooden, 2' 6", iron shod of Home pattern.	12	Do. ..	72	4	76	To be repaired and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding regiments.	
Ropes, head, with loop and hook (length 7 feet exclusive of loop).	1	Horse ..	436	44	480	4 months or longer, hooks till worn out.	Commissariat Department.	
Ropes, heel, (length 15 feet exclusive of loop).	1	Do. ..	436	44	480	4 months or longer.	Do.	
Ropes, picketing, of 2" English-tarred rope, each 25 yards long.	8	Troop ..	48	2	50	3 years ..	Do.	
	1							1st size length of web 5' 9". 2nd size length of web 5' 6 1/4". To be supplied in the proportion of 2 of 1st to 1 of 2nd size.
Rollers with pad (the latter made of leather).	1	Horse ..	436	22	458	2 years ..	Do.	
Straps for bags, canvas, Europe, coarse, painted, for	{ Head stalls, &c. .. Heel-ropes, &c. .. Gram .. Nose Bags.. Pegs and Mallets .. }		..	..	..	....	....	Will be fixed hereafter.
Materials for Repair, &c., of Line gear.								
Cloth, canvas, Europe, coarse, yard.	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	Do.
Dubbing .. lbs.	..	Annual.	150	..	150	....	Commissariat Department.	
Gunny ..	..	..	As required for repairs.			....	Do.	In the Madras Presidency for repairs of nose bags.
Hides ..	..	..	As required for repairs.			....	Do.	
Rope ..	..	..						
Thread ..	..	..						

NOTE.—A set of light line gear per horse, consisting of 1 head rope, 1 heel rope, and loop, and 2 pegs and 1 nose bag, will be supplied and kept up, and carried on the horses, so that they can be picketed at once without waiting for the standing line gear.

7. One set of farrier's tools per squadron, or three sets per regiment, in addition to the tools allowed by G.G.O. No. 157 of 1875, and a second forge cart for each regiment, will (on completion of manufacture at the Gun Carriage Factory) be issued by the Ordnance Department. They will be included in the half-yearly returns rendered to the Examiner of Ordnance Accounts.

8. Such articles of the line gear and materials for repairs, &c., as are authorized by this order to be obtained in the local market will be purchased by officers commanding regiments and contingent bills for the cost incurred, countersigned by the officer commanding the station, and supported by the station price-current of materials and labor, under the signature of the officer in charge of the principal Sudder Bazaar, will be forwarded, monthly, to the Executive Commissariat Officer on the spot, or at the nearest station for payment.

9. The repairs necessary to line gear are to be effected by officers commanding regiments, and for the purpose of carrying out these repairs, the employment of two syces per troop at Rs. 2 each per mensem has been sanctioned by paragraph 10 of G.G.O. No. 1278 of 1876. Any other expense for material or labor necessarily incurred to be recovered by contingent bill in the manner prescribed in paragraph 8 of this order.

10. Well ropes and water bags will be procured locally by officers commanding regiments, and their cost recovered by monthly contingent bill under paragraph 8, repairs being effected under the rules which apply to articles of line gear.

11. All articles of line gear which have served the prescribed periods of duration and have been pronounced unfit for further service by competent Boards of Survey, will be sold on the spot to the highest bidder, and the proceeds realised credited to Government; such component parts of iron as may not be unserviceable being returned into ordnance store for further use in manufacture.

12. Repairs needed to the flooring of stables will be effected by regimental establishments, and for this purpose rammers and hand-beaters will be supplied in the proportion marginally noted; when the repairs to be executed are of an extensive nature, the aid of the Public Works Department is to be applied for.

13. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

No. 246 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 3rd March 1877, is republished:—

DEPARTMENTS OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE—GENERAL.

The 2nd March 1877.

No. 545-G.—Captain C. B. Euan Smith, c.s.i., Officiating Political Agent, 3rd Class, and 1st Assistant Resident, Hyderabad, held charge of the current duties of the Hyderabad Residency, from the 29th September to 21st October 1876, both days inclusive, and again from 11th December 1876 to 24th January 1877, both days inclusive, during the temporary absence of Colonel R. J. Meade, k.c.s.i., on duty.

No. 247 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 3rd March 1877, is republished:—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 1st March 1877.

No. 91.—The undermentioned temporary 2nd-Grade Superintending Engineers of the Railway Branch will revert to the 3rd Grade of Superintending Engineers, with effect from the dates specified:—

Major J. G. Lindsay, R.E., from 16th January 1877, consequent on the return from furlough of Mr. W. Nethersole.

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No. 248 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 8th March 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 10th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	March ..	Brown, C. L., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Bradford, W. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Cadell, R., Colonel, for Store Serjeant Thomas Baker, Unattached List.
1	Do. ..	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Church, T. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Drayner, A. W., Colonel, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain and Barrack-Master, at Kamptee.
1	Do. ..	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Farewell, W. T. F., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Godfrey, W. H. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hayter, Charles, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Isacke, H. L., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Kerrich, W. D'O., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Luxmoore, C. T. P., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lecky, George, Captain, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Moore, E. A., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Macdonald, J. M., Captain, Commanding European Veterans, for Army School-master H. W. Smith.
1	February ..	Officer Commanding, No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 1st/21st Fusiliers.
1	March ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	February ..	Do. " 89th do.
1	March ..	Sewell, J. D. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Stainforth, William, Captain 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Smith, George, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Stevenson, K. F., Captain, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Western, George, 1st-Class Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
1	February ..	Wolfe, John, Deputy Assistant Commissary of Ordnance, Ordnance Department.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for January and February 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail :—

N ^o . of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.					
1	January 1877 ..	Officer Commanding	C Battery,	C Brigade,	Royal Horse Artillery.		
1	December 1876.	Do.	Head-quarters,	5th Brigade,	Royal Artillery.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 1 Battery,	5th Brigade,	do.		
1	January 1877 ..	Do.	No. 2 do.	5th do.	do.		
1	December 1876.	Do.	No. 4 do.	5th do.	do.		
2	Nov. 1876 and January 1877.	Do.	No. 5 do.	5th do.	do.		
1	January 1877.	Do.	No. 6 do.	5th do.	do.		
3	Sept. and Dec. 1876 and Jan. 1877.	Do.	No. 7 do.	5th do.	do.		
1	December 1876.	Do.	No. 7 do.	6th do.	do.		
1	January 1877.	Do.	A do.	9th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	C do.	9th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	D do.	9th do.	do.		
1	December 1876.	Do.	G do.	9th do.	do.		
1	January 1877 ..	Do.	B do.	20th do.	do.		
2	Do. ..	Do.	C do.	20th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	F do.	20th do.	do.		
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s	14th Hussars.				
1	Do. ..	Do. „	2nd Battalion,	16th Regiment.			
3	December 1876.	Do. „	1/21st Fusiliers.				
2	January 1877 ..	Do. „	33rd Regiment.				
2	Do. ..	Do. „	44th do.				
2	Do. ..	Do. „	45th do.				
2	Do. ..	Do. „	48th do.				
2	Do. ..	Do. „	67th do.				
2	December 1876.	Do. „	89th do.	(Left Wing).			
1	February 1877..	Paymaster, Presidency, for Surgeon-Major J. A. Shaw, M.D.					
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The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

N ^o . of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.					
	1877.						
1	January ..	Officer Commanding	No. 1 Battery,	5th Brigade,	Royal Artillery.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 6 do.	5th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	G do.	9th do.	do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	D do.	9th do.	do.		
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s	43rd Regiment	Light Infantry.			
2	Do. ..	Do. „	48th do.				
1	Do. ..	Do. „	89th do.				
9	Returns.						

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amount set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian name and Surname in full of Officer, Non-Commissioned Officer, or Soldier, deceased.	Branch of Service to which deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.										
1	Alexander James Weeding.	Military.	H. M.'s 33rd Foot.	Major.	Ahmedabad.	14th July 1876.	RS. A. P. 1,322 10 6	Intestate.	Deposited 5th February 1877.	1
2	Kenneth Macaulay.	Do.	Infantry ..	Colonel.	Bangalore.	14th June 1876.	8,998 3 2	Do.	Do. 10th do.	2
3	William Hastings Sim.	Do.	H. M.'s 43rd Foot.	Lieutenant.	Cannanore.	26th October 1875.	216 0 0	Do.	Do. 16th do.	3

^a Of this sum Annas ten was paid to Captain G. M. Douglas, President, Committee of Adjustment, Kamptee, for over-remittance made by him on account of the Estate.

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel.

Fort St. George, 6th March 1877.

Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dep't.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 14th March 1877.

No. 249 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

27th Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Koondiah, on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 1st April 1877.

Fort St. George, 15th March 1877.

No. 250 of 1877.—The following extract from a Military despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is published:—

Despatch No. 19, dated 15th February 1877.

Para. 1. The undermentioned candidates, having completed the course of instruction at the Army Medical School, and having been reported qualified, have been appointed Surgeons on the Madras Establishment, their commissions as such being dated 30th September 1876:—

William Alexander Lee.

Montague Stokes Eyre.

2. They will be allowed to count as service for full-pay pension the period of their residence at Netley, from the 30th September 1876 to the 5th of February 1877, inclusive.

Fort St. George, 16th March 1877.

No. 251 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major J. Godson, Staff Corps		{ Arrived at Bombay on the 8th March 1877.
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No. 252 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
13th Regiment N. I.	Subadar Syed Monadeen Jemadar Lutchmiah Havildar, No. 115, Mucktoom Khan	Subadar-Major Subadar Jemadar	11th March 1877.

Fort St. George, 19th March 1877.

No. 253 of 1877.—Captain R. Stokoe, Infantry General List, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 7th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for twenty-nine days, and on medical certificate for one year, seven months and one day, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras.

Fort St. George, 20th March 1877.

No. 254 of 1877.—Colonel E. W. Dun, Staff Corps, Commandant, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

No. 255 of 1877.—The following Notification by the Government of India, Public Works Department, dated 14th March 1877, is republished. The services of the officer therein named are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief:—

No. 118.—The services of Colonel J. F. Stoddard, Madras Staff Corps, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade (temporary rank), Bengal, Irrigation Branch, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, Madras, under the provisions of Public Works Department Notification, No. 278, of 23rd May 1872.

No. 256 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Standen, Staff Corps, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 7th Regiment Native Infantry, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General, from the 14th April 1877, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Arbuthnot, who vacates on completion of five years' tenure.

No. 257 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Lavie, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 6th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Rangoon.

No. 258 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor having permitted Surgeon-Major W. T. Martin, of the British Medical Service, to resign, at his own request, the appointment of Medical Officer on His Grace's Personal Staff, that officer's services are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief from the 1st April 1877.

No. 259 of 1877.—The services of Surgeon-Major J. Mackenzie, M.D., of the British Medical Service, are placed at the disposal of His Grace the Governor, for appointment on His Grace's Personal Staff.

No. 260 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Surgeon-Major C. Cooper, M.D., Indian Medical Department, Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras, on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868—embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Major C. A. Porteous, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, Godavery District, on private affairs for eleven months and twenty-eight days, and on medical certificate for one year and two days, under the Regulations of 1868—embarking from Madras.

No. 261 of 1877.—The following order by the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, is confirmed:—

Dated 9th March 1877.—Placing the services of Major C. Hayter, Staff Corps, at the disposal of the Resident at Hyderabad, for employment as officiating Cantonment Magistrate, Secunderabad, pending the sanction of the Government of India.

No. 262 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Henry Fane Haylett Sewell</td> <td>..</td> <td>..</td> <td rowspan="4">} From the 20th March 1877.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Robert Walter Hesketh</td> <td>..</td> <td>..</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Quintin Shaw Awdry Jamieson</td> <td>..</td> <td>..</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Francis Randolph Trevor</td> <td>..</td> <td>..</td> </tr> </table>	Henry Fane Haylett Sewell	..	..	} From the 20th March 1877.	Robert Walter Hesketh	..	..	Quintin Shaw Awdry Jamieson	..	..	Francis Randolph Trevor	..	..
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Francis Randolph Trevor	..	..												

No. 263 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Barrack Department:—

Conductor John Debnam to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and Sergeants John Daly and John Fearn to be Sub-Conductors.

No. 264 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

26th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Tarnee, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 1st April 1877.

No. 265 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
21st Regiment N. I.	Subadar Andapah	Subadar-Major ..	} 11th March 1877.
	Jemadar Khalakadeen Sookal	Subadar ..	
	Havildar, No. 93, Shekh Daoud	Jemadar ..	
24th do. L. I.	Jemadar Surver Khan	Subadar ..	12th September 1876.

No 266 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 16th February 1877, is republished :—

India Office, 14th February 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions and resignation amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

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SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.			
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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain (Brevet-Major) William Shapter Hunt. Dated 30th November 1876.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Charles Raper Stainforth to be Colonel. Dated 30th November 1876.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Melville Lawford to rank from 26th November 1875.

4th Light Cavalry.

Major William James Morris to rank from 26th November 1875.

7th Light Cavalry.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Caulfeild (retired), to rank from 26th November 1875.

No. 267 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th March 1877, is republished :—

No. 203.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

4th Cavalry.

Captain C. J. O. FitzGerald, Squadron Commander, 3rd Cavalry, to officiate as Commandant, with effect from the date on which he may take up the duties of the office, *vice* Major A. A. Johnson, proceeding on furlough.

2nd Infantry.

Surgeon A. Adams, Officiating in medical charge, is confirmed in the appointment, *vice* Surgeon C. Little.

No. 268 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th March 1877, is republished :—

No. 223.—REPORTS OF DEPARTURE—

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Major W. W. Pemberton, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 160 of 1877,— <i>Deccan</i> , 22nd February 1877, from Calcutta.			
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No. 269 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th March 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 592 of 1877 :—

GOOD CONDUCT REWARDS.

Good Conduct Rewards. No. 225.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 992 of 1876, declaring the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 14th August 1875 applicable to the European Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the Indian Army and Unattached List, the following regulations are promulgated for information and guidance in supersession of all previous orders governing the issue of medals with and without gratuity for long service and good conduct :—

1. The classes eligible to receive the medal and gratuity for long service and good conduct are as follows, viz :—

European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers serving in the Ordnance, Commissariat, Barrack Branch of the Department Public Works, Stud, Telegraph, and Clothing Departments.

Military staff clerks serving in the offices of the Adjutant-General in India (including the offices of the Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery in India, and the Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, Army Head-quarters), Quartermaster-General in India, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Judge Advocate-General, Surgeon-General, British Forces.

Embarkation, Transport and Bazar Serjeants.

Drill Instructors, Volunteer Corps.

Non-Commissioned staff of Hill depôts.

Do. of garrisons and forts.

Provost Serjeants of garrison cells and of station and military prisons.

Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the Viceroy's Band.

European Non-Commissioned Officers of Native Regiments, including Drummers, Fifers, and Buglers of European parentage.

Royal Engineers and other European Non-Commissioned Officers and men serving with the Corps of Sappers and Miners.

Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the European Invalid Battalion present with their corps. Staff Serjeants of Gymnasia.

2. Paragraphs 3 and 11 of the Royal Warrant are not applicable to India.
3. Recommendations for the medal and gratuity are to be submitted annually on the 1st April, on Bengal Form No. 376, and all men who are then entitled should be included, a separate roll being furnished in each case.
4. No soldier is, except under special circumstances, to be considered to have served with an irreproachable character unless he is in possession of, or entitled to, four good-conduct badges.
5. No soldier who has been twelve times entered in the regimental defaulter book is to be considered to have served with an exemplary character.
6. If circumstances should prevent a soldier getting the medal from the hands of his Commanding Officer, it will be delivered to him through the Adjutant-General of the Army.
7. A Warrant Officer, whether in a department or public office, retains his medal granted to him before his promotion to the warrant grade, and is entitled to the gratuity on final discharge.
8. A Non-Commissioned Officer or Soldier serving in a public office or department retains the medal previously granted to him, the gratuity with the accumulated interest being transferred to the Military Branch of the Government Savings' Bank, and is entitled to his gratuity on receiving his final discharge from the Army.
9. If the soldier recommended has ever been tried by court-martial, a copy of the charge, finding, sentence, and confirmation, must also be attached to the application.
10. The character given to the applicant must be entered in the hand-writing of his departmental Commanding Officer.
11. The grant of the gratuity will be notified in the General Orders of the Commander-in-Chief, and republished in the garrison or station orders where the recipient is serving, and a copy of the latter order is to be transmitted to his regiment for the necessary entry in the soldier's record of service.
12. Men whose fathers and maternal grandfathers or whose mothers and paternal grandfathers were of pure European origin, are considered to be of European parentage, and a certificate to the effect that the individual recommended fulfils these conditions is to be inserted at the foot of the rolls of Drum, Fife or Bugle-Majors, and of Drummers, Fifers and Buglers, of Native Corps.
13. A Non-Commissioned Officer remanded to regimental duty for misconduct, but afterwards readmitted to the Unattached List, is to be treated in regard to these rewards as if he had been tried and reduced for the offence which entailed his remand.
14. The medal will be transmitted direct to Commanding Officers of corps, when the recipient is serving with a regiment; and in other cases to officers commanding at the station where the soldier may be serving, and will be delivered to him on parade by the Commanding Officer. Should a regiment be serving in a station or garrison where other troops are quartered, the commanding officer will report the receipt of the medal to the general or other officer commanding, so that, should he think proper, he may order a general parade of the troops to witness the presentation. The recipient's receipt for the medal to be forwarded to the office of the Adjutant-General in India, Simla, as soon as practicable after presentation.

No. 270 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th March 1877, is republished:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 226.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume 1, "British Troops":—

Article 368, Clause *a*, is reconstructed as follows:—

"If after the expiration of his tour of foreign service, a medical officer of the British Service is detained in India with a view to his proceeding in charge of troops returning to England—up to date of embarkation."

G.O. No. 132 of 1870.

G.L. No. 832—5 of 16th February 1877.

Article 1711. *Add*—"If acquitted of the charge on which he may have been placed in confinement, no forfeiture of pay or staff pay will be incurred."

Article 60, Clause *f*, page 22.—To the foot-note "*t*," after the word "Lahore" *add*—

"If a medical officer, who has not passed in the colloquial, be nominated to the charge of a 1st or 2nd-class lock hospital in the Bengal Presidency, he will be required to pass within six months, failing which, he will forfeit the appointment and charge allowance after the expiration of that period."

G.O. Nos. 125 of 1870 and 115 of 1875, British Medical Code, VIII—IV—5.

No. 227.—The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume II, "Native Troops":—

G.L. No. 187 of 5th February 1877.

Madras G.O. No. 103 of 1876.

Bombay G.G.O. No. 744 of 1876.

Article 559, page 117.—The foot-note "(9)" to read as follows:—

Bombay G.G.O. No. 809 of 1876.

"With Native Mountain Artillery."

Page 118.—In the fifth and sixth lines for "Goojerat Mountain Train" substitute "with Native Mountain Artillery." Make a similar alteration in foot-note "(12)."

Bombay G.O.C. No. 276 of 1876.

Insert the following article at page 1 immediately above the word "Bengal":—

5-a. "A grant of Rupees 30 will be made on enlistment, to every recruit of Artillery, Infantry, Sappers and Miners, Madras Cavalry, and Governor-General's Body-Guard, to aid in the provision of the

established kit. The amount should be expended as required, under the direction of commanding officers, and if, in any case, the whole amount is not found necessary, the balance should be recredited to the State."

Insert the following articles at page 66 immediately above the words "Money Prizes":—

"HALF-MOUNTING.

"340-a. An annual allowance of Rupees 4 will be given to every Non-Commissioned Officer, Drummer, Bugler, and Private, of Artillery, Infantry,

G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.

General's Body-Guard, in aid of half-mounting. This allowance will not be given to soldiers of less service than eighteen months."

G.L. No. 6 C.-D. of 1st and 313 of 11th January 1877.

"340-b. The allowance authorized in Article 340-a is also admissible to men belonging to the following local corps:—

G.L. No. 5 C.-D. of 1st and 313 of 22nd January 1877. Hyderabad Contingent, Artillery and Infantry
Deolee and Erinpoora Infantry.
Meywar Bheel Corps.

Malwah Bheel Corps.
Bhopal Battalion.
Nepal Escort."

G.L. No. 3 of 1st January 1877.

Expunge Article 32, which is cancelled.

Insert the following article at page 4 immediately above the word "II.—Discharge":—

"LOCAL AND CIVIL CORPS.

33-a. A grant of Rupees 20 will be made on enlistment, to every recruit of the following corps, to aid in the provision of the established kit: the

G.L. Nos. 6 C.-D. of 1st and 313 of 11th January 1877, G.L. Nos. 5 C.-D. of 1st and 313 of 22nd January 1877.

amount should be expended as required under the direction of commanding officers, and if, in any case, the whole amount is not found necessary, the balance should be recredited to the State:—

Hyderabad Contingent, Artillery and Infantry.
Deolee and Erinpoora Infantry.
Meywar Bheel Corps.

Malwah Bheel Corps.
Bhopal Battalion.
Nepal Escort.

Article 111 is reconstructed as follows:—

G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877, G.L. Nos. 6 C.-D. of 1st and 313 of 11th January 1877, G.L. Nos. 5 C.-D. of 1st and 313 of 22nd January 1877.

"111.—Good-conduct pay is granted to all Sowars, Privates, Drummers, Buglers, &c., at the rates and under the rules following:—

ARTILLERY, VICEROY'S BODY-GUARD, CAVALRY (EXCEPT THE BOMBAY CAVALRY*), INFANTRY, SAPPERS AND MINERS, CENTRAL INDIA HORSE, DEOLEE AND ERINPOORA FORCE, MEYWAR AND MALWAH BHEEL CORPS, BHOPAL BATTALION, AND NEPAL ESCORT:—

* This advantage is already enjoyed by the Bombay Cavalry, the Sowars of which, draw on enlistment, the highest rate of pay, inclusive of good-conduct pay, attainable by Sowars of the Bengal Cavalry and Punjab Frontier Force.

1st rate.—After three years' service,—one Rupee monthly.

2nd rate.—After nine years' service,—two Rupees monthly.

3rd rate.—After fifteen years' service,—three Rupees monthly.

(Note.—For Good-conduct pay to Drivers, Mahouts, Muleteers, &c., see Section III, Division II).

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—ARTILLERY AND INFANTRY ONLY.

1st rate.—After five years' service,—one Rupee monthly.

2nd rate.—After ten years' service,—two Rupees monthly.

NOTE.—Men of the Hyderabad Contingent who were in receipt of extra pay for length of service prior to the 1st January 1874, retain this privilege unaffected by the rules for grant of good-conduct pay.

Article 78, Clause *a*, page 15.—The following rates of pay for Subadars and Jemadars are to be substituted for the existing rates:—

“ARTILLERY.

PUNJAB AND BOMBAY.

		Pay.		Pay including cantonment or half batta.		Extra batta when marching or in the field and not provided with carriage.	
		RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
Subadar after 6 years' service ..		85	0 0	100	0 0	15	0 0
Do. under 6 years' service ..		65	0 0	80	0 0	15	0 0
Jemadar after 6 years' service ..		42	8 0	50	0 0	7	8 0
Do. under 6 years' service ..		32	8 0	40	0 0	7	8 0

G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.

Clause 4, page 15

Clause *b*, page 16.

“CAVALRY.

VICEROY'S BODY-GUARD.

										Consolidated pay inclusive of extra batta.		
										RS.	A.	P.
G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Subadar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	180	0	0
	Jemadar {	One	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	70	0	0
		One	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60	0	0

GOVERNOR'S BODY-GUARD, MADRAS.

G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Subadar	..	..	..	{ Madras Cavalry rates of pay and extra batta.”						
	Jemadar	..	..	..							

Page 17.—Substitute the following table of pay for the existing one:—

GOVERNOR'S BODY-GUARD, BOMBAY.

									Consolidated pay.
		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.	
G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Ressaldar ..	..	..	..	{ With an addition of Rupees 10 per mensem whilst serving with the Body-Guard.	250	0	0	0
	Ressaidar ..	..	..	..		135	0	0	0
	Jemadar ..	..	..	..		70	0	0	0
	Farrier ..	..	..	..		40	0	0	0
	Other Grades ..	..	..	..		Bombay Cavalry rates.			

The following rates of pay to be substituted for the existing rates:—
Page 17.

MADRAS CAVALRY.

					Pay includ- ing canton- ment or half batta.	Extra batta when marching or in the field and not provided with carriage.					
					RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Subadars	..	{ One-half	..	..	150	0	0	30	0	0
		..	{ One-half	..	..	110	0	0	30	0	0
	Jemadars	..	{ One-half	..	..	60	0	0	8	0	0
		..	{ One-half	..	..	50	0	0	8	0	0

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BOMBAY (SILLADAR) CAVALRY.

(Including the Sind Horse).

										Consolidated pay.		
										Rs.	A.	P.
G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Ressaldar-Major ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	300	0	0
	Ressaldar ..	{	One	..	..	..	..	..	..	250	0	0
			One	..	..	..	..	..	..	200	0	0
	Woordie-Major ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	150	0	0
	Ressaidar ..	{	One	..	..	..	..	..	..	150	0	0
			One	..	..	..	..	..	..	135	0	0
			One	..	..	..	..	..	..	120	0	0
	Naib-Ressaldar ..	{	Three	..	..	..	..	..	each	80	0	0
			Three	..	..	..	..	..	..	75	0	0
	Jemadar ..	{	Three	..	..	..	..	..	..	70	0	0
		Three	..	..	..	..	..	..	65	0	0	

“SAPPERS AND MINERS AND INFANTRY.

BENGAL, MADRAS, AND BOMBAY.

					Pay.	Pay including cantonment or half batta.			Extra batta when marching or in the field and not provided with carriage by the State.				
					RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Subadars	..	{ One-half	..	85	0	0	100	0	0	515	0	0
		..	{ One-half	..	65	0	0	80	0	0	515	0	0
	Jemadars	..	{ One-half	..	42	8	0	50	0	0	7	8	0
		..	{ One-half	..	32	8	0	40	0	0	7	8	0
NOTE.—In the Bombay Snappers and Muzaffars.													

NOTE.—In the Bombay Sappers and Miners two Subadars and three Jemadars will receive the higher rates, and the remaining officers the lower rates of pay.

Page 19.—“30TH (BOMBAY) NATIVE INFANTRY, OR JACOB'S RIFLES—

						Pay including cantonment or half batta.		
						RS.	A.	P.
G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Subadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	100	0 0
			One-half	..	..	..	80	0 0
	Jemadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	50	0 0
			One-half	..	..	..	40	0 0

“GUIDE CORPS, PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

						Pay.			Pay including cantonment or half batta.		
						RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.	Subadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	85	0 0	100	0 0	
			One-half	..	..	..	65	0 0	80	0 0	
	Jemadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	42	8 0	50	0 0	
			One-half	..	..	..	32	8 0	40	0 0	

“DEOLEE AND ERINPOORA FORCE, AND BHOPAL BATTALION.

						Pay.			Pay including cantonment or half batta.		
						RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
G.L. Nos. 5 C-D of 1st and 813 of 22nd January 1877.	Subadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	85	0 0	100	0 0	
			One-half	..	..	..	65	0 0	80	0 0	
	Jemadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	42	8 0	50	0 0	
			One-half	..	..	..	32	8 0	40	0 0	

“MALWAH BHEEL CORPS.

						Pay.			Batta per diem when in the field or marching.		
						RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
G.L. Nos. 5 C-D of 1st and 813 of 22nd January 1877.	Subadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	50	0 0	*0	4	0
			One-half	..	..	..	40	0 0			
	Jemadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	30	0 0	0	3	0
			One-half	..	..	..	25	0 0			

* The Subadar-Major draws 8 Annas a day batta.”

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“MEYWAR BHEEL CORPS.

						Pay.		
						RS.	A.	P.
G.L. Nos. 5 C-D of 1st and 813 of 22nd January 1877.	Subadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	50	0 0
			One-half	..	..	..	40	0 0
	Jemadars	{	One-half	..	..	..	30	0 0
			One-half	..	..	..	25	0 0

“NEPAL ESCORT.

						Pay including full batta.		
						RS.	A.	P.
Subadar	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	0 0
Jemadar	..	..	..	..	..	..	50	0 0

The existing tables of pay for the Hyderabad Contingent are cancelled, and the following substituted:—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

ARTILLERY.

						Pay including cantonment or half batta.			Extra batta when marching and not provided with carriage.		
						RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
G.L. Nos. 6 C-D of 1st and 313 of 11th January 1877.	Subadars	{	After 5 years' service	..	..	..	90	0 0	15	0	0
			Under 5 years' service	..	..	..	70	0 0			
	Jemadars	{	After 5 years' service	..	..	..	45	0 0	7	8	0
			Under 5 years' service	..	..	..	40	0 0			
	Havildar	..	..	..	..	..	14	0 0	5	0	0
	Naick	..	..	..	..	..	12	8 0	5	0	0
	Bugler	..	..	..	..	..	10	8 0	1	8	0
	Private	..	..	..	..	..	8	4 0	1	8	0
	Farrier	..	..	..	..	..	9	0 0	1	8	0
	Salootrie	..	..	..	..	..	9	0 0	1	8	0
	Boy	..	..	..	..	..	3	8 0	..	..	..

DRIVER ESTABLISHMENT.

Havildar of Drivers	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	8 0	2	0	0
Naick of Drivers	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	12 0	2	0	0
Syce Driver	{	After 4 years' service	..	..	..	..	7	8 0	1	0	0
		Under 4 years' service	..	..	..	..	6	12 0			

CAVALRY.										Consolidated pay.			Entertained prior to 1st January 1854, consolidated pay.		
										RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Ressaldar-Major	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	300	0	0			
		One	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	200	0	0			
Ressaidar	..	One	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	185	0	0			
		One	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	170	0	0			
		Three	..	..	..	..	..	..	each	150	0	0			
Wordie-Major	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	120	0	0			
		Two	..	..	..	..	..	..	each	80	0	0			
Jemadar	..	Two	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	70	0	0			
		Two	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60	0	0			
		Two	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	49	0	0			
Kote Duffadar	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	41	8	0			
Duffadar, Farrier-Major and Salootrie	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	0	0	33	0	11
Trumpeter	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	0	0	33	0	11
Trooper	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	0	0	33	0	11
Camel-Gunner	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	0	0	24	12	8

INFANTRY.

INFANTRY.										Pay includ- ing canton- ment or half batta.			Batta when marching and not provided with carriage.		
										RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Subadars	{	Two	..	..	..	..	..	each	90	0	0	15	0	0	
		Two	..	..	..	..	..	75	0	0					
		Four	..	..	..	..	..	65	0	0					
Jemadars	{	Two	..	..	..	..	..	45	0	0	7	8	0		
		Two	..	..	..	..	..	40	0	0					
		Five	..	..	..	..	..	35	0	0					
Havildar	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	0	0	5	0	0		
Naick	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	0	0					
Drum and Fife-Major	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	0	0					
Bass Drummer	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	0	0	1	8	0		
Drummer, Fife, and Bugler	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	4	0					
Private	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	0	0					
Boy	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	8	0	..	..	..		

Article 98, item I, *substitute* " Rs. 50 " for " Rs. 25 " as the allowance to the Subadar-Major.

G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.

page 26, instead of the words “Meywar Bheel Corps” substitute “Meywar and Malwah Bheel Corps.” Expunge the words “Ditto—Malwah Bheel Corps,” &c., together with the amount “Rs. 10.” In item LIII, after the words “Guide Corps,” insert “Deolce and Erinpoora Force, Bhopal Battalion.” Enter the following at bottom of page after the words “Jacob’s Rifles”:—

G.L. No. 643-4 of 13th February 1877.

bottom of page after the words " Jacob's Rifles " :—

	RS.	A.	P.
" Native Adjutant, Malwah and Meywar Bheel Corps	12	0	0 "

Article 98, Clause *g*, page 28, is reconstructed as follows:—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

ARTILLERY.

		RS	A.	P.
G.L. No. 1192-3 of 22nd December 1875 and 313 of 11th January 1877.	Subadar-Major .. { One (the senior Subadar of all the Batteries) for the four Batteries. }	40	0	0
	Havildar-Major .. {	4	0	0
	Pay Havildar .. {	5	0	0
	Drill Naick .. { One of each grade per Battery. }	2	8	0
	Rough-Rider Naick .. {	2	0	0

CAVALRY.

Trumpet-Major	(entertained prior to 1st January 1854).	} One per Regiment	}	8	0	0
Do.						
Quartermaster Duffadar						
Pay Duffadar						
Lance Duffadar		(One per troop)		8	4	3
		(Two per troop) each		9	0	0
				6	0	0
				2	0	0

INFANTRY.

	RS.	A.	P.
Subadar-Major	40	0	0
Jemadar-Adjutant	10	0	0
Drill-Havildar	5	0	0
Drill-Naick	2	8	0
Drum-Major	5	0	0
Fife-Major	5	0	0
Havildar-Major	5	0	0
Color-Havildar	5	0	0
Pay-Havildar or Company-writer	2	0	0
	5	0	0

One of each grade per Regiment ..

One of each grade per Company ..

The table of pay for Native followers of the Hyderabad Contingent, at pages 118 and 119, is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

G.L. Nos. 6 C-D of 1st and 313 of 11th January 1877.	Pay.	Batta when marching or in the field and not provided with carriage.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Armourer	12 6 4	..
Barber	5 12 0	1 0 0
Bellowsboy or File-man	5 0 0	1 0 0
Bheestie	6 8 0	1 0 0
Bullock Driver	5 0 0	1 0 0
Carpenter Maistry	16 8 0	3 0 0
Do. Workman	10 0 0	3 0 0
Chuckler	6 8 0	2 0 0
Chaprassie, Bazaar	6 8 0	..
Dhobee	6 8 0	1 0 0
Farrier	5 0 0	1 8 0
Grass-cutter	4 0 0	1 0 0
Hammerman	6 8 0	2 0 0
Hurkarah	5 12 0	..
Lasear, Store	6 8 0	1 0 0
Do. Tent	6 8 0	1 0 0
Lasear	6 0 0	1 0 0
Moochee	7 0 0	..
Moonshie, Moulvie or Pundit	12 8 0	..
Mutsuddy, Regimental	30 0 0	..
Puckallie	11 8 0	3 0 0
Salootrie	9 0 0	1 8 0
Smith Maistry	16 8 0	3 0 0
Smith	10 0 0	2 0 0
Syce, Jemadar	8 12 0	1 0 0
Syce	5 4 0	1 0 0
Sweeper	6 8 0	..

Article 379, page 74.—To the words “Hyderabad Cavalry,” “Hyderabad Artillery,” and “Hyderabad Infantry” affix an asterisk (*) and enter the following at foot of page:—

G.L. Nos. 6 C-D of 1st and 313 of 11th January 1877.

G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.

* “Soldiers of the Hyderabad Contingent who may be admitted to the ‘Order of Merit’ on or after the 1st January 1877, will receive the Bengal rates.”

Article 204.—In the fourth line after the word “farriers” insert “sowars” and after “Viceroy’s Body-Guard” insert “Cavalry.”

Article 217.—In the second line, after the word “Artillery,” insert “Cavalry (including the three Regiments Sind Horse).” Expunge the third line and the word “horse” in the fourth line.

G.G.O. No. 1 of 1877.

Article 370.—Substitute the following for the scale of establishment of the 1st and 2nd classes of the Order of British India:—

1ST CLASS.

G.G.O. No. 2 of 1877.	Bengal	88
	Madras	53
	Bombay	34
	Total ..	175

2ND CLASS.

Bengal	88
Madras	53
Bombay	34
Total ..	175

Article 371 is reconstructed as follows :—

“371. Vacancies in the establishment of the Order of British India will be filled up as they occur, whether caused by an effective or non-effective member of the Order.”

No. 271 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th March 1877, is republished :—

Foreign Department, General, Fort William, the 6th March 1877.

No. 566-G.—APPOINTMENT—

Major C. G. Gunning, 2nd in Command, Meywar Bheel Corps, to officiate as Commandant of the Mhairwarra Battalion, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Colonel Blair.

No. 272 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th March 1877, is republished :—

Public Works Department, Establishment, Fort William, the 5th March 1877.

No. 100.—The following changes are ordered in the posting of officers of the Superior Account Establishment, Public Works Department :—

Major D. H. Trail, Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Punjab, to be Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Central Provinces, *vice* Mr. Moss, proceeding on furlough.

No. 273 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 14th March 1877, is republished :—

Public Works Department—Bengal.

No. 83.—*Notifications.*—The following officers, holding temporary rank, will revert to their permanent rank, as specified opposite to their names, with effect from the 20th February 1877 :—

Captain G. F. E. S. Neill, M.S.C., Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Burdwan Division.

No. 274 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following Remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned Returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 15th March 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 17th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	March ..	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
1	Do. ..	Bolton, Robert, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hooper, G. S., Major, Madras Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Murray, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	McLeod, W. S., Brevet-Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Moberly, P. J., Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding, C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	January ..	Do. A do. 9th do. Royal Artillery.
1	March ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 43rd do. Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	March	Romilly, F. J., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Straker, C. D. A., Captain, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Depot, Wellington.
1	Do.	Taylor, A. C., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Tennant, T. B. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
24	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 22nd March 1877.

No. 275 of 1877.—No. 3 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery, is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 16th March 1877—the date of its arrival at Rangoon.

No. 276 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th March 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 214.—The undermentioned Out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay:—

*	*	*	*
Barrack Serjeant Joseph Walmsley, late 45th Foot, two Shillings per diem.			
William Perry, late 1st Battalion, 21st Foot, eleven Pence per diem.			
William Ball, late 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery, one Shilling per diem.			
Serjeant John Faux, late 48th Foot, one Shilling and eight Pence half Penny per diem.			
Shaik Tippoo, late Ceylon Gun Lascars, six Rupees per mensem.			
Robert Gale, late 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery, one Shilling per diem.			
William Francis Parks, late 2nd Battalion, 19th Foot, one Shilling per diem.			
George Thompson, late 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery, ten Pence per diem.			
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Fort St. George, 23rd March 1877.

No. 277 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Captain R. H. T. Hill, Infantry General List, Wing Officer and) Arrived at Madras on the
Quartermaster 39th Regiment Native Infantry.) 14th March 1877.

No. 278 of 1877.—Conductor Charles Smith, of the Commissariat Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 1st April 1877, on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem.

No. 279 of 1877.—Provost Serjeant E. Jackson, in charge of the Military Prison at Bangalore, is promoted to the rank of Sub-Conductor.

No. 280 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

14th Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Shaik Sillar, on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 1st April 1877.

No. 281 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 107, dated 2nd February 1877, the date of commission of Jemadar Mahomed Wazeer, 37th Regiment Native Infantry, is 21st, not 22nd, January 1877.

Fort St. George, 24th March 1877.

No. 282 of 1877.—The order by the Officer Commanding 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry, confirmed in G.O.G. No. 820 of 4th December 1876, is ante-dated to 21st April 1876.

No. 283 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. D. Cloete, Staff Corps, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Central Range, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 284 of 1877.—The subsidiary leave granted to Captain J. G. Pollock, Royal (Madras) Artillery, Commandant, No. 2 Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, in G.O.G. No. 203, dated 2nd March 1877, had effect from the 6th January 1877.

No. 285 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
19th Regiment N.I..	Havildar, No. 1855, Narrainsawmy	Jemadar	8th March 1877.

Fort St. George, 26th March 1877.

No. 286 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Vincent Lewis Mathias, having completed twelve years' service, four of which have been in the Staff Corps, to be Captain, from the 26th March 1877.

Fort St. George, 27th March 1877.

No. 287 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. D. Heath, Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.

Major J. C. Gunning, Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

Major E. S. Berkeley, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.

Major W. Stoddard, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

Major J. A. Richmond, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.

During the absence on leave to Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel B. H. W. Magrath, or until further orders.

No. 288 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major R. W. Cockerill, Indian Medical Department, Surgeon of the General Hospital, &c., is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for twenty months, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

The Regulations under which this furlough is granted will be notified hereafter.

No. 289 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

21st Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Appiah, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 8th April 1877.

No. 290 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 23rd February 1877, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd February 1877.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander James Bruce, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th December 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Francis, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 27th December 1876.

No. 291 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished:—

No. 233.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the following casualties, the names of the undermentioned Officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List as specified:—

Colonel A. R. Thornhill, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals on the Indian Gradation List. { In consequence of the death of General W. Prescott, Madras Infantry, on the 2nd December 1876.

Colonel R. Woolley, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals. { In consequence of the death of General R. Hawkes, Bengal Cavalry, on the 18th December 1876.

Colonel F. F. Warden, Madras Infantry, is placed on the list of Major-Generals.

In consequence of the death of Colonel (Major-General on the Indian Gradation List) P. W. Luard, Bengal Staff Corps, on the 21st December 1876.

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No. 292 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished:—

No. 234.—The following promotions and alterations of rank are made subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

PROMOTIONS.

Brevet.

Rank, Names and Corps.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In succession to
Captain Arthur Robert Kenney-Herbert, Madras General List, Cavalry.	Major	22nd December 1876 ..	Colonel (Major-General on the Indian Gradation List) P. W. Luard, deceased.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

Brevet.

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To rank from	In whose room.
Madras Cavalry.	Lieutenant-Colonel George Alexander Arbuthnot ..	30th March 1874 ..	Colonel (Major-General on the Indian Gradation List) A. Wyndham, Madras Staff Corps, deceased.
Do. ..	Lieutenant-Colonel William James Morris ..	26th Nov. 1875 ..	General A. Dick, Bengal Infantry, deceased.

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No. 293 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished:—

No. 235.—Alteration of positions on the list of Lieutenant-Colonels on the Indian Gradation List—

Rank.	Names and Corps of Officer placed on the Indian Gradation List of Lieutenant-Colonels.	In whose room.
Major	T. O'Neill, half-pay, Madras Staff Corps ..	Colonel (Major-General on the Indian Gradation List) H. T. Vincent, Bombay Staff Corps, deceased, 11th July 1876.

No. 294 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished:—

No. 247.—The services of Surgeon A. H. Leapingwell are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 295 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished. The services of the Officer therein named are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief:—

No. 248.—The services of Surgeon S. H. Dántrá are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George.

No. 296 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 231 of 1868:—

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 262.—REGULATIONS—

Medical Department, Sub. The following note to be added to paragraph 29 of G.G.O. No. 550 of 1868—

NOTE.—If he has not passed the regular College course, he must have given proof of special qualifications.

No. 297 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished:—

ORDNANCE.

No. 263.—STORES—

Ordnance Stores. The following clauses in list of Changes in War Matériel, are made applicable to India:—

Dated 1st November 1876.

No. 2967.—Instructions for the use of implements, fuze and shell, rifled, ordnance, land and sea service.

No. 2970.—Lubricators, cartridge, for B. L. guns (Mark II).

No. 2971.—Shot, case, rifled, muzzle-loading, diameters of.

Dated 1st December 1876.

No. 2977.—Tool, armourers'; facer, for bent in tumbler (Mark I).

No. 2978.—Cases, horse shoe; harness and saddlery. Addition of lay of leather over band.

No. 2981.—Bearer, shell or shot, rifled, M. L., 80-pr. (Mark I).

No. 298 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished:—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Soldiers' Pay—Stoppages. No. 265.—The following Clause 166 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st December 1876, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information:—

Stoppages from Soldiers' pay for the benefit of their wives and children.

CLAUSE 166. 1.—Remittances on account of the stoppages made from the pay of soldiers, under the Mutiny Act and Articles of War, for the benefit of their wives and children, will, in all instances, be described in vouchers, pay lists, remittance rolls, &c., as "compulsory remittances."

2.—When a soldier, subject to these stoppages, is sent from the depôt to the Service Companies, or is transferred to another company, regiment, or brigade, care will be taken by his Commanding Officer to communicate to the officer in command of his future company, regiment, or brigade, the order placing the man under stoppage.

No. 299 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th March 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. Nos. 206 and 220 of 1874 and No. 154 of 1877:—

CLOTHING.

Clothing. No. 266.—With advertence to G.G.Os. Nos. 780 and 837 of 1874, and No. 105 of 1877, it is hereby notified that the spurs to be supplied to the British Artillery and Cavalry in India to be worn with their knee boots, will be of the swan-neck pattern, and will be provided by the Clothing Department, and not by the Ordnance Department, as heretofore.

They will be issued quinquennially in accordance with the scale laid down in G.G.O. No. 837 of 1874, and accounted for as articles of clothing.

No. 300 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 17th March 1877, is republished:—

Foreign Department, General, Fort William, the 15th March 1877.

No. 645-G.—APPOINTMENTS.—Consequent on the departure to Europe, on furlough, of Surgeon-Major J. Houston, M.D., Surgeon to the Mysore Commission, the following temporary appointments are sanctioned in the Medical Department, Mysore Commission, with effect from the date of assuming charge:—

Surgeon-Major J. Henderson, M.D., Superintendent, Central Jail, Bangalore, to officiate as Surgeon to the Mysore Commission, *vice* Dr. Houston.

Surgeon-Major J. Law, M.D., Superintendent, Central Jail, Nagpore, to officiate as Superintendent, Central Jail, Bangalore, *vice* Dr. Henderson.

No. 301 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 21st March 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 255 of 1877:—

Public Works Department, Irrigation, the 19th March 1877.

No. 82.—Notification.—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Colonel J. F. Stoddard, Superintending Engineer, Second Grade (temporary rank), will remain in charge of the South-Western Circle till relieved.

No. 76, dated 17th March 1877.

No. 302 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 22nd March 1877:—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, via Bombay and Brindisi, by the mail of the 24th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
2	March 1877 ..	Brown, C. L., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Bagshawe, S. L., Captain, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cox, J. H., Veterinary Surgeon, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Clarke, S. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Chambers, C. A., Master Armourer, Ordnance Department.
2	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps, for himself and Garrison Serjeant-Major William Marony.
1	Do. ..	Leeming, William, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Lambert, Parry, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Murray, John, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. B Battery, C Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. C do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 6 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Head-quarters, 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D Battery, 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
26	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 28th March 1877.

No. 303 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—
Colonel (Brigadier-General) A. C. Silver, of the Infantry } Arrived at Bombay on the
22nd March 1877.

No. 304 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel O. Morgan, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Commander, 5th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 29th March 1877.

No. 305 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. F. Bloomfield, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 31st March 1877.

No. 306 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Nepean, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 37th Grenadiers, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Tuticorin.

No. 307 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel E. L. Hankin, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Pensions, is granted privilege leave of absence for sixty days, from the 2nd April 1877, or date of departure ; Lieutenant-Colonel L. H. Isacke, Officiating Staff Officer and Superintendent of Details, Fort St. George, performing the duties of the appointment on the responsibility of the former officer.

No. 308 of 1877.—The services of Surgeon W. Price, M.D., 10th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

Fort St. George, 2nd April 1877.

No. 309 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from the 1st April 1877, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877 :—

Nos.	Rank and Names.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
1	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) John Norman Hector Maclean.	Staff Corps.	£ 456 s. 5 d. 0	£ 668 s. 12 d. 0	£ s. d.	England.
2	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Thomas Craufurd Longcroft.	Do. ..	456 5 0	668 12 0	....	Do.
3	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Robert Ranken.	Do. ..	456 5 0	530 12 0	....	Do.
4	Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Adolphe Mottet.	Do. ..	292 0 0	204 11 0	....	Do.
5	Lieutenant-Colonel William Robert Mesham.	Do. ..	292 0 0	....	2,640 0 0	£340 in India, remainder in England.
6	Lieutenant Colonel Selwyn New	Do. ..	292 0 0	204 9 0	....	England.
7	Lieutenant-Colonel Christopher Hellyer Beddek.	Do. ..	292 0 0	207 3 0	....	Do.

Fort St. George, 3rd April 1877.

No. 310 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

1st-Class Veterinary Surgeon F. G. Shaw, to officiate as Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon, from the 9th April 1877, *vice* Holloway, who vacates.

No. 311 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd March 1877, is republished :—

No. 268.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

4th Punjab Cavalry.

Major T. O. Underwood, Squadron Commander (on furlough), to be 2nd in Command, *vice* Major J. Gillespie, deceased.

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No. 312 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd March 1877, is republished :—

HONORS AND REWARDS.

No. 274.—GOOD-SERVICE PENSIONS—

It is hereby announced that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer good service pensions on the undermentioned Officers, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel CHARLES PATTON KEYES, C.B., *Madras Staff Corps, Brigadier-General Commanding Punjab Frontier Force.*

DATES OF COMMISSIONS.

Ensign	4th April 1843.
Lieutenant	30th November 1848.
Brevet-Captain	4th April 1858.
Captain	2nd February 1860.
Brevet-Major	16th April 1861.
Major	4th April 1863.
Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel	5th August 1864.
Lieutenant-Colonel	4th April 1869.
Brevet-Colonel	11th August 1869.

APPOINTMENTS.

Adjutant, 1st Punjab Infantry	18th May 1849.
2nd in Command, 1st Punjab Infantry	6th June 1850.
Commandant, Kemidi Rifle Corps	8th July 1854.
Commandant, 1st Infantry Punjab Irregular Force	9th May 1860.
Officiating Commandant, Corps of Guides, Punjab Frontier Force	19th March 1869.
Commandant, Corps of Guides, Punjab Frontier Force	23rd June 1869.
Brigadier-General, Commandant, Punjab Frontier Force	19th April 1870.

WAR SERVICES.

In February 1850.—Present as 2nd in Command of the 1st Punjab Infantry, with the Force which accompanied His Excellency the late Sir C. Napier, G.C.B., Commander-in-Chief in India, into the Kohat Pass—received the thanks of His Excellency and of the local Government.

March 1850.—Present with the regiment in the relief of a body of Mooltaneees in a town on the Kohat-kotal which was surrounded by the Pass Apeedeas, on which occasion the regiment was unaided and sustained heavy loss—received the thanks of Government. October 1851.—On field service as 2nd in Command of the regiment. May 1852.—On field service when the regiment, owing to treachery in transmission of orders, made a forced march of seventy miles into action, present at Prangghar, Tsha-Kote, Errosha, and several other minor affairs, in the Eusufzie and Ranazi valleys—received the thanks of Government. December 1852.—On field service in command of two companies of the regiment in a secret expedition against the Omerzie Wuzerees in the Kafir-kote hills—services acknowledged by Government. March 1853.—In command of a wing of the regiment on field service against the mountain tribes in the Salimnee range—services acknowledged by Government. December 1853.—On field service with the 1st Punjab Infantry. 1854.—On field service in command of Scinde Rifle Corps. 1855.—On field service in the Maranzie valley in command of the Scinde Rifle Corps. In April 1860, commanded 1st Punjab Infantry in the expedition against the Wuzerees, marched through their hills to their head-quarters at Kanagocorum—received the special thanks of Supreme and Local Governments and of the Secretary of State for India, and Brevet Majority. August 1863.—On field service in command of the 1st Punjab Infantry and Hazara Mountain Battery to watch the Hindustani Fanatics at Satana. Joined Kinteyla Field Force in October, and served throughout the Umbeyla Campaign—severely wounded. Received the special thanks of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and of the Supreme and Local Governments, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonelcy and the Order of the Bath. February 1869.—Organized and commanded a secret expedition against the Bezoties, a turbulent tribe on the Kohil border—received the special thanks of Supreme and Local Governments and of the Secretary of State for India, and Brevet Colonelcy. April 1869.—Commanded a field force against the Cabul Kheyl and Taza Kheyl Wuzerees—received the thanks of the Supreme and Local Governments, medal and two clasps. Organized and commanded an expedition against certain villages in the Lower Dour valley—received the hearty thanks of the Local and Supreme Governments.

From the 23rd September 1876, in room of Colonel A. Stewart, R.A., deceased.

Colonel EDWARD JAMES LAWDER, Madras Staff Corps, Commandant, 1st Native Infantry.

DATES OF COMMISSIONS.

Ensign	18th June 1839.
Lieutenant	17th August 1844.
Captain	1st May 1854.
Brevet-Major	20th July 1858.
Major	18th February 1861.
Lieutenant-Colonel	18th June 1865.
Brevet-Colonel	18th „ 1870.

APPOINTMENTS.

Quartermaster, 44th Regiment Native Infantry ..	21st April 1843.
Adjutant, 44th Regiment Native Infantry ..	15th October 1844.
Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General of the Army ..	9th „ 1849.
Assistant Quartermaster-General	6th December 1851.
Deputy Quartermaster-General	17th February 1863.
Officiating 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 28th Native Infantry	27th February 1866.
2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 24th Native Infantry ..	1st April 1867.
Officiating Commandant, 14th Native Infantry ..	24th July 1868.
Officiating Commandant, 24th Native Infantry ..	6th June 1871.
Commandant, 24th Native Infantry	18th February 1873.
Commandant, 1st Native Infantry	15th „ 1875.

WAR SERVICES.

Served as Acting Deputy Quartermaster-General of the Army with the Sangor Field Division, the whole time it was in the field in 1858-59; was present at the attack on Jheeghum, 10th April 1858; the affair of Kubraie, 17th April; the battle of Banda, 19th April; the relief of Kirwee, 25th December, when Division Head-quarters with the Horse Artillery and Cavalry marched 84 miles in 37 hours; storming of the heights of Punwarree, 29th December 1858—Brevet-Major, Medal and Clasp.

Colonel THOMAS CRAWFORD LONGCROFT, Madras Staff Corps.

DATES OF COMMISSIONS.

Ensign	20th August 1839.
Lieutenant	16th August 1842.
Brevet-Captain	20th August 1854.
Captain	28th November 1854.
Major	18th February 1861.
Lieutenant-Colonel	20th August 1865.
Brevet-Colonel	20th August 1870.

APPOINTMENTS.

Acting Adjutant, 16th Regiment Native Infantry ..	23rd August 1844.
Acting Paymaster, Southern Division, Bombay Army ..	5th January 1845.
Acting Quartermaster and Interpreter, 16th Regiment Native Infantry	15th December 1845.
Quartermaster and Interpreter, 16th Regiment Native Infantry	18th February 1851.
Adjutant, 16th Regiment Native Infantry	7th May 1851.
Assistant Engineer, Public Works Department ..	4th August 1856.
Brigade-Major, Thayetmo	30th November 1856.
Assistant Adjutant-General, British Burma Division ..	11th April 1862.
Assistant Adjutant-General, Head-quarters	28th September 1866.
Officiating Deputy Adjutant-General	16th December 1868.
Officiating Adjutant-General	9th November 1869.
Deputy Adjutant-General	29th September 1871.
Officiating Adjutant-General	16th August 1872.

No. 313 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd March 1877, is republished:—

No. 275.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

In continuation of G.G.O. No. 164 of 1877, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the following Native Officers to the 1st and 2nd Classes, respectively, of the Order of British India, with effect from the 1st January 1877:—

MADRAS.

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sirdar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Mherwan Sing, "Bahadur," 40th Regiment Native Infantry.

From the 1st December 1875, in room of Colonel J. E. Mayne, retired.

From the 12th December 1876, in room of Major-General Sir A. T. Wilde, K.C.B., succeeded to the Colonel's Allowance.

To the 2nd Class, with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Mahomed Ismail, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.

Subadar-Major Appavoo, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Sheik Ibrahim, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Ballagoovoo, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. 314 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd March 1877, is republished:—

No. 276.—ERRATUM—

In G.G.O. No. 2 of 1877, admitting certain Native Officers of the Madras Army to the 2nd Class of the Order of British India, for "Subadar Homed Beg, 9th Regiment Native Infantry," read Subadar Major *Furreed Beg*, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. 315 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, are republished:—

Foreign Department, General, Fort William, the 20th March 1877.

No. 671-G.—Captain C. B. Euan Smith, 1st Assistant Resident at Hyderabad, to be in charge of the current duties of the Residency, during the absence on privilege leave of Colonel Sir R. Meade, K.C.S.I.

The 22nd March 1877.

No. 691-G.—Major V. E. Law, Officiating Political Assistant, 1st Class, and Superintendent of the Rajputana (State) Railway Police, took temporary charge of the current duties of the office of Political Agent, Jeypore and Kishengurh, in addition to his own duties, from Captain C. A. Baylay, on the afternoon of the 20th February 1877.

No. 692-G.—APPOINTMENTS.—The following temporary appointments, with effect from the date of assuming charge, are made in the Mysore Commission consequent on the death of Major Gompertz, Deputy Inspector-General of Police:—

Captain J. S. F. Mackenzie, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, to officiate as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, *vice* Major Gompertz.

Major C. S. Blair, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, *vice* Captain Mackenzie.

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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 5th April 1877.

No. 316 of 1877.—The services of Surgeon-Major W. H. Rean, M.D., and Surgeon D. H. Cullimore, F.R.C.S.I., of the Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department.

No. 317 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Commissariat Department :—
Sub-Conductor M. Phillips to be Conductor, and Staff Serjeant W. Collins to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 1st April 1877, *vice* Conductor Smith, pensioned.

No. 318 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
37th Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar Sarthee	Subadar	14th March 1877.
	Havildar, No. 208, Cristiah	Jemadar	22nd January 1877.

No. 319 of 1877.—No. 7 Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery, is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 19th March 1877, the date of its embarkation at Rangoon.

Fort St. George, 6th April 1877.

No. 320 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—
Surgeon-Major J. S. Ridings, M.D., Indian Medical Department, } Arrived at Bombay on the
41st Regiment Native Infantry. } 22nd March 1877.
Major J. G. Bell, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Hyderabad } Arrived at Bombay on the
Assigned Districts. } 29th March 1877.

No. 321 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published :—

No. 5, dated 9th March 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, or allowed to retire from the service.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Colonel A. C. Silver, Infantry.
Colonel E. A. Foord, Royal Engineers.
Colonel J. W. Rideout, Staff Corps.
Major G. C. Bird, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major St. G. Caulfield, Staff Corps 6 months, p. a.

RETIREMENT.

Major A. Cook, Staff Corps, 26th January 1877.

Medical Department—Hospital Supplies. No. 322 of 1877.—The following revised scale of hospital supplies for British Troops in the Madras Presidency, is published for information and guidance :—

		QUANTITIES ALLOWED FOR ONE MONTH.			
ARTICLES.		Over 750 men and Depôts Poonamallee and Wellington.	From 500 to 700 men.	From 250 to 499 men.	From 50 to 249 men and Depôt Ramandroog.
<i>Section I.—Bazaar Medicines.</i>					
1	Alum, for gargles, &c.	2 lbs.	1 lb.	8 oz.	4 oz.
2	Assafœtida	2 oz.	1 oz.	1 "	1 "
3	Bael-fruit, (Eglo marmelos)	"	"	"	"
4	Camphor, for liniments, &c.	1 lb.	8 oz.	4 oz.	2 oz.
5	Coriander seeds	2 oz.	1 "	1 "	1 "
6	Ginger, dry	8 "	6 "	4 "	2 "
7	Gunda-berozu (Olibanum)	"	"	"	"
8	Kaladana, to save jalap (seeds of Pharbitisnil)	"	"	"	"
9	Kuth, catechu	4 oz.	2 oz.	1 oz.	1 oz.
10	Mustard, English, for sinapisms	2 lbs.	1 lb.	12 "	8 "
11	" seed, for plasters	3 "	1½ lbs.	12 "	8 "
12	Oil, cocconut, for ointments	10 "	5 "	2½ lbs.	1 lb.
13	" linseed, for carron oil, &c.	3 "	1½ "	12 oz.	8 oz.
14	" mustard, for liniments	3 "	1½ "	12 "	8 "
15	Orange-peel, for tinctures, &c.	1 lb.	8 oz.	4 "	4 "
16	Pepper, red, for cholera pills, gargles, &c.	"	"	"	"
17	Pomegranate-root	"	"	"	"
18	Poppy-heads, for stupes	"	"	"	"
19	Rose-water, for eye-washes	"	"	"	"
20	Russout, for eye paste	2 oz.	1 oz.	½ oz.	½ oz.
21	Sulphur, country, for fumigations	"	"	"	"
22	Treacle, for electuaries, &c.	"	"	"	"
23	Vinegar, Europe, for lotions	3 lbs.	1½ lbs.	1 lb.	1 lb.
24	Wax, white, for ointments	4 "	2 "	1½ lbs.	1 "
<i>Section II.—Necessaries.</i>					
1	Arrowroot, for native sick	"	"	"	"
2	Baskets, for sweepers	No. 2	No. 2	No. 1	No. 1
3	Bladders, for application of ice	" 4	" 2	" 2	" 2
4	Bottles, empty quarts, for dispensing	" 16	" 8	" 4	" 2
5	" " pints, "	" 12	" 6	" 3	" 3
6	Brandy, for native sick	"	"	"	"
7	Brooms, for sweepers	No. 6	No. 4	No. 2	No. 2
8	Candles, spermi, for night visits	2 lbs.	1 lb.	1 lb.	1 lb.
9	Chatties, for cooking poultices	"	"	"	"
10	" " for holding water (Jallahs)	"	"	"	"
11	Chunam, lime, for lime-water	6 lbs.	3 lbs.	2 lbs.	1 lb.
12	" " for sanitary purposes	"	"	"	"
13	Cloth, long, fine, for adhesive plaster	"	"	"	"
14	" muslin, for straining	"	"	"	"
15	" nunsuck, for dressing (a description of jaconet)	"	"	"	"
16	" " sheeting, for bandages	20 yards	10 yards	5 yards	2½ yards
17	Cotton, clean, for burns, dressing, &c.	30 "	15 "	10 "	5 "
18	Corks, for bottles	8 lbs.	4 lbs.	2 lbs.	1 lb.
19	Eggs, for native sick	No. 12	No. 8	No. 6	No. 6
20	Essence of beef	"	"	"	"
21	Flannel, country, for fomentations	12 yards	8 yards	6 yards	6 yards
22	" " English, for bandages	8 "	4 "	2 "	1 yard
23	Gumlahs, for native sick, glazed (spitting pots)	"	"	"	"
24	Honey, for linctus	1 lb.	6 oz.	4 oz.	4 oz.
25	Lard, hog's, for ointments	"	"	"	"
26	Leeches	No. 700	No. 500	No. 250	No. 100
27	Limes, for drink	"	"	"	"
28	Linseed, for infusions	10 lbs.	6 lbs.	4 lbs.	2 lbs.
29	Matches, for light	3 boxes	2 boxes	1 box	1 box
30	Milk, for native sick	"	"	"	"
31	Mussucks, for bheasties	5	3	2	1
32	Mutton, for native sick	"	"	"	"
33	Naunds, for washing sand, crockery, &c.	"	"	"	"
34	Needles, for stitching bandages	No. 2	No. 1	No. 1	No. 1
35	Oil, common, for liniments, native sick	20 lbs.	10 lbs.	5 lbs.	2 lbs.
36	Paper, country, unglazed, for latrine	"	"	"	"
37	Pinals, common, for dispensing	2 doz.	1 doz.	1 doz.	1 doz.
38	Plaintain-leaves, for dressing	8 "	4 "	2 "	1 "
39	Pots, glazed, for lotions	3 "	No. 18	No. 9	No. 6
40	Poultice material, bran	"	"	"	"
41	" " bread	"	"	"	"
42	" " carrots	"	"	"	"
43	" " charcoal in powder	"	"	"	"
44	" " flour	40 lbs.	20 lbs.	10 lbs.	5 lbs.
45	" " linseed-meal	"	"	"	"
46	Sago, for native sick	"	"	"	"
47	Silk, green, for eye-shades	"	"	"	"
48	Soap, country, for washing bandages	6 lbs.	3 lbs.	2 lbs.	1 lb.
49	Soap, Europe, carbolic acid, for medical officer's use	2 cakes	2 cakes	1 cake	1 cake
50	Soorahies, for drinking water (goglets)	"	"	"	"
51	Spirits, rum, of proof strength for lotion	4 bottles.	2 bottles	1 bottle	½ bottle

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES ALLOWED FOR ONE MONTH.			
	Over 750 men and Depôts Poonamallee and Wellington.	From 500 to 700 men.	From 250 to 499 men.	From 50 to 249 men and Depôt Ramandroog.
<i>Section II.—Necessaries.—(Continued).</i>				
52 Suet, mutton, for ointments, <i>when hog's-lard is not obtainable</i>	5 lbs.	2½ lbs.	1½ lbs.	8 oz.
53 Sugar, white, crystalized, for syrups	5½ lbs.	2 lbs.	1 lb.	8 oz.
54 „ for arrowroot and sago for native sick	*	*	*	*
55 Tape, country, for bandages	30 yards	15 yards.	10 yards.	5 yards
56 Tinning	*	*	*	*
57 Tow, cleaned, and free from fibre, for packing, &c. . .	*	*	*	*
58 Twine, English, colored, for dispensing	8 oz.	4 oz.	2 oz.	1 oz.
59 Wax-cloth for packing, &c.	6 yards.	3 yards	2 yards	1 yard
60 Wine, port, for native sick	*	*	*	*
61 Wood, for baths	{Two seers for every hot foot-bath and five seers for every hot slipper bath.			
62 „ for infusions and decoctions	6 mds.	3 mds.	2 mds.	1 md.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES ALLOWED FOR ONE MONTH.	
	Regiment of Infantry or Cavalry, Head-quarters Brigade of Royal Artillery, or a Depôt.	Detached Battery of Royal Artillery, or Company of Royal Engineers.
<i>Section III.—Stationery.</i>		
1 Blank book—demy-royal (5 quires)	1 annually ..	1 annually.
2 „ foolscap (4 quires)	1 quarterly ..	1 quarterly.
3 „ country, narrow, long—for prescriptions (384 pages)	No. 3 ..	No. 1.
4 Envelopes, brown paper—11 × 5 inches	No. 160 ..	No. 50.
5 „ linen lined—13½ × 5½ inches	No. 50 annually *	No. 50 annually.
6 „ official, small—for letter size paper	*	*
7 File, paper	1 annually ..	1 annually.
8 Gum bottle, with brush	1 annually ..	1 annually.
9 Hone	1 every 2 years ..	1 every 2 years.
10 Ink-bottles, glass	4 annually ..	2 annually.
11 Ink-powders, black—bundles	No. 2 ..	No. 1.
12 „ „ red—bundles	No. 1 quarterly ..	No. 1 half-yearly.
13 „ „ „	1 annually ..	1 annually.
14 Paper, blotting	6 sheets ..	4 sheets.
15 „ China or French foolscap (Cream wove, double foolscap, 24 lbs.)	2 quires ..	1 quire.
16 „ demy-royal (Machins-made, Royal)	3 quires ..	1½ quires.
17 „ foolscap, English	*	*
18 „ King's arm, royal (Cream wove, double foolscap, 24 lbs.) or foolscap, English	2 quires ..	1 quire.
19 „ letter size—for demi-officials	*	*
20 „ cartridge, white	4 quires ..	2 quires.
21 Paper-folder—knife	1 every 2 years ..	1 every 2 years.
22 Paper-weights	*	*
23 Penknife	1 annually ..	1 annually.
24 Pencils, lead	No. 2 ..	No. 1.
25 Quills	No. 27 ..	No. 12.
26 Rubber	1 piece ..	1 piece annually.
27 Ruler, round	1 annually ..	1 annually.
28 Sealing-wax	*	*
29 Slate	2 annually ..	1 annually.
30 Slate-pencil	No. 2 ..	No. 1.
31 Stamp—for sealing wax	1 every 2 years ..	1 every 2 years.
32 Steel-pen nibs (when quills are not taken)	1 to 2 quills ..	1 to 2 quills.
23 „ „ magnum bonum (when quills are not taken) ..	1 to 3 nibs or 6 quills ..	1 to 3 nibs or 6 quills.
34 Strop	1 every 2 years ..	1 every 2 years.
35 Tape, office, red	4 yards ..	2 yards.
<i>Section IV.—Blank Forms.</i>		
1 158 European Sick—diet sheet (bed-head ticket), No. 1 .. .. .	.....	.....
2 159 „ „ diet roll (1st and 2 sheets) .. .. .	.....	.....
3 160 „ „ daily abstract of diets, No. 3 .. .. .	.....	.....
4 161 „ „ monthly abstract of diets, No. 4 .. .. .	.....	.....
5 162 „ „ register of diets .. .. .	.....	.....
6 163 „ „ diet tables .. .. .	.....	.....
7 164 „ „ receipt of medical officers for bedding, &c. . .	.....	.....
8 164 a „ „ receipt of purveyors for bedding, &c. . .	.....	.....
9 165 Native Sick—diet roll of natives on foreign service ..	.....	.....
10 166 „ „ daily indent .. .. .	.....	.....
11 168 Lock Hospitals—diet roll .. .. .	.....	.....
12 169 „ „ daily indent .. .. .	.....	.....
13 170 „ „ register of diets .. .. .	.....	.....
14 167 Quarterly Return of Hospital furniture .. .. .	.....	.....

ARTICLES.		AUTHORIZED SCALE FOR ONE YEAR.			
		Regiment of Infantry, or a Depôt.	Brigade of Royal Artillery, or Regiment of Cavalry.	Detached Battery of Royal Artillery, or Company of Royal Engineers.	
Section V.—Disinfectants.					
1	Carbolic acid, fluid	120 lbs.	60 lbs.	30 lbs.	
2	Macdougall's disinfecting powder	120 "	60 "	30 "	
ARTICLES.		AUTHORIZED DAILY SCALE.			
		30 to 40 sick.	21 to 30 sick.	10 to 20 sick.	1 to 9 sick.
Section VI.—Ice, &c.					
1	Ice	*	*	*	*
		AUTHORIZED SCALE FOR ONE MONTH.			
		No. 2	No. 2	No. 1	No. 1
2	Basket for carrying ice	No. 4	No. 3	No. 2	No. 1
3	Blankets, country—for enveloping ice ..	*	*	*	*
4	Cloth, doosooty, sheets—for ice	*	*	*	*

NOTE 1.—All the above hospital supplies, excepting stationery, will be provided by the Commissariat Department on monthly requisitions furnished by Medical Officers and approved of by the Administrative Medical Officer of the Circle.

2. In estimating the scale, the strength of the women, children, and camp followers is not to be reckoned.

3. Articles marked in the scale thus* will only be asked for when—and in such quantities as—they are actually required.

4. Articles of stationery will be supplied by the Stationery Department.

5. The above scale of hospital supplies is not to be indented for in full every month, unless actually required, and it is never to be exceeded, except with the approval of the Administrative Medical Officer of the Circle after full explanation.

6. For detachments not included in the above tables, the scale of these hospital supplies will be in proportion to the strength, and subject to the approval of the Administrative Medical Officer of the Circle.

7. The scale for the several hill depôts during the winter months will be regulated according to the strength.

8. One cake of Europe soap will be allowed monthly for every medical charge under 50 men.

Fort St. George, 7th April 1877.

No. 323 of 1877.—Major-General W. G. Owen, of the Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 324 of 1877.—Colonel W. Crewe, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 325 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major W. Doyle, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., Indian Medical Department, Civil Surgeon, Cochin, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and eleven days, and on medical certificate for eleven months and nineteen days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

No. 326 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Francis Henry Vanderzee, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 7th April 1877.

No. 327 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 233, dated 26th March 1877, permitting Captain M. M. Bowie, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, Central Provinces, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 328 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Captain T. H. B. Young, Staff Corps { Arrived at Madras on the
3rd April 1877.

No. 329 of 1877.—Captain W. J. Pickance, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, three months, and nine days, and on medical certificate for eight months and twenty-one days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 9th April 1877.

No. 330 of 1877.—Colonel R. Benson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, is granted leave on sick certificate to the Neilgherries and the Eastern Coast, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from the 5th April 1877, or date of departure, to the 30th September 1877.

No. 331 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Captain J. T. Cummins, Staff Corps, Adjutant, 4th Light Cavalry, } Arrived at Bombay on the
Hyderabad Contingent. } 31st March 1877.

No. 332 of 1877.—Captain E. M. Stevenson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 28th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 333 of 1877.—The services of the undermentioned Officers of the Bengal Medical Establishment are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Surgeon W. E. Griffiths.
Surgeon G. Bomford.
Surgeon P. deHaga Haig.

No. 334 of 1877.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Public Department, for inspection duty under the Sanitary Commissioner :—

Surgeon C. J. McNally, M.D., 3rd Regiment Native Infantry.
Surgeon J. C. Lawrenson, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
Surgeon A. N. Rogers-Harrison, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
Surgeon J. Lancaster, attached Head-quarters, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
Surgeon A. J. Sturmer, Presidency Division.

No. 335 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Officiating Sub-Conductor Mathew Crimmins, to be Sub-Conductor, from the 16th October 1876, *vice* Cooke, promoted.
Officiating Sub-Conductor George Dempster, to be Sub-Conductor, from the 19th October 1876, *vice* McMillan, remanded.

Fort St. George, 10th April 1877.

No. 336 of 1877.—The services of Surgeon-Major J. E. Dickenson, Indian Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 337 of 1877.—Major R. C. Budd, Staff Corps, in charge of Pensioners, &c., Trichinopoly, is appointed to the charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Madras, *vice* Captain P. L. Codd, deceased.

No. 338 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Surgeons-Major, having completed 12 years' service.

Surgeons	{	Alexander Porter, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., M.R.I.A. .. Samuel Bradshaw Hunt William Smyth Fox David John McCarthy, M.D., M.C., F.R.C.S.I. ..	} From the 31st March 1877.
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No. 339 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department :—

Passed Hospital Apprentice Joseph John Brodie, to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary, from the 1st April 1877, *vice* Assistant Apothecary Conquest, deceased.

No. 340 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd March 1877, is republished :—

ORDNANCE.

No. 285.—STORES—

Ordinance Stores. The following clauses in List of Changes in War Matériel are made applicable to India :—

Dated 1st August 1872.

2309. Clasp knife.

Dated 1st December 1875.

2812. Cord, drum, side, brass.

Dated 1st June 1876.

2916. Carriage, iron, wrought, travelling, complete, field, rifled M. L. 9-pounder (mark I strengthened).

2917. Carriage, iron, wrought, travelling, complete, field, rifle M. L. 9-pounder (mark II), addition of tensile stays, &c.

Introduction of wheels with 3-inch tires, phosphor-bronze pipes, and clearance of .05 inch.

2923. Plate, range, brass, rifled M. L. gun, 9-pounder, 6 cwt., charge 1 lb. 12 oz. (mark I).

No. 341 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd March 1877, is republished :—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 287.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I, “British Troops :”—

Article 1074 is reconstructed as follows :—

“1074. A monthly allowance of Rupees 100 is authorized in aid of the maintenance of a band in each regiment of Native Infantry in which one is established.”

G.G.O. No. 4 of 1877.

Article 1039-*a*.—Add the following additional clause :—

“Furlough granted under this article, for a period not exceeding three months, is not to be considered as furlough requiring an interval of three years’ service between two furloughs. Such furlough will, however, be excluded from the three years’ service required between two furloughs.”

G.G.O. No. 24 of 1877.

Article 292 is reconstructed as follows :—

“292. An officer of the staff corps or Indian army, who may be permitted to serve on the personal staff out of India, will receive, at the charge of the

rank for a period of three years only, in addition to the allowances that may be assigned to him from other sources; the tenure of such appointment is limited to five years, subject to the liability of recall should his services be required in India. The whole of the time so passed will count towards Indian pension.”

Insert the following articles :—

“381-*a*. An officer who may be permitted to serve beyond the limits of India, shall, while so serving, receive, at the charge of Indian revenues, the English furlough pay of his rank in addition to the allowances that may be assigned to him from other sources—but see Article 292.”

G.G.O. No. 43 of 1877.

G.G.O. No. 43 of 1877.

“556-*a*. The pay of an officer who may be permitted to serve beyond Indian limits will be regulated by Article 381-*a*.”

Article 2135 is reconstructed as follows :—

“2135. When an officer of the staff corps or Indian army is called for to serve on the personal staff out of India, the whole of his services under such circumstances, shall count towards Indian

pension; but to secure this privilege in the case of an officer whose services are lent for other than imperial purposes, either in England, or in a British colony, or to a foreign State, he must contribute to the Indian exchequer a proportion, not exceeding one-fifth, of the emoluments which he may receive during such transfer of his services.”

Article 1667-*a*.—Add—After the word “employment” the words “or on leaving his corps or battery to proceed to England as an invalid, or for discharge.”

G.G.O. No. 78 of 1877.

Article 997, third line, and Article 2129, Clause (*e*), second line.—Expunge the word “permanent,” which was inserted under the authority of G.G.O. No. 560 of 1876, now cancelled.

G.G.O. No. 103 of 1877.

Article 892, third line.—Expunge the parenthetical sentence “(reckoning from date of first permanent commission)” which was inserted under the authority of G.G.O. No. 560 of 1876, now cancelled.

G.G.O. No. 103 of 1877.

Article 1043-*b*, second line.—Expunge the parenthetical sentence “(counting from date of first permanent commission)” which was inserted under the authority of G.G.O. No. 560 of 1876, now cancelled.

G.G.O. No. 103 of 1877.

Insert the following articles :—

"373-a. For all purposes under the staff corps warrant, except for the calculation of service qualifying for admission to the staff corps, and for furlough and pension, an officer's service will be considered as commencing from the date of his first permanent commission."

"322-a. An officer of the staff corps or Indian army selected for admission to the staff college, Sandhurst (Article 314-a), who may hold an appointment with a native regiment, will be seconded for the whole period of his absence from regimental duty."

G.G.O. No. 103 of 1877.

G.G.O. No. 104 of 1877.

G.G.O. No. 127 of 1877.

Article 921-a.—*Add*—"This article does not apply to a general officer on the divisional or brigade staff."

Articles 1005 and 1006 are cancelled, and the following substituted :—

"1005. Leave granted under these rules without furlough pay, will not reckon as furlough already taken in calculating the balance at an officer's credit, or as part of the total of eight years allowed, as shown in Article 1022 ; but all furlough with furlough pay, whether on private affairs or on medical certificate, taken under these rules, will so reckon."

"1006. Furlough and leave previously taken, under the rules of 1796 or 1854 will count, as respects officers who have elected these rules, as follows :—

Furlough on private affairs, with pay, taken under the rules of 1796 or 1854, counts in all respects as furlough.

Leave on sick certificate under the rules of 1796 does not count in any respect as furlough.

Leave on sick certificate, with pay, under the rules of 1854, counts as part of the maximum of eight years allowed under these rules, but until the maximum thus made up be reached, this leave will not count as furlough already taken in determining the amount of furlough to which an officer is entitled.

Leave without pay under the rules either of 1796 or 1854, does not count in any respect as furlough."

Article 971.—The last sentence commencing "this rule," &c., is cancelled, and the following substituted :—

G.O.C.C. of 2nd June 1856.
G.G.O. No. 1244 of 1869.

"This restriction does not apply to short leaves to sea, *i.e.*, three months, nor does it apply to a general officer of the staff corps or of the local service who may be unemployed."

Article 1009.—*Add*—"A colonel of the Indian army who may be desirous of proceeding on furlough on the expiration of his term of brigade command, may, if he has furlough at his credit,

avail himself of it without reference to the restriction of having served three years from the date of his last return to duty."

G.L. 217-18 of 5th March 1877.

Article 1595, page 299.—After "Transport Sergeant-Major" *insert* "(Bengal)," and in the columns of *staff pay and remarks* enter :—

RS. A. P.
10 0 0 After three years' approved staff service as transport sergeant.
20 0 0 After seven years' approved staff service as transport sergeant.

Article 344, Clause d.—The following rates of pay for quartermasters are to be substituted for the existing rates :—

ROYAL HORSE ARTILLERY.

			£	s.	d.	Daily.	Rs.	A.	P.
	Quartermaster on first appointment	..	0	12	6	6	2	0	
	After 10 years' service, &c.	..	0	13	2	6	7	2	
	After 15 years' service, &c.	..	0	13	8	6	11	1	
	After 32 years' service, &c.	..	0	15	2	7	6	10	

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

Quartermaster on first appointment	..	..	..	0	9	6	4	10	5
After 10 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	11	0	5	6	2
After 15 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	11	8	5	11	5
After 32 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	13	2	6	7	2

CAVALRY.

Quartermaster on first appointment	..	..	..	0	10	2	4	15	8
After 10 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	12	2	5	15	4
After 15 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	13	8	6	11	1
After 32 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	15	2	7	6	10

INFANTRY.

Quartermaster on first appointment	..	..	..	0	8	2	4	0	0
After 10 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	10	2	4	15	8
After 15 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	11	8	5	11	5
After 32 years' service, &c.	..	..	..	0	13	2	6	7	2

Page 78.—"In the sixth line, for the word "and" substitute "or."

Article 533.—The concluding sentence "nor when on leave," &c., to be expunged, and the following substituted :—

"but when on leave from regiments on the Indian establishment and not entitled to pay and Indian allowances, they will draw the same rates of English regimental pay as quartermasters serving at home—Article 344, Clause *d*."

Insert the following additional article at page 70 :—

"315-*a*. An officer who may be unavoidably retained in command of a native regiment, after attaining colonel's allowance, will draw pay and allowances as follows, until relieved :—

G.L. No. 77-8 of 1st March 1877.

I.—If a staff corps officer—staff corps pay of lieutenant-colonel, *plus* command allowance, *plus* colonel's allowance.

II.—If not a staff corps officer—regimental pay and allowances of colonel (*minus* horse allowance) *plus* command allowance, *plus* colonel's allowance."

G.L. No. 409-12 of 7th March 1877.

G.L. Nos. 582 of 22nd May 1876 and 101-4 of 8th January 1877.

Article 1253.—After the words "court-martial" insert "or removal from the service."

Article 60, Clause *b*, page 19.—Immediately below

	RS.	A.	P.
"Examiners, Medical Ac-			
counts ..	400	0	0" insert.
(Bengal ..	300	0	0
Madras ..	150	0	0
Bombay..	150	0	0"

"Ditto additional for the management of Fund Offices. {

Article 1636 is reconstructed as follows :—

"1636. Hospital apprentices are entitled to pay, rations, quarters or compensation in lieu, from the date of passing the entrance examination, but no payment on this account will be made until they have been attested, which will be carried out immediately on their being posted."

G.O. No. 310 of 1875.

G.L. No. 1242 of 29th January 1877.

G.L. No. 1413-16 of 31st January 1877.

Article 1288, Clause *f*, page 244.—Expunge the concluding sentence "if in receipt of British pay only during such leave."

G.L. No. 1292-3 of 24th April 1874.

Article 62, Clause *b*, page 28.—*Substitute* "Rupees 500" for "Rupees 400" as the staff pay of the 2nd-in-Command, Central India Horse.

Article 134, Clause *h*, page 45.—Expunge

Bombay G.O.C. No. 436 of 1876.

the words "Bengal and Punjab" after "Butts and Targets."—Instead of the words "Repairs of arms" in the fourth line *substitute* "ditto."

G.G.O. No. 1278 of 1876.

Article 412.—Expunge the parenthetical sentence, after the words "troop of Cavalry."

Article 441, Clause *b*, page 102, is reconstructed as follows :—

G.G.O. No. 1278 of 1876.

"*b* CAVALRY.

	RS.	A.	P.
Petty stores and repairs, for camp equipage, each regiment. {	1	8	0
Butts and targets, each regiment. {	4	0	0
Shoeing, each horse (payable to troop farriers) ..	0	12	0
Stationery, each troop ..	10	0	0
Repairs of arms and accoutrements, each troop ..	10	0	0
An allowance of 1½ Annas per maund for grinding gram, barley or other grain issued to the horses, will be given to cover all petty charges incurred in preparing the food.			
Riding house expenses, each regiment (drawn by the riding-master) ..	34	4	7"

Article 1733.—After the rates of pay insert "These rates of pay will also be issued, to one private per squadron, in British cavalry regiments, while employed as assistant to the farriers."

G.G.O. No. 1278 of 1876.

Insert the following note at foot of page 316 :—

"NOTE.—The following is the establishment of lance ranks to be paid in India :—

G.G.O. No. 78 of 1877.

	Lance Sergeants.	Lance Corporals.	Acting Bombardiers.
Cavalry, each regiment including dépôt ..	4	12	0
Infantry, each regiment including dépôt ..	5	15	0
Horse and field artillery, per battery ..	0	0	4
Garrison, mountain and heavy artillery, per battery ..	0	0	3"

No. 342 of 1877.—The following General Order from the *Gazette of India*, dated 23rd March 1877, is republished :—

Pay Code. No. 288.—The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume II, "Native Troops":—

G.L. No. 219-20-B of 5th March 1877.

Article 19.—*Add*—"When any portion of the journey can be performed by rail or steamer, free passages for such portions, and travelling allowance for the remainder of the journey, will be granted."

Madras G.G.O. No. 141 of 1877.

Article 191.—In the third line after the words "field service" insert the words "including camps of exercise."

Bombay G.O.C. No. 436 of 1876.

Bombay G.O.C. No. 436 of 1876.

G.G.O. No. 1278 of 1876.

G.G.O. No. 1278 of 1876.

Page 115.—To the foot-note *n* add the words “see note *o*.”

To the words “ditto, after 3 years” and “ditto, under ditto” in the second and third lines, affix the letter *o* and enter the following in the proper place at foot of page:—

G.G.O. No. 1278 of 1876.

Article 78, Clause *b*, page 18.—To the word “Naib-Ressaldar” affix a dagger †, and enter the following note at foot of table, under the word “Sowar”:—

† The rank of naib-ressaldar is abolished, all men being promoted to the grade of ressalidar but restricted to the pay and pension of the former rank until they would otherwise be promoted; the supernumeraries in the grade of ressalidar being absorbed by the promotion of two jemadars for every three vacancies in the rank of ressalidar, the men thus promoted drawing the present pay of naib-ressaldar until they become a part of the fixed establishment of three ressalidars.

G.L. No. 1308 of 26th February 1877.

No. 343 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th March 1877, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 289.—MILITARY SECRETARIAT—

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that the following arrangements for the conduct of business in the Military Department will have effect during the absence this season of His Excellency and the Council from the Presidency:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. Lees, Deputy Secretary, will officiate as Secretary to the Government of India, in the Military Department, at the Presidency.

Captain A. C. W. Crookshank, 2nd Assistant Secretary, will officiate as 1st Assistant Secretary *vice* Captain E. H. H. Collen, proceeding on furlough, and also as Deputy Secretary.

Reports and correspondence on the subjects hereafter specified should be addressed by all Governments and Departments to the Officiating Secretary at Calcutta, viz.:—

- *1.—Applications for furlough, save for furlough on urgent private affairs, which should be sent to the Secretary to Government with the Governor-General. Also all questions relating to the Furlough Regulations.
- 2.—Reports of departure on furlough and of return to duty, with certificates of permission to return, &c.
- 3.—Grant of sick leave to Europe to Officers of the Bengal Presidency when such leave is given from another Presidency.
- *4.—Applications to retire from the service.
- 5.—Estates of deceased Officers and Soldiers.
- 6.—Claims to medals, or applications for medals, or for decorations to replace those lost or stolen.
- 7.—All ordinary returns and periodical or other documents which are required for mere record, except such as the Secretary to Government with the Governor-General may specially intimate, are to be sent to him.

* Through the prescribed channel of the Adjutant-General.

No. 344 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th March 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 171 of 1877:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 316.—FURLOUGH—

Furlough—Pay and Allowances. In continuation of G.G.O. No. 126 of 1877, the following Resolution by the Financial Department, No. 789, dated the 15th February 1877, is republished for general information:—

No. 789.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Port William, the 15th February 1877.

Read—

Endorsement of the Military Department, No. 1068 (Accounts—Remittances), dated 20th December 1876, on a despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, giving retrospective effect to the privilege of drawing furlough pay at the rate of exchange of 2 shillings the Rupee granted to those officers who elected the furlough rules of 1868 before the 1st July 1871.

Read also—

Communication from the Military Department, No. 646 (Accounts—Remittances), dated 17th January 1877, forwarding a memorandum from the Accountant-General, Military Department, on a reference from the Controller of Military Accounts, Bombay, regarding the rate of exchange at which the difference claimed by officers under the ruling cited above is to be paid.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to decide that the difference due to any Officer shall be paid to him in England in sterling money if he desires it. If paid in India, the difference shall be disbursed at its equivalent in Indian currency at the rate of exchange fixed for the year on account of which the difference is due.

No. 345 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 31st March 1877, is republished:—

Home Department, Medical, Fort William, the 28th March 1877.

No. 212.—**APPOINTMENT.**—Surgeon-Major W. F. deFabeck, M.D., is confirmed in his appointment of Civil Surgeon of the Town of Moulmein in British Burma.

No. 346 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 31st March 1877, is republished:—

Foreign Department, General, Fort William, the 27th March 1877.

No. 750-G.—Consequent on the return from furlough of Mr. C. Hordern, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, the following changes are made in the Berar Commission, with effect from the 5th January 1877:—

Captain R. Bullock, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, to revert to his substantive appointment of Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class.

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No. 347 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the weeks ending 27th March and 5th April 1877:—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Rolls were despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the mails of the 31st March and 7th April 1877.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
<i>For the week ending 27th March 1877.</i>		
1	March 1877. ..	Cox, R. E., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dobson, A. E., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Griffith, Richard, Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hodding, G. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Holloway, R. H. U., Staff Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
1	Do. ..	Hadaway, G. R., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	McLeod, W. S., Brevet-Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do. ..	Murray, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
2	Dec. 1876 and January 1877.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 16th Lancers.
1	March 1877 ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd do. Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
3	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Stainforth, William, Captain, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Taylor, J. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wilkieson, C. V., Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	White, W. E., Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Whitton, G. E., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Watts, J. P., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
31	Returns.	

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
<i>For the week ending 5th April 1877.</i>		
1	April 1877	Austin, Edmund, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bayley, W. C., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do.	Clephane, A. R., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Connolly, Paul, Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Corbett, A. P. M., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do.	Cadell, Robert, Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for himself and Store-Serjeant Thomas Baker.
1	Do.	Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.
1	March	Duff, A. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	April	FitzPatrick, F. S., Captain, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Farewell, W. T. F., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Godson, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Gilbert-Cooper, W. W., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Handyside, R. V., Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Joseph, M. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	King, Henry, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Lawder, E. J., Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Martin, W. T., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	MacLachlan, T. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	March	Paymaster, Her Majesty's 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do.	Do. do. 89th Regiment.
1	April	Rideout, F. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Robinson, H. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Shorland, V. J., Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Searle, A. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Swanston, W. O., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Seward, G. E., Surgeon-Major, Bombay Army.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amount set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian name and Surname in full of Officer, Non-Commissioned Officer, or Soldier, deceased.	Branch of Service to which deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.										
1	Kenneth Macaulay.	Military.	Infantry	Colonel.	Bangalore.	1876. 14th June	rs. 33,809 13 2	A. P. 2	Intestate.	Deposited 3rd March 1877.
2							3,737 8 7			Do. 20th do.
3	H. N. L. James.	Medical.	British Medical Service.	Surgeon.	Secunderabad.	19th Dec.	219 8 1	.....		Do. 19th do.
4	Andrew A. Thomas.	Do.	Indian Medical Department.	Do.	Banda ..	14th August.	2,100 4 0	Intestate.		Do. 24th do.
5	John Grosvenor Reed.	Do.	Do. . .	Surgeon-Major.	Bombay.	26th Nov.	2,881 2 5	.....		Do. 28th do.

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Fort St. George, 6th April 1877.

Secy. to Govt., Milly. Dept.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 11th April 1877.

No. 348 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—
Colonel E. A. Foord, R.E., Chief Engineer and Secretary to Govern- } Arrived at Bombay on the
ment, Public Works Department. } 4th April 1877.

No. 349 of 1877.—Colonel J. P. Watts, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissary-General, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 350 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. De laP. Beresford, Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant-General, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 351 of 1877.—Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon R. H. U. Holloway, Veterinary Department, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for two years, under Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 12th April 1877.

No. 352 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 685, Gunner Samuel Beynon, E Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery . . . Melbourne.

Fort St. George, 13th April 1877.

No. 353 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 254, dated 2nd April 1877, permitting Lieutenant-Colonel T. T. Turton, Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 354 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—
Major G. C. Bird, Staff Corps, Squadron Commander, 1st Cavalry, } Arrived at Bombay on the
Punjab Frontier Force. } 4th April 1877.
Captain G. Godfrey, General List, Adjutant, 22nd Regiment Native } Arrived at Madras on the
Infantry. } 10th April 1877.

No. 355 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 253, dated 2nd April 1877, permitting Captain S. L. Bagshawe, Infantry General List, Adjutant, 35th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for one year, and on medical certificate for one year, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 356 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
21st Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Purmanum	Subadar	8th April 1877.
27th do. do.	Havildar, No. 146, Appulswamy	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 67, Paulavanum	Do.	1st do. "

Fort St. George, 14th April 1877.

No. 357 of 1877.—Surgeon E. F. Brockman, Ophthalmic Surgeon, General Hospital, &c., is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for twenty months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 358 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
6th Regiment N.I..	Jemadar Cawder Khan	Subadar	1st February 1877.
24th do. do.	Havildar, No. 1861, Esoph Khan	Jemadar	12th September 1876.

No. 359 of 1877.—In G.O.G. No. 265, dated 20th March 1877, for “Subadar Andapah,” read “Subadar Audapah.”

Fort St. George, 16th April 1877.

No. 360 of 1877.—Lieutenant D. McN. Campbell, Royal Engineers (Imperial List), Executive Engineer, Godavery, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 17th April 1877.

No. 361 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. A. Arbuthnot, of the Cavalry, to officiate as Assistant Adjutant-General at Head-quarters, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel Beresford, or until further orders.

Captain St. V. A. Hammick, Her Majesty's 43rd Foot, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General from the 16th April 1877, *vice* Colonel McMaster, who vacates on completion of five years' tenure.

No. 362 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major B. W. Broughton, Staff Corps } Arrived at Bombay on the
11th April 1877.

No. 363 of 1877.—Major C. J. Jennings, Staff Corps, officiated as Superintendent of Army Schools, from 1st February to 13th March 1877, without prejudice to his substantive appointment as Assistant Superintendent.

No. 364 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment from the 1st May 1877:—

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Abdoolah Khan, on Rupees 25 per mensem.

Jemadar Jankeramiah, on Rupees 12 per mensem.

No. 365 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 16th March 1877, is republished:—

India Office, 15th March 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service:—

To be Surgeons. Dated 30th September 1876.

MADRAS.

William Alexander Lee.

Montague Stokes Eyre.

No. 366 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd April 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 239 of 1877:—

No. 319.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.—

Colonel J. G. Touch, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 1st Grade, Examiner of Commissariat and Stud Accounts, Bengal, to officiate as Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, with effect from the date on which he may take up the duties of the office, *vice* Colonel T. Gillilan, proceeding on furlough.

This cancels the appointment of Colonel J. W. Rideout, notified in G.G.O. No. 174, dated 1st March 1877, that officer being unable at present to return to duty.

No. 367 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd April 1877, is republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 338.—REGULATIONS.—

Volunteer Corps. The following addition is to be made to paragraph 133 of the Regulations for the Volunteer Forces in India:—

“Corporal and privates, when fully qualified, may be appointed Instructors to Volunteer Corps on probation for one year, with the honorary rank of Serjeant, and will receive during their probation

the pay of their regimental rank, with the allowances of a 1st or 2nd-Class Serjeant Instructor, as the case may be. At the end of the year of probation, they will, if confirmed, be placed on the Unattached List, and permanently promoted to the rank of Serjeant."

No. 368 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 7th April 1877, is republished:—

Public Works Department, Establishment, Fort William, the 2nd April 1877.

No. 157.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. O. Mayne, R.E., Superintending Engineer, 1st Grade, North-Western Provinces, is temporarily transferred to the Central Provinces to officiate as Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the Public Works Department, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. Armstrong.

No. 369 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 12th April 1877:—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, via Bombay and Brindisi, by the mail of the 14th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	April 1877.	Bardin, G. R. F., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bowen, G. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bradford, W. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Chrystie, William, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Cockerill, E. W., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Chamier, S. H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Cooper, Clarence, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Chambers, C. A., Master-Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Drury, Arthur, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dinwiddie, David, Captain and Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do.	Godson, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Good, James, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Hayter, Charles, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hooper, G. S., Major, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Holloway, R. H. U., Staff Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
1	Do.	Kerrich, W. D'O., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Lampen, John, Major, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Moberly, A. S., Brevet-Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Moberly, F. J., Colonel, Royal Engineers.
2	Do.	Macdonald, R. M., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Nangle, H. B., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. Head-quarters, 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. B Battery, 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. „ 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. „ 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. „ 67th do.
2	Do.	Pigott, E. C. P., Captain, 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Raikes, Thomas, Brigadier-General, Commanding Centre District.
1	Do.	Reynolds, William, Major, Bombay Invalid Establishment.
1	Do.	Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do.	Straker, C. D. A., Captain, Royal Artillery, for himself and Store Serjeant W. J. Lunn.
1	Do.	Stewart, R. C., Brigadier-General, Adjutant-General.
1	Do.	Silver, A. C., Brigadier-General, Commanding Northern District.
1	Do.	Sherard, G. P. B., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Smith, A. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Theobalds, J. R., Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Western, George, 1st-Class Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
1	Do.	Weldon, Thomas, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Wilson, John, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Young, T. H. B., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for February and March 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail:—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	January 1877 ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. " ..	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	February " ..	Do. No. 2 do. 5th do. do.
3	Jan. and Feb. " ..	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
2	December 1876, and Feb. 1877.	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	February 1877..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	January " ..	Do. No. 7 do. 6th do. do.
1	February " ..	Do. A do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. " ..	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. " ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	January " ..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. " ..	Do. A do. 20th do. do.
1	February " ..	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
2	Do. " ..	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. " ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	January " ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
2	February " ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
2	Jan. & Feb. 1877.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
3	February " ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
2	January " ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
3	February " ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	January " ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	February " ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
2	Do. " ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. " ..	Do. " 48th do.
2	Do. " ..	Do. " 69th do.
2	December 1876 and Jan. 1877.	Do. " 89th do. (Head-quarters).
2	January 1877 ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	March 1877 ..	Paymaster, Presidency, for Corporal M. Culloo, 1st Madras Fusiliers.
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The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail:—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	February " ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. " ..	Do. 42nd Company, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. " ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do. " ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
2	Do. " ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do. " ..	Do. " 45th do.
7	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,
ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 20th April 1877.

No. 370 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Veterinary Surgeon W. S. Adams, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Veterinary Surgeon at the Remount Depot, Oosoor, during the employment of Veterinary Surgeon F. G. Shaw on other duty, or until further orders.

No. 371 of 1877.—Captain and Deputy Commissary Frederick Graham, of the Public Works Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 1st May 1877, on the invalid pension of Rupees 240 per mensem.

No. 372 of 1877.—Lieutenant René de Saint Quentin, of the Madras Volunteer Guards, is permitted, at his own request, to resign his commission.

No. 373 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
20th Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Rajanah Havildar, No. 280, Mooniapah	Subadar Jemadar	8th April 1877.

Fort St. George, 21st April 1877.

No. 374 of 1877.—Colonel C. R. Stainforth, of the Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 375 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains { Arthur Frederick Laughton } From the 20th April 1877.
 { James Henry Gordon }

No. 376 of 1877.—Captain H. W. Bird, 6th Regiment Light Cavalry, Cantonment Magistrate, Trichinopoly, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

Fort St. George, 23rd April 1877.

No. 377 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
8	Lieut.-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) James Puckle ..	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 365 0 0	£ s. d. 421 14 0	England.

No. 378 of 1877.—Colonel W. Serres, Staff Corps, Commandant, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 379 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
26th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Muhammad Azim	Subadar	1st April 1877.
	Havildar, No. 2854, Chintaloo	Jemadar	16th March 1877.
	Do. No. 2005, Iyasawmy	Do.	1st April ..

Fort St. George, 24th April 1877.

No. 380 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Colonel R. A. Moore, Officiating Deputy Commissary-General, to act as Commissary-General.	During the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel J. Loudon, or until further orders.
Lieutenant-Colonel G. A. Walker, Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Deputy Commissary-General.	
Colonel J. C. Macdonald, Officiating Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	During the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel J. P. Watts, or until further orders.
Lieutenant-Colonel B. F. Heysham, Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.	
Captain A. F. Laughton, Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	During the absence on sick leave in India of Colonel R. Benson, or until further orders.
Major H. C. Wright, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.	
Captain R. Hunter, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	

No. 381 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Officiating Conductor Francis Sheridan and Officiating Sub-Conductor W. Morrison, to take rank from the 5th February 1877, *vice* Conductor Ring, embarked for Europe.

Sub-Conductor Michael Bourke to officiate as Conductor, and Store Serjeant Richard Vaughan to officiate as Sub-Conductor, from the 17th February 1877, *vice* Conductor Ramsbottom, promoted.

Store Serjeant and Acting Sub-Conductor Patrick McKenna to be Sub-Conductor from the 3rd November 1876, *vice* Sub-Conductor McManus, promoted.

No. 382 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

20th Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Venketasawmy, on Rupees 20 per mensem, from the 16th May 1877.

No. 383 of 1877.—The following revised Paragraph 29, Section 12, Bombay Army Regulations, is published for information :—

Furlough—Medical Board—Bombay. Officers proceeding to Bombay with the view of obtaining leave or furlough on medical certificate must arrive at Bombay three clear days before the assembly of the Medical Board. In the case of Officers of the British Service, the Board meets at one o'clock on the sixth and third days before the departure of each troop-ship; and when the troop-ships are not running, on Friday in each week in the fair season, and on Wednesday in the monsoon, at the same hour. In the case of Officers of the Indian Service, the Board meets, when required, at noon on Mondays and Thursdays.

No. 384 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published :—

No. 6, dated 23rd March 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel B. J. C. Prior, Staff Corps.
Major B. W. Broughton, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major E. W. Shaw, Staff Corps 6 months, m. c.
Lieutenant W. H. Goldney, Royal Engineers .. 4 months, m. c.
Captain R. P. Pennefather, Royal Engineers .. 2 months, p. a.

No 385 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 27th March 1877, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 27th March 1877.

BREVET.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death, on the 7th February 1877, of General Walter Nugent Thomas Smee, Bombay Infantry, and of Lieutenant-General William Robert Andrew Freeman, Madras Infantry :—

Lieutenant-General Edward Messiter, Madras Infantry, to be General. Dated 8th February 1877.

* * * * *

To be Major-Generals in the East Indies.

* * * * *

Colonel Richard Andrew Doria, Madras Infantry. Dated 8th February 1877.

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India Office, 26th March 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

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SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major William Peyton. Dated 9th December 1876.
Major John Alfred Ellis. Dated 10th December 1876.
Major Henry Edward Mottet. Dated 20th December 1876.
Major George Nesbitt Stephens. Dated 20th December 1876.

To be Majors.

Captain Edward William Shaw. Dated 12th December 1876.
Captain Robert Gedoin Jenkins. Dated 13th December 1876.
Captain George Silver Heath. Dated 13th December 1876.
Captain Charles Langley Highmoor. Dated 13th December 1876.
Captain James Best Taylor. Dated 13th December 1876.
Captain Thomas Ormsby Underwood. Dated 13th December 1876.
Captain John Alexander Richmond. Dated 13th December 1876.
Captain Charles Arkcoll Porteous. Dated 13th December 1876.
Captain Charles James Osburn Chambers. Dated 20th December 1876.
Captain Steven Edward Rice Butler. Dated 20th December 1876.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

Late 2nd Light Cavalry.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) William James Morris to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 30th November 1876.
Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Reynolds St. James Prendergast to be Major. Dated 30th November 1876.

Late 4th Light Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Charles Samuel Steward to be Major. Dated 30th November 1876.

No. 386 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 18th April 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 255 of 1877 :—

Public Works Department, Irrigation, Establishment, dated the 16th April 1877.

No. 133.—In accordance with the orders marginally noted, the services of Colonel J. F. Stoddard, Madras Staff Corps, Superintending Engineer, Second Grade (temporary rank), are placed at the disposal of the Military Department,

Madras, with effect from the afternoon of the 13th April 1877.

No. 387 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 19th April 1877 :—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the mail of the 21st current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	April 1877 ..	Begbie, Elphinstone, Captain, Queen's Own Sappers and Miners.
1	Do. ..	Clarke, S. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Coaker, W. H., Local Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	November 1876.	Devina, Joseph, Serjeant, Department of Public Works.
1	April 1877 ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	O'Leary, T. C., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. C Battery, C Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. A do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Pringle, George, Colonel, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Rogers, C. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Spearman, H. R., Captain, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Depot, Wellington.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, E. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Taylor, J. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Taylor, J. C., Major, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, F. A., Captain, Bengal Staff Corps.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel.

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 25th April 1877.

No. 388 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—
Major R. H. Cunliffe, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police. . . { Arrived at Madras on the
21st April 1877.

Fort St. George, 26th April 1877.

No. 389 of 1877.—Major W. Chrystie, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Superintending Engineer of Irrigation, Mysore Public Works Department, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 27th April 1877.

No. 390 of 1877.—Captain H. H. H. Hallett, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, Central Provinces, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eight months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

No. 391 of 1877.—Lieutenant G. R. Hadaway, Royal Artillery, Aide-de-Camp to His Grace the Governor, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for four months, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 30th April 1877.

No. 392 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major C. Smith, M.D., Garrison Surgeon, Bangalore, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 393 of 1877.—Captain A. V. Chick, Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Melbourne (Australia) *via* Bombay, on leave on medical certificate for six months from the 25th April 1877, or date of departure—the first 29 days on full staff pay—under Rule 10 and subsidiary paragraph III of the Furlough Regulations of 1875.

No. 394 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Warrant grades of the Public Works Department :—

Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary James Lever to be Deputy Commissary; Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary William Jackson to be Assistant Commissary; Conductor James Joyce to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and Sub-Conductor Richard Lennon to be Conductor, from the 1st May 1877, *vice* Captain and Deputy Commissary F. Graham, pensioned.

No. 395 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department :—
Officiating Sub-Conductor William Riley to be Sub-Conductor from the 15th November 1876, *vice* Greenhill, promoted.

No. 396 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Commissariat Department :—
Staff Serjeant M. Hurst to be Sub-Conductor, from the 16th April 1877, *vice* Perry, deceased.

Fort St. George, 1st May 1877.

No. 397 of 1877.—Colonel A. G. Davidson, (Staff Corps), Retired List, is permitted to draw pension at Wellington, New Zealand—the capitalized value of his annuity being drawn in England, as notified in G.O.G. No. 166, dated 20th February 1877.

No. 398 of 1877.—Major John Dalrymple William Sewell, of the Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service from the 10th May 1877, on a pension of £292 per annum.

No. 399 of 1877.—Captain A. G. W. Hemans, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, Cude, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay.

No. 400 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor is pleased to make the following appointment on His Grace's Personal Staff:—

Lieutenant John Gordon, 89th (Princess Victoria's) Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp, during the absence on leave to Europe of Lieutenant G. R. Hadaway, or until further orders.

No. 401 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
6th Regiment N. I. . .	Jemadar Lingjee Row	Subadar	25th February 1877.

No. 402 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd April 1877, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd April 1877.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces have been granted a step of honorary rank on retirement. Dated 4th April 1877.

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Surgeon-Major John Liston Paul, Madras Army, to be Deputy Surgeon-General.

No. 403 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th April 1877, is republished:—

No. 344.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant J. A. Miley, having, with reference to G.G.O. No. 437 of 1876, fulfilled the necessary conditions, is confirmed in his appointment as Assistant Military Accountant, with effect from the 12th April 1877.

No. 404 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th April 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 241 of 1876:—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Gratuities—Discharges—Soldiers. No. 354.—In continuation of G.G.O. No. 374 of 3rd April 1876, the following Clause 3 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st January 1877, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information:—

Gratuities to Soldiers on discharge.

Clause 3.—1. The General Fund, which has been formed from the fines inflicted upon soldiers for the crime of drunkenness, is appropriated to the purpose of granting gratuities to well-conducted Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on discharge from the Army.

2. The scale of gratuities will be regulated annually according to the state of the General Fund, and will be notified to the Army from time to time.

3. From the 1st January 1877, the issue of the gratuities will be regulated by the following rules, except that, in Colonial Corps, the rates of gratuity will be only half those fixed for the Army generally.

4. Every soldier, who shall be discharged otherwise than for misconduct, will be paid, at the time of his discharge, a gratuity calculated at the rate of ten shillings for each Good-Conduct Badge then in his possession: provided that the total sum of 17. 10s. shall not be exceeded, except in the case of a soldier who may not, for the ten years previous to his discharge, have been recorded as guilty of drunkenness. In such case the limit will be extended to 24, if the soldier shall be in possession of four Good-Conduct Badges, and to 24. 10s. if he shall be in possession of five Good-Conduct Badges.

5. In the case of a Sergeant, which term includes Sergeants-Major, and all other grades of Sergeants, the amount issuable will be calculated on the number of Badges to which his services and conduct would have entitled him, had he been a private soldier at the time of his discharge, subject to the above limits. The charge will be vouched by a certified record of service.

6. Men transferred from the Line to the 1st-Class Army Reserve, to complete their term of service, will receive, at the time of such transfer, such gratuities from the fund as they would have received had they been discharged in lieu of being transferred.

7. Such men, if allowed to rejoin the colors, will not be required to refund any portion of the amount so received. They will be paid on final discharge from the Army a gratuity, at the rates specified above, for any Badge or Badges they may have become possessed of over and above those they had when transferred to the Army Reserve.

8. Non-Commissioned Officers detached from Regiments of the Line or other Corps of the Army for service with the Auxiliary Forces, will not be entitled to receive these gratuities until they are, finally discharged from the Army.

9. The gratuities issued in accordance with these Regulations will be charged in the accounts of the Accountant from whom the soldier may be drawing his pay at the time of discharge. The soldier will sign a receipt for the gratuity; and in each case in which the sum of 2l. or 2l. 10s. is awarded, the charge will be further vouched by a certificate of the Officer Commanding that the soldier has not been recorded as guilty of drunkenness during the ten years immediately preceding his discharge. In the case of a Non-Commissioned Officer referred to in paragraph 8, the certificate for the period during which he has been detached to the Auxiliary Forces will be signed by the Adjutant and countersigned by the Commanding Officer of the Regiment or Corps with which he has been serving.

10. In the case of a soldier dying in the Service, his estate will receive credit for such amount of gratuity as he would have been entitled to had he been discharged from the Army on the day previous to the date of his death. These gratuities will be charged in the Regimental Pay List on the same Form of Voucher as those issued to men on discharge, vouched by a reference to the Non-effective Account in which the credit is given.

11. Clause 12, Army Circulars, 1874; Clause 114, Army Circulars, 1874, so far as it relates to the gratuities from the General Fund formed from the fines for drunkenness; Clause 3, Army Circulars, 1875, and Clause 17, Army Circulars, 1876, are hereby cancelled.

II. In paragraph 9 of the abovementioned Circular, the words "Account" and "Accountant" will be understood to be synonymous with "Pay List" and "Paymaster" respectively.

III. This order does not affect the arrangement regarding the monthly remittance of the recoveries for drunkenness, as notified in paragraph 2 of G.G.O. No. 129 of 1872, nor the provisions contained in G.G.O. No. 648 of 24th June 1874, and in paragraph 2 of G.G.O. No. 778 of 4th August 1874.

No. 405 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th April 1877, is republished:—

No. 359.—REPORTS OF DEPARTURE—

Lieutenant H. F. V. Gaitskell, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 137 of 1877, *Grocodile*, 13th February 1877, from Bombay.

No. 406 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th April 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 602 of 1876:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 363.—PAY CODE—

Pay and Allowances. In continuation of G.G.O. No. 1007 of 28th September 1876, the following rates of pay for Kettle Drummers attached to Regiments of British Cavalry are sanctioned with effect from 1st April 1876, and will be inserted in revised page 315, Volume I (British Troops) of the Pay Code for India immediately under the rank and pay of "Private":—

Cavalry.

	English pay per diem on appointment.	FOR A MONTH OF			
		28 days.	29 days.	30 days.	31 days.
	s. d.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Kettle Drummer when authorized .. { G N }	1 9	26 2 2 24 13 2	27 1 1 25 11 4	28 0 0 26 9 6	28 14 11 27 7 8

G.—Gross pay without any deduction.

N.—Net pay, i.e., gross pay minus nine pies per diem for grocery ration.

No. 407 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th April 1877, is republished:—

Schoolmasters—Pay.

No. 364.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council having approved of the following rule, it will be added as Article 7-a at page 2 of the Military Pay Code for India, Volume II, Native Troops:—

Article 7-a.—"An enlisted schoolmaster of a native regiment shall be treated in the same manner as a native recruit in regard to pay and subsistence allowance from date of entertainment until that of joining his Corps. A civilian schoolmaster will be allowed half pay for the same period, the soldier or other person acting in the appointment being restricted to half staff pay."

G.L. No. 794, dated the 14th March 1877.

No. 408 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th April 1877, is republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 371.—REGULATIONS—

Volunteer Corps. The following addition is made to paragraph 47 of the Volunteer Regulations:—

In Railway Volunteer Corps, officers for the commissioned grades will be nominated by the officer commanding, and their names submitted to Government through the Honorary Colonel, it being understood that selections will only be made from members of the corps.

No. 409 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st April 1877, is republished:—

Foreign Department, General, Simla, the 19th April 1877.

No. 897-G—APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.—The following appointments and promotions in the Berar Commission are made, with effect from 1st April 1877:—

Major J. G. Bell, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, to be Judicial Commissioner, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Allardyce, retired.

Major A. Farrer, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class (on leave), to be Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, *vice* Major Fitzgerald.

No. 410 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 26th April 1877:—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the mail of the 28th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	April 1877	Bourne, M. K., Lieutenant-Colonel, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Barnett, H. C. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Blundell, J. E., Captain, Brigade-Major, Southern District, for Road Serjeant George Kalkhoven.
1	Do.	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Duckworth, Frederick, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hodding, G. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. C do. C do. do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. A do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 14th Hussars.
2	Do.	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Puckle, James, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Rose, William, Colonel, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Swiney, John, Lieutenant-Colonel, 32nd Regiment Native Infantry.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 3rd May 1877.

No. 411 of 1877.—Major-General R. Hamilton, C.B., Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in England.

No. 412 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Colonel B. J. C. Prior, Staff Corps	..	..	..	..	..	} Arrived at Bombay on the 25th April 1877.

No. 413 of 1877.—Captain C. J. B. Harris, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Salem, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 414 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry.	Jemadar Shaik Ebrahim Havildar, No. 928, Yacoub Khan	Subadar Jemadar	} 19th April 1877.

Fort St. George, 5th May 1877.

No. 415 of 1877.—The services of Captain (Brevet-Major) F. M. Alexander, 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, from the 1st May 1877.

Fort St. George, 8th May 1877.

No. 416 of 1877.—Major R. H. Cunliffe, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, Chingleput, is granted an extension of his leave to Europe for one day, to enable him to rejoin.

No. 417 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Lall Homed, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 20th May 1877.

No. 418 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th April 1877, is republished :—

No. 379.—The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Henry Macan Mason, 45th Foot, Wing Officer, 3rd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent—7th March 1876.

No. 419 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th April 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 14 of 1873 :—

FUNDS.

Funds. No. 381.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 1315,* dated the 25th December 1872, the following paragraph of a Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 96, dated the 15th March 1877, received on the

13th April 1877, is published for information and guidance :—

Paragraph 3.—In compliance with your request I have resolved that the following addition be made to the rules of the Fund, viz. :—

"If the report of a marriage or of the birth of a child be not made within one month of the occurrence, the donation payable in each case will be increased $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., and interest thereon charged from the date of marriage, or birth of the child. After six months' delay, donations will be increased 5 per cent., and interest charged in the usual manner."

No. 420 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th April 1877, is republished :—

PRIZE MONEY.

Prize Money. No. 391.—Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is notified that there will be no further distribution of the Banda Kirwee Prize Money, there being no available assets or funds.

No. 421 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 30th April 1877, is republished :—

No. 328 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for twenty months, on medical certificate, under the Furlough Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Surgeon-Major A. Sanderson, M.D., M.A., Madras Medical Establishment.

No. 422 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 3rd May 1877 :—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the mail of the 5th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	May 1877	.. Austin, Edmund, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Byaley, W. C., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Brown, C. L., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Beaman, A. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	.. Barnett, H. C. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Butler, W. H. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 23rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Chamier, S. H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
2	Do.	.. Cadell, Robert, Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for himself and Store Serjeant Thomas Baker.
1	Do.	.. Clay, A. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Cox, R. E., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Clephane, A. R., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Dakeyne, H. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Duckworth, Frederick, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	.. Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	.. Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	May 1877 ..	English, George, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Finlay, G. C., Brevet-Colonel, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Farewell, W. T. F., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Gilbert-Cooper, W. W., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Godfrey, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hunt, W. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Holloway, E. G. V., Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do. ..	Hamond, R. T., Major, Royal Artillery, for Store Serjeants Thomas Evans and Henry Dallison.
1	Do. ..	Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Knocker, J. B., Colonel, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Lawder, E. J., Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Lampen, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lecky, George, Captain, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Moore, C. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morris, J. V., Lieutenant-Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	April ..	Officer Commanding No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	January ..	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	April ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 1/21st Fusiliers.
2	Do. ..	Do. do. 48th Regiment.
1	May ..	Prendergast, R. S. J., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Price, William, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Pieton-Warlow, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Pigott, E. C. P., Captain, 44th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Rideout, F. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Rogers, C. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Smith, George, Surgeon-General, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Stuart, H. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Scott, T. L., Lieutenant-Colonel, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Shortland, V. J., Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Swanston, W. O., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 9th May 1877.

No. 423 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Ellis, Staff Corps, Acting Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department in G.O.G. No. 531 of 1864, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 276, dated 22nd July 1864.

No. 424 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 327, dated 28th April 1877, permitting Lieutenant M. E. H. O. Welch, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 9th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Australia on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Australia on medical certificate for six months under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 11th May 1877.

No. 425 of 1877.—Major W. Chisholm, Staff Corps, is appointed to the charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Trichinopoly.

Fort St. George, 12th May 1877.

No. 426 of 1877.—Captain R. T. Chapman, Infantry General List, is granted an extension of his furlough to Europe from the 3rd to the 5th January 1877, inclusive, to enable him to rejoin.

Fort St. George, 14th May 1877.

No. 427 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Colonel C. V. Wilkieson, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Superintending Engineer, Coimbatore,—private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Colonel W. Serres, Commandant, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry,—private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 428 of 1877.—Captain H. Porteous, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 23rd Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and nineteen days, and on medical certificate for eleven months and eleven days under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 429 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Charles Warren Walker, having completed 12 years' service, four of which have been in the Staff Corps, to be Captain, from the 12th May 1877.

No. 430 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
16th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Mohrnuddien Havildar, No. 703, Narrainsamee Do. No. 219, Ghouse Khan	Subadar Jemadar Do.	1st May 1877.

Fort St. George, 15th May 1877.

No. 431 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Osborn, Staff Corps { Arrived at Madras on the 9th May 1877.

No. 432 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain S. L. Hunt, Staff Corps, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, during the absence on leave on sick certificate of Colonel R. Benson, or until further orders.

No. 433 of 1877.—With reference to Financial Department Notification of this date, the services of Surgeon S. Borah, M.D., of the Bengal Medical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 434 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published:—

No. 7, dated 13th April 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty or granted extensions of leave:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Lilly, Staff Corps.

The permission to return to duty granted to Colonel J. W. Rideout, Staff Corps, has been cancelled.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major C. Gordon, Staff Corps	.. .. .	6 months, m. c.
Captain J. Hotham, Infantry	.. .. .	6 months, m. c.
Captain R. P. Pennefather, Royal Engineers	.. .. .	7 months, p. a.
Colonel R. A. Roberts, Royal Engineers	.. .. .	6 months, m. c.

No. 435 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th May 1877, is republished:—

No. 399.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.—

Colonel H. A. Cockburn, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade, to officiate as Military Accountant, 1st Class, 1st Grade.
 Captain H. G. Prichard, Officiating Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, to officiate as Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade.
 Major W. S. Hunt, Officiating Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, to officiate as Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade.
 Lieutenant F. F. R. Burgess, Officiating Military Accountant, 3rd Class, to officiate as Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade.
 Captain C. T. P. Luxmoore, Assistant Military Accountant, on probation, to officiate as Military Accountant, 3rd Class.

From the date Colonel J. G. Touch officiates as Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, or until further orders.

No. 436 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 504 of 1875:—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Artillery—Equipment.

No. 407.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 747 of 1875, it is notified that the entry as per margin at page 1, Equipment tables, Royal Horse Artillery, is to be erased.

As the pouch belts, and pouches now in possession of batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery become worn out, they will be replaced by pouches of the new pattern to be worn on the waist-belt.

No. 437 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.Gs. No. 48 of 1875, and No. 546 of 1876:—

Arms and Accoutrements. No. 408.—G.G.O. No. 905 of 1876 is hereby cancelled, and the following substituted:—

With reference to G.G.O. No. 56 of 1875, it is hereby notified that the issue of Staff Serjeants' accoutrements and arms is sanctioned to the Band Serjeants of British Regiments.

This however will not make any increase in the total number of sets of Staff Serjeants' arms and accoutrements, as Pioneer Serjeants are not accounted as Staff Serjeants.

This latter Staff Serjeant will carry the same arm as Pioneers, and the following corrections are to be made in the Equipment tables of British Infantry:—

Page 3.	
Belts, leather, waist, buff, Infantry, without lockets, Serjeants.	1 per Serjeant and Pioneer } 41
Page 4.	
Frogs, leather, buff, Infantry, Pioneers, with shifting loop.	1 per Pioneer and Pioneer } 11
Lockets, union, gilding, metal, Serjeants, Infantry.	1 per Serjeant and Pioneer } 41
Page 5.	
Scabbards sword, leather, brass, mounted, Line Regiments, Pioneer	1 per Pioneer and Pioneer } 11
Swords, brass hilt, Pioneer, (saw back).	1 per Pioneer and Pioneer } 11

This issue to the Pioneer Serjeant will necessitate a corresponding reduction of one set of arms and accoutrements to rank and file.

No. 438 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 48 of 1875:—

Equipment. No. 409.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 56 of 1875, the following corrections are directed to be made in Equipment tables for British Infantry:—

Page 15.	
Weights, iron,	{ 4 stone.. } to be erased.
Weighingman	{ 2 „ .. }
Page 16.	

Enter after rivets of sizes—

Weights, avoirdupois, iron.	56 lbs.	2	} Per machine weighingman.
	28 „	2	
	14 „	1	
	7 „	1	
	4 „	1	
	2 „	1	
	1 „	1	
	1/2 „	1	

No. 439 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 30th April 1877, is republished:—

Public Works Department, Establishment, Simla, the 2nd May 1877.

No. 199.—The following temporary changes in the grading of superior officers of the Accounts Branch are ordered, with effect from the 3rd April 1877, consequent on the departure on furlough of Mr. Moss, Examiner of Accounts:—

Major C. M. Moberly, Examiner, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, to be Examiner, 2nd Class, 1st Grade (temporary rank).

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Major P. Lambert, R.E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, and Officiating Examiner of Accounts, to be Examiner, 3rd Class, 1st Grade (temporary rank).

No. 440 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 10th May 1877:—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the mail of the 12th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	May 1877 ..	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Bell, C. R. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Bowen, G. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Bradford, W. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Browning, Charles, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, 43rd Regt. Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	May 1877	Carnegy, P. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Claridge, H. C. Z., Colonel, 37th Grenadiers.
1	Do.	Clerk, Godfrey, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do.	Cadell, A. T., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	Drury, Arthur, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dinwiddie, David, Captain and Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do.	Deane, C. H., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	FitzPatrick, F. S., Captain, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Frazer, W. M., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do.	Galloway, J. M. C., Brevet-Major, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry, for himself and Serjeant-Major John Walsh.
1	Do.	Good, James, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Hinde, Benjamin, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Hawks, T. S., Colonel, 37th Grenadiers.
1	Do.	Hay, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Halliday, S. C., Captain, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Hayter, Charles, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant, Poonamalle Depot, for Private George White.
1	Do.	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	L'Estrange, E. N., Major, 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do.	Maddonald, R. M., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	MacLachlan, T. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	McLeod, W. S., Brevet-Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do.	Csrehan, J. D., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Obbard, Thomas, Major, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do.	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 9th do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. Head-quarters, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. F Battery, 20th do. do.
1	April	Paymaster, H. M.'s 33rd Regiment.
1	May	Do. do. 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. do. 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. do. 45th do.
1	Do.	Straker, C. D. A., Captain, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Silver, A. C., Brigadier-General, Commanding Northern District.
1	Do.	Seward, G. E., Surgeon-Major, Bombay Medical Department.
1	Do.	Smith, Colvin, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Taylor, J. C., Major, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Thompson, J. A. W., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Walters, R. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do.	Weldon, Thomas, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Wright, W. F., Captain, 10th Regiment, Native Infantry.
1	Do.	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Wilson, John, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for March and April 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail:—

1	April 1877	..	Controller Military Accounts, on account of the Estates of the late Lieutenant-Colonel F. P. Campbell and Major Charles Godwin, of Her Majesty's British Forces.
1	March	..	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	..	Do. B Battery, C do. do.
1	Do.	..	Do. C do. C do. do.
2	Feb.	..	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th do. Royal Artillery.
1	March	..	Do. No. 2 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	..	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	..	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
2	Feb. & Mar. 1877.	..	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	February	..	Do. No. 7 do. 6th do. do.
2	Feb. & Mar.	..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	March	..	Do. Head-qrs., 20th do. do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.					
3	Feb. & Mar. 1877	Officer Commanding A Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.					
1	March	Do.	B	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	Do.	C	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	Do.	D	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	Do.	E	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	Do.	F	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	Do.	G	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.					
2	Do.	Do.	"	14th Hussars.			
4	Feb. & Mar	Do.	"	2nd Battalion 16th Regiment.			
2	March	Do.	"	33rd Regiment.			
2	February	Do.	"	43rd Light Infantry.			
2	March	Do.	"	44th Regiment.			
2	Do.	Do.	"	45th do.			
2	Do.	Do.	"	48th do.			
2	Do.	Do.	"	67th do.			
1	February	Do.	"	89th do. (Head-quarters).			
1	Do.	Do.	"	89th do. (Left Wing).			
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The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

1	March 1877	..	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Artillery.					
1	Do.	..	Do.	C	do.	C	do.	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	Head-qrs., 5th do.			do.	do.
2	Do.	..	Do.	No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade				do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	No. 4	do.	5th	do.	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	No. 6	do.	5th	do.	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	D	do.	9th	do.	do.
2	Do.	..	Do.	A	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	B	do.	20th	do.	do.
2	Do.	..	Do.	C	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	D	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	..	Do.	F	do.	20th	do.	do.
1	Do.	..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.					
4	Do.	..	Do.	..	2/16th Regiment.			
1	Do.	..	Do.	..	33rd do.			
2	Do.	..	Do.	..	44th do.			
1	Do.	..	Do.	..	45th do.			
2	Do.	..	Do.	..	48th do.			
1	Do.	..	Do.	..	67th do.			
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amount set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian name and Surname in full of Officer, deceased.	Branch of Service to which deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.										
1	Kenneth Macaulay.	Military.	Infantry.	Colonel.	Bangalore.	1876. 14th June.	Rs. 1,600 A. 0 P. 0	Intestate.	Deposited 10th April 1877.	1
2							0 10 0		Do. 19th do.	2
3	John Groscott Reed.	Medical.	Indian Medical Dept.	Surgeon-Major.	Colaba, Bombay.	26th Nov.	215 5 6	....	Do. 13th do.	3
4							2,100 15 6		Do. 18th do.	4
5	Dudley St. Leger Hill.	Military.	Royal Artillery.	Lieut.	On Board Steamer Bagdad, off Bimlipatan.	1875. 6th Aug.	* 0 4 8	Not known.	Do. 19th do.	5
6	Andrew A. Thomas.	Medical.	Indian Medical Department.	Surgeon.	Banda ..	1876. 14th Aug.	590 6 0	Intestate.	Do. 20th do.	6
7	Henry Northcot Large James.	Do.	British Medical Service.	Do.	North Trimulgherry, Secunderabad.	19th Dec.	438 13 0	....	Do. 20th do.	7
8	Wardlaw Mauderson.	Military.	Royal Artillery.	Major.	Madras ..	3rd Feb.	+2,643 7 2	Intestate.	Do. 26th do.	8

* Paid to the Administrator-General, Madras, included in Rupees 1,809-7-1.

+ Remitted to the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Calcutta.

Fort St. George, 5th April 1877.

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secy. to Govt., Milly. Dept.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 17th May 1877.

No. 441 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Commissariat Department:—

Serjeant R. A. Norris, to be Sub-Conductor, from the 7th May 1877, *vice* Williams, deceased.

Fort St. George, 21st May 1877.

No. 442 of 1877.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted Major Johnstone Hamilton, of the European Veterans, to retire from the service from the 7th April 1876, on a pension of twenty-five shillings a day.

Fort St. George, 22nd May 1877.

No. 443 of 1877.—The furlough to Europe granted to Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Nepean, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 37th Grenadiers, in G.G.O. No. 306, dated 31st March 1877, is cancelled.

No. 444 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. L. Playfair, Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate, Kamptee, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for fifteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 445 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 368, dated 10th May 1877, permitting Captain W. L. Ranking, Infantry General List, Adjutant, 34th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for 18 months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 446 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
37th Regiment N.I...	Havildar, No. 748, Ramiah	Jemadar	14th March 1877.

No. 447 of 1877.—The following list, received from the India Office, is published:—

No. 8, dated 27th April 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Lilly, Staff Corps.
 Captain G. C. Cooper, Infantry.
 Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Burge, Staff Corps.
 Colonel R. H. Sankey, Royal Engineers.
 Major F. J. Rivers, Staff Corps.
 Colonel P. P. L. O'Connell, Royal Engineers.

No. 448 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 20th April 1877, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 20th April 1877.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels in the Army, viz :—

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Lieutenant-Colonel John Norman Maclean, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th January 1877.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Fritzler James Pakenham Wetherall, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th January 1877.

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No. 449 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 98 of 1877 :—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 420.—BRIGADE STAFF—

Brigade Staff—Appointments. Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, G.G.O. No. 336 of 1873, limiting the tenure of the appointment of Brigade-Majors of Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Army to three years, is cancelled. In future all appointments of Brigade-Majors will be made for five years.

No. 450 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th May 1877, is republished :—

No. 428.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

Captain J. J. Kennedy, Wing Officer, 2nd Infantry, and Officiating Wing Commander, 5th Infantry, to officiate as Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Major Conway-Gordon transferred to the 5th Infantry.

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No. 451 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 28 of 1875 :—

No. 440.—REGULATIONS—

Furlough and Leave. Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, the following alteration and addition are made to the Furlough and Leave Rules published in G.G.O. No. 1316 of 1875 :—

At the beginning of Rule 5, for the word "An" substitute the words *A commissioned*
 The following clause to be added to Rule 5 :—

A Warrant Officer receives half the emoluments of his office, calculated in the same manner as those of Commissioned Officers, no Warrant Officer, however, receiving as furlough pay less than the English furlough pay of his rank.

No. 452 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 635 of 1875 :—

HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

Hospital Supplies. No. 441.—In continuation of G.G.O. No. 931, dated 15th September 1875, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following scale of air and water beds and cushions shall be maintained for the hospitals of British and Native troops in the three presidencies as the authorized established proportion of such supplies :—

Air beds and cushions for British Troops.

One air bed and two air cushions to be kept at each station of the three presidencies where the head-quarters of a British Regiment or Brigade of Artillery may be stationed, and also at each convalescent dépôt, with a reserve of 50 per cent. in addition to be maintained at the medical dépôts.

Air beds and cushions for Native Troops.

Six air beds and twelve air cushions are allowed for the use of garrison and regimental hospitals of the Native Army in the Bengal Presidency, and half these numbers or three air beds and six air cushions in the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, respectively, to be issued on special requisitions as required; the medical dépôts maintaining a stock to the above extent to meet requirements, and indenting annually for such quantities as may be necessary for that purpose.

Water beds and cushions for British Troops.

Twelve water beds and twelve water cushions to be kept up for the use of British troops in the Bengal Presidency, distributed equally between the three medical depôts for issue on special requisitions approved by the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's British Forces, and one-third of this supply or four water beds and four water cushions will in like manner be kept up and issued by the medical depôts in the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, respectively.

No. 453 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th May 1877, is republished:—

ORDNANCE.

Ordinance—Stores. No. 442.—The following Clause in List of Changes in War Matériel is made applicable to India:—

Dated 1st December 1876.

2979. Knife, clasp, with marline spike (mark II).

No. 454 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th May 1877, is republished:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 443.—PAY CODE—

Pay and Allowances. His Excellency the Governor-General in Council having been pleased to approve of the following rule, it will be entered as Article 2098-a, Vol. I (immediately above the heading "Royal Engineers and Sappers and Miners") and Article 432-a, Vol. II (immediately above the "Rules for the classification of Sappers and Miners") of the Pay Code for India:—

"Should a soldier employed on works be guilty of misconduct, or show himself negligent or inefficient, the British officer in principal charge of the works may stop the whole or any portion of his working pay on the days on which he is guilty of such misconduct, provided the offence be committed while on the duty for which he is in receipt of working pay."

Article 439, Vol. II of the Pay Code, is cancelled.

No. 455 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 12th May 1877, are republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 9th May 1877.

No. 43-J.—Under the provisions of Section 6 of Act XI of 1872, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Major V. E. Law, holding the appointment of Political Agent in Jeypore and Kishengurh, and being a European British subject, to be a Justice of the Peace within the limits of his jurisdiction as Political Agent.

GENERAL.

The 7th May 1877.

No. 1114-G.—The following exchange of appointments is sanctioned:—

Lieutenant C. Herbert, Wing Subaltern, Meywar Bheel Corps, to officiate as Adjutant, Deolee Irregular Force, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Lieutenant Rundall.

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The 9th May 1877.

No. 1124-G.—In supersession of Notification No. 691-G., dated 22nd March 1877, Major V. E. Law, Officiating Political Assistant, 1st Class, and Superintendent of the Rajpootana (State) Railway Police, is appointed to officiate as Political Agent, 3rd Class, and is posted to Jeypore and Kishengurh with effect from 21st February 1877, *vice* Major C. A. Baylay, on furlough.

The 10th May 1877.

No. 1136-G.—In consequence of the return from privilege leave of Major E. R. C. Bradford, C.S.I., General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thuggee and Dacoitee, on the forenoon of 19th April 1877, Lieutenant J. H. Newill reverts on that date to his substantive appointment.

No. 456 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 16th May 1877, is republished :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ENGINEER ESTABLISHMENT, TEMPORARY.

To be Executive Engineer, Second Grade.

Captain G. F. E. S. Neill, Madras Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Burdwan Division, with effect from the 6th April 1877.

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No. 457 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 17th May 1877 :—

Family remittances of commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers and soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the mail of the 19th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	May	Berkeley, E. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Broughton, B. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bradford, W. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Army Schoolmaster Thomas Simms.
1	Do.	Clarke, S. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Gamaek, Alexander, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	James, P. J., Captain, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Luxmoore, C. T. P., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Mathias, V. L., Captain, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	McKee, James, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Mackenzie, George, Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. C Battery, C Brigade, do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	April	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
2	April and May	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	May	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Searle, A. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Taylor, A. C., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Thompson, Ross, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Sub-Conductor John Hanna.
1	Do.	Wilkieson, C. V., Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Western, George, Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 25th May 1877.

Artillery—Shoeing Sheds. Forges and tools.

No. 458 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the supply, by the Ordnance Department, of the tools, &c., specified below for the shoeing shed of each Battery of Horse and Field Artillery, in addition to its field forge.

2. Space should be provided so that the battery forge, when removed from the forge wagon, can be set up for use in each shed.

Fixtures for shoeing sheds.

Anvil, 2½ cwt.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bellows, Smith, Europe, large	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Hammers, hand, from 2 to 3 lbs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Do. sledge, medium, 7	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Tongs, fire, large size, pairs	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Do. shoe, turning	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Pritchels	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Poker, three feet long	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Shovel	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Vice, medium, 70 lbs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1

No. 459 of 1877.—Lieutenant T. M. Jenkins, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, British Burmah, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Rangoon.

No. 460 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 250, dated 15th March 1877, the undermentioned gentlemen are admitted as Surgeons on the Madras Establishment from the dates specified against their names—being the dates of their arrival at Bombay and Madras, respectively:—

William Alexander Lee	..	..	3rd May 1877.
Montague Stokes Eyre	..	..	9th „ „

No. 461 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 2174, Corporal Robert Law, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery Poona.

Fort St. George, 28th May 1877.

No. 462 of 1877.—With reference to the G.O., by the Government of India, No. 455, dated 18th May 1877, permitting Surgeon C. A. Harvey, 11th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on medical certificate for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, embarking from Calcutta.

Fort St. George, 29th May 1877.

No. 463 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. D. Heath, Officiating Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	}	During the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel J. P. Watts, or until further orders.
Lieutenant-Colonel T. W. Stansfeld, Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.		
Major G. S. B. Hewetson, Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.		

Captain E. A. Bruce, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class. } During the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel J. P. Watts, or until further orders.

Major J. A. Richmond, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class. }

Major E. S. Berkeley, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class. } With effect from the 10th May 1877, *vice* Major J. D. W. Sewell, retired.

Captain E. A. Bruce, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class. }

No. 464 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 24th May 1877, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877 :—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
9	Lieutenant-Colonel George Massey Payne..	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 292 0 0	£ s. d. 205 10 0	England.

No. 465 of 1877.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to grant Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary W. E. Francke, late of the Ordnance Department, the pension of a Deputy Commissary.

No. 466 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th May 1877, is republished :—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 458.—PAY CODE—

Pay and Allowances. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I, "British Troops" :—

Article 441, Clause *c*, page 102. Expunge the fifth line, viz. :—

"Ditto ditto in the field (Bengal) RS. A. P.
.. .. . 42 0 0"

Article 1162. The first portion of this article is reconstructed as follows :—

"The mileage rate of allowance being generally granted in consideration of duty involving protracted absence with frequent travelling and its attendant expenses, an officer, who, when travelling on duty connected with his office, is entitled to that rate, cannot draw it when he is removed to another station or charge, or when he proceeds on duty of an ordinary nature."

G.L. No. 426—29c. of 15th September 1875.

Article 2452, page 444. After the word "pension" insert "provided such decision did not reach India (army head-quarters) till after the soldier's demise."

G.O. No. 371 of 1869.

Article 2003. In the margin, for "G.O. No. 24 of 1870," substitute "G.O. No. 211 of 1870." Insert the following article :—

Practice—*Vide* Bengal Controller's No. 5498 of 22nd August 1876.

B.A.R.—2293, G.L. Nos. 324 of 16th August and 271—4 of 6th December 1876.

Article 2009, page 372. After the word "granted" in the last line add the words "but see Article 1634-a."

In the margin of Article 2012 insert "G.O.C.C. of 23rd March 1864, G.O. No. 169 of 1867, G.O. No. 347 of 1874."

G.L. Nos. 61—6 of 2nd November 1876, 1391 of 24th March 1877, and 50-S of 2nd May 1877, to Bombay.

In the margin of Article 1078 for "1847" enter "G.L. Nos. 1415—16 of 26th June 1874."

2006-a A soldier is entitled to free conveyance when proceeding, for the first time, to join an appointment in a military office.

Article 1215. Add—"Demurrage will under no circumstances be paid on account of carriage for private baggage."

Article 652, Clause *a*. Expunge the words "captains of troops and companies of British regiments," and substitute "the command allowances of batteries of Royal Artillery or of troops and companies of British regiments."

substitute "1874." In the margin of Article 1079,

Article 2070, Clause (b). *Add*—"When the aggregate pay of a non-commissioned officer or soldier acting in the warrant grade exceeds a monthly rate of Rupees 100, he shall be permitted to draw this amount, viz., Rupees 100 *plus* the subsistence allowance, or the higher rate of pay without the subsistence allowance, whichever may be most advantageous to him."

G.L. Nos. 201—3C of 6th April 1877.

allowance, or the higher rate of pay without the subsistence allowance, whichever may be most advantageous to him."

Article 2086. To read as follows:—

"The wife and family of a trained schoolmaster, also a trained schoolmistress, whether the wife of a trained schoolmaster or of a soldier serving in India or not," &c., &c.

Article 1478, page 277. Immediately above "Conductor" *insert* "Senior Apothecary £40-0-0."

In the margin of Article 312 enter "G.L. Nos. 126—9 of 3rd September 1870."

Cochrane, 2nd Edition, page 361, G.L. Nos. 1062—3 of Article 370, Clause *a*. *Add*—"If on leave at the time—from the date of the general order notifying the arrangement."

Article 359, Clause *c*. Expunge the words "following that" in the third line, and in the margin, substitute "G.G.O. No. 895 of 1874" for "G.O. No. 113."

Article 212. In the margin, *substitute* "November" for "March."

Article 1595, page 299. Opposite "Assistant Instructor of Army Telegraphy" quote as authority in the margin, "G.L. No. 1288, dated 23rd March 1877, to Bombay."

Insert the following article:—

"1839-*a*. A Non-Commissioned Officer of the British service, serving with a corps of Sappers and Miners, is eligible for furlough under the provisions of Articles 1627—1629 and 1839, so long as the Sappers and Miners remain a body for local service."

G.L. Nos. 386—9-S of 30th April 1877.

Article 1473. In the margin enter "G.G.O. No. 225 of 1877, para. 7."

Article 1881. Expunge the words "and gratuities" in the second line, the words "and soldiers" in the third line, also the heading "Gratuities" and the entries subordinate thereto.

G.G.O. No. 225 of 1876.

Article 1882. Expunge the words "and men" in the fifth line, the words "and drummers" in the sixth line. Expunge the seventh line entirely, also the "Note" to this article.

Insert the following article:—

G.G.O. No. 225 of 1877.

"1890-*a*. The classes eligible to receive the medal and gratuity for long service and good conduct are as follow:—

European Non-Commissioned officers and soldiers serving in the Ordnance, Commissariat, Barrack branch of the Department Public Works, Stud, Telegraph and Clothing Departments.

Military staff clerks serving in the offices of the Adjutant-General in India (including the offices of the Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery in India, and the Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, army head-quarters), Quartermaster-General in India, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Judge Advocate-General, Surgeon-General, British Forces.

Embarkation, Transport and Bazaar Serjeants, Drill Instructors of Volunteer Corps, Non-Commissioned staff of hill depôts and of garrisons and forts.

Provost Serjeants of garrison cells and of station and military prisons.

Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the Viceroy's band.

European Non-Commissioned officers of Native regiments, including drummers, fifers, and buglers of European parentage.

Royal Engineers and other European Non-Commissioned Officers and men serving with the corps of Sappers and Miners.

Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the European invalid battalion present with their corps.

Staff Serjeants of Gymnasias.

Note.—Men whose fathers and maternal grandfathers or whose mothers and paternal grandfathers were of pure European origin, are considered to be of European parentage, and a certificate to the effect that the individual recommended fulfils these conditions, is to be inserted at the foot of the rolls of drum, fife, or bugle-majors, and of drummers, fifers, and buglers of Native corps."

G.G.O. No. 225 of 1877.

G.G.O. No. 225 of 1877.

Article 1906. In the margin, *for* "G.G.O. No. 32 of 1874" *substitute* "G.G.O. No. 354 of 1877."

G.G.O. Nos. 778 of 1874 and 354 of 1877.

Article 1890. *For* the words "in Articles 1881-1882" *substitute* "in Article 1890-*a*."

Article 1898. *Substitute* the words "a soldier" *for* "the discharged soldier."

Article 1909. In the first line, after the word "discharge" *insert* the words "either free, by purchase, or."

Article 1910. After the word "serjeant" *insert* "which term includes serjeants-major and all other grades of serjeants."

Article 1915. In the fifth line, *for* the word "of" *substitute* "or."

Article 61, Clause *a*, page 24. Expunge the words "and Madras" in the tenth item.

For "Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Head-quarters. RS. 500"

G.G.O. No. 372 of 1877.

Ditto—special extra allowance to the officer actually performing the duties, whether permanently or officiating. 100"

Article 61, Clause *b*, page 25. Immediately under "Deputy Judge Advocate of Division" *insert* "Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General (District) Bengal. . . 400"

G.G.O. No. 372 of 1877.

Substitute "Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Head-quarters, Bengal. . . 400"

G.G.O. No. 372 of 1877.

G.G.O. Nos. 336 of 1873 and 372 of 1877.

G.G.O. No. 272 of 1877.

G.G.O. No. 372 of 1877.

Make a similar alteration in Article 124, page 43, first item only; also in Articles 221 and 222.

Insert the following article:—

"2363-a. If the report of a marriage or of the birth of a child be not made within one month of the occurrence, the donation payable in each case will be increased 2½ per cent., and interest thereon charged from the date of marriage or birth of the child. After six months' delay, donation will be increased 5 per cent. and interest charged in the usual manner."

G.G.O. No. 381 of 1877.

the child. After six months' delay, donation will be increased 5 per cent. and interest charged in the usual manner."

Article 81, page 33. After "Assistant Adjutant-General of Division" insert "Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General (District)."

Article 93. Immediately under "Assistant Adjutant-General of Division," &c., enter "Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General (District)."

Articles 100 and 123, Clause d. To the words "Brigade-Major" affix an asterisk (*) and enter the following at foot of page:—

* "Designation changed, in Bengal, to Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General (District)."

No. 467 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 19th May 1877, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 14th May 1877.

No. 1177-G.—APPOINTMENT.—Captain E. A. Fraser, Political Assistant, 3rd Class, substantive *pro tem.*, is appointed to officiate as Political Assistant, 2nd Class, and is posted to the Persian Gulf, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Mr. Edwards, on leave.

No. 468 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 24th May 1877:—

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *vid* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 26th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	May	.. Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Chambers, C. A., Master Armourer, Ordnance Department.
2	Do.	.. Commandant, Wellington, for Paymaster Sergeant William Clarke and Schoolmaster A. C. Sherwood.
1	Do.	.. Drury, C. R., Archdeacon, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	.. Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Hildebrand, C. P., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Hodding, G. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. King, Henry, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	.. Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	.. Moore, R. A., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Newmarch, George, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	.. Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	.. Do. B Battery, C Brigade, do.
1	Do.	.. Do. C do. C do. do.
1	Do.	.. Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	April	.. Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	May	.. Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	.. Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	.. Do. Head-quarters 20th do. do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	May ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Standen, Douglas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Thuillier, H. R., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, C. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Watson, E. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
33	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 30th May 1877.

No. 469 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
20th Regiment N.I. . .	Havildar, No. 113, Coopoosawmy	Jemadar	16th May 1877.

Fort St. George, 31st May 1877.

No. 470 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major F. J. Rivers, Staff Corps { Arrived at Bombay on the
25th May 1877.

No. 471 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
32nd Regiment N.I. {	Jemadar Letchmon Sing	Subadar	17th April 1877.
	Havildar, No. 1386, Coopoosawmy	Jemadar	

Fort St. George, 1st June 1877.

No. 472 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Surgeon-Major W. Farquhar, M.D., Assistant Garrison Surgeon, Bangalore, on furlough on private affairs for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, and to embark from Madras.

Fort St. George, 4th June 1877.

No. 473 of 1877.—Captain (Brevet-Major) E. M. Cherry, 2nd Squadron Commander, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 474 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
24th Regiment N.I. . .	Jemadar Mahomed Cossim	Subadar	15th February 1877.

Fort St. George, 5th June 1877.

No. 475 of 1877.—Colonels E. J. Lawder and G. R. Phillips, Staff Corps, will be entitled to Colonel's allowances from the 18th June 1877, under the provisions of paragraph 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808 of 1866.

No. 476 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Lilly, Staff Corps, Commandant 1st Infantry, } Arrived at Bombay on the
Hyderabad Contingent. } 30th May 1877.

No. 477 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 9, dated 11th May 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major F. Weldon, Staff Corps.

No. 478 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 4th May 1877, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th May 1877.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General Francis Rowcroft, C.B., Bengal Infantry, on the 22nd March 1877 :—

Major-General George De Sausmarez, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 23rd March 1877.

No. 479 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 154 of 1877 :—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Clothing and Necessaries.

This cancels G.G.O. No. 105 of 1877.

No. 471.—In continuation of G.G. Orders, Nos. 780 and 837 of 1874, the following Clause 38 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st March 1877, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information :—

CLOTHING AND NECESSARIES.

Clothing.—Spurs.

Clause 38.—1. A pair of hunting spurs will be supplied free to all recruits joining Cavalry Regiments, Royal Horse Artillery, Riding Establishment, Royal Artillery, mounted men of Field Brigades, Royal Artillery, mounted men of the Royal Engineer Train, and mounted men of the Army Service Corps.

2. Hunting spurs will be required to last five years, the rowells being renewed when necessary at the expense of the men.

3. Hunting spurs that have been five years and upwards in wear will, if condemned as unserviceable by a Board of Survey, be replaced at the public expense, and instructions as to the disposal of the old spurs will be obtained from the Director of Clothing.

4. Hunting spurs in possession of men who are non-effective, of men transferred from one mounted corps to another, or transferred from mounted to dismounted services, will be taken into the regimental store, and those that have not been five years in wear, will be retained for reissue to recruits, or transfers from dismounted services, for the further periods of wear required of them. The remainder will be disposed of as directed in paragraph 3.

5. The date of issue of the hunting spurs in possession of each man will be shown against his name in the Annual Nominal Clothing Roll, which accompanies the Clothing Account, in the same manner as is prescribed for cloaks and great-coats.

6. Each recruit joining Cavalry Regiments, Royal Horse Artillery, Riding Establishment, Royal Artillery, Royal Engineer Train, mounted men of Field Brigades, Royal Artillery, and mounted men of the Army Service Corps, will also be supplied with a pair of swan-neck spurs as part of his kit.

7. Hunting and swan-neck spurs will be marked by the Armourer-Serjeant without charge, the $\frac{1}{4}$ inch stamps supplied for marking iron being used for the purpose. He will also without charge fit the swan-neck spurs issued under paragraph 6.

8. Demands for the issue and exchange of spurs, together with all correspondence on the subject, will be addressed to the Director of Clothing, Army Clothing Department, Grosvenor-road, London, S.W.

9. Clause 14, Army Circulars, 1871, and Clause 89, Army Circulars, 1874, are hereby cancelled.

No. 480 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877 is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 48 of 1875 :—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Equipment Tables. No. 473.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 56 of 1875, the entry “Bellows, 20 lbs., 21" × 11", FS,” at page 12 of the Equipment Tables for British Infantry, is to be erased, and the following substituted :—

“Bellows, smith's, small, 24 inch.
Frame, wood, for bellows, smith's.”

No. 481 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 438 of 1877 :—

No. 474.—ERRATUM—

Equipment. In G.G.O. No. 409 of 1877, in the last line opposite “Weights, Avoirdupois, iron,” for “ $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. 1” read $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. “2”.

No. 482 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 28 of 1876 :—

No. 480.—REGULATIONS—

Furlough. Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is hereby notified that furlough on medical certificate, under Rule 6 of the furlough Rules of 1875, does not count as service for pension until it has been paid off as provided for in the Rule.

No. 483 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 312 of 1877 :—

GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS.

No. 481.—ERRATUM—

In G.G.O. No. 274 of 1877, under the appointments of Colonel E. J. Lawder, opposite to “Deputy Quartermaster-General,” read *28th September 1861*, and opposite to “Officiating 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 28th Native Infantry,” read *27th September 1866*, instead of the dates therein given.

No. 484 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 106 of 1873 :—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

Pay and Allowances. No. 482.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify, in supersession of G.G.O. No. 374 of 1st April 1873, that a British officer (including a Royal Engineer officer returning to England after the expiration of his tour of service) proceeding from India to England under circumstances entitling him to a free passage, will, from the date he quits his station, if struck off pay and Indian allowances, be granted a daily personal allowance at the rate and under the conditions specified, to cover extra expenses incurred in travelling to the port of embarkation and during his necessary detention, at the port, awaiting embarkation.

2. The rates are as follow :—

					RS.	A.	P.
For a General Officer..	..	..	..	..	10	0	0
“ Field “ “ ..	..	..	..	..	7	8	0
“ other officers ..	..	..	..	..	5	0	0

3. The issue of the above rates will be regulated by substantive rank in the case of a combatant officer, and by relative rank in the case of a medical officer or Veterinary Surgeon.

4. The foregoing rates will be issued for each day that an officer may be necessarily on the journey from his station to the port of embarkation. If necessarily detained at the port of embarkation, or at any intermediate place *en route* to the port, an officer will receive the full rate, provided the detention at any one place does not exceed seven clear days, exclusive of the days of arrival at and departure from such place.

5. When the necessary detention at any one place exceeds seven days, half rates only will be issued for the remainder of the period of detention.

6. After the receipt of the order recalling an officer from India, consequent on his promotion, transfer, or removal under any circumstances, or on the expiration of his tour of service, he should be required to proceed to England by the first available opportunity, in a troopship or other vessel according to the season of the year; and in the case of a regimental officer, or a medical officer not on the administrative staff, he should remain at his station on the pay and Indian allowances (which will include the British pay of advanced rank, if promoted) he was drawing when the order reached him,

until it is necessary for him to proceed to the port of embarkation to ensure his arriving there in time. But the Indian allowances in question cannot be admitted unless the officer proceeds, as above, by the first available opportunity, nor under circumstances which involve a double payment, viz., to the officer proceeding to England, and to his successor who may have already come out to relieve him: in such cases British pay only of rank will be passed.

Should an officer be absent on leave in India when the order necessitating his removal from the Indian establishment is received at his regiment or station, he will cease to draw Indian allowances from the date of the general order notifying the arrangement, but will be granted the personal allowance until his departure from the country, provided he proceeds to port of embarkation with the least practicable delay.

The provisions of this paragraph are not applicable to a general officer, or to a Surgeon-General and Deputy Surgeon-General, whose pay and allowances prior to embarkation, after removal from the Indian establishment, or on the expiration of tour of service, will be regulated by existing rules.

7. The journey should be so timed that no unnecessary detention shall take place at the port of embarkation.

8. As a rule, detention at ports should not exceed three clear days.

9. An officer who fails to embark in the ship appointed for his conveyance, will not be entitled to further detention allowance while awaiting another passage, unless the delay arises from causes beyond his control.

10. An officer is not entitled to any allowance for the day on which he embarks.

11. Personal allowance will not be issued for detention at any one place, for a period exceeding fifteen days, without the special sanction of the Governments of India, Madras or Bombay, or as the case may be.

12. This order is not applicable to an officer, who, on being struck off Indian allowances, is not entitled to British pay.

No. 485 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 483.—The undermentioned out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay:

* * * *

Thomas Beale, late 89th Foot,—one shilling and one penny per diem.

Lance Corporal Agumbrahim, late Ceylon Gun Lascars,—6 Rupees per mensem.

Hospital Serjeant William Turner, late Royal Horse Artillery,—two shillings per diem.

No. 486 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th May 1877, is republished:—

QUEEN'S REGULATIONS.

Queen's Regulations. *No. 484.*—The following paragraph 150, Section 7, of the Queen's Regulations is declared applicable to India and published for general information:—

Paragraph 150, Section 7.—Transfers are to take place as a general rule from the last day of the month; to which date inclusive, the men will be settled with in their old corps. They will be struck off the strength of the old regiment, and taken on that of the new, in the monthly return of the following day.

No. 487 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 26th May 1877, are republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 19th May 1877.

No. 1283-G.—Surgeon R. E. Ross, 20th Madras Native Infantry, is appointed to the medical charge of the Bundelcund Political Agency, in addition to his other duties, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

The 22nd May 1877.

No. 1301-G.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Berkeley, Political Agent, 2nd Class, to officiate as Political Agent, 1st Class, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Miles proceeding on furlough.

No. 488 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 30th May 1877, is republished :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

IRRIGATION,—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th May 1877.

No. 182.—*Leave*.—Colonel F. T. Haig, R.E., Chief Engineer, First Class (temporary rank), and Joint Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, is granted privilege leave for two months and three days, under Chapter VII, Section 32 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 12th May 1877.

No. 489 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 29th May 1877 :—

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 30th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	May ..	Beech, Lionel, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Fletcher, J. J., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Kidd, D. W., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 9th do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 48th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 89th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Smith, J. M., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
15	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 8th June 1877.

No. 490 of 1877.—Colonel E. J. Lawder, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 491 of 1877.—Captain A. C. Smith, Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for twenty months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

Fort St. George, 9th June 1877.

No. 492 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain William Robert Sheffield, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 12th June 1877.

No. 493 of 1877.—With reference to notification in the Judicial Department, dated 8th instant, the services of Captain R. G. Briggs, General List, Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief from date of his relief from civil employ.

No. 494 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
14th Regiment N.I. . .	Jemadar Cotiah	Subadar	25th February 1877.

No. 495 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Colonel R. H. Sankey, R.E., Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Mysore.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 5th June 1877.
Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Burge, Staff Corps, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.	
Surgeon H. Hyde, Zillah Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Tellicherry.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 29th May 1877.

Fort St. George, 11th June 1877.

No. 496 of 1877.—Captain C. H. A. Gower, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Grade, British Bumah, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras, Bombay, or Calcutta.

Fort St. George, 12th June 1877.

No. 497 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. T. Searle, Staff Corps, Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, is granted privilege leave of absence for sixty days, from the 28th instant, or date of departure; Major R. C. Budd, Staff Corps, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Madras, performing the duties of the appointment on the responsibility of the former Officer.

No. 498 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Augustus John English, 14th (King's) Hussars, to be an extra Aide-de-Camp on His Grace's Personal Staff, *vice* Captain R. Garth, who is permitted to resign at his own request.

With reference to the above, the services of Captain R. Garth, 14th (King's) Hussars, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 499 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Lieutenant William Cooke, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 9th Regiment Native Infantry, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel J. P. Watts, Deputy Commissary-General, or until further orders.

No. 500 of 1877.—G.O.G. No. 842, dated 20th December 1876, replacing the services of Colonel J. F. Fischer, Royal (Madras) Engineers, at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, is cancelled, with reference to notification in the Public Works Department of this date.

No. 501 of 1877.—The following movements are ordered:—

	From	To
<i>Royal Artillery.</i>		
B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery..	Secunderabad	Bangalore.
C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery..	Bangalore.....	Secunderabad.
No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery..	Secunderabad	Tonghoo.
No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery {	St. Thomas' Mount and Fort St. George. }	Rangoon.
No. 5 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery ..	Rangoon	St. Thomas' Mount and Fort St. George.
No. 7 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery ..	Tonghoo	Secunderabad.
A Battery, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery	Secunderabad	Kamptee.
C Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.....	St. Thomas' Mount	Bangalore.
D Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.....	Bangalore.....	St. Thomas' Mount.
G Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.....	Kamptee	Secunderabad.
<i>British Infantry.</i>		
1/21st Foot.....	Rangoon	Secunderabad.
43rd Light Infantry.....	Bellary	Fort St. George.
44th Foot	Secunderabad	Thayetmyo and Tonghoo.
45th Foot	Bangalore	England.
67th Foot	Fort St. George	Bangalore.
89th Foot	Thayetmyo and Tonghoo..	Rangoon.
A Regiment.....	England	Bellary.
<i>Native Cavalry.</i>		
1st Regiment Light Cavalry	Secunderabad	Saugor and Jubbulpore.
2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.....	Kamptee	Secunderabad.
3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.....	Saugor and Jubbulpore..	Bellary.
4th Regiment Light Cavalry.....	Bellary	Kamptee.
<i>Sappers and Miners.</i>		
I Company, Sappers and Miners	Bangalore (at present employed on Famine Relief-works, Nellore District).	Secunderabad.
K Company, Sappers and Miners.....	Secunderabad	Bangalore.
<i>Native Infantry.</i>		
2nd Regiment Native Infantry	Berhampore and Sambal- pore.	Kamptee.
3rd Regiment Light Infantry	Secunderabad	Kamptee and Hoshangabad.
4th Regiment Native Infantry	Moulmein and Tonghoo ..	Bangalore.
6th Regiment Native Infantry	Thayetmyo	Trichinopoly.
7th Regiment Native Infantry	Vizagapatam	Berhampore and Sambal- pur.
9th Regiment Native Infantry	Cannanore.....	Secunderabad.
15th Regiment Native Infantry	Andamans.....	Trichinopoly.
17th Regiment Native Infantry	Tonghoo	Vizagapatam.
19th Regiment Native Infantry	Trichinopoly	Cannanore.
22nd Regiment Native Infantry	Kamptee and Hoshanga- bad.	Thayetmyo.
23rd Regiment Native Infantry	Bangalore.....	Andamans.
25th Regiment Native Infantry	Cannanore.....	French Rocks.
29th Regiment Native Infantry	Secunderabad	Vizianagram.
30th Regiment Native Infantry	French Rocks	Cannanore.
31st Regiment Native Infantry	Raipore	Moulmein and Tonghoo.
34th Regiment Light Infantry	Mangalore	Bangalore.
35th Regiment Native Infantry	Kamptee	Raipore.
36th Regiment Native Infantry	Bangalore	Mangalore.
38th Regiment Native Infantry	Trichinopoly	Secunderabad.
41st Regiment Native Infantry	Vizianagram.....	Tonghoo.

No. 502 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st June 1877, is republished :—

•APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

No. 486.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the following casualties, the names of the undermentioned Officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List as specified :—

*	*	*	*
Major-General G. DeSausmarez, Madras Infantry,	{	In consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General W. R. A. Freeman, Madras Infantry, on the 7th February 1877.	
is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals.			
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No. 503 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st June 1877, is republished :—

No. 487.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Brevet.

Rank, Name, and Corps.	To what Rank promoted.	From what Date.	In succession to
Captain Atwill Curtois, Madras Cavalry.	Major	8th February 1877..	General W. N. T. Snee, Bombay Infantry, deceased.

No. 504 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st June 1877, is republished :—

No. 495.—REPORTS OF DEPARTURE—

*	*	*	*
Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Cumberlege, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 43 of 1877,— <i>Sumatra</i> , 19th March 1877, from Bombay.			
Lieutenant-Colonel C. O. Minchin, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 130 of 1877,— <i>Persia</i> , 31st March 1877, from Bombay.			
*	*	*	*
Lieutenant-Colonel T. T. Turton, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 353 of 1877,—9th April 1877, from Bombay.			
*	*	*	*
Major A. A. Johnson, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 227 of 1877,— <i>Australia</i> , 1st March 1877, from Bombay.			
*	*	*	*
Captain H. F. H. Sewell, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 235 of 1877,— <i>Venetia</i> , 5th March 1877, from Bombay.			
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No. 505 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st June 1877, is republished :—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 496.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I, "British Troops" :—

Articles 1158, page 220, and 1165, page 221. Immediately under "Superintendent of Army Schools," &c., insert "Assistant Superintendent of British and Native Army Schools, Madras."

G.L. No. 110-11-S, of 5th May 1877.
In the margin of Article 1175, Clause *b*, enter as an additional authority, "G.L. No. 349-51-S. of 14th May 1877."

G.L. No. 1634 of 29th March 1877.
Military Department, Account Branch, Nos. 7-G. of 17th April and 145-G. of 26th May 1877, to Bombay Controller.

Article 315-*a*. *Add* "An Officer on attaining

G.L. No. 395-8-S. of 30th April 1877.
G.O. No. 101 of 1877.

Article 1661. To the concluding sentence, after the word "authorized," *add* "except for a married passed hospital apprentice when travelling by rail on duty of a permanent nature and accompanied by his family, who is allowed one servant."

Article 2004. *Add* "A chief civil armourer when on duty at an out-station, is also allowed conveyance expenses at the mileage rate, from his temporary residence to the place of duty and back." Colonel's allowance, should at once make over command of his regiment to the next senior officer, unless directed by superior authority to retain it temporarily."

Article 1662, Clause *b*, page 314. To the foot-note " $\frac{1}{2}$ " after "bombardier," add the words—

G.L. No. 1280 of 23rd March 1877.

"but is not entitled to the increased pay granted to the latter after two years' service in the rank."

G.L. No. 828-44-C. of 30th April 1877.

Article 48. After the words "Native Artillery" insert "(including subaltern officers appointed to officiate in appointments with batteries in place of officers absent on furlough to Europe)."

G.L. No. 744-7 of 13th March 1877.

Article 52. Add "When an Artillery Officer is removed from his battery to officiate in the Ordnance Department, and it is known that his services will be required in that department for more than a year,

G.L. No. 335-8 of 16th April 1877.

he will be placed on the supernumerary list; but when required for a shorter period he will be retained on the establishment of his battery."

Article 2069, Clause (*f*) is cancelled and the following substituted:—

"(*f*.) To the wife (if she is of good character, continues to live in barracks, and is borne on the married establishment) of a soldier sentenced, either by court-martial or by award of his commanding officer, to a term of imprisonment of less than one year."

G.L. No. 1295-8 of 23rd March, and G.O. No. 76 of 1877.

Article 2069, Clause (*j*), page 381, is cancelled and the following substituted:—

"(*j*.) To the wife (if she is of good character, continues to live in barracks, and is borne on the married establishment) of a soldier sentenced to penal servitude, or to imprisonment for one year

G.O. No. 76 of 1877.

and upwards,—for twelve months from date of sentence, or to date of embarkation, should she wish to return to England. Should the relief of the regiment be expected within the second year of imprisonment, and the wife elect not to go home, the special sanction of Government must be obtained to a continuance of the subsistence allowance. The allowance will not be extended beyond one year in the case of penal servitude."

Article 2070, Clause (*g*). Add the words "unless continued under Article 2069, Clause (*j*)."

Article 2080, Clause (*b*) is cancelled and the following substituted:—

"(*b*.) To the child of a soldier whose wife is entitled to subsistence allowance under Article 2069, Clauses (*f*) and (*j*), and for the same periods."

G.O. No. 76 of 1877.

Article 2085, Clause (*c*). Expunge the letter "*(f)*" in the first line, also the portion of the clause commencing with the word "provided" and ending with "least."

G.O. No. 76 of 1877.

No. 506 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st June 1877, is republished:—

Pay Code. No. 497.—The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume II, "Native Troops":—

Article 470, Clause *c*, page 93. In the second line of the heading of this clause, expunge the words "Malwa and".

Bombay G.G.O. No. 711 of 1873.

Article 636, Clause *c*. For the words "or in Scinde" substitute "and to enlisted followers only serving in Scinde."

Article 112. Add "The provisions of this article are not applicable to any of the classes mentioned, who may have been enlisted as privates in Native corps."

G.G.O. Nos. 960 of 1853 and 665 of 1854.
G.L. No. 344-5 of 10th April 1877.

G.L. No. 429-30 of 8th March 1877.

Article 111. In the Note, for "Section III" substitute "Section II."

Article 89 (*a*). Add, "This rule is not applicable to a kote-daffadar of the Bombay Cavalry who retains the staff pay when on leave to which he is entitled, viz., once in three years: any leave beyond that will be without staff pay."

G.L. No. 652 of 12th March 1877.
Bombay Government Resolution No. 1792 of 24th April 1877.

Article 559, page 112. Substitute the following for the existing foot-note "2":—

G.L. Nos. 1735 of 26th February, and 665 of 10th April 1873, 179 of 4th May 1874, 1057 of 25th January 1877, 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"Mates and dooly-bearers stationed in the Punjab proper (including Umballa and Ferozepore) and at Chukrata receive Rupee 1 a month extra, in addition to compensation for dearness of food. Dooly-bearers at the Darjeeling Depot receive Rupees 8 each, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

G.L. Nos. 485 of 15th September 1868, 255 of 5th February 1869, 679 of 18th November 1870, 1735 of 26th February 1873.

Page 116. Insert the following foot-note:—

"*d*.—See corresponding foot-note at page 115."

Insert the following article:—

"571-*a*. Extra batta is not admissible to followers attached to the artillery, when moving out of cantonments for practice. In the event of their proceeding to another station for that purpose, extra batta will be granted, but only for the period occupied in marching to and from the practice ground."

Bengal Pay Code 1849, Section 3, para. 66.
Madras Pay Code, 1861, para. 42, page 77, and Controller's No. 376 of 9th May 1877.
Bombay Controller's No. 1417 of 27th April 1877.

"Note.—Followers of the Madras Army who may be allowed extra batta under this article, will be restricted to the lower rate of rice money.—Article 213.

Article 559, page 111. To the rate of pay "Rupees 10" opposite "compounder, head," affix the letter *c* and enter the following foot-note:—

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"c. The head compounder, Darjeeling Depot, receives Rs. 12, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

To the rate of pay "Rupees 5" opposite "Bheestee" affix the *b* and enter the following foot-note:—

"b. The bheestees at the Darjeeling Depot receive Rupees 5 each, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

To the rate of pay "Rupees 5" opposite "Coolie, shop," affix the letter *d* and enter the following foot-note:—

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"d. The shop coolie at the Darjeeling Depot receives Rupees 8, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

Page 112. To the rate of pay "Rupees 6" opposite "Coolie, head, ward" affix the letter *a* and enter the following foot-note:—

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"a. The head ward-coolie at the Darjeeling Depot receives Rupees 8, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

In the second line of foot-note (5), after "Rupees 5" insert—

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"The ward coolies at the Darjeeling Depot receive Rupees 7, sweepers Rupees 9, female sweepers Rupees 10 each, all inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

To the rate of pay "Rupees 5" opposite "Cook or assistant," affix the letter *g* and enter the following foot-note:—

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"g. Cooks at the Darjeeling Depot receive Rupees 8 each, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

To the rate of pay "Rupees 8" opposite "Dresser," affix the letter *h* and enter the following foot-note:—

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"h. The Dresser at the Darjeeling Depot receives Rupees 10, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

To foot-note (3) add—

G.L. No. 353-S. of 30th April 1877.

"The head sweeper at the Darjeeling Depot receives Rupees 9, inclusive of hill batta and compensation for dearness of food."

G.L. No. 439 43-S. of 17th May 1877.

Article 5-a. After the word "recruit," insert "(and recruit-boy on being enlisted into the ranks as private)."

Insert the following article at page 35 immediately above the heading "Special—Madras:":—

"139-A. Extra or marching batta is not admissible to a man—

Bengal Pay Code, 1849, Section V, para. 26.
G.L. No. 594-5-S. of 21st May 1877.

a. Whilst proceeding to a station to appear before an invaliding committee, or returning therefrom.

Article 423-a. In the second line, after the word "parties" insert "or for a man proceeding to a station to appear before an invaliding committee, and returning therefrom."

G.L. No. 594-5-S. of 21st May 1877.

G.L. No. 254 of 14th May 1877.

Article 68. Add "This article does not apply to a hospital assistant with Madras Native Cavalry, who is mounted at the expense of the State."

No. 507 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st June 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 499.—The undermentioned out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay:—

*	*	*	*
James Hunt, late Royal Horse Artillery,—one shilling per diem.			
*	*	*	*

William Campbell, late Royal Horse Artillery,—one shilling per diem.

No. 508 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 26th May 1877, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 261 of 1877:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 25th May 1877.

No. 1381-G.—Major C. Hayter, Madras Staff Corps, to officiate as Political Assistant, 1st Class, and as Cantonment Magistrate, Secunderabad, with effect from 9th March 1877, *vice* Major Mayne on furlough, or until further orders.

No. 509 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 4th June 1877:—

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 6th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	June	.. Austin, Edmund, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Abdy, C. H., Brevet-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	.. Besman, A. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	.. Bayley, W. C., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Barnett, H. C. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Butler, W. H. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 23rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Brown, C. L., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Chamier, S. H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	.. Cadell, Robert, Brevet-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	.. Curtis, A. F., Brevet-Major, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	.. Clay, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Claridge, H. C. Z., Colonel, 37th Grenadiers.
1	Do.	.. Dakeyne, H. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	.. Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.
1	Do.	.. FitzPatrick, F. S., Captain, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Farquhar, William, Surgeon-Major, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	.. Godfrey, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Hooper, G. S., Major, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	.. Holloway, E. G. V., Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Hunt, W. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do.	.. Hamilton, A. F., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	.. Isacke, L. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Lampen, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Lawder, E. J., Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	.. Mardall, Francis, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Moore, C. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Morris, J. V., Lieutenant-Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	May	.. McMullin, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	June	.. Moore, G. M. J., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery, for Store Serjeant Walter Madely.
1	May	.. Officer Commanding Head-quarters, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	.. Do. C Battery, 20th Brigade do.
2	Do.	.. Paymaster, H. M.'s 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	June	.. Prendergast, R. S. J., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	.. Rideout, F. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Smith, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Shortland, V. J., Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	May	.. Stansfeld, T. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	June	.. Touch, J. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. White, W. E., Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Warden, J. H., Brevet-Colonel, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
48	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,
ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 14th June 1877.

No. 510 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels, having completed 26 years' service.

Majors	Robert Henry Cunliffe	} From the 13th June 1877.
	Hugh Watson	
	Richard Smith Gray	
	Evelyn Meadows Norie	
		From the 16th „ „

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains	Joshua Waddington Swifte	} From the 13th June 1877.
	James Herbert March Barnett	
	Francis Skelton FitzPatrick	
	Richard Charles Evanston	

No. 511 of 1877.—The services of Lieutenant P. B. Baldwin, Royal Engineers, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

No. 512 of 1877.—The undermentioned individuals are permitted to reside and draw pay at Melbourne, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

Private D. Bartehard, 1/21st Foot.
Do. J. McBride, 45th Foot.
Do. J. Wright, 89th Foot.

Fort St. George, 15th June 1877.

No. 513 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

10th Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Syed Oomer, on Rupees 20 per mensem, from the 25th June 1877.

Fort St. George, 16th June 1877.

No. 514 of 1877.—Major J. W. Cleland-Henderson, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for sixteen months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

Fort St. George, 18th June 1877.

No. 515 of 1877.—The privilege leave granted to Lieutenant-Colonel A. T. Searle, Superintendent, Army Clothing, in G.O.G. No. 497, dated 12th June 1877, is cancelled at his own request.

No. 516 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. B. Barnett, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 25th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

No. 517 of 1877.—Sub-Conductor J. Smith, of the Public Works Department, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for two years, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

The regulations under which this furlough is granted will be notified hereafter.

No. 518 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 10, dated 25th May 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major J. W. Hindle, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major A. T. Rolland, Staff Corps ..	..	6 months, m. c.
Major A. Farrer, Cavalry ..	..	4 months, m. c.

DEATH.

Surgeon-Major W. F. Davis, 25th February 1877.

Fort St. George, 19th June 1877.

No. 519 of 1877.—Adverting to G.O.G. No. 169, dated 20th February 1877, Surgeon J. A. W. Spence, L.R.C.P.E., and F.R.C.S.E. has been granted, by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, six months' leave on medical certificate, to commence from 22nd January 1877, the date of his leaving India.

No. 520 of 1877.—Captain and Deputy Commissary Thomas Taylor, of the Adjutant-General's Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" from the 1st July 1877, on the invalid pension of Rupees 240 per mensem.

No. 521 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 22nd May 1877, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd May 1877.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces have been granted a step of honorary rank on retirement. Dated 23rd May 1877 :—

To be Major-Generals.

*	*	*	*
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Alexander George Davidson, Madras Staff Corps.			
Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel James Davidson, Madras Staff Corps.			

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Allardyce, Madras Staff Corps.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, but to be junior of that rank for one year :—

Deputy Assistant Commissary John Wolf. Dated 3rd March 1876.

Deputy Assistant Commissary John Harvey. Dated 16th October 1876.

No. 522 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th June 1877, is republished :—

No. 510.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Edward James Nicolls Fasken, 89th Foot, Wing Officer, 3rd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—12th April 1876.

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No. 523 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th June 1877, is republished :—

No. 514.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

2nd Infantry.

Lieutenant E. C. M. Lushington, 33rd Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as Wing Officer, on probation.

No. 524 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th June 1877, is republished:—

ORDNANCE.

Ordnance Stores. No. 522.—The following clauses in List of Changes in War Matériel are made applicable to India:—

Dated 1st December 1876.

2810.—Drums, side, brass.

2811.—Case, drum, side, brass.

The new pattern drum and cover will be introduced when the present stock is exhausted.

No. 525 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th June 1877, is republished:—

TRANSFER OF OFFICERS.

No. 524.—The services of Major C. Hayter, Madras Staff Corps, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 526 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 11th June 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 13th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	June	Aylmer, F. A., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bradford, W. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Backhouse, Joseph, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bowen, G. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	May	Boone, F. B., Major, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Bourne, M. K., Lieutenant-Colonel, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	June	Clerk, Godfrey, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do.	Clephane, A. R., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do.	Carnegy, P. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Connolly, Paul, Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Cadell, A. T., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	Dinwiddie, David, Captain and Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do.	Drury, Arthur, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dickinson, J. E., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Dyce, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	English, George, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Frazer, W. M., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Gale, W. H., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Good, James, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Gilbert Cooper, W. W., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Hicks, F. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hayter, Charles, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hinde, Benjamin, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant, Depot Poonamallee, for Serjeant Richard Milton.
1	Do.	King, Henry, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	Kileoin, Patrick, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do.	L'Estrange, E. N., Major, 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do.	Leeming, William, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	McLeod, W. S., Brevet-Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	MacLachlan, T. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	McGrigor, D. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	McKenna, Patrick, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Nangle, H. B., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Osborn, William, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.

N ^o . of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	June	Ostrehan, J. D., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	May	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	June	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 33rd Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Power, E. H., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Searle, A. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Straker, O. D. N., Captain, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Seward, G. E., Surgeon-Major, Bombay Medical Department.
1	Do.	Swanston, W. O., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Taylor, A. C., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Armourer Serjeant John Barber.
1	Do.	Thompson, J. A. W., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Wilson, John, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Wilson, C. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Weldon, Thomas, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do.	Walker, Alexander, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Western, George, Veterinary Surgeon, Veterinary Department.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances supplementary for March, April, and May 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail:—

	1877.	
1	May	Bradford, W. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Commanding Royal Artillery, Nagpore Force, on account of annual subscription to Royal Artillery Band Fund.
1	Do.	Controller, Military Accounts, on account of the Estates of the late Major A. J. Weeding and Lieutenant W. H. Sim.
1	Do.	Fairtlough, E. D. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Commandant, Wellington, on account of Private James Bullock.
1	April	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
2	March	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	April	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. A do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. Head-qrs. 20th do. do.
2	March and April.	Do. A Battery, 20th do. do.
1	April	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
2	Do.	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 14th Hussars.
2	Do.	Do. " 2/16th Regiment.
4	Feb. and Mar.	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
2	April	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
4	March and April.	Do. " 43rd do.
2	April	Do. " 44th do.
2	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	March	Do. " 89th do. (Head-quarters).
1	Do.	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
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The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail:—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	March ..	Officer Commanding A Battery, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	April ..	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 16th Lancers.
2	March ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	April ..	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	March ..	Do. " 89th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amount set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian name and Surname in full of Officers, deceased.	Branch of Service to which deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.										
1	* John Charles Mainwaring Russell.	Military.	Staff Corps.	Captain.	Jubbulpore.	15th June 1876.	A sealed packet containing two Medals.	Intestate.	Deposited 30th April 1877.	1
2	Andrew Appleby Thomas.	Medical.	Indian Medical Department.	Surgeon.	Banda ..	14th August 1876.	Two sealed packets.	Intestate.	Deposited 24th May 1877.	2

* Claims against the *property* of Captain Russell should be preferred to the Administrator-General of Bengal, who is administering the Estate.

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secy. to Govt., Milly. Dept.

Fort St. George, 5th April 1877.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 20th June 1877.

No. 527 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at Bombay, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 1978, Gunner Thomas Bedford, (late 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery) 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.

Fort St. George, 22nd June 1877.

No. 528 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
19th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Shaik Hyder Havildar, No. 1729, Narrainsawmy ..	Subadar Jemadar	3rd June 1877.

Fort St. George, 23rd June 1877.

No. 529 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major J. W. Hindle, Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, Public Works) Arrived at Bombay on the
Department.) 18th June 1877.

No. 530 of 1877.—The following extract from General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th April 1877, is republished, and made applicable to the Madras Presidency.

Designation—Brigade-Majors. 2. Brigade-Majors now on the Madras Establishment will hereafter be designated Deputy Assistant Adjutants-General.

“No. 372.—ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Appointments—Promotions—Adjutant-General's Department. “With the sanction of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the following alterations in the constitution of the Adjutant-General's Department :—

1. “All appointments to the grade of Assistant or Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General will be made on the establishment of the Department; the Stations of the Officers so appointed, and their Departmental duties being assigned to them from time to time, under the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

2. “Officers performing the duties of Brigade-Major, in District Commands, will hereafter be designated Deputy Assistant Adjutants-General. This change of designation, or the transfer of a Brigade-Major to a district, will not involve a fresh tenure of Staff appointment.”

Fort St. George, 25th June 1877.

No. 531 of 1877.—Colonel J. E. Fischer, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

Fort St. George, 26th June 1877.

No. 532 of 1877.—Colonel J. Michael, c.s.i., Secretary to Government, Military Department, is granted privilege leave, on production of medical certificate, for sixty days, from the 29th instant, or date of departure.

No. 533 of 1877.—The services of Major W. E. Lockhart, Royal (Madras) Artillery, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, from the expiration of his tenure of the appointment of Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class.

No. 534 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 429, dated 7th June 1877, permitting Captain J. B. Gahan, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 31st Regiment Light Infantry, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on medical certificate to appear before a Medical Board in England, embarking from Bombay.

No. 535 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Surgeon-Major H. J. Beach, Indian Medical Department. . . { Arrived at Madras on the
18th June 1877.

No. 536 of 1877.—Surgeon Charles Henry Day, Indian Medical Department, is permitted to resign the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 537 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th June 1877, is republished:—

No. 530.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

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Lieutenant Walter Francis Courtenay Chichel6 Plowden, 43rd Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 6th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—1st May 1876.

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No. 538 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th June 1877, is republished:—

No. 531.—BREVET—

The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the dates specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

* * * *	
Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Harry Wilson, Madras Staff Corps.	} 13th June 1877.
* * * *	
Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Shuckburgh Hearn, Madras Staff Corps.	
* * * *	
Lieutenant-Colonel Theodore Clayton Georges, Madras Staff Corps.	
* * * *	
Lieutenant-Colonel Douglas Gordon Seafield St. John Grant, Madras Staff Corps.	

No. 539 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th June 1877, is republished:—

No. 536.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

2nd Infantry.

Captain J. G. Proudfoot, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 4th Infantry, to officiate as Wing Commander, *vice* Major H. F. H. Sewell, on furlough.

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3rd Infantry.

Lieutenant F. D. Welchman, Wing Officer, on probation, 1st Infantry, to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Lieutenant A. J. Garrett, on furlough.

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Dated 25th April 1877.—Appointing, as a temporary measure, Captain J. T. Cummins, Adjutant, 4th Cavalry, to officiate as Squadron Commander, 3rd Cavalry, *vice* Major C. J. O. FitzGerald, officiating as Commandant, 4th Cavalry.

No. 546.—REPORTS OF DEPARTURE—

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ORDNANCE.

Dated 1st February 1877.

Handle, hook-borer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	(Mark III).
Hook, hook-borer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	(Mark III).
Bit, hook-borer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	(Mark I).

PASSAGES.

No. 544 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 18th June 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 20th current.

N ^o . of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	June	Andrews, C. A., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Broughton, B. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Chrystie, George, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Clay, A. O'H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Chambers, C. A., Master-Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Cadell, Robert, Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Store Serjeant Thomas Baker.
1	Do.	Fletcher, J. J., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do.	Fairtlough, E. D'H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Commandant, Wellington, for Army Schoolmaster A. C. Sherwood and Paymaster-Serjeant William Clarke.
1	April	Grove, A. S., Captain and Adjutant, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	June	Hamilton, F. W., Commandant, Poonamallee, for Driver T. A. Hardy and Gunner Thomas Gough.
1	Do.	Keess, James, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Lockhart, W. E., Major, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Mackenzie, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Mackenzie, George, Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Newmarch, George, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. C Battery, C do. do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. Head-qrs., 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G Battery, 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Thompson, Ross, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Thomas, J. B., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	May	Watson, E. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 29th June 1877.

No. 545 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
10	Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Cave	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 191 12 0	£ s. d. 229 8 0	England.

No. 546 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Warrant Grades of the Public Works Department:—
Serjeant Henry Pimm to be Sub-Conductor from the 27th June 1877.

Fort St. George, 30th June 1877.

No. 547 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
11	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) John Elphinstone.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d. 594 17 0	England.

Fort St. George, 2nd July 1877.

No. 548 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from the 1st instant, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

Nos.	Rank and Names.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
12	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Alexander James Bruce.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 365 0 0	£ s. d. 324 4 0	England.
13	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Arthur Francis.	Do ..	365 0 0	328 16 0	Do.

No. 549 of 1877.—Colonel F. G. Hodgson, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, 39th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for six months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 550 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. G. Rideout, Infantry, Wing Commander, 27th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 551 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Nepean, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 37th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs, for one year, eight months and twenty-seven days, and on medical certificate for three months and three days, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1865, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras.

No. 552 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor having permitted Lieutenant G. R. Hadaway, Royal Artillery, to resign, at his own request, the appointment of Aide-de-Camp on His Grace's Personal Staff, the services of that Officer are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief on the expiration of his present furlough to Europe.

Fort St. George, 3rd July 1877.

No. 553 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint Captain F. R. Twynam, Royal Artillery, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, for two years, from the 21st August 1877.

No. 554 of 1877.—Major W. Stoddart, Staff Corps, Acting Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department in G.O.G. No. 531, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 276, dated 22nd July 1864.

No. 555 of 1877.—The Medical Fund Annuities for July 1877, are granted as follows:—

To Surgeon-General E. G. Balfour. . . A large Annuity. . .		From the date of retirement from the service, provided that event takes place on or before 1st September 1877.
To Retired Surgeon-Major J. G. Gibbs (a member on small annuity).	Do. . .	From 1st July 1877.
To Retired Veterinary Surgeon T. Pritchard.	The extra small Annuity.	From the date of payment of the balance of minimum, provided the same is paid on or before 1st September 1877.
To Retired Surgeon-Major G. Marr, M.D.	The liberated small Annuity.	

No. 556 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th June 1877, is republished.

2. In lieu of the station price currents required by paragraph 7, contingent bills for articles purchased in the local market, under this order, will be countersigned by the civil authorities in token of the accuracy of the rates charged.

3. The necessary orders on the subject of paragraphs 4, 5, 6 and 33 will be issued hereafter.

Simla, the 15th June 1877.

Equipment—Royal Artillery.

No. 541.—The following rules for the supply and repair of harness, saddlery, line gear, &c., for batteries of Royal horse, field, and mountain artillery, are published in revision of the rules set forth in G.G.O. No. 206 of 25th February 1875.

2. The shoeing allowance fixed of twelve annas per horse per mensem, and the allowance of rupees five per mensem for fuel, &c., for carriage work, will continue in force. These allowances will be paid, as heretofore, to the farrier sergeants of batteries.

3. The equipments of the Royal Artillery in India and materials of all kinds for keeping them in serviceable condition will be supplied at the expense of the State. Each battery will indent on the arsenal on which it is dependent for the supplies necessary to complete its authorized proportion of ordnance stores and materials for repair.

4. Indents from batteries in the Bengal Presidency to complete equipment will be prepared in the form and on the dates laid down in G.O. No. 358 of 1870, and those for materials for repair in the form and on the dates given in this order; and from batteries in the presidencies of Madras and Bombay in the forms and on the dates to be determined on by the Government of those presidencies.

5. In the Bengal presidency all indents, other than emergent, will be forwarded for sanction to the Ordnance Office, Fort William, addressed to the Assistant to the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, whence they will be sent for compliance to the arsenal on which the battery is dependent.

6. The rules for emergent indents in Bengal are fully detailed in paragraphs 2,834 to 2,840, Revised Army Regulations.

7. Such stores as are authorized by this order to be obtained in the local market will be purchased by officers commanding batteries, and contingent bills for the cost incurred, countersigned by the officer commanding the station, and supported by the station price current of materials and labor, under the signature of the officer in charge of the principal Sudder Bazaar, will be forwarded, monthly, to the executive commissariat officer on the spot, or at the nearest station, for payment, and subsequent audit by Examiner of Commissariat Accounts.

8. Officers commanding batteries will account in the half-yearly returns submitted to the Examiner of Ordnance Accounts, for all stores thus obtained, either by indent from ordnance stock or by local purchase, with the exception of petty articles, materials for repair, &c., which are excluded from these returns.

9. Materials for the repair of saddle-trees, and repair and preservation of harness and saddlery, will be issued in the following proportions to batteries of Royal horse and field artillery (including headquarters of brigades), and to heavy field batteries —

						ANNUAL SUPPLY FOR REPAIR OF			
						8	12	20	50
						Saddle-trees and under.	Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.
<i>For Universal Saddle-trees.</i>									
Arches, wood	{	Front	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
		Hind	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
Bars, wood, side	{	Near	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
		Off	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
Burrs, iron, with rivet and roller	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
Glue, common	..	..	..	..	oz.	2	3	5	12
Oil, linseed, raw	..	..	..	..	pinta.	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
Paper, glass	..	..	..	..	sheets.	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
	{	* Angle	..	Near	..	1	1	1	3
		Off	..	Off	..	1	1	1	3
Plates, iron	{	Front	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
		Gullet	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
		Top and ring	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
		$1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	..	..	..	1	2	2	6
Screws, iron, middling	{	$1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	..	..	..	1	2	2	6
		$\frac{3}{4}$ inch	..	..	..	1	2	2	6
		Cloak and plates	..	..	..	1	2	2	6
		Crupper	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
Staples, iron	{	Front	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
		Girth	..	..	..	1	2	2	6
		Holster or cloak	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
Tongues, wood	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
Wedges, "	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	6
Wire, iron, for rivets, No. 7 W. G.	..	..	..	..	oz.	2	3	5	12

* Fan plates may still be required for old pattern saddle-trees.

						ANNUAL SUPPLY FOR REPAIR OF							
						8	12	20	50				
						Saddle-trees and under.	Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.				
						Luggage.	Drivers.	Luggage.	Drivers.	Luggage.	Drivers.	Luggage.	Drivers.
<i>For Luggage and Drivers' Saddle-trees.</i>													
Arches, wood	{	Front	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
		Hind	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Bars, wood, side	{	Near	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
		On	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
		Crupper	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
		Inside	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Plates, iron	{	Front	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
		Gullet	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
		Top	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
		.. and hook	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Rings	{	With bolts	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
		.. staples	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Screws, iron, mid-thing.	{	$1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
		$1\frac{1}{4}$ inch	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
		$\frac{3}{4}$ inch	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
		Crupper	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	6	6
		Flank	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Staples, iron	{	Front	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	6	6
		Girth	..	..	..	2	2	2	2	2	2	6	6
		Wallet	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
		Inside	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
		Outside	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Tongues, wood	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Troughs, iron, back band	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Wedges, wood	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Wire, iron, for rivets, No. 7 W. G.	..	..	..	..	oz.	2	2	3	3	5	5	12	12

Materials for the repair of saddle-trees for six months are carried in the store limber wagon.

Materials for Repair and Preservation of Harness and Saddlery.

		ANNUAL SUPPLY OF MATERIAL FOR REPAIR OF						
		5	8	12	20	50		
		Sets of Saddlery.						
For Universal Saddlery.								
Bits, Bridoon ..	..	No.	1	1	1	2	3	For numnahs. See paragraph 10.
Bosses, Brass ..	{ Bit ..	..	1	1	1	2	3	
	{ Breast plates and Crupper ..	..	1	1	1	2	3	
	{ Barred { 1½ inch ..	..	1	1	1	2	5	
	{ ¾ " ..	..	2	2	3	5	12	
Buckles, iron, roller	{ 1 " ..	..	1	1	1	2	5	
	{ Single 1½ " ..	..	1	1	1	2	5	
	{ Stirrup, leather, 1½ inch ..	..	1	1	1	2	5	
Do. do. tinned, inlet ¾ inch	..	..	1	1	1	1	3	
Chains, Curb ..	..	..	1	1	1	2	5	
Dubbing ..	..	lbs.	6	9	13½	23	56	See paragraph 10.
Hair, horse ..	..	..	1½	2¼	3½	6	14	
Hides, Buffalo, heavy ..	..	..	1½	2½	3	5	10	
" " light ..	..	..	1½	2½	3	5	10	{ Pieces of new or part-worn leather are issuable in lieu of hides, weight for weight.
" " Cow ..	..	..	1	1	1	2	3	
Hooks, Curb ..	..	No.	1	1	1	2	5	
Ink, for marking ..	..	pints.	¼	¼	¼	½	1	Both cuttings and felt not supplied.
Nails, iron, tacks, Flemish black, No. 83 ..	..	lbs.	1	1	1	2	5	
Numnah { Cuttings ..	..	..	1	1½	2	3	7	
	{ or Felt ..	..	1	1	1	2	3	
Rings, iron, 1½ inch ..	..	No.	1	1	1	1	2	½ lb. monthly per set of saddlery.
Saddle Fittings { Burrs, iron, galvanized ..	..	..	2	3	5	8	18	
	{ Flaps ..	..	1	1	1	1	2	
	{ Girths, leather ..	No.	1	1	1	1	2	
	{ Rivets, Copper { Long ..	..	2	2	3	5	12	
		{ Short ..	..	..	..	..	..	
	{ Screws, for flaps ½ inch ..	..	4	6	9	15	36	
	{ Seats ..	..	1	1	1	2	3	
	{ Tabs ..	..	1	1	1	2	3	
	{ Thongs, lacing ..	..	2	2	2	4	10	
Serge, milled, 40-inch ..	..	yards	1	1½	2	3	8	
Skins, sheep, tanned and curried, black ..	..	No.	1	1	1	2	4	
Soap, bar ..	..	..	1	1	1½	2½	6	
Squares, head-collar, iron ..	..	lbs.	30	48	72	120	300	
Studs, brass, wallets or head stall ..	..	No.	1	1	1	2	5	
Thread { Black ..	..	..	2	2	3	5	12	
	{ Flax ..	..	1½	1½	1½	2½	6	
	{ White Brown ..	..	1½	1½	1½	2½	6	
Twine, quilting ..	..	..	1½	1½	1½	2½	6	
Wax { Bees' ..	..	..	1½	1½	1½	2½	6	
	{ Black ..	..	1½	1½	1½	2½	6	
Web { Diaper, 2-inch ..	..	yards	1	1	1½	2½	6	
	{ Straining, 3-inch ..	..	1	1	1½	2½	6	
For Harness.								
Bits, T. Bridoon ..	..	No.	1	1	2	3	6	For numnahs, See paragraph 10.
Bosses, Brass, bit ..	..	..	1	1	2	3	6	
	{ ¾ inch ..	..	1	1	2	3	7	
	{ 1 " ..	..	3	5	7	10	24	
Buckles, iron, roller, barred ..	..	..	2	2	2	4	10	
	{ 1½ " ..	..	2	2	2	4	10	
	{ 2 " ..	..	3	5	7	10	24	
	{ (back and belly band) ..	..	2	2	2	2	4	
	{ Single { 1½ inch ..	..	2	2	2	4	10	
		{ 1½ " ..	..	..	..	..	..	
Buckles, iron, roller ..	..	..	2	2	3	5	12	
	{ Single { 1½ " ..	..	2	4	6	10	22	
	{ 2 " ..	..	1	2	2	3	7	
" " tinned, inlet ¾ inch ..	..	..	1	1	2	3	7	
" " Curb ..	..	..	1	1	2	3	7	
Chains.. { Trace, single { Lead ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	
		{ Wheel ..	..	..	..	1	2	
Cord, whip ..	..	lbs.	1	1	1½	2½	6	
Cordage, white, for traces, 3-inch ..	..	fathoms	1½	2¼	4	6½	16	
Couples, for traces ..	..	No.	2	3	4	7	16	
Dubbing ..	..	lbs.	7½	12	18	30	75	
	{ Burrs, iron, galvanized ..	No.	4	6	9	15	36	
	{ Cases, cloak ..	..	1	1	1	2	3	
Fittings for saddle-trees. { Flaps .. { Drivers ..	..	pairs.	1	1	1	1	2	
		{ Luggage ..	..	..	..	..	..	
	{ Rivets, copper.. { Long ..	No.	4	6	9	15	36	
		{ Short ..	..	..	..	..	..	
		..	4	8	12	20	48	

For numnahs.

See paragraph 10.

{ Pieces of new or
part-worn leather are
issuable in lieu of
hides, weight for weight.

{ Both cuttings and felt
not supplied.

¼ lb. monthly per set of
saddlery.

For numnahs,

See paragraph 10.

NOTE.—Materials for repair of saddle-trees, universal, and repair of saddlery, required for the five sets of saddlery for the five horses attached to the head-quarters of each Brigade of Royal horse and field artillery will be issued to the battery at head-quarters of the brigade concerned, and the repairs to such saddlery will be carried out in the battery workshop.

Materials for repair and preservation of Harness and Saddlery.

				ANNUAL SUPPLY OF MATERIAL FOR REPAIR OF				
				5	8	12	20	50
				Double sets of harness, N. P.				
For Harness—(Continued).								
Fittings for saddle-trees.	Screws, for flaps $\frac{1}{2}$ inch	.. No.	10	16	24	39	96	
Seats, saddle	Drivers	.. "	1	1	1	1	3	
		.. "	1	1	1	1	3	
Hair, horse	Luggage	.. lbs.	3	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	7	12	28	
		.. No.	3	5	7	10	24	
Hides, buffalo, tanned and curried, half hides.	Heavy	.. lbs.	30	50	70	100	240	
		.. No.	3	4	5	7	15	
		.. lbs.	20	25	30	50	110	
		.. No.	1	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	2	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	
Hides, cow, tanned and curried	Light	.. lbs.	8	12	16	20	48	
		.. No.	$\frac{1}{10}$	$\frac{1}{10}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. lbs.	0.8	0.8	1	2	6	
		.. No.	2	3	4	6	12	
Do. do. white	or	.. lbs.	8	12	16	24	48	
		.. No.	2	3	4	6	12	
Do. do. tanned and curried, for collar lining	or	.. lbs.	8	12	16	24	48	
		.. No.	2	3	4	6	12	
Hooks	Curb	.. lbs.	2	2	2	4	10	
		.. No.	2	2	2	4	10	
Ink, for marking	Trace	.. pints.	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. lbs.	2	2	4	6	14	
Nails, iron, tacks, Flemish black, No. 82	Cuttings	.. "	2	2	4	6	14	
		.. yards.	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
Numnah	or Felt	.. gallons	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. lbs.	2	2	4	6	14	
Oils, sweet (or tilled)	Black, lamp	.. lbs.	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. No.	1	1	1	2	4	
Paint, prepared	Zinc, white	.. lbs.	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. No.	1	1	1	2	4	
Pans, tin, for oil	1 inch	.. "	1	1	2	3	7	
		.. "	2	2	2	3	7	
Rings, iron	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.. "	2	2	4	6	16	
		.. yards.	2	2	4	6	16	
Serge, milled, 40 inch	Skins, sheep, tanned and curried	.. No.	5	8	12	20	48	
		.. lbs.	60	96	144	240	600	
Soap, bar	Squares, head-collar, iron	.. No.	2	2	2	4	10	
		.. "	3	5	7	10	24	
Studs, brass, wallets or head-collar	Black, 3-cord	.. lbs.	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
Thread	Collar	.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
Twine, quilting	Flax	.. Coarse	1	1	1	2	5	
		.. Fine	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
Wax	Whited brown	.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
Web	Bees'	.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
Diaper, 2 inch	Black	.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
		.. "	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	
Straining, 3 inch	Diaper, 2 inch	.. yards.	1	2	3	5	12	
		.. "	$\frac{1}{4}$	1	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	
				PER BATTERY OF				
				Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Field Artillery.	Heavy Field Battery.		
				Including head-quarters of Brigades.				
				Per month.				
For Harness and Saddlery Store-rooms.				Mds.	Mds.	Mds.		
Charcoal, Indian, common.				13 or 1,040 lbs.	11 or 880 lbs.	5 or 400 lbs.		
				To be obtained locally through Commissariat Department for three months only for use during the rains—Grates with tripods to be also obtained from the Commissariat Department. In the Bombay Presidency both charcoal and grates to be obtained from the Barrack Department.				

10. Materials for the repair and preservation of harness and saddlery sufficient for six months' supply are to be carried in the store wagon, except "dubbing" and "soap bar." The former, composed of equal quantities of Neats-foot oil and tallow, will be procured locally through the Commissariat Department, and thus it will suffice to carry in the store wagon a quantity equal to three months' supply only. The issue of "soap bar" will also be quarterly only.

11. In addition to the materials already detailed, the following will be kept as a reserve to be brought into use only, should a sudden emergency arise. The officer commanding the battery will be held responsible that this reserve is always maintained, and that the articles are in good and serviceable condition.

12. With this view, stores should not be allowed to remain in reserve from year to year, as they would in course of time deteriorate; but on receipt of new articles, those longest in possession should be brought into use, and the new stores transferred to the reserve.

						QUANTITY PER						
						Field Battery.	Royal-Honre Artillery Battery.					
Buckles, iron roller.	Barred	$\frac{3}{4}$ inch	..	..	No.	4	6					
		"	..	..	"	4	6					
		1	..	..	"	4	6					
		$1\frac{1}{4}$	..	..	"	4	6					
		$1\frac{3}{4}$	..	..	"	4	6					
	Single	$2\frac{1}{2}$	back band	..	"	2	2					
		$2\frac{3}{4}$	belly	..	"	2	2					
		"	..	..	"	2	3					
		$1\frac{1}{2}$	..	..	"	4	6					
		$1\frac{3}{4}$	..	..	"	12	6					
Chains, curb	..	..	..	..	3	4						
Cord, whip	..	..	..	lbs.	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$						
Horse, hair or wool	..	..	..	..	2	3						
Hides, buffalo, tanned and curried.	half hides	Heavy	..	..	(No. or	1	10					
		Light	..	..	lbs.)	3	$3\frac{1}{2}$					
Hides, cow, tanned and curried, for collar linings			..	..	(No. or	20	24					
			..	..	lbs.)	3	3					
Hooks, curb	..	..	..	..	lbs.)	12	12					
Numnahs, old, for repairs	..	..	..	..	No.	3	4					
Rings, iron	$1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	..	..	..	"	2	3					
Rope, white, for traces,	3-inch	..	..	..	"	4	6					
Bridles, iron, galvanized	Flaps	..	..	..	fathoms	3	3					
					..	..	..	..	6	9		
					..	..	..	..	..	..		
	Girths, leather	..	..	..	..	No.	1	1				
						..	..	..	..	1	1	
	Rivets, copper	..	..	..	..	No.	1	2				
						..	..	..	..	4	8	
	Screws for flaps	..	..	..	..	"	6	12				
						..	..	..	..	12	24	
	Seats, saddle	..	..	..	..	"	..	1				
						..	..	..	..	1	1	
						..	..	..	..	1	1	
Serge, milled, 40-inch	..	..	..	..	yards	6	9					
Squares, head collar, iron	..	..	..	..	No.	2	3					
Thread	..	Collar	..	..	lbs.	1	1					
		Hemp	..	..	"	3	$4\frac{1}{2}$					
Twine, quilting	..	White	..	..	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$					
		..	..	..	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$					
Wax	..	Bees'	..	..	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$					
		Black	..	..	"	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$					
Web, straining	..	..	..	..	yards	2	3					
					..	..	..	..	1	2		
Arches, wood	Cavalry	..	Front	..	No.	1	2					
			Hind	..	"	1	2					
	Harness, Driving	..	Front	..	"	1	1					
			Hind	..	"	1	1					
Bars, wood, side	Cavalry	..	Near	..	No.	1	2					
			Off	..	"	1	2					
	Harness, driving	..	Near	..	"	1	1					
			Off	..	"	1	1					
Screws, iron, mid- dling	..	$1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	..	..	"	6	12					
		$1\frac{1}{4}$	..	..	"	6	12					
		$\frac{3}{4}$	..	..	"	6	12					

NOTE.—Until further orders, the most suitable leather available in the Madras and Bombay Ordnance Departments for repair of harness and saddlery will be issued to batteries serving in those Presidencies, respectively.

13. Indents for materials for repair of saddlery, harness and saddle-trees are to be submitted on 1st February and 1st August, in the following form, in duplicate :—

Indent for materials for the repair of harness, saddlery and saddle-trees required by _____

STATION AND DATE

I certify that the whole of the articles shown in the column as expended have been used in making repairs to harness and saddlery, the property of the public; and further, that all articles made from these materials have been duly brought on the returns of the battery.

Commanding _____

14. These materials are issued solely for the repair of harness and saddlery, and not for the manufacture of new component portions.

15. Components can be obtained only on indents supported by proceedings of a special committee; which should state that repairs cannot be effected, and for what reasons.

16. Should the manufacture of any components be absolutely necessary, the work may be carried out, but a return of such articles made must accompany the half-yearly demand for materials, and the necessity for their manufacture be fully explained. In such cases the damaged articles will be sold by auction, or be returned into store to the nearest arsenal, under instructions from the Ordnance Office.

17. All repairs to saddlery, harness and saddle-trees are to be carried out by the artificers attached to the battery.

18. The iron-work of condemned harness and saddlery is invariably to be returned into store for utilization, as far as possible, in future manufacture, under instructions from the Ordnance Office.

19. The following stamps will be allowed for marking harness and saddlery :—

Stamps	..	{ iron for .. { iron, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. .. { wood or leather, $\frac{3}{8}$ inch. .. { copper inlaid $\frac{1}{4}$ inch.
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20. The following are supplied of each of the above descriptions of stamp to every Royal horse and field battery :—

Letter (according to distinguishing letter of the battery) ..	..	2
Royal horse artillery or Royal artillery ..	..	2
Figures 0 to 8 ..	..	sets 2

21. Leather work will be marked with $\frac{3}{16}$ " iron stamp, care being taken that the leather is not cut, but only bruised.

22. The iron work will be marked with $\frac{1}{2}$ " iron stamps, the Portsmouth bit in front of the foot, the bridle bit on top of the mouth-piece, and the stirrup irons on the bottom.

23. The following is the list of materials for repair of carriages, wagons, carts, &c., issued with equipment, and such as are expended are to be replaced half-yearly by indent on the Ordnance Department :—

					BATTERIES.		
					RIFLED.		
					B. L.	M. L.	
					12-pr.	9-pr.	9-pr.
<i>Ordnance.</i>							
Bands, axle-tree ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2
Bolts, carriage ..	..	..	..	..	24	24	..
Bolts with nuts. Carrriages and wagons.	Wheel .. {	Nave ..	..	..	..	..	12
		Tire with collars ..	..	..	50	50	12
	Round or boss-headed .. {	diameter $7\frac{1}{2}$ " long	..	..	..	..	1
		" 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	..	..	..	..	2
		" 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	..	..	..	..	2
		" 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	..	..	..	..	3
		" 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	..	..	..	..	3
		" 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	..	..	..	..	11
	Flat, Countersunk. .. {	" 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	..	..	..	..	4
		" 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	..	..	..	..	4
Capsquares ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2
Chains, drag or skid ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2
Drift, pins, steel ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..
Eyes .. {	Perch plate, ammunition wagon ..	..	..	..	1	1	1
		..	..	..	1	1	1
Handles, trail ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2
Hooks, limber, with key and chain ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1
Irons, Handspike ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Iron, 3' 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " long, pieces.	Angle for trail 2" x 2" x $\frac{3}{8}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	..	2
		..	..	..	..	..	2
	Flat .. {	2" x $\frac{1}{2}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	2
		1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x $\frac{1}{2}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	2
	Plate $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6" wide ..	..	..	..	..	..	2
		..	..	..	..	..	1
	Round .. {	2" ..	..	..	..	..	2
		1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	2
	T. for futchells 3" x 2" x $\frac{1}{4}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	..	2
		..	..	..	..	..	2
Keys, capsquares, with chains ..	..	..	..	..	4	4	6
Lever, traversing with pawl ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Lever, traversing screw ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Nut-headed screws ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..
Plates .. {	Jack .. {	Carriage ..	..	..	2	2	..
		Wagon or limber ..	..	..	2	2	..
Rivets. {	Locking $7\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6" x $\frac{1}{8}$ " ..	..	..	..	2	2	..
		..	..	..	2	2	..
Rivets. {	Flat, countersunk head $\frac{3}{8}$ " diameter, $2\frac{1}{2}$ " long ..	..	..	..	..	..	6
		..	..	..	..	..	12
Rivets. {	Iron $1\frac{1}{2}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	..	10
		..	..	..	..	..	50
Rivets. {	Round or boss-headed .. {	$\frac{1}{2}$ " x $1\frac{1}{2}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	6
		$\frac{1}{2}$ " x 2" ..	..	..	..	..	..
Screws, hexagonal head, for limber screw ..	$\frac{1}{4}$ " x 1" ..	..	..	..	4	4	..
		..	..	..	..	..	1
Skid, hooks ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..
Sponge, iron, or shoe ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Staples .. {	Lashing ..	..	..	..	42	42	12
		..	..	..	9	9	3
Staples .. {	Round crowned .. {	Large $\frac{3}{4}$ " ..	..	..	12	12	6
		Small $\frac{1}{2}$ " ..	..	..	..	..	2
Staples .. {	with crews for .. {	Double ..	..	..	..	..	8
		Single ..	..	..	..	..	2
Steel, prepared, pieces .. {	ammunition box. {	Treble ..	..	..	..	..	6
		..	..	..	..	..	6
Trunnion plates ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..
Yoke, hooks or bands, with plates and nuts ..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2
Naves, metal, field, in 3 pieces ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Saddles, metal carriage, travelling, rifled B. L. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..

Including skid chain loop and 2 bolts.

Including skid chain loop, shoe, hand-spike, with pin and chain.

Including 3 bolts.

Iron work, spare, for carriages.

					BATTERIES.			
					RIFLED.			
					B. L.		M. L.	
					12-pr.	9-pr.	9-pr.	
Ordnance—(Continued).								
Screws, iron, traversing, with nuts					1	..	..	
" " elevating, carriage, field, with nuts					1	1	1	
Wheel, hand, for traversing screw					1	..	..	
Miscellaneous.								
Glue					3	3	3	
Grease and tar, mixed					6	6	6	
Bolt or round $3\frac{1}{2}$ "					28	28	..	
Flat $1\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ "					28	28	..	
Hoop $1\frac{1}{2}$ " 17 W. G.					28	28	..	
Square $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch					56	56	..	
" $3\frac{1}{2}$ "					28	28	..	
Nails.	Iron.	Copper, wrought, tack, No. 236, $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	..	..	$\frac{1}{4}$	
		Brad, wrought, " 123, $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	2	2	$\frac{1}{4}$	
		Clasp, fine .. " 35, $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	..	..	2	
		" " " " " 36, $2\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	3	3	3	
		" " " " " 37, $2\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	3	3	..	
		" " strong .. " 41, $2\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	13	13	3	
		" " " " " 44, $3\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	3	3	..	
		" " " " " 65, $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	2	2	$\frac{1}{4}$	
		Clout, strong .. " 66, $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	6	6	$1\frac{1}{2}$	
		" " " " " 70, $2\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	8	8	$\frac{1}{4}$	
Tacks, clout, saddler, " 72, $3\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	8	8	..			
Rivets, copper, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch					No.	..	24	
Screws, iron.	Flat-head Netfields.	Fine " $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch		..	24	24	..	
		" 1 "		..	50	50	..	
		" 2 "		..	..	..	14	
		" $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	66	66	14	
		Middling " 1 "		..	24	24	18	
		" $\frac{3}{4}$ "		..	14	14	72	
		" $3\frac{1}{2}$ inch		..	106	106	106	
		" 3 "		..	..	..	6	
		" 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	12	12	12	
		" 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ "		..	12	12	..	
		Strong " 2 "		..	68	68	6	
		" $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	18	18	18	
		" 1 "		..	..	..	72	
		Round head, middling, " $1\frac{1}{2}$ "		..	66	66	144	
		" " " " " 1 "		..	74	74	24	
Screws, brass .. $\frac{1}{4}$ inch					1	1	..	
Steel, blister, flat $2\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ "					4	4	12	
Timber, half-wrought					10	10	..	
Naves					No.	1	..	
Felloes for wheels					6	6	6	
Spoke do.					12	12	12	
PER BATTERY.								
					With one line of wagons only.	With both lines of wagons.		
Cloth, canvas, Europe, coarse .. yards.					20	30	For repair of canvas covers of ammunition boxes, &c.	

24. Indents for materials for repair of carriages, wagons, carts, &c., are to be submitted half-yearly on 1st April and 1st October of each year in the usual form.

25. Materials for petty repairs can be purchased locally by officers commanding batteries, and contingent bills supported by a copy of the order authorizing the purchase, and a station price current submitted to the executive commissariat officer for payment—see paragraph 7 ante.

26. Plank, however, for extensive repair, such as that of ammunition boxes, framings, &c., is to be obtained when necessary by indent on the Ordnance Department, commanding officers being allowed a discretionary power to purchase material on the spot, if urgently required, and when it cannot be obtained from the public stores in sufficient time.

27. When two or more batteries are stationed together, the senior officer of artillery will cause their artificers to unite for the purpose of executing any heavy work that may be required, such as setting up wheels, repairing axles, limber hooks, &c.

28. The sums expended in repairs, extra labor, or other contingencies not already provided for will be charged in monthly contingent bills, duly attested on honor, and supported by price current, which, after being countersigned by the officer commanding the artillery division, will be forwarded for payment to the executive commissariat officer.

29. Articles of line gear and materials for their repair will be supplied from the sources specified opposite them, to Batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery (including Head-quarters of Brigades) and to heavy Field Batteries, in the following proportions, on indents to be submitted in the usual form on 1st February of each year to the Department concerned:—

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Proportion.		REQUIRED PER						Period of duration.	Source of Supply.	REMARKS.		
			Horse Artillery Battery.			Field Artillery Battery.							
	No.	Per	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.				Horse.	Field.
{ Head stalls, head ropes, eye-fringes and watering bridles. { Head-ropes and loops. { Girth. { Leather (or Gunny) nose bags. { Pegs and mallets. { Canvas. { Bags, nose .. { Leather ..	2	Sub-division..	12	..	12	12	..	12	..	..	{ 4 years .. To be repaired or replaced as required. 3 years ..	Arsenals. Commissariat Department. Arsenals ..	In the Madras and Bombay presidencies bags, nose, "gunny," will be supplied in lieu by the Commissariat Department. They will be repaired or replaced as in the case of canvas nose-bags.
	2	Do.	12	..	12	12	..	12	..	..			
	1	Do.	6	..	6	6	..	6	..	..			
	1	Do.	6	..	6	6	..	6	..	..			
	1	Horse	178	..	178	110	..	110	5	5			
	1	Do.	178	..	178	110	..	110	5	5	3 years ..	Arsenals ..	In the Madras and Bombay presidencies bags, nose, "gunny," will be supplied in lieu by the Commissariat Department. They will be repaired or replaced as in the case of canvas nose-bags.
* Baskets, country	1	2 Horses	89	..	89	55	..	55	3	3	To be obtained and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	
Blankets	1**	Horse	178	..	178	110	..	110	5	5	2 years or longer till worn out.	Commissariat Department.	** Or 2 per horse according to climate, if deemed necessary by the officer commanding the brigade, district or division of the army. These will be in addition to the blankets now authorized for horses without stables, and for Water remounts that have not been a year in the country.
Raddles, watering	1	Do.	178	9	187	110	5	115	5	5	Rein one year, bit till worn out.	Arsenals.	
* Brooms	1	2 Horses	89	..	89	55	..	55	3	3	To be obtained and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	
Brushes, country-made	1	Horse	178	9	187	110	5	115	5	5	6 months or longer till worn out.	Commissariat Department.	
Buckets, wooden, water, small Combs, curry, country-made	6	Sub-division..	36	..	36	..	..	..	..	..	To be obtained, repaired, and renewed as required.	Do.	These articles are not to be taken on line of march, but will be left behind for the relieving battery.
	4	Do.	..	..	..	24	..	24	..	..	{ 5 years "tentative"	Do.	
	1	Horse	178	9	187	110	5	115	5	5	5	Do.	

In the Madras and Bombay presidencies bags, nose, "gunny," will be supplied in lieu by the Commissariat Department. They will be repaired or replaced as in the case of canvas nose-bags.

** Or 2 per horse according to climate, if deemed necessary by the officer commanding the brigade, district or division of the army. These will be in addition to the blankets now authorized for horses without stables, and for Water mounts that have not been a year in the country.

These articles are not to be taken on line of march, but will be left behind for the relieving battery.

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* Cordage, for tying up hay, 2-inch		13 feet to every four horses per quarter.										3 months ..		To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	
Dusters	2	Horse	356	220	220	10	10	10	6	do.	..	..	..	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	Commissariat Department.
Eye fringes, leather	1	Do.	178	110	110	5	5	5	5	2 years	..	..	..	Do.	Arsenals.
Head stalls	1	Do.	178	9	187	110	5	5	5	3 do.	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Loops, heel-rope, of leather	1	Do.	178	18	193	110	11	121	6	1 year	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Machines, clipping	2	Do.	3	3	2	2	..	..	..	3 years or longer till worn out.	..	..	..	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	Commissariat Department.
* Do. rope-making	1	Do.	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	Till worn out	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
* Mallets for driving pegs	4	Sub-division.	24	24	24	24	..	24	..	To be repaired and renewed locally as required.	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
* Pegs, wooden (Bahout)	3	Horse	534	330	330	15	15	15	15	Till worn out	..	..	..	Arsenals.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.
Pickers, hoof	6	Do.	36	1	37	..	..	..	..	To be repaired and renewed locally as required.	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
* Posts, picketing, wooden, 2' 6", iron shot, of horse pattern.	4	Do.	178	18	136	110	11	121	6	4 months or longer, till worn out.	..	..	..	Commissariat Department.	Commissariat Department.
Ropes, head, with loop and hook (length 7' exclusive of loop)	1	Do.	178	18	136	110	11	121	6	6	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Ropes, head, (length 15', exclusive of loop)	3	Sub-division.	18	1	19	..	13	..	..	3 years	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
* Do. picketing, of 2" English tarred rope, each 25 yards long.	2	Do.	178	9	187	110	5	115	5	2 do.	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Rollers, with pad (the latter made of leather).	1	Horse	178	9	187	110	5	115	5	2 do.	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Straps for bags	2	Sub-division.	12	12	12	12	..	12	..	4 do.	..	..	..	Arsenals.	Arsenals.
Head stalls, &c.	2	Do.	12	12	12	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Heel-rope, &c.	2	Do.	12	12	12	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Grass bags	2	Do.	12	12	12	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Pegs and mallets	1	Do.	12	12	12	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Armsstrong batteries	2	Do.	12	12	12	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Other	2	Do.	12	12	12	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Materials for repair, &c., of line gear.	13	Battery ammunition.	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Cloth, canvas, Europe, coarse .. yds.	11	Do.	60	11	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Commissariat Department.	Commissariat Department.
Dubbing	..	Amun.	60	40	40	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	Do.	Do.
Gunny	..	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	Do.	Do.
Hides	..	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	Do.	Do.
Rope	..	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	Do.	Do.
Thread	..	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	As required for repairs.	Do.	Do.

To be supplied in the proportion of 2 of 1st size to 1 of 2nd size.

1st size, length of web, 8' 9"

2nd size, length of web, 8' 6"

The quantity laid for horse and field battery respectively includes requirements for ammunition box, straps, &c.

In the Madras and Bombay presidencies for repairs of gunny nose bags.

30. The cost of the articles marked with an asterisk in the foregoing list, directed to be obtained locally by officers commanding batteries, will be recovered monthly by contingent bills in the manner prescribed in paragraph 7 of this order.

31. The repairs necessary to line gear are to be effected by officers commanding batteries, and for the purpose of carrying out these repairs, the employment of syces as under at Rupees 2 per month, is sanctioned, viz. :—

Per Battery R. H. A.	..	..	..	3 syces.
Do. R. F. A.	..	..	..	2 "

Any other expense for material or labor necessarily incurred to be recovered by monthly contingent bills.

32. Well ropes and water bags will be provided locally by officers commanding batteries, and their cost recovered by monthly contingent bills, repairs being effected under the rules which apply to articles of line gear.

33. Following are the lists of materials to be supplied *annually* at the public expense for repair of carriages, harness, and saddlery (including boxes, leather ammunition) of batteries of mountain artillery, with mule drafts, and of the articles of line gear for these batteries in substitution of those published in G.G.O. No. 1040, dated 14th October 1875. Those required for the mountain battery (elephant) at Tonghoo will be laid down under the orders of the Government of Madras :—

List of Materials to be supplied annually for repair of Carriages, Harness, and Saddlery, &c.

Names of Stores.	NUMBER OR QUANTITY PER BATTERY OF	
	4 Guns.	6 Guns.
<i>Iron work for carriages.</i>		
Bolts, transom	1	1
.. for clip bands for axletree-beds	2	2
Keys with cap squares	4	6
Washer loops, with pins and chains	4	6
NOTE.—Any other iron work necessary to be indented for as required.		
<i>Materials for repair of Harness and Saddlery (including ammunition boxes).</i>		
Borax	3 0 0	4 8 0 *
Brass, old	3 0 0	4 8 0
.. sheet	8 0 0	12 0 0
Buckles, iron	8	12
Charcoal, Indian, common	8	12
Cloth, linen, coarse	8	12
.. serge, milled	8	12
Copper sheet, thick	8	12
Copper bolt, or rod (round) $\frac{1}{2}$ inch	8	12
Dubbing	16	24
Glue	8	12
Hides, Buffalo, tanned and curried, half hides	30 0 0	45 0 0 *
Hides, cow, tanned and curried	12	18 *
Hides, raw	36	60
Hinges, ammunition boxes	4 0 0	6 0 0
Iron, wrought	4 0 0	6 0 0
Nails	104 0 0	170 0 0 *
Oil, sweet (or tillee)	4 8 0	7 0 0
Rivets, copper	3	5
Rosin	30	50
Salamoniæ (Nowsadur)	3	4
.. .. .	20	30
.. .. .	6	9
.. .. .	48	72
.. .. .	18 0 0	24 0 0
.. .. .	6	8
.. .. .	0 3 0 0	1 0 0 0
.. .. .	2 0 0 0	3 0 0 0
.. .. .	0 2 0 0	0 3 0 0
.. .. .	0 1 14 0	0 2 8 0
.. .. .	1 0 0 0	1 2 0 0
.. .. .	3 0 9	4 8 0
.. .. .	3 0 0	4 8 0
.. .. .	3 0 0	4 8 0
.. .. .	3 0 0	4 8 0
.. .. .	14 0 0	21 0 0
.. .. .	15 0 0	24 0 0
.. .. .	12	18
.. .. .	2 0 0	3 0 0
.. .. .	3 0 0	4 8 0

Names of Stores.				NUMBER OR QUANTITY PER BATTERY OF		
				4 Guns.	6 Guns.	
Materials for repair of Harness and Saddlery, &c.—(Contd.)						
Screws	Brass, 2-inch	2½	doz.	3	4	
		2	"	30	36	
	Iron	1½	"	30	36	
		1	"	30	36	
		¾	"	30	36	
		¾	"	30	36	
Shellac			lbs.	3 0 0	4 8 0	*
Skins, sheep, tanned and curried			No.	4	6	
Soap, hard			lbs.	750 0 0	1,150 0 0	
Solder, pewter			"	3 0 0	4 8 0	*
Steel	Blister		"	9 0 0	15 0 0	
	Spring, 1½" × ⅝"		"	12 0 0	20 0 0	
Thread	Flax or hemp		balls	108	162	
	Whited brown		lbs.	3 0 0	4 8 0	
Tin, sheet			"	4 0 0	6 0 0	*
Twine, quilting			"	3 0 0	4 8 0	*
Wax, bees'			"	6 0 0	9 0 0	*
Wire, iron, ½ inch			"	12 0 0	18 0 0	
Wool, sheep			"	60 0 0	90 0 0	*
For Harness Saddlery Store-rooms.						
Charcoal, Indian, common			mds.	4½ or 360 lbs.	7* or 560 lbs.	For three months only for use during the rains. Grates with tripods to be obtained from the Commissariat Department. In the Bombay Presidency both charcoal and grates to be obtained from the Barrack Department.

NOTES.—(a.) Indents to be submitted half-yearly, in the usual form, on 1st April and 1st October of each year.

(b.) The articles marked with an asterisk to be obtained through the Commissariat Department, or locally by officers commanding batteries if there is no executive commissariat officer at the station. In the latter case, the cost to be recovered by monthly contingent bills in the manner prescribed in paragraph 7.

List of articles of Line Gear to be allowed to Batteries of Mountain Artillery from sources specified.

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Proportion.		REQUIRED PER BATTERY OF						Period of duration.	Source of supply.	REMARKS.		
			4 Guns having yabooos 4 Ordnance mules ... 85 Baggage mules ... 24 Total ... 113			6 Guns having yabooos 4 Ordnance mules ... 112 Baggage mules ... 66 Total ... 182							
			Number.	Per	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.	Total.				Spare.	Grand Total.
Bags, gunny, line gear, large	..	..	28	..	28	40	..	40	4 years	..	Arsenals	..	For line gear of gun, carriage and wheel mules.
Do. small	..	..	81	..	81	138	..	138	4 do.	..	Do.	..	For line gear of ammunition and baggage mules.
Do. nose, gunny	..	1	Yaboo or mule.	113	..	113	182	..	182	To be repaired or replaced as required.	Commissariat Department.		
* Baskets, country	..	1	2 Yabooos or mules.	57	..	57	91	..	91	To be obtained and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.		
Blankets, 6' x 6", 5½ x 5½, 5' x 5'.	..	2	Yaboo or mule.	226	..	226	364	..	364	2 years or longer till worn out.	Commissariat Department.		Size of blankets required to be specified in indents by officers commanding batteries.
Bridles, watering, with bits, T. and rein.	..	1	Do.	113	6	119	182	9	191	Rein 1 year, bit till worn out.	Arsenals.		
* Brooms	..	1	2 Yabooos or mules.	57	..	57	91	..	91	To be obtained and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.		

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Proportion.	REQUIRED PER BATTERY OF						Period of duration.	Source of supply.	REMARKS.	
		4 Guns having yaboo 4 Ordnance mules ... 85 Baggage mules ... 24			6 Guns having yaboo 4 Ordnance mules ... 112 Baggage mules ... 66						
		Total. 113			Total. 182						
Number.	Per.	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.				
Brushes, country-made ..	1	Yaboo or mule.	113	6	119	182	9	191	6 months or longer till worn out.	Commissariat Department.	
Buckets, wood, stable ..	4	Sub-division.	16	..	16	24	..	24	To be obtained, repaired and renewed as required.	Do. ..	Not to be taken on line of march, but to be left behind for the relieving battery.
Chains, head, 6 feet long ..	1	Yaboo or mule.	113	8	121	182	12	194	Till worn out.	Arsenals.	
Combs, curry, country-made.	1	Do.	113	6	119	182	9	191	5 years "tentative."	Commissariat Department.	
* Dundersticks, with ties ..	1	Do.	113	..	113	182	..	182	To be replaced as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	
Dusters	..	..	96	..	96	144	..	144	6 months ..	Commissariat Department.	As a six months' supply at 4 per Sub-division per mess, for cleaning leather ammunition boxes, &c.
Eye-fringes, leather ..	1	Yaboo or mule.	113	..	113	182	..	182	2 years ..	Do.	
Head stalls	1	Do.	113	6	119	182	9	191	3 do. ..	Arsenals.	
Loops, heel-rope, of leather.	1	Do.	113	11	124	182	18	200	1 year ..	Do.	
* Machine, rope-making ..	1	Battery.	1	..	1	1	..	1	Till worn out.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	
* Mallets for driving pegs ..	4	Sub-division.	16	..	16	24	..	24	To be repaired and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	
Pegs, picketing, iron ..	1	Yaboo or mule.	113	..	113	182	..	182	Till worn out.	Arsenals.	
* Pegs, picketing, wooden ..	1	Yaboo or mule	113	..	113	182	..	182	To be repaired and renewed locally as required.	To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries.	
Pickers, hoof, iron ..	4	Sub-division.	16	..	16	24	..	24	Till worn out.	Arsenals.	
Ropes, heel, 10 feet long (exclusive of loop).	1	Yaboo or mule	113	11	124	182	18	200	4 months or longer till worn out.	Commissariat Department.	
Rollers, with pad (latter made of leather).	1	Do.	113	6	119	182	9	191	2 years ..	Do. ..	1st size length of web 5' 7" 2nd size length of web 5' 2" } To be supplied in proportion of 4 of 1st size, to 5 of 2nd size.
Rubbers	1	Do.	113	..	113	182	..	182	1 year ..	Do.	
Straps, line gear, large ..	..	..	30	..	30	43	..	43	4 years ..	Arsenals.	
Do. small	..	..	83	..	83	141	..	141	4 do. ..	Do.	
Sponge (pieces), $\frac{3}{4}$ oz. ..	1	Yaboo or mule	113	..	113	182	..	182	1 year ..	Do.	
Whips	..	..	12	..	12	18	..	18	4 years ..	Do. ..	
Materials for Repair, &c.											
Dubbing lb.	per annum.	40	..	40	60	..	60	.....	Commissariat Department.		
Gunny, hides, rope, thread.	As required	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....			

NOTE.—(a.) Indents for line gear to be submitted, in usual form, on 1st February of each year, to the department concerned.

(b.) Provisions of paragraphs 30 and 31 of this order are also applicable to mountain batteries; the number of syces to be employed to carry out repairs to line gear being—

Per battery of 4 guns 2 syces.
 " of 6 " 3 "

34. All articles of line gear which have served the prescribed periods of duration, and have been pronounced unfit for further service by competent boards of survey, also other unserviceable articles of equipment, such as harness and saddlery, which have been duly condemned, and are not deemed worth the expense of carriage to the nearest ordnance arsenal, will, under sanction of the Ordnance Office, be sold by auction on the spot to the highest bidder, and the proceeds realized credited to Government: such component parts of iron work as may not be unserviceable being returned into ordnance store for further use in manufacture (see paragraph 18 ante).

Rammers, 3 per Sub-division. } To be procured locally by officers commanding batteries, cost being recovered by contingent bills, and to last till worn out.

35. Repairs needed to the flooring of stables will be effected by battery establishments, and for this purpose rammers and hand beaters will be supplied in the proportion marginally noted.

36. When the repairs to be executed are of an extensive nature, the aid of the Public Works Department to be applied for.

37. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

No. 557 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd June 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 507 of 1875:—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Equipment—Royal Artillery. No. 561.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 747 of 1875, the following alterations are to be made at page 11 of Equipment Tables for 9-pr. M. L. R. Batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery:—

For “4’ 6” square” as the size of flags for Army signalling, read 4’ square.

For “Lamps, signalling, bull’s eye,” substitute *Lamps, hand, signalling.*

No. 558 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd June 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 340 of 1877:—

ORDNANCE.

No. 568.—STORES—

Ordnance Stores. *Erratum.*—That portion of G.G.O. No. 285 of 1877, declaring Clauses 2916 and 2917 in List of Changes in War Matériel, dated 1st December 1875, applicable to India, is cancelled.

No. 559 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd June 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 569.—The undermentioned out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay:—

James Brady, late 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery,—one shilling per diem.

George William E. Fowler, late 89th Foot,—one shilling per diem.

David Humphreys, late 44th Foot,—nine pence per diem.

William Chapman, late 1st Battalion, 21st Foot,—one shilling per diem.

No. 560 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller’s Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 25th June 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty’s British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 27th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	June	.. Hill, R. H. T., Captain, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	.. Kidd, D. W., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	.. Mackenzie, George, Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	.. Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	June	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. C Battery, C do. do.
1	Do.	Do. Head-quarters, 5th do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No 7 Battery, 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 89th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do.	Prendergast, H. N. D., Colonel, Queen's Own Sappers and Miners.
1	Do.	Pieton-Warlow, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Renton, Robert, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Standen, Douglas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Wilson, F. A., Captain, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Young, T. H. B., Captain, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
25	Returns.	

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 5th July 1877.

No. 561 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Surgeon-Major W. H. Morgan, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry .. { Arrived at Bombay on the
19th June 1877.

No. 562 of 1877.—The services of Lieutenant H. D. Love, Royal Engineers, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Educational Department.

Fort St. George, 6th July 1877.

No. 563 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 11, dated 8th June 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain J. H. M. Barnett, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Surgeon J. A. W. Spence, Medical Establishment .. 6 months, m. c.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. W. Osborne, c.b., Staff Corps .. 3 months, m. c.
Major G. E. Fryer, Staff Corps .. 3 months, m. c.

No. 564 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

33rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Yacoob Khan, Bahadoor, on Rupees 40 per mensem }
Subadar Syed Madar, on Rupees 40 per mensem } From the 16th July 1877.
Subadar Yacoob Khan, on Rupees 40 per mensem }

Fort St. George, 7th July 1877.

No. 565 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major, having completed 20 years' service.

Captain Walter Follett Wright. From the 4th July 1877.

To be Captain, having completed 12 years' service.

Lieutenant Joseph Henry Newill. From the 4th July 1877.

No. 566 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
10th Regiment N.I. ..	Havildar, No. 1672, Mahomed Jaan	Jemadar	25th June 1877.

Fort St. George, 9th July 1877.

No. 567 of 1877.—Colonel J. B. Knocker, Staff Corps, Commandant, 40th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 10th July 1877.

No. 568 of 1877.—The furlough to Europe granted in G.O.G. No. 550, dated 2nd July 1877, to Colonel F. G. Hodgson, Staff Corps, is under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1854, and not 1868.

No. 569 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

“Queen’s Own” Sappers and Miners.

Subadar-Major Vellien, Sirdar Bahadour, on Rupees 25 per mensem, } From the 26th July 1877.
with the Staff allowance of his rank.

No. 570 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th June 1877, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 8th June 1877.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty’s Indian Military Forces, to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-Generals.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Norman Hector Maclean, Madras Staff Corps.
Dated 9th June 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Thomas Crawford Longcroft, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th June 1877.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Robert Ranken, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th June 1877.

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To be Colonels.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Adolphe Mottet, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th June 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Robert Mesham, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th June 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel Selwyn New, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th June 1877.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Christopher Hellyer Beddek, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th June 1877.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Johnstone Hamilton, Madras Army. Dated 9th June 1877.

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To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Surgeon-Major John Anderson Cox, Madras Army. Dated 9th June 1877.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers have been appointed Probationers for the Indian Staff Corps:—

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Lieutenant John Frederick Charles Thatcher, 33rd Foot.
Lieutenant Frederick Deffield Welchman, 48th Foot.

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Lieutenant William Arthur D'Oyly Mealy, 67th Foot.

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India Office, 7th June 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

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MADRAS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant A. G. H. Hayne, 89th Foot. Dated 12th November 1875.

Lieutenant E. F. Braine, 21st Foot. Dated 15th February 1876.

No. 571 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th June 1877, are republished:—

India Office, 11th June 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Promotions, Alterations of Rank, &c., among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

* * * * *

To be Majors.

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Captain Arthur Robert Kenney-Herbert, Madras Cavalry, in succession to Colonel (borne as Major-General on the Indian List) P. W. Luard, Bengal Staff Corps, deceased. Dated 22nd December 1876.

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To be Captain.

Lieutenant Charles Warren Walker, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 31st January 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Alexander Arbuthnot, Madras Cavalry, to rank from 30th March 1874, in succession to Colonel (borne as Major-General on the Indian List) A. Wyndham, Madras Staff Corps, deceased.

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Lieutenant-Colonel William James Morris, Madras Cavalry, to rank from 26th November 1875, in succession to General A. Dick, Bengal Infantry, deceased.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Thomas Wakefield. Dated 11th January 1877.
Major Seafeld Falkland Murray Treasure Grant. Dated 20th January 1877.
Major Henry Seymour Robinson. Dated 20th January 1877.
Major William Moor Lane. Dated 20th January 1877.
Major Thomas Boone Everest Tennant. Dated 20th January 1877.
Major Henry Crosby Barry Barnett. Dated 10th February 1877.
Major William George Ward. Dated 10th February 1877.
Major George Carr Hodding. Dated 10th February 1877.

To be Majors.

Captain Malcolm Furlong. Dated 4th January 1877.
Captain George Augustus Strover. Dated 20th January 1877.
Captain William Vertue. Dated 20th January 1877.
Captain Edward George Vere Holloway. Dated 20th February 1877.
Captain William Octavius Foord. Dated 20th February 1877.

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The names of the undermentioned Officers should be as follows, and not as stated in the *London Gazettes* named:—

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London Gazette, 22nd December 1876—Lieutenant-Colonel G. V. Law, Madras Staff Corps, should be George Vambrugh Law.

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No. 572 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd June 1877, is republished:—

No. 556—GARRISON INSTRUCTION STAFF IN INDIA—

Captain G. L. L. Taylor, 2nd Battalion, 16th Foot, Assistant Garrison Instructor, to be Garrison Instructor, *vice* Captain O. W. Braine, 56th Foot, whose tour of staff service has expired.—Dated the 7th June 1877.

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Captain C. E. Brown, Royal Artillery, to be Assistant Garrison Instructor, *vice* Captain Taylor promoted.—Dated the 14th June 1877.

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No. 573 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th June 1877, is republished:—

No. 577.—BREVET—

The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Douglas, Madras Staff Corps	..	} 23rd June 1877.
Lieutenant-Colonel George Andrew Walker, Madras Staff Corps.	..	

No. 574 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th June 1877, is republished:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 585.—Pay Code—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I,

“British Troops”:—

Article 134, Clause *h*, Page 45.—Restore the words “Repairs of arms” in the fourth line, for which the word “Ditto” was substituted by G.G.O. No. 287 of 1877.

G.L. Nos. 678-9-S of 23rd May 1877.

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Article 1670.—*Add* “Substantive promotions may, however, be made to fill vacancies in the establishment of Non-Commissioned Officers of regiments caused by death, reduction to the ranks,

G.L. Nos. 1193-6 of 21st March 1877.

&c., irrespective of any supernumeraries there may be at the depôts.”

Article 474.—In the ninth line after the word “circumstances” *add* “when, from special temporary causes, the number of field officers in large garrisons falls below the number that can properly be called on to perform the roster of garrison duty.”

G.L. Nos. 113-16-C, dated 4th April 1877.

To the note at foot of page 316, *add*—

G.L. Nos. 376-9 of 21st May 1877.
G.O. No. 79 of 1877.

“Lance ranks in receipt of pay as such, are to be posted for duty with the service companies only, and are not to form portion of the establishment of depôts.”

Article 1734, Clause XV, Page 330.—Immediately below the entry commencing “Station butcher,” &c., &c., insert the following:—

“For the care of a fire-engine in possession of a British Regiment. The allowance will only be passed when one man (or more) is actually employed in the regiment to look after the engine and its appurtenances, .. Rupees 2-0-0.”

G.L. Nos. 290-4-S of 30th April 1877.

G.G.O. No. 420 of 1877.

Article 93.—Expunge the parenthetical sentence “(if an Officer of the British Army)” after the words “Brigade-Major.”

G.G.O. No. 420 of 1877.

Article 100 and foot-note appertaining thereto is cancelled.

At foot of page 314 enter “Rupees 60-0-0” and “Rupees 58-9-6” as the *gross* and *net* pay, respectively, for a month of 30 days, of Orderly-room clerk after five years’ uninterrupted service, &c.

G.G.O. No. 1007 of 1876.

Article 1447-*a*.—*Add* “A warrant officer on furlough receives half the emoluments of his office calculated in the same manner as those of a com-

G.G.O. No. 440 of 1877.

missioned officer; no warrant officer, however, receiving as furlough pay, less than the English furlough pay of his rank.”

G.L. Nos. 893-4-S of 30th May 1877.
Madras Pay Code, Section XVII, Para. 43.

Article 1595, page 300.—In the column of “Staff pay for any month” *enter* Rupees 5-0-0

G.L. Nos. 316-17-S of 14th June 1877.

opposite “Sergeants
“Corporals
“Privates” of the Governor’s Band, Bombay,

and in the column of “Remarks” *enter* “Eligible for good-conduct pay.”

Bombay G.G.O. No. 336 of 1877.

Article 1327.—In the first line, *for* “These loans” *substitute* “One-half of this loan (Article 1326).”
At the end of the article, *add* the following:—

“The payment of a loan in England will only be made on the subscriber undertaking, at the time of applying for it, to refund the same at the India Office, with interest, within two months from the date of advance in the event of his wife or children, as the case may be, not proceeding to India. Recoveries on account of loans paid in England will be commenced from the first issue of pay after the receipt of advice of the issue of the loan.”

G.G.O. No. 480 of 1877.

Article 1043-G.—In the fourth line, after the words “accruing furlough” *insert* the words “and will not count as service for pension.”

Article 1078.—The last sentence is cancelled and the following substituted:—“The issue of the

G.G.O. No. 482 of 1877.

above rates will be regulated by substantive rank in the case of a combatant officer, and by relative rank in the case of a medical officer or veterinary surgeon.”

Article 1081 is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

“1081.—After the receipt of the order recalling an officer from India, consequent on his promotion, transfer, or removal under any circumstances,

or on the expiration of his tour of service, he should be required to proceed to England by the first available opportunity, in a troop-ship or other vessel according to the season of the year; and in the case of a regimental officer, or a medical officer not on

the administrative staff, he should remain at his station on the pay and Indian allowances (which will include the British pay of advanced rank, if promoted) he was drawing when the order reached him, until it is necessary for him to proceed to the port of embarkation to ensure his arriving there in time. But the Indian allowances in question cannot be admitted unless the officer proceeds, as above, by the first available opportunity, nor under circumstances which involve a double payment, viz., to the officer proceeding to England, and to his successor who may have already come out to relieve him; in such cases British pay only of rank will be passed.

Should an officer be absent on leave in India when the order necessitating his removal from the Indian establishment is received at his regiment or station, he will cease to draw Indian allowances from the date of the general order notifying the arrangement, but will be granted the personal allowance until his departure from the country, provided he proceeds to the port of embarkation with the least practicable delay.

The provisions of this article are not applicable to a general officer, or to a surgeon-general and deputy surgeon-general, whose pay and allowances prior to embarkation, after removal from the Indian establishment, or on the expiration of tour of service, are regulated by separate rules.

The journey should be so timed that no unnecessary detention shall take place at the port of embarkation.

As a rule, detention at ports should not exceed three clear days."

Insert the following article :—

G.G.O. No. 482 of 1877, para. 12.

Article 368, Clause i, page 89.—The second sentence of this clause is reconstructed as follows :—
"for the period that may intervene between the date of receipt of the order and the date on which

Secretary of State's No. 165 of 14th August 1872.

G.O. No. 114 of 1872.

Secretary of State's No. 118 of 19th June 1873.

G.G.O. No. 482 of 1877, para. 6.

Bombay G.G.O. No. 219 of 1877.

Bombay G.G.O. No. 219 of 1877.

"1084-a. The provisions of Articles 1078—1084 are not applicable to an officer, who, on being struck off Indian allowances, is not entitled to British pay."
he must leave his station to catch the first troopship in which he could possibly sail, provided that he performs regimental duty during the time and that no double charge devolves on the State—see Article 1081."

Article 124, Page 42.—In foot-note *a*, for "Rupees 95" substitute "Rupees 65"; at page 43, in foot-note *c*, for "Nusseerabad Rupees 90, Deesa Rupees 90, Poona Rupees 80," substitute "Nusseerabad Rupees 80, Deesa Rupees 80, Poona Rupees 130."

No. 575 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th June 1877, is republished :—

Pay Code. No. 586.—The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume II, "Native Troops" :—

Bombay G.G.O. No. 752 of 1875.

Articles 260 and 403. Expunge the words "artillery and."

Insert the following article at page 128, immediately above the heading "Hutting money" :—

"615-a. Furlough at the rate of ten per cent. annually, is allowed to the 4 tindals and 46 store lascars permanently located and attached to the Royal Artillery at Aden."

G.L. No. 722-4 of 24th May 1877.

Insert the following at page 132, immediately above the heading "Transport and travelling" :—

635-a. Free rations on boardship are allowed to tindals and store lascars permanently located at Aden, when proceeding and returning from furlough—Article 615-a."

G.L. No. 722-4 of 24th May 1877.

Article 636. Insert the following additional clause :—

G.L. No. 722-4 of 24th May 1877.

"d. To tindals and store lascars permanently located at Aden (Article 615-a), when proceeding on and returning from furlough."

G.L. No. 461 of 26th May 1877.

Article 20. Substitute "32" for "24" as the scale of pension boys attached to the Sappers and Miners.

Article 559, page 115. To foot-note *c* add—

G.L. No. 181-4-S of 9th June 1877.

"A similar allowance (Rupees 2 monthly) is granted to one syce per troop, appointed jemadar of syces."

Insert the following article at page 24 :—

95-a. A native aide-de-camp when moving on duty, by whatever mode of travelling, is allowed transport at the public expense on the scale provided for a British subaltern officer."

G.L. No. 428-31 of 24th May 1877.

Article 209. Enter the following additional clause after the "Note" :—

Madras Pay Code, Section { "At whatever station within IX, Article 51, and G.G.O. { or beyond the frontier, No. 330 of 1864. { serving or residing. { Recruit and pension boys. { When the price exceeds one Rupee for 13½ Madras measures in the proportion of ¾ Madras measures of rice per boy per diem."

Article 34, Page 5. At the end of the article, add the words — "but see Article 488."

Article 488, Page 96. After the words "as regards pension" insert the words "except in special and deserving cases where there are breaks in a man's service, which may be submitted for the consideration of Government."

G.L. No. 1105-5-A, of 16th March 1877.

No. 576 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the weeks ending 30th June and 4th July 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Rolls were despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 4th July 1877.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
<i>For the Week ending 30th June 1877.</i>		
1	June 1877.	Blair, C. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	McMullin, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
1	Do.	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do.	Smith, Joseph, Sub-Conductor, Department of Public Works.
14	Returns.	<i>For the Week ending 4th July 1877.</i>
1	July 1877.	Bayley, W. C., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Barnett, H. C. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Brown, C. L., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Beaman, A. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Butler, W. H. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 23rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Bardin, G. R. F., Colonel, Assistant Commissary-General, for Serjeant George Campbell.
1	Do.	Cunningham, P. S., Brevet-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Cleland-Henderson, J. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Clay, A. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Campbell, C. C., Captain, 31st Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Curtis, A. F., Brevet-Major, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Church, T. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Chamier, S. H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Donnelly, J. M., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Dakeyne, H. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Douglas, Walter, Lieutenant-Colonel, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Drury, C. R., The Venerable, Archdeacon of Madras.
1	Do.	Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Commanding 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.
1	Do.	Elliott, C. S., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	FitzPatrick, F. S., Captain, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Griffith, W. E., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Godfrey, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hight, Charles, Brevet-Colonel, 41st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hunt, W. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hamilton, A. F., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Hawks, T. S., Colonel, 37th Grenadiers.
1	Do.	Holloway, E. G. V., Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hunter, Joseph, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hooper, G. S., Major, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Knocker, J. B., Colonel, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Lackey, George, Captain, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Lampen, John, Major, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Moore, C. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Morgan, W. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Mosse, Lorenzo, Captain, 67th Regiment.
1	Do.	Osborn, William, Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Presten, B. H., Major, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Power, E. H., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Prendergast, R. S. J., Brevet Lieut.-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	July	Rideout, F. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Ritherdon, A. W., Colonel, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Smith, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Stuart, H. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Shortland, V. J., Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Searle, A. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Strickland, W. G. M., Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Smart, George, Colonel, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Smith, George, Surgeon-General, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Stainforth, William, Captain, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Sankey, R. H., Brevet-Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Touch, J. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Thornton, C. M. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Walton, C. S. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
56	Returns.	

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL, *Chief Secretary.*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amount set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian Name and Surname in full of Officer, Non-Commissioned Officer, and Soldier deceased.	Branch of Service to which Deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.										
1	Henry Northcot Large James.	Medical.	British Medical Service.	Surgeon.	North Trimulgherry, Secunderabad.	19th Dec. 1876.	rs. A. P. 205 7 10	Not known.	Deposited 4th June 1877.	1
2	William Fleming Cullen.	Do.	Do.	Surgeon-Major.	Bellary ..	1st May 1877.	1,137 14 11	Testate.	Deposited 25th June 1877.	2

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL, *Chief Secretary,*

Fort St. George, 5th June 1877.

for *Military Secretary.*

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 12th July 1877.

No. 577 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
2nd Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar Mahomed Moostapha	Subadar	} 13th April 1877.
6th Regiment N. I. {	Havildar, No. 123, Arnachellum	Jemadar	
	Jemadar Shaikh Omer	Subadar	20th May ..

Fort St. George, 14th July 1877.

No. 578 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Frederick Kilgour, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 11th July 1877.

No. 579 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 43, dated 15th January 1877, Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Cumberlege, Staff Corps, Commissioner, Chattisgarh Division, is granted furlough in India from the 12th to the 19th March 1877, the date of his embarkation for Europe.

Fort St. George, 16th July 1877.

No. 580 of 1877.—Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary John Fox, of the Ordnance Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 22nd July 1877, on the invalid pension of Rupees 175 per mensem.

No. 581 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

16th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Chowrymootoo, on Rupees 40 per mensem { From the 1st August 1877.

23rd Regiment Light Infantry.

Subadar-Major Veeragoo, Bahadoor, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank. } From the 1st August 1877.
Subadar Namasevaum, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

No. 582 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 12, dated 21st June 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major L. B. Bunce, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Surgeon A. McClurg 6 months, m. c.
Major G. A. Strover, Staff Corps 3 months, m. c.

DEATH.

Colonel J. White, Staff Corps, 18th March 1877.

Fort St. George, 17th July 1877.

No. 583 of 1877.—The furlough to Europe granted in G.O.G. No. 549, dated 2nd July 1877, to Colonel F. G. Hodgson, Staff Corps, is cancelled at his own request.

Equipment—Royal Artillery. No. 584 of 1877.—With reference to paragraphs 4, 5, and 6, of G.O.G.G. No. 541, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 556, dated 3rd July 1877, indents from Batteries of Artillery to complete equipment are to be prepared in the form and on the dates given below:—

Her Majesty's		Regiment		Indent on the			for Stores required to complete			
Establishment for which drawn.	Names of Stores.	Established proportion.	Now in possession.			Due on former Indents.	Now indented for.	Year and month in which articles required to be replaced were received.	Purpose for which required and authority for supply.	Ordered to be supplied.
			Serviceable.	Repairable.	Unserviceable.					

I do hereby certify that the stores herein indented for are indispensably necessary for the use of the Regiment of according to the best of my judgment and belief after the most careful examination.

Nature of Indents.	Dates of submission.	Remarks.
For practice Ammunition and petty Stores For Carbines	Before annual practice. After Annual Board on Arms. 1st January and 1st July. 1st March and 1st September.	Through the Chief Inspector of Musketry. Regimental Surveys should be held immediately before these dates.
For Station Gun Ammunition To replace condemnations of stores accoutrements, &c., Artillery and Cavalry.		

2. Irregular indents for stores which should be demanded periodically will be returned, unless it can be clearly shown that the necessity could not have been foreseen, or that the interests of the public service would suffer from non-compliance.

3. Indents for materials for repair of saddle-trees and repair and preservation of harness, saddlery, carriages, wagons, carts, and line gear, are to be submitted in the form and on the dates prescribed in G.O.G.G. No. 541 of 1877.

4. Indents for authorized stores should be sent direct by Corps to Commissaries of Ordnance for check and issue of the stores required, and indents for unauthorized stores, other than emergent, should after check by the local Ordnance Officer as to ability of supply, be submitted to the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, who will, as the case demands, and in accordance with existing orders, either authorize the supply or submit the indents for the sanction of Government. Indents of an emergent character for supplies not sanctioned by regulation are to be prepared in duplicate. Such indents are only to be submitted in cases of real urgency, when the delay of sending an indent for sanction to the Inspector-General would be attended with positive injury to the public service. One copy of the indent (the duplicate) is to be sent to the Inspector-General and the original to the supplying Officer. These indents will be passed for supply by Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces, or in very urgent cases by Commandants of stations and out-posts. They will be superscribed "emergent," and will, under the words "to be supplied on emergency," be countersigned by the sanctioning Officer, or by the Divisional (or District) Staff Officer of the department, with the words "by order of the Officer Commanding the Division (or District)."

No. 585 of 1877.—The following extract from the Supplement to the *London Gazette*, dated 2nd June 1877, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 2nd June 1877.

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the celebration of Her Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honorable Order of the Bath.

* * * * *
To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honorable Order, viz.:—

* * * * *
Major-General Michael Galwey, c.B.

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To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honorable Order, viz.:—

* * * * *
Colonel William Charles Robertson Macdonald, Madras Staff Corps.

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No. 586 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1877, is republished:—

ORGANIZATION.

No. 593.—ROYAL ARTILLERY—

Royal Artillery—Organization.

Under instructions from Her Majesty's Government, the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that on and after the 1st July 1877, the organization of the Royal Artillery, as detailed in Horse Guards G.O. No. 22, dated the 1st April 1877, shall be introduced into India, and the system hitherto existing shall cease.

2. Officers now commanding Royal Artillery in the various divisional and district army commands will exercise command of the Royal Artillery within the limits of their respective commands assisted by their present Brigade, Divisional or District Staff, the command and staff allowances at present drawn being continued until further orders.

3. Officers of the Artillery Brigade Staff who may under this order become supernumerary to the future establishment will continue to receive the same staff and command allowance they drew under the Brigade system, until the detail of the future distribution and number of superior commands, &c., has received the sanction of Her Majesty's Government.

4. The Brigade Non-Commissioned Staff, now rendered supernumerary by the abolition of the Brigade system, will remain as at present for duty under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief, and continue to hold their military rank and receive pay and allowances as when Brigade Staff, pending the publication of final orders or until absorbed.

5. All Native establishments now attached to the Head-quarters of Royal Artillery Brigades will likewise be maintained and paid as heretofore.

No. 587 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1877, is republished.

Volunteer Corps—Moulmein.

No. 601.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council having sanctioned the formation of a Volunteer Corps at Moulmein to be designated the "Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps" is pleased to make the following appointments thereto:—

To be Honorary Colonel.

Colonel G. Hearn, Madras Staff Corps, Commandant, 15th Madras Native Infantry.

To be Major.

Major M. Furlong, Madras Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, British Burmah, Town Magistrate, Moulmein.

No. 588 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1877, is republished:—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

No. 603.—The following Clause 37 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st March 1877, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information:—

Straps for water bottles.

Straps—Water Bottles.

Clause 37. The straps for water bottles supplied for the use of the pipers of Highland Regiments will be of the same description as their accoutrements, viz., of black leather.

No. 589 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1877, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 524 of 1877:—

ORDNANCE.

Ordnance Stores. *No. 608.*—With reference to G.G.O. No. 522 of 1877, the following clause in List of Changes in War Matériel are made applicable to India:—

Dated 1st April 1877.

3051. Carriage, leather, side-drum, buff, Infantry.
Loop, spare, with buckle, for carriage, side-drum.

No. 590 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1877, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 57 of 1874:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 609.—FURLOUGH—

Pay and Allowances—Furlough Rules.

Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is hereby notified that all officers who, from the 25th February 1874, the date of the publication of G.G.O. No. 171, of 1874, having less than two years' furlough at their credit, obtained furlough for such period under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, and who obtained an extension of furlough on medical certificate, under Rule XIII of those Regulations, for any period

not exceeding two years in all, and did not draw furlough pay for the entire period, shall be allowed the difference between the pay they receive and the "furlough pay" authorized.

2. Any officer now in India who may desire that arrears of difference of pay may be issued to his Agents in England should submit an application, through the Controller of Military Accounts, to that effect to the Government of the Presidency to which he belongs.

No. 591 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 7th July 1877, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 5th July 1877.

No. 1823-G.—Consequent on the retirement from the service on the 23rd April 1877 of Colonel J. Puckle, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, the following promotions are sanctioned in the Mysore Commission, with effect from the above date, subject to such changes as may be hereafter considered necessary by the Government of India in view of the termination of the minority of His Highness the Maharaja:—

Major W. Hill, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class (now on furlough), to be Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class

Major C. J. Pearce, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, to be Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Mottet, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class (now on furlough), to be Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class.

Major A. W. C. Lindsay, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, to be Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, and Judge of the Small Cause Court.

Captain E. P. Maltby, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class.

Captain E. S. Ludlow, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class.

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Major C. J. Pearce, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, during the absence on furlough of Major Hill, or until further orders.

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Captain E. P. Maltby, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, to Officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, *vice* Captain Cumming.

No. 592 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 9th July 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Rolls were despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 11th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	July	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Andrews, C. A., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Bell, S. W., Captain, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do.	Blundell, J. E., Captain, 67th Regiment.
1	Do.	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bowen, G. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Begbie, A. G., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Clerk, Godfrey, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do.	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do.	Connolly, Paul, Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Cloete, J. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Revenue Survey Department.
1	Do.	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Dickinson, J. E., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Davis, A. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do.	Deane, C. H., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	English, George, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Fairclough, E. D'H., Major, 48th Regiment.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	July	Gilbert-Cooper, W. W., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Good, James, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Gompertz, B. T. M., Lieutenant, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Gulland, A. D., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Hinde, Benjamin, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Hay, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	L'Estrange, E. N., Major, 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do.	McKee, James, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	McLeod, W. S., Brevet-Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Murray, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Major F., W. Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	MacLachlan, T. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. E. Battery, 20th do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Reynolds, William, Major, Bombay Invalid Establishment.
1	Do.	Smith, James, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Straker, C. D. A., Captain, Royal Artillery.
1	June	Street, C. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	July	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Thompson J. A. W., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Theobalds, J. R., Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Taylor, J. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do.	Wright, H. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Williamson, William, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for May 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail:—

	1877.	
1	May	Officer Commanding C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	April	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	May	Do. No. 2 do. 5th do. do.
1	March	Do. No. 3 do. 5th do. do.
1	May	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
1	April	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	May	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	April	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	May	Do. A do. 9th do. do.
2	Do.	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. A do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
2	Do.	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
2	Do.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
2	April	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
2	May	Do. 14th Hussars.
2	Do.	Do. 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. 33rd Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. 43rd Light Infantry.
2	Do.	Do. 45th Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. 48th do.
2	Do.	Do. 67th do.
2	April	Do. 89th do. (Head-quarters).
2	Do.	Do. 89th do. (Left Wing).
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The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
2	1877.	
1	June . . .	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
	Do. . .	Do. G Battery, 9th do. Royal Artillery.
3	Returns.	

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,

Chief Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 19th July 1877.

No. 593 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Colonel J. Loudon, Staff Corps, Commissary-General.		{ Arrived at Madras on the 16th July 1877.
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No. 594 of 1877.—Major J. W. Cleland-Henderson, Staff Corps, is permitted to embark from Bombay, instead of Madras, on the furlough to Europe granted to him in G.O.G. No. 514, dated 16th June 1877.

No. 595 of 1877.—Lieutenant W. Morgan, Madras Volunteer Guards, is granted eighteen months' leave of absence to Europe, on private affairs.

Fort St. George, 20th July 1877.

No. 596 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual has been admitted as an Out-pensioner of Chelsea Hospital. His pension will be drawn at the rate and for the period below specified :—

Anthony, father of late China Gun Lascar Chowrymootoo, Rupees 2-6-0 per mensem, for twelve years, from 1st October 1874—all chargeable to Imperial Revenues.

Fort St. George, 21st July 1877.

No. 597 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

2nd Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Veerapen, on Rupees 25 per mensem, from the 11th August 1877.

Fort St. George, 23rd July 1877.

No. 598 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Lieutenant and Officiating Assistant Commissary Thomas Harney, to be Assistant Commissary, and Supernumerary Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary Joseph Costello, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, from the 22nd July 1877, *vice* Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary Fox, transferred to the Pension Establishment.

Officiating Sub-Conductor Daniel Hemsworth, to be Sub-Conductor, from the 17th February 1877, *vice* Sub-Conductor Dunlop, promoted.

Fort St. George, 24th July 1877.

No. 599 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. T. Searle, Staff Corps, Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, is granted privilege leave of absence for sixty days from the 27th instant, or date of departure—Major W. F. Wright, Staff Corps, 10th Regiment Native Infantry, performing the duties of the appointment on the responsibility of the former officer.

No. 600 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
14th Regiment N. I. {	Havildar, No. 1888, Syed Ilias	Jemadar	25th February 1877.
	Do. No. 1946, Rungiah	Do.	1st April ..

No. 601 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th July 1877, is republished:—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Ordnance Stores—Regulations. No. 629.—The following Clause 34 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st March 1877, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE ORDNANCE STORE DEPARTMENT.

Palliser Projectiles with Broken Points.

Clause 34.—The following revised instructions have been approved for the guidance of Inspectors of Warlike Stores in the examination of Palliser projectiles:—

1. Models "A" and "B" designed to illustrate the extent of the fracture of Palliser projectiles, will be issued from the Royal Arsenal, Woolwich.
2. Any palliser projectiles that may be found with their points broken similarly to, or to a greater extent than what is shown in Model "A," will be sent to the Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, unless they can be used up by the Land Service for practice.
3. Projectiles with their points broken similarly to, or to a less extent than is shown in Model "B," will be considered serviceable.
4. Clause 6, Army Circulars, 1876, is hereby cancelled.

No. 602 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th July 1877, is republished:—

ORDNANCE.

Ordnance Stores. No. 634.—The following Clauses, in List of Changes in War Matériel, are made applicable to India:—

Dated 1st January 1877.

3004. Carriage, iron, wrought, travelling, complete, field rifled M.L. 9-pr. (Mark II, §§ 2660 and 2917).

Alteration of rear transom so that the 12° tangent scale of the 6-cwt. gun, when run down may clear it.

3010. Ordnance, wrought-iron, rifled M. L., 64-pr. of 64 cwt. (Mark III.)

Angle of tangent sight to correct permanent deflection.

Dated 1st February 1877.

3023. Apparatus for proof of tubes, primers and detonators of fuzes. (Mark II.)

Instructions for proof of tubes, primers, and detonators of fuzes, &c.

3025. Box, tin, travelling carriage, fuze, percussion, R.L. (Mark I, § 2201.)

Improved mode of attaching rings.

3026. Carriages, iron, wrought, travelling, field, rifled M.L. 9 and 16-pr.

Alterations to guard-irons of axletree-box seats.

Note.—To apply to Field Batteries of Artillery equipped with 9-pr. R.M.L. gun, the carriages of which are fitted with axletree seats.

3027. Carriage, iron, wrought, naval, complete sliding, boat, fitted for hydraulic buffer, rifled M.L., 9-pr. 8 cwt. (Mark I.)

Addition, to make the carriage suitable also for the 6-cwt. gun.

3029. Covers, paper, cartridge. (Mark I.)

3035. Tube, friction, dummy, for drill. (Mark II.)

No. 603 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 14th July 1877, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 13th July 1877.

No. 593.—APPOINTMENTS—

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Major H. I. Lugard, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Class, *vice* Major Ward.

Captain J. McDougall, Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissioner of 1st Class, *vice* Major Lugard.

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No. 594.—APPOINTMENTS—

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Major T. H. B. Brooke, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Class, *vice* Captain Brooke.

Captain R. M. B. Thomas, Cantonment Magistrate of the 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, *vice* Major Brooke. * * * *

Captain H. H. H. Hallett, Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class, *vice* Captain Pemberton.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Simala, the 11th July 1877.

No. 316.—Consequent on the return from furlough of Colonel R. H. Sankey, R.E., Chief Engineer, II Class, on the 9th June 1877, the following Officers reverted to their substantive grades from that date:—

* * * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Johnson, Madras Staff Corps, temporary Chief Engineer, III Class, to Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade.

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No. 604 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 18th July 1877, is republished:—

IRRIGATION,—ESTABLISHMENT.

Dated the 14th July 1877.

No. 214.—*Notification.*—Colonel F. T. Haig, R.E., Chief Engineer, 1st Class (temporary rank) and Joint Secretary to Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, returned from privilege leave and resumed charge of his office from Major J. G. Forbes, R.E., on the afternoon of the 13th July 1877.

No. 605 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 16th July 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Rolls were despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 18th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	June	Boone, F. B., Major, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	July	Broughton, B. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bolton, R. H., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Clarke, S. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Corbett, A. P. M., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Furlong, Malcolm, Madras Staff Corps.
1	June	Fairtlough, E. D'H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Commandant, Wellington Depot, for
2	July	Army Schoolmaster A. C. Sherwood and Paymaster Sergeant William Clarke.
1	Do.	Gale, W. H., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	June	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	July	Johnson, W. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	O'Leary, T. C., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. Head-quarters, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 2 Battery, 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. Head-qrs., 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. B Battery, 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. 33rd Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. 45th Regiment.
3	Do.	Do. 67th do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	July ..	Pringle, George, Colonel, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	June ..	Spencer, T. C. H., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	July ..	Street, C. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Thompson, Ross, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Thuillier, H. R., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, for Armourer Serjeant John Barber.
1	Do. ..	Weldon, Thomas, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	June ..	Watson, E. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	July ..	Walker, G. L., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	June ..	Young, T. H. B., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
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(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 25th July 1877.

No. 606 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 817, Private Thomas George Leavey, 44th Foot Melbourne, Australia.

No. 607 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.	Subadar Narrainsawmy	Subadar-Major	26th July 1877.
	Jemadar Mootien	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 2711, Rajahlingum	Jemadar	

Fort St. George, 26th July 1877.

No. 608 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

33rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Mahomed Durweish, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 15th August 1877.

No. 609 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Dates of Commission.
6th Regiment N.I.	Havildar, No. 603, Poorpanadum	Jemadar	25th February 1877.
	Subadar Ahmed Hoossain	Subadar-Major	
23rd Regiment L. I.	Jemadar Mahomed Yacoub	Subadar	1st August 1877.
	Do. Hummunsing	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 796, Shaik Madar	Jemadar	
	Do. „ 334, Ramasawmy	Do.	

Fort St. George, 31st July 1877.

No. 610 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel E. Hill, Staff Corps, Squadron Commander, 4th Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 611 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Major George Rowlandson, Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Commander, 10th Regiment Native Infantry, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Major E. Faunce, who vacates on the 2nd August 1877.

No. 612 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment from the 16th August 1877:—

39th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Shaik Nutted	} On Rupees 25 per mensem.
Subadar Ally Cawn	
Subadar Narrain Sing	} On Rupees 12 per mensem.
Jemadar Gopauloo	

No. 613 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 29th June 1877, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 29th June 1877.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

*	*	*	*
Douglas Scott, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 4th February 1877.		
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Augustus Frederick Williams, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 4th February 1877.		
Walter John Vizard, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 4th February 1877.		
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Thomas Spence Hawks, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 5th February 1877.		
George Robert Frederick Bardin, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 20th February 1877.		
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Henry Leslie Grove, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 24th February 1877.		
James Hale Warden, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 24th February 1877.		
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India Office, 27th June 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces:—

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain James Henry Prendergast. Dated 3rd March 1877.
 Captain Charles John Oswald Fitzgerald. Dated 4th March 1877.
 Captain George Henry Oakes. Dated 4th March 1877.
 Captain Henry Fane Hazlett Sewell. Dated 20th March 1877.
 Captain Robert Walter Hesketh. Dated 20th March 1877.
 Captain Quintin Shaw Awdry Jamieson. Dated 20th March 1877.
 Captain Francis Randolph Trevor. Dated 20th March 1877.
 Captain Francis Henry Vanderzee. Dated 7th April 1877.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant and Brevet-Captain Vincent Lewis Mathias. Dated 26th March 1877.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Alexander Porter, M.D. Dated 31st March 1877.
 Surgeon Samuel Bradshaw Hunt. Dated 31st March 1877.
 Surgeon William Smyth Fox. Dated 31st March 1877.
 Surgeon David John McCarthy, M.D. Dated 31st March 1877.

No. 614 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th July 1877, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 641.—STAFF CORPS.—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—
 Lieutenant Bedford Morant Allen, 1st Battalion, 21st Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 2nd Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—2nd May 1876.

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No. 615 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th July 1877, is republished:—

No. 644.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.—

No. 1 Horse Light Field Battery.

Lieutenant R. J. Bevan, Royal Artillery, to be Officiating Subaltern, *vice* Captain C. M. Smith, Officiating as Commandant, No. 2 Horse Light Field Battery.

No. 616 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th July 1877, is republished:—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Musketry Instruction—Articles for Regiments armed with Martini-Henry Rifles.

Musketry—Martini-Henry Rifles. No. 646.—The following Clause 153 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st November 1875, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information:—

Clause 153.—1. The following articles will be supplied for purposes of instruction to each regiment, armed with the Martini-Henry Rifle, having an Instructor of Musketry. These articles will be conveyed with the regiment as part of its equipments:—

Parts of rifles	{	Actions, complete, with butts.	{	Skeleton	..	..	..	..	1
				Wasters	..	..	..	..	2
Implements, action	{	Barrels, rifled, without action, sighted	{	..	..	..	..	..	1
				..	..	..	..	..	1

2. Demands for the articles specified in the foregoing paragraph will be sent in to the Controller at the station on which the regiment is dependent for its supply of equipment.

3. The above articles take the place of the following, which are laid down in Schedule 24, of Appendix to Clause 34, Army Circulars, 1874, in the case of regiments having Martini-Henry arms:—

Locks, iron, waster	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Musket, rifled barrel, pattern of 1853	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Wrenches, T-headed, or nipple keys with cramps	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6

4. The schedule in question will be amended accordingly.

No. 617 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th July 1877, is republished:—

No. 653.—REPORTS OF DEPARTURE—

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Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. L. Smith, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 226 of 1877,— <i>Mirzapore</i> , 9th April 1877, from Bombay.			
*	*	*	*
Captain A. G. W. Hemans, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 399 of 1877,— <i>Thibet</i> , 14th May 1877, from Bombay.			
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No. 618 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th July 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

Pensions. No. 654.—The undermentioned Out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay:—

Serjeant-Major Charles Alford, late Royal Horse Artillery,—Two Shillings and six Pence per diem.

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No. 619 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st July 1877, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 19th July 1877.

No. 405.—Surgeon-Major J. F. Barter, Officiating Superintendent, Central Jail, at Nágpur, to officiate as Sanitary Commissioner, Central Provinces.

No. 620 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 23rd July 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 25th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	July	Arbuthnot, G. A., Lieutenant Colonel, Madras Cavalry.
1	Do.	Alexander, F. M., Brevet-Major, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Bourne, M. K., Lieutenant-Colonel, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Bardin, G. R. F., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Blair, C. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Chambers, C. A., Master Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Cherry, F. S., Brevet-Major, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Gore, C. W., Lieutenant, and Aide-de-Camp to Major-General Gore, Commanding British Burmah Division.
1	Do.	Hayter, Charles, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hildebrand, C. P., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Infantry.
1	Do.	Lockhart, W. E., Major, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Mackenzie, George, Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	June	Do. No. 3 Battery, 5th do. Royal Artillery.
1	July	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do.	Pieton-Warlow, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Smith, J. M., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Whitton, G. E., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
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(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 1st August 1877.

No. 621 of 1877.—With reference to Revenue Department Notification, dated 31st July 1877, the services of Major J. W. Swift, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 622 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Captain G. C. Cooper, Infantry General List { Arrived at Madras on the
28th July 1877.

No. 623 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

33rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Mahomed Cassim on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 16th August 1877.

No. 624 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Dates of Commission.
24th Regiment N.I.	Havildar, No. 2425, Venketsawmy	Jemadar	15th February 1877.
	Jemadar Mahomed Hoosman	Subadar	
	Do. Errah Sing	Do.	16th July 1877.
33rd Regiment N.I.	Do. Fookrodeen Khan	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 1373, Atsut Khan	Jemadar	
	Do. „ 1574, David Philipps	Do.	
	Do. „ 1817, Sied Hoossain	Do.	

Fort St. George, 3rd August 1877.

No. 625 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. V. Morris, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 36th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for twenty months under the Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 626 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

29th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Sheik Surver, Sirdar Bahadoor, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank, from the 21st August 1877.

No. 627 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Gunner John Lear, B Battery, B Brigade, late B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery. } Bombay.

Fort St. George, 4th August 1877.

No. 628 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains	Coryndon Thomas Putt Luxmoore..	..	..	} From the 4th August 1877.
	Henry William Blair ..	..	..	
	Bowness Fischer ..	..	..	
	Kenlis Fergus Stevenson..	..	..	

No. 629 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

38th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Gunganah, on Rupees 25 per mensem	..	..	} From the 21st August 1877.
Subadar Mahomed Saib, on Rupees 25 per mensem	..	..	

Fort St. George, 6th August 1877.

No. 630 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 13, dated 13th July 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant F. C. Maltby, Staff Corps.
Captain H. A. Hammond, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major A. Balmer, Staff Corps	..	..	6 months, m. e.
Colonel P. P. L. O'Connell, Royal Engineers	..	..	2 months, u. p. a.
Major E. A. Wood, Staff Corps	..	..	3 months, m. e.
Surgeon-Major J. Houston	..	..	6 months, p. a.
Colonel G. Baldock, Staff Corps	..	..	6 months, m. e.
Surgeon-Major, G. Williamson,	..	..	6 months, m. e.
Major T. O. Underwood, Staff Corps	..	..	2 months, m. e.
Major H. deLonsada, Staff Corps	..	..	4 months, m. e.
Captain J. H. M. Barnett,* Staff Corps	..	..	3 months, u. p. a.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Foord, Staff Corps	..	..	1 month, u. p. a.

* This cancels the permission to return to duty granted to this Officer (List No. 11).†

‡ Madras G.O.G. No. 563, dated 6th July 1877.

No. 631 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
37th Regt. Grenadiers	Jemadar Mahomed Cassim	Subadar	19th July 1877.

Fort St. George, 7th August 1877.

No. 632 of 1877.—The following movements are ordered in substitution of those notified in G.O.G. No. 501, dated 12th June 1877 :—

Royal Artillery.

Corps.	From.	To.
No. 9 Battery, 8th Brigade late	Secunderabad	Tonghoo.
No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade		
No. 11 Battery, 8th Brigade late	St. Thomas' Mount and Fort St. George.....	Rangoon.
No. 4 Battery, 5th Brigade		
No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade late	Rangoon	St. Thomas' Mount and Fort St. George.
No. 5 Battery, 5th Brigade		
No. 14 Battery, 8th Brigade late	Tonghoo	Secunderabad.
No. 7 Battery, 5th Brigade		

British Infantry.

Corps.	From.	To.
1/21st Royal Scots Fusiliers	Rangoon..	Secunderabad.
43rd Regiment Light Infantry	Bellary ..	Fort St George.
44th Regiment	Secunderabad ..	Thayetmyo and Tonghoo.
45th Regiment	Bangalore ..	England.
67th Regiment	Fort St. George ..	Bangalore.
89th Regiment	Thayetmyo and Tonghoo.	Rangoon.
A Regiment	England ..	Bellary.

Native Infantry.

4th Regiment	Moulmein and Tonghoo..	Bangalore.
6th Regiment	Thayetmyo ..	Trichinopoly.
15th Regiment	Moulmein and the Andamans.	Madras.
17th Regiment	Tonghoo ..	Vizianagram.
23rd Regiment	Bangalore ..	The Andamans.
32nd Regiment	Trichinopoly ..	Thayetmyo.
33rd Regiment	Madras ..	Moulmein and Tonghoo.
41st Regiment	Vizianagram ..	Tonghoo.

No. 633 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department :—

Passed Hospital Apprentice William Sheriff to be 2nd Class Assistant Apothecary from the 28th July 1877, *vice* Assistant Apothecary C. Rungasawmy Moodelly, deceased.

No. 634 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 10th July 1877, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 10th July 1877.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant :—

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Thomas Gannon, Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 5th December 1876.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Debnam, Madras Establishment. Dated 20th March 1877.

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No. 635 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th July 1877, is republished :—

No. 669.—REPORTS OF DEPARTURE—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) E. W. Dun, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 254 of 1877,—*Zambesi*, 15th June 1877, from Bombay.

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Captain C. H. A. Gower, Madras Staff Corps, Madras G.O. No. 496 of 1877,—*Sumatra*, 22nd June 1877, from Bombay.

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No. 636 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th July 1877, is republished.

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 670.—FURLOUGH—

Non-Commissioned Officers.

Furlough Pay and Allowances.

Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that, in future, Non-Commissioned Officers of departments on the Unattached List, who may be granted furlough out of India on medical certificate, will be allowed the British pay of the rank they hold on that list, and 6 pence a day ration money, during the whole period of their absence, in addition to half staff pay for the first six months. Non-Commissioned Officers of departments who draw Infantry, Cavalry, Horse Artillery, Foot Artillery, or the Engineer rates of pay in India, will draw the British pay of those arms while on furlough.

2. In the case of Non-Commissioned Officers in receipt of consolidated salaries, half staff pay will be a moiety of the difference between such consolidated salaries and the pay of their rank on the Unattached List for a month of 30 days. Last pay certificates should show that the half staff pay has been calculated on this principle.

Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, His Excellency the

No. 637 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th July 1877, is republished :—

No. 671.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I, "British Troops":—

G.O. No. 174 of 1876.

Article 1952 is cancelled.

Insert the following article at page 446, immediately above the heading "Widows' pensions":—
 "246a. Whenever regiments, batteries, time-expired men, invalids, or widows, proceed to England, children who may have been placed in the various Lawrence Asylums, orphanages or other charitable institutions in India, are to be withdrawn and will accompany their parents or parent. Children who have neither parents nor step-parents will alone be permitted to remain."

G.O. No. 255 of 1871.

Madras G.O.C. No. 141 of 14th December 1871.

G.L. No. 428 of 9th November 1871 to Bombay.

Article 1158. Add the following at the end of the note :—

"When the distance from the boundary of one station to the confines of another is more than five miles (or ten miles in the case of an officer drawing horse allowance for more than one horse), mileage will be allowed from an officer's quarters in his own station to his destination in the place he is required to visit."

Bengal (Practice).

Bombay G.G.O. No. 319 of 1877.

Article 1168. Insert the following additional clause :—

G.G.O. No. 548 of 1877.

Madras G.G.O. No. 543 of 1877.

Bombay G.G.O. No. 462 of 1877.

"i. If an officer of the Indian service on furlough in England is required to return to India owing to the exigencies of the public service, before the expiration of his leave of absence."

Article 1298, page 247. Insert the following additional clause :—

G.G.O. No. 548 of 1877.

Madras G.G.O. No. 543 of 1877.

Bombay G.G.O. No. 462 of 1877.

"e. If, while on furlough in England, he is required to return to India owing to the exigencies of the public service, before the expiration of his leave of absence."

Article 1264b. At the end of this article, add—"but see Article 1298, Clause e."

Article 1057 A. Expunge the word "not" in the first line, and add the following at the end of the article :—

Secretary of State, No. 108 of 22nd March 1877.

"But this concession is strictly limited to a regimental colonel who has no higher brevet or other rank."

Article 555. For the words "minus tentage" in the third line, substitute the words "see Article 1057 A."

G.G.O. No. 604 of 1877.

Article 61, Clause b, page 25. Expunge the

Madras G.G.O. No. 530 of 1877, and Bombay No. 465 of 1877.

Article 93. Opposite "Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General (District)" enter Madras G.G.O. No. 530 of 1877, Bombay G.G.O. No. 465 of 1877. Expunge the entry "Brigade-Major."

G.G.O. No. 372 of 1877.

Madras No. 530.

Bombay No. 465 of 1877.

Article 1333. For "Rupees 400-0-0" in the last line, substitute Rupees "450-0-0."

word "Bengal" in the last item but two; also expunge the item "Brigade-Major ditto district or station Rupees 400-0-0."

Article 95. Expunge the entry "Brigade-Major of the British Service."

Article 123, Clause d, page 42. The foot-note to this clause to read as follows :—

G.G.O. No. 372 of 1877.

Madras G.G.O. No. 530.

Bombay No. 465 of 1877.

"Designation changed to Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General."

The foot-note at page 43 and the foot-note to Articles 221 and 222 to be similarly altered.

Article 405, page 97. Expunge the words "for three months only in the year," and substitute—

"(The allowance will be drawn *primarily*, for the periods of the year the instruction of any portion of the regiment in musketry has been regularly carried on, without suspension, until completed; *secondly*, during the period the instruction of recruits has been carried on. The allowance is only admissible for periods and days instruction is actually given and not for periodical drills, not part of the annual course, which the several troops are required to perform independently. Bills for the allowance must be supported by the prescribed certificates from regimental commanding officers.)"

Article 1734, item II, page 327. Expunge the words "during annual course and training of recruits in musketry," and substitute—

G.O. No. 135 of 1877.

"For the periods and under the conditions staff pay is allowed to the officer instructor of musketry (Article 405) and for three days in excess while preparing annual returns."

Article 1734, Clause XV, page 330. Insert the following at the end of the clause :—

G.L. No. 214—18-S of 11th July 1877.

"Assistant to the Quartermaster Sergeant in each Horse Field, Heavy, and Mountain Battery of Artillery Rupees 7-8-0."

G.L. No. 305-S of 14th July 1877.

Article 184, Clause o, page 45. "For Rs. 100" substitute "Rs. 150."

No. 638 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th July 1877, is republished. The services of Captain Ducat, a probationer for the Madras Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief:—

No. 678.—TRANSFER OF OFFICERS.

The services of Captain C. H. P. Ducat, 109th Foot, Officiating Garrison Quartermaster, Fort William, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George.

No. 639 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 28th July 1877, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 27th July 1877.

No 2059-G.—The following appointment and promotions are sanctioned in the Mysore Commission, subject to such changes as may be hereafter considered necessary by the Government of India, in view of the termination of the minority of His Highness the Maharajah:—

Major T. G. Clarke, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, and Officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 17th April 1877, *vice* Mr. Wellesley.

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Major E. F. H. Armstrong, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, to be Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, *vice* Krishnaiengar.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. Benson, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, and Officiating Town and Cantonment Magistrate, Bangalore, to be Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, *vice* Major Armstrong.

Captain E. Shaw, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, and Officiating Superintendent of Coorg, to be Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Benson.

Captain J. S. F. Mackenzie, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, and Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, *vice* Captain Shaw.

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With effect from the 24th April 1877.

No. 640 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the unmentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 30th July 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 1st August 1877.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	July 1877 ..	Broome, A. P., Captain, 18th Bengal Cavalry.
1	Nov. 1876 ..	Chester, W. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	July 1877 ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Finlay, G. C., Brevet-Colonel, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Henderson, John, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Houston, J. M., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Kensington, C. H. M., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	McMullin, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding, B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
2	June & July 1877.	Do. No. 7 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	July 1877 ..	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
3	Do. ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Thornton, C. M. J., Colonel, Royal Artillery.
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(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers and Soldier named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amounts set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian Name and Surname in full of Officers and Soldier deceased.	Branch of Service to which Deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.										
1	Molyneux Capel Spottiswoode.	Military.	H. M.'s 43rd Foot.	Lieut..	Metapoli- lium.	1st Nov. 1875.	Rs. 38 11	4 Intestate	1877. Deposited 9th July.	1
2	Edward Dumaresq Gompertz.	Do.	Staff Corps.	Major.	Mysore..	9th Feb. 1877.	10,373 10	4 Testate.	Do. 18th July.	2
3	Augustus Edward Hobart.	Do.	43rd Foot.	Sub- Lieut.	Bangalore.	11th April.	584 3	9 Intestate	Do. 31st July.	3
SOLDIER.										
4 5	John Baines..	Do.	{ E. A. V. Compy. }	Gunner.	Palaveram.	11th Feb.	{ 74 0 4 One sealed packet. }	{ Tes- tate. }	{ Do. 31st July. 27th July. }	4 5

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL, *Chief Secretary,*

Fort St. George, 3rd August 1877.

for Military Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 9th August 1877.

No. 641 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 520, dated 30th July 1877, permitting Major J. B. Reid, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 16th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 642 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment from the 1st September 1877 :—

3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.

Subadar Shaik Hoossain, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

8th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Modeen Khan, on Rupees 25 per mensem.

Subadar Rungiah, on Rupees 25 per mensem.

Fort St. George, 10th August 1877.

No. 643 of 1877.—Surgeon-Major W. H. Roberts, Indian Medical Department, Civil Surgeon, Calicut, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 11th August 1877.

No. 644 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department :—

Passed Hospital Apprentice Henry Hesterlow to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary from the 4th August 1877, *vice* Assistant Apothecary Goooroosawmy, deceased.

Fort St. George, 13th August 1877.

No. 645 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 12th instant, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877 :—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
13	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Charles George Henry Coote.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d. 531 7 0	England.

No. 646 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

*To be Captains, having completed 12 years' service. **

Lieutenants { Donald Robertson } From the 8th August 1877.
William George Currie Johnstone }

Fort St. George, 14th August 1877.

No. 647 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd August 1877, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 683.—The following order issued by the Officer Commanding the late Perak Field Force, is confirmed :—

Dated 16th December 1875.—Appointing Lieutenant A. Howlett, Madras Staff Corps, Commanding C Company, Madras Sappers and Miners, an Assistant Field Engineer, with effect from 1st December 1875.

No. 648 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd August 1877, is republished:—

No. 691.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

2nd Sikh Infantry.

Lieutenant W. F. C. C. Plowden, Officiating Wing Officer, 6th Punjab Infantry, to be Officiating Wing Officer, *vice* Captain J. Burne, Officiating as Political Assistant, Rajpootana Agency.

No. 649 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd August 1877, is republished:—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Equipment—British Cavalry. *No. 692.*—The following Clause 35 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st March 1877, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE ORDNANCE STORE DEPARTMENT.

Lassos.

Clause 35.—1. One lasso, 30 feet in length, will be supplied to each Troop of Cavalry in exchange for one of the 20-foot lassos now in possession.

2. Commanding Officers will make the necessary demands for these lassos on the Senior Ordnance Store Officer of the district in which they are stationed, and, on receipt of the 30-foot lassos, will return an equal number of 20-foot lassos into store.

3. The Details of Equipment for Regiments of Cavalry issued with Clause 62, Army Circulars, 1876, will be amended accordingly.

No. 650 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 6th August 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 8th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	August ..	Austin, Edmund, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Abdy, C. H., Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Bowen, G. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Babington, W. M. S., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Bayley, W. C., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Brown, C. L., Brevet-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Beaman, A. H., Surgeon Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Butler, W. H. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Backhouse, Joseph, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Benson, C. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	July ..	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	August ..	Connolly, Paul, Surgeon, British Medical Service.
2	Do. ..	Chamier, S. H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for himself and Store Serjeant Thomas Baker.
1	Do. ..	Claridge, H. C. Z., Colonel, 37th Grenadiers.
1	Do. ..	Carney, P. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cox, R. E., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Curtis, A. F., Brevet-Major, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Clay, A. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cunningham, P. S., Brevet-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Campbell, C. C., Captain, 31st Regiment Light Infantry.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	August	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Clerk, Godfrey, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do.	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do.	Cadell, A. T., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dickinson, J. E., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Dakeyne, H. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Douglas, Walter, Colonel, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Donnelly, J. M., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.
2	July	Dougall, Joseph, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	August	FitzPatrick, F. S., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Fasken, E. T., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Fox, W. S., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Gompertz, B. T. M., Lieutenant, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Godfrey, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Griffith, W. E., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Galloway, J. M. C., Brevet-Major, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Holloway, E. G. V., Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hight, Charles, Brevet-Colonel, 41st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hawkes, T. S., Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hooper, G. S., Major, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Hudleston, John, Captain, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hamilton, A. F., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Hinde, Benjamin, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Hay, Wolfe, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hicks, F. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hayter, Charles, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Joseph, J. M., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Johnson, W. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	Lecky, George, Captain, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Lampen, John, Major, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Morris, J. V., Lieutenant-Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Moore, C. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Morgan, W. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Mardall, Francis, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	McLeod, D. J. S., Captain, Quartermaster-General's Department, Mysore Division.
1	Do.	Macdonald, R. M., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Murray, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	McLeod, W. S., Brevet-Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Moberly, F. J., Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Major, E., W. Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	MacDonald, J. M., Captain, Commanding European Veterans, for Bombardier Charles Smith.
1	July	McMahon, A. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	August	Osborn, William, Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Prendergast, H. N. D., Colonel, Sappers and Miners.
1	Do.	Prendergast, R. S. J., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Preston, B. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Pearse, C. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Parker, C. E. G., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	July	Do. 89th Regiment.
1	August	Robinson, H. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Romilly, F. J., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
2	Do.	Stuart, H. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Smith, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Smithers, O. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Sibthorpe, Charles, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	August ..	Shaw, G. J., Sub-Lieutenant, 34th Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Touch, J. G., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Teversham, R. K., Sub-Lieutenant, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Theobalds, J. R., Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
2	Do. ..	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for himself and Armourer Serjeant John Barber.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, C. H., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wright, W. F., Major, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Warden, J. H., Colonel, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	White, W. E., Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Williamson, William, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Welch, F. H., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Walton, C. S. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Weldon, Thomas, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Wright, H. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
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(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,

Chief Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 15th August 1877.

No. 651 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
16th Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar Mahomed Oomer Havildar, No. 246, Munnaaroo	Subadar Jemadar	1st August 1877.

Fort St. George, 17th August 1877.

No. 652 of 1877.—Conductor Thomas Grenfell, of the Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment, on the retiring pension of £75 per annum, with effect from the date of his embarkation for England from Bombay.

No. 653 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
38th Regiment N.I. ...	Havildar, No. 1752, Venketuareydoo	Jemadar	5th August 1877.

Fort St. George, 18th August 1877.

No. 654 of 1877—*Erratum.* In G.O.G. No. 579, dated 14th July 1877, granting furlough in India to Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Cumberlege, Staff Corps, Commissioner, Chattisgarh Division, for "from the 12th to the 19th March 1877," read "from the 13th to the 18th March 1877 inclusive."

Fort St. George, 20th August 1877.

No. 655 of 1877.—Colonel George Selby, Royal (Madras) Artillery, has succeeded to the Colonel's allowance by the death, on the 3rd May 1877, of Lieutenant-General J. W. Croggan, Royal (Madras) Artillery.

No. 656 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 541, dated 9th August 1877, permitting Surgeon W. J. Butler, in medical charge 35th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe, that Officer is granted furlough to Europe on medical certificate for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 657 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
29th Regiment N.I. {	Subadar, No. 859, Venketsawmy Jemadar Venketsawmy	Subadar-Major Subadar	21st August 1877.

Fort St. George, 21st August 1877.

No. 658 of 1877.—Pensioned Serjeant Lloyd Stephenson, late of the Sappers and Miners, having been specially allowed by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to count his military service for pension under the rules in the Civil Pension Code, so much of G.O.G. No. 221, dated 4th September 1874, as sanctions the grant to him of the "superior pension authorized to Serjeants" is cancelled.

No. 659 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

38th Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Mahomed Sail, on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 1st September 1877.

No. 660 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 24th July 1877, is republished:—

India Office, 23rd July 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Simpson, 18th Hussars. Dated 18th November 1875.

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No. 661 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th July 1877, is republished:—

No. 672.—The undermentioned Out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay:—

* * * *

Corporal Theophilus Bishop, late 3rd Hussars,—one Shilling and one Penny per diem.

No. 662 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th August 1877, is republished:—

ASYLUMS.

Military Insanes—Asylums. No. 716.—INSANES—

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to republish for general information, the following Act XI of 1877, to facilitate the admission of Military Lunatics into Asylums:—

ACT No. XI OF 1877.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(*Received the assent of the Governor-General on the 31st May 1877.*)

An Act to facilitate the admission of Military Lunatics into Asylums.

Whereas it is expedient to facilitate the admission of European Military Lunatics in Asylums, and to amend the law now in force with regard to the admission thereto of Native Military Lunatics; it is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

Short title.

It extends to the whole of British India, and so far as regards subjects of Her Majesty, to the dominions of Native Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty:

Local extent.

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Repeal of Act XXI of 1872.

2. Act XXI of 1872 (*to facilitate the admission of Native Military Lunatics into Asylums*) shall be repealed.

3. Whenever any European officer, warrant officer, non-commissioned officer, soldier or other person subject to the provisions of the Act for punishing mutiny and desertion and for the better payment of the Army and their quarters, for the time being in force, has been declared a lunatic in accordance with the provisions of the military regulations of the Presidency to which he belongs, and has been ordered to be forwarded to any one of the Presidency-towns, and it appears to one of the Surgeons-General, either of the British Forces or of the Indian Medical Service, according to the Presidency and the service to which the said lunatic belongs, that it is inexpedient that he should be removed to England, or that he should be

Procedure in respect of European officer or soldier declared lunatic.

detained in military custody until he can be conveniently sent to England, such Surgeon-General may, if he think fit, make an order under his hand for the reception of the said lunatic into the Lunatic Asylum at Bhowanipur, Madras or Bombay, or such other Lunatic Asylum as may be duly authorized for the purpose by the Governor-General in Council;

and the officer in charge of such asylum shall receive the lunatic in the asylum, and detain him therein until he is discharged therefrom, in accordance with the local military regulations in force for the time being, or until the Surgeon-General applies for his transfer to the military authorities in view to his removal to England.

4. Whenever any Native officer, non-commissioned officer or soldier appears to be insane, the officer commanding the regiment or detachment to which he belongs shall report the case to the general officer commanding the division or district or force in which such regiment or detachment is serving.

5. Such general officer shall thereupon cause the said Native to be examined by a committee composed of at least two medical officers, or (if this be impracticable) by a regimental committee comprising the officer in command of the wing or squadron to which the Native belongs, and the medical officer in charge of the corps or detachment of which such wing or squadron forms part.

6. If the said committee or regimental committee (as the case may be) are satisfied that the Native is insane, the officer commanding the division or district or force may, if he thinks fit, make an order under his hand for the reception of the said Native into a Lunatic Asylum, and shall then send him thither under military escort; and the officer in charge of such asylum shall receive the Native into the asylum and detain him therein until he is discharged therefrom in accordance with the local military regulations in force for the time being.

7. Whenever it appears to the officer in charge of a Lunatic Asylum that the discharge of a military lunatic, whether European or Native, is necessary either on account of his recovery, or for any other purpose, such person shall be brought before the visitors of the asylum, and on the visitors recording their opinion that the discharge should be made, the general officer commanding the division, district or force, or other officer authorized to order the admission of military lunatics into asylums, shall forthwith direct him to be discharged, and such discharge shall take place in accordance with the local military regulations in force for the time being.

8. The Paymaster of the military circle within which any such asylum is situate shall pay to the officer in charge of such asylum the expense of the lodging, maintenance, clothing and medicine of every lunatic, whether European or Native, received and detained under this Act.

Legalization of past receptions in asylum.

9. All military lunatics heretofore received into Lunatic Asylums shall be deemed to have been so received in accordance with law.

No. 663 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th August 1877, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 556, dated 30th July 1877:—

EQUIPMENT.

Equipment—Royal Artillery. No. 717.—ROYAL ARTILLERY.—

Erratum.—In G.G.O. No. 541 of 1877, under the head "Annual supply of material for repair of double sets of harness, N. P.," in the column marked 8, opposite "Skins, sheep, tanned and curried," for No. "88" read No. "8."

No. 664 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th August 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 722.—The undermentioned out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay:—

* * * * *

Farrier Maurice O'Donnell, late 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery,—Two shillings per diem.

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No. 665 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th August 1877, is republished, and G.G.O. No. 638 of 7th August 1877 cancelled:—

TRANSFER OF OFFICERS.

No. 724.—G.G.O. No. 678 of 1877 is cancelled, and the services of Captain C. H. P. Ducat, 109th Foot, Officiating Garrison Quartermaster, Fort William, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

No. 666 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th August 1877, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 10th August 1877.

No. 666.—APPOINTMENTS.—Captain C. H. A. Gower, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade and Officiating Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Grade in British Burmah, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade during the absence on furlough of Major W. W. Pemberton, or until further orders.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 6th August 1877.

No. 2146-G.—Captain E. A. Fraser, Officiating Political Assistant, 2nd Class, and 2nd Assistant to the Resident, Persian Gulf, is posted to Bussorah as Assistant Political Agent, with effect from the date of receiving charge, *vice* Mr. Carter.

No. 667 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 13th August 1877, is republished:—

No. 548 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for twenty months on medical certificate, under the Furlough Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Surgeon-Major T. Beaumont, M.D., Madras Medical Establishment.

No. 668 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 13th August 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 15th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	August.	Arbutnot, G. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Cavalry.
1	Do.	Blair, H. W., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Broughton, B. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Corbett, W. H., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Clarke, T. G., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Deane, C. H., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Dinwiddie, David, Captain and Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do.	Davies, A. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Elliott, H. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Officiating Assistant Quartermaster-General, Mysore Division.
1	Do.	Frazer, W. M., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Fletcher, J. J., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hamilton, R. E., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Hay, Woulfe, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do.	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant, Poonamallee Depôt, for Serjeants John Guilfoyle, and William Land.
2	Do.	Hamond, R. T., Major, Royal Artillery, for Store Serjeants W. H. Bell and James Bow.
1	Do.	L'Estrange, E. N., Major, 121st Fusiliers.
1	Do.	Morris, J. G., Lieutenant, 8th Regiment Native Infantry.

N ^o . of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	August	McDonnell, Richard, Sub-Lieutenant, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Morant, C. M. A., Captain, Madras Cavalry.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade (late C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.)
1	Do.	Do. A Battery, 6th Brigade (late A Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery).
1	Do.	Do. B Battery, 6th Brigade (late 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery).
1	Do.	Do. F Battery, 6th Brigade (late F Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery).
1	Do.	Do. Head-quarters, Royal Artillery (late Head-quarters, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery).
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 33rd Regiment
1	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th Regiment.
1	Do.	Phelps, R. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Pearse, C. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Porter, Alexander, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Pieton-Warlow, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Price, William, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Sparrow, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	May.	Spencer, T. C. H., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	August	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Wellington Depôt.
1	Do.	Thompson, Ross, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Taylor, J. C., Major, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do.	Woodhouse, A. T., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
43	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for June 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail:—

1877.		
1	June	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
2	May and June..	Do. B Battery, C Brigade, do.
2	April and June..	Do. C do. C do. do.
2	June	Do. No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 2 do. 5th do. do.
3	April, May & June	Do. No. 3 do. 5th do. do.
1	June	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
1	May	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	June	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
3	May and June..	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	June	Do. A do. 9th do. do.
1	May	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	June	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. A do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
2	Do.	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
2	Do.	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 14th Hussars.
2	Do.	Do. " 2/16th Regiment.
2	April	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
2	June	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. " 43rd do.
4	May and June..	Do. " 44th do.
2	June	Do. " 45th do.
2	Do.	Do. " 48th do.
3	May and June..	Do. " 89th do. (Head-quarters).
3	June	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
54	Returns.	

The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same mail:—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
2	June ..	Officer Commanding No. 7 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 67th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 89th do. (Left Wing).
5	Returns.	

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 22nd August 1877.

No. 669 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major L. B. Bance, Staff Corps { Arrived at Bombay on the
16th August 1877.

No. 670 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Gun Carriage Factory:—

Officiating Sub-Conductor George Blazey, to be Sub-Conductor from the 27th January 1877, *vice* Sub-Conductor J. Shaw, deceased.

No. 671 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
20th Regiment N.I. . .	Havildar, No. 1815, Ram Sing	Jemadar	21st August 1877.

Fort St. George, 23rd August 1877.

No. 672 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
14	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Archibald Hugh Hope.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d. 5,750 0 0	England.

No. 673 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 14, dated 27th July 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, and allowed to retire from the service.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Colonel P. P. L. O'Connell, Royal Engineers.
Major J. Pennycuik, Royal Engineers.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major D. MacNeill, Staff Corps 1 month, u. p. a.
Captain J. W. S. Butler, Staff Corps 6 months, m. c.
Captain T. H. Campbell, Infantry 6 months, m. c.
Major T. Higginson, Staff Corps 6 weeks, m. c.
Captain A. C. Williams, Staff Corps 6 months, m. c.

RETIREMENT.

Surgeon-General E. G. Balfour, 30th June 1877.

Fort St. George, 24th August 1877.

No. 674 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
38th Regiment N.I. {	Jemadar Sheikh Ally	Subadar	21st August 1877.
	Do. Cumbao	Do.	
	Do. Chinnasawmy	Do.	
	Do. Syed Hussman	Do.	16th " "
	Do. Iyah Cunney	Do.	
39th Regiment N.I. {	Havildar, No. 630, Letchmon Sing	Jemadar	16th " "
	Do. No. 1501, Ally Hussain	Do.	
	Do. No. 674, Mahomed Hussman	Do.	
	Do. No. 782, Cawder Sherrief	Do.	

Fort St. George, 27th August 1877.

No. 675 of 1877.—The following promotion is made subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Alexander William Crawford Lindsay, having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 26th August 1877.

No. 676 of 1877.—Surgeon J. P. McDermott, in medical charge, 15th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras, Bombay, or Calcutta.

Fort St. George, 28th August 1877.

No. 677 of 1877.—Under the sanction of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, and with the concurrence of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick William Jebb, Commanding Her Majesty's 67th Foot, is appointed Adjutant-General of the Madras Army, *vice* Brigadier-General R. C. Stewart, who vacates on completion of five years' tenure.

Lieutenant-Colonel Jebb will have the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant-General.

No. 678 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments and promotions in the Commissariat Department :—

Captain Shelley Leigh Hunt, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 8th Regiment, Native Infantry, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, <i>vice</i> Major Sewell, retired.	} With effect from the 28th May 1877.
Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. D. Heath, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	
Major H. T. O'Reilly, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.	} With effect from the 1st July 1877, <i>vice</i> Colonel Elphinstone, retired.
Major H. C. Wright, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	
Major C. McInroy, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.	
Captain Robert Hunter, General List, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 30th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class.	

No. 679 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 640, dated 5th October 1875, Major J. W. Hindle, Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, has been granted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, an extension of his furlough to Europe for two months, on urgent private affairs without pay.

No. 680 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
8th Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Jallappah	Subadar	} 1st September 1877.
	Do. Abdool Rhymen	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 276, Yenkanah	Jemadar	} 1st " "
	Do. No. 279, Ramiah	Do.	

No. 681 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th August 1877, is republished :—

PENSIONS.

No. 722.—The undermentioned Out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay :—

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John Wright, late 2nd Battalion, 15th Foot (5th Brigade Depot).—One shilling per diem.

No. 682 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th August 1877, is republished :—

No. 737.—The following order issued by the Resident at Hyderabad is confirmed :—

No. 167, dated 26th July 1877.—Granting Lieutenant-Colonel H. Watson, Commandant, 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, five months' leave of absence in India on private affairs, with effect from the 1st August 1877, or date of departure from Mominabad, under Rule XXV of the Furlough Regulations of 1868.

No. 683 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th August 1877, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 30 of 1877 :—

No. 740.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

Order of British India. His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officers to the 1st and 2nd Classes, respectively, of the Order of British India, under the operation of G.O.G. No. 2 of 1877, with effect from the dates specified :—

MADRAS.

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sirdar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Sheik Emaum, "Bahadur," 15th Regiment, Native Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Nursimaloo, "Sirdar Bahadur," deceased,—25th April 1877.

To the 2nd Class, with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Venketsawmy, 14th Regiment, Native Infantry, *vice* Subadar-Major Sheik Emaum, "Bahadur," promoted, 25th April 1877.

Subadar-Major Andapah, 21st Regiment, Native Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Mahomed Zaid, "Bahadur," deceased,—3rd May 1877.

Subadar Veerasawmy, 9th Regiment, Native Infantry, *vice* Subadar Sheik Modeen, "Bahadur," deceased, 3rd June 1877.

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No. 684 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th August 1877, is republished.

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 741.—FURLOUGH—

Royal Engineers—Furlough Pay. The following Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India is published for general information :—

MILITARY
No. 209.

INDIA OFFICE,
London, 5th July 1877.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor-General of India in Council.

Para. 1. Having considered in Council your Military letter, No. 86 of the 29th March last, on the subject of the furlough pay of officers of Royal Engineers of the Imperial List, I have decided that, for the future, these officers may receive their pay while on furlough either under the regulations in force before February 1873 or under the terms of your General Order No. 120 of the 7th of that month, that is to say, an officer of Engineers of the Imperial List may, at his option, on taking furlough to this country, either receive furlough pay on the understanding that, should he not return to India, he will have to refund the difference between it and English pay, less the regulated amount of passage money, or a free passage and English pay only during the period of his furlough, the difference between English pay and furlough pay, less the cost of his passage, being issued to him upon his return to duty in India.

2. The officer's choice should be made at the time of applying for furlough, and should be noted on his last pay certificate.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) SALISBURY.

No. 685 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th August 1877, is republished :—

PENSIONS.

No. 742.—The undermentioned Out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay :—

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William Carter, late 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery,—One shilling per diem.

No. 686 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 20th August 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 22nd current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	August ..	Beauchamp, G. E. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Blair, C. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	July ..	Boone, F. B., Major, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bourne, M. K., Lieutenant-Colonel, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	August ..	Barrow, F. E., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Chrystie, George, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Chambers, C. A., Master Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Duckworth, Frederick, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	English, George, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Fairtlough, E. D'H., Lieutenant-Colonel, 48th Regiment, Commandant, Wellington Depot.
1	Do. ..	Fenton, A. B., Lieutenant, 66th Regiment, doing duty 4th Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Griffith, C. W., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Hay, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Houghton, Richmond, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do. ..	Lawford, E. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Lockhart, W. E., Major, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding Royal Artillery Staff, Mysore Division (late Head-qrs., C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery).
1	Do. ..	Do. A Battery, 6th Brigade (late A Battery, 20th Brigade) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C Battery, 6th Brigade (late C/20th) Royal Artillery.
1	July ..	Do. No. 3 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	August ..	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 9 do. 8th do. (late 2/5th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 11 do. 8th do. (late 4/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 13 do. 8th do. (late 6/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Standen, Douglas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Spencer, T. C. H., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Thuillier, H. R., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Watson, E. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wolfe, John, Lieutenant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Young, T. H. B., Captain, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
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(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,

Chief Secretary.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

ROB. C. STEWART, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 31st August 1877.

No. 687 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private J. A. Johnson, 48th Foot Bombay.

Fort St. George, 1st September 1877.

No. 688 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
15.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) John Frederick Stoddard.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d. 6,008 0 0	£308 at Madras, remainder in England.

No. 689 of 1877.—Captain W. G. Cumming, R.E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, British Burmah, and Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Public Works Department, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, one month and four days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 690 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
2nd Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Shekh Allee Havildar, No. 99, Shekh Moideen	Subadar Jemadar	11th August 1877.

Fort St. George, 4th September 1877.

No. 691 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors, having completed twenty years' service, six of which have been in the Staff Corps.

Captains. { Francis Henry Thompson
George Randell } From the 4th September 1877.

No. 692 of 1877.—Lieutenant Robert Castel Sherard, Her Majesty's 44th Foot, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 13th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 7th July 1876, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 693 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Lieutenant N. Powlett, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 2 Light Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent. } Arrived at Bombay on the 28th August 1877.

No. 694 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

29th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Venketsawmy, on Rupees 25 per mensem, from the 16th September 1877.

33rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Vardarajooloo, on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 16th September 1877.

No. 695 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th August 1877, is republished:—

ORDNANCE.

Artillery—War Materiel. No. 765.—The following clauses in list of changes in War Materiel, are made applicable to India:—

Dated 1st April 1877.

3052. Harness and saddlery.

Alterations to—

Collar, neck, horse.

Breeching, near, complete, with strap (II.)

Do. off, complete, with strap (II.)

3056. Apparatus, drying guncotton. (Mark I.)

Instructions for drying guncotton.

3057. Band, iron, with loops, for rammer staves. (Mark I.) } Rifled M. L., 9-inch.

Ropes, guide, for rammers }

3065. Gunpowder, service, R.F.G. 2:

Modified specification.

3070. Scales, hanging, siege, travelling, carriage, complete. (Mark I.)

3071. Sights, rifled guns, tangent scale, muzzle-loading, 9-pr., land service, 6 cwt. of Mark II; 5° and 12° (Mark III.)*

3074. Tools, venting, iron ordnance, set No. 3, siege train.

Boxes, wood, for carrying ditto.

* No. 5° sight of Mark I has been approved or sealed. Marked II 5° sight was sealed with the gun, § 2683. For Mark II 12° sight see § 2856.

No. 696 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th August 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 217, dated 22nd August 1873:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

Pay and Allowances—Schoolmasters. No. 766.—Paragraphs 15 and 40 of G.G.O. No. 859 of 1873 are reconstructed as follows:—

"15. Schoolmasters absent on leave, except during the authorized vacations, are not entitled to staff pay, which is only admissible when present with their regiments and in performance of their duties. See para. 40."

"40. Schoolmasters will be granted an allowance of one Rupee and twelve Annas daily, in addition to the actual and necessary travelling expenses by railway or road under the following circumstances:—

(a) When travelling on duty without troops to join their regiments.

(b) When visiting detachment schools.

(c) During transfer from one station to another.

(d) When proceeding to or from a hill depot."

Staff pay is not admissible for the above periods.

No. 697 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 27th August 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 29th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	August ..	Clarke, S. C., Captain, Royal Engineers, for Serjeant William Pearson, Public Works Department.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Newmarch, George, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, B Brigade (late B C) Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 1st do. (late C/9th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 1st do. (late D/9th) do.
2	Do. ..	Do. O do. 1st do. (late G/9th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 14 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 7/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 6th do. (late D/20th) Royal Arty.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 6th do. (late E/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F do. 6th do. (late F/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 6th do. (late G/20th) do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	August	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 14th Hussars.
2	Do.	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
3	Do.	Do. " 48th do.
3	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do.	Rose, William, Colonel, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Wilson, F. J., Colonel, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

F. W. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 5th September 1877.

No. 698 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 1892, Gunner John Smith, No. 13 Battery, 8th Brigade, late } Saint Thomas' Mount.
No. 6 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.

Fort St. George, 6th September 1877.

No. 699 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 15, dated 10th August 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, and allowed to retire from the service, &c.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Staff Corps.
Captain L. B. Byass, Staff Corps.
Captain J. Hotham, Infantry.
Major G. B. Farrington, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Foord, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major J. Pennyquick, R.E. 2 weeks, p. a.
Colonel J. Goddard, R.E. 6 months, m. e.

RETIREMENT.

Captain T. E. Thorpe, Infantry, 28th July 1877.

DEATHS.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Serres, Staff Corps, 3rd June 1877.
General Sir W. L. Griffies Williams, Infantry, 23rd May 1877.

Fort St. George, 7th September 1877.

No. 700 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
14th Regiment N. I. {	Jemadar Soonderum	Subadar	18th July 1877.
36th Regiment N. I. {	Havildar, No. 1732, Maduray	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 1694, Sheik Cawder	Do.	29th August 1877.

Fort St. George, 8th September 1877.

No. 701 of 1877.—Colonel C. P. Keyes, c.b., Staff Corps, Commanding Punjab Frontier Force, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 702 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

23rd Regiment Light Infantry.

Subadar Abdoolah Khan, on Rupees 25 per mensem, from the 21st September 1877.

Fort St. George, 11th September-1877.

No. 703 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 585, dated 30th August 1877, permitting Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. C. G. Warrington, Infantry, Wing Commander 29th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Australia and Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough on private affairs for 9 months and 23 days, and on medical certificate for 8 months and 7 days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

No. 704 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 586, dated 30th August 1877, permitting Major C. G. Gunning, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, Meywar Bheel Corps, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough on private affairs for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

No. 705 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major J. Pennycuik, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Executive Engi-) Arrived at Bombay on the
neer, Public Works Department.) 6th September 1877.

No. 706 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 14th August 1877, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 14th August 1877.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lewis Grant, retired on full-pay, late Madras Staff Corps, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 18th November 1871, in lieu of that of Colonel as stated in the *Gazette* of 17th November 1871, he having been subsequently gazetted to the rank of Colonel with date of 16th September 1871.

No. 707 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st August 1877, is republished :—

CLOTHING.

Clothing—Helmets—British Troops. *No. 783.*—Under the authority of Her Majesty's Government, it is hereby notified that British troops proceeding to India from England, will be provided with cork helmets by the War Office prior to embarkation, the value being claimed in the same manner as other articles of clothing taken to India.

2. The issue of the present biennial allowance for wicker helmets will be discontinued in respect of troops who may be supplied with cork helmets under the above arrangement.

No. 708 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st August 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 571 of 18th September 1876 :—

No. 784.—ADDENDUM—

Bedding—Prisoners. To G.G.O. No. 944 of 1876 add the following after the words "regimental cells" :—

"On the men leaving the country, the bedding will be returned to the Commissariat, unless required for use on boardship."

No. 709 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st August 1877, is republished.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 785.—The undermentioned officer is granted furlough to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Major William Shapter Hunt, Madras Staff Corps, Military Accountant, 3rd Class,—for two years : one year, seven months and seventeen days on private affairs under Rules IX and XV, and the remaining period on medical certificate under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 710 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 6th September 1877, is republished :—

No. 600 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe for two years, on medical certificate, under the Furlough Regulations of 1854 :—

Major A. F. Curtis, 2nd Regiment Madras Light Cavalry.

No. 711 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 3rd September 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 5th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	September	Abdy, C. H., Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Austin, Edmund, Captain, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Adams, W. S., 1st-Class Veterinary Surgeon, doing duty Remount Dépôt.
1	Do.	Brown, C. L., Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Babington, W. M. S., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Chamier, S. H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Carnegy, P. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Cunningham, P. S., Brevet-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Clay, A. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Cadell, Robert, Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Store Serjeant Thomas Baker.
1	Do.	Davies, A. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Douglas, Walter, Colonel, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Dickinson, J. E., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	August	Dougall, Joseph, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	September	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Fasken, E. T., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Fitzpatrick, F. S., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Fenwick, G. C., Lieutenant, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Godfrey, W. H. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Godfrey, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Griffith, W. E., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Gompertz, B. T. M., Lieutenant, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Gardner, R. H., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
2	Do.	Galloway, J. M. G., Brevet-Major, Commandant, His Grace the Governor's Body Guard, for himself and Serjeant-Major John Walsh.
1	Do.	Hight, Charles, Colonel, 41st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Holloway, E. G. V., Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hudleston, John, Captain, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hooper, G. S., Major, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.
2	Do.	Hamilton, A. F., Captain, Royal Engineers, for himself and Corporal Henry Coney.
2	Do.	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant, Dépôt Poonamallee, for Serjeant William Land and Private Henry Plascott.
1	Do.	Hodgson, F. G., Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Lecky, George, Captain, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Luxmoore, C. T. P., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Lewis, R. G., Colonel, 31st Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Loudon, John, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Morgan, W. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Moore, C. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	MacDonnell, Richard, Sub-Lieutenant, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Moberly, F. J., Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Osborn, William, Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do.	Pope, Henry, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Prendergast, R. S. J., Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Prendergast, H. N. D., Colonel, (Q's O.) Sappers and Miners.
2	August	Paymaster, Her Majesty's 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do.	Do. 89th Regiment.
1	September.	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Ridings, J. S., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Riach, W. A., Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Ritherdon, A. W., Colonel, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Stainforth, William, Captain, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Smith, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Scott, T. L., Lieutenant-Colonel, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Smart, George, Colonel, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	September ..	Smithers, O. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Touch, J. G., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, E. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Teversham, R. K., Sub-Lieutenant, 3rd Regiment, Palamcottah Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Vizard, W. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, 12th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Williamson, William, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Watson, G. F., Sub-Lieutenant, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, J. N., Major, 31st Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Warden, J. H., Brevet-Colonel, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Walton, C. S. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Wright, W. F., Major, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the death of the Officer named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of his property, the amount set opposite his name.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against the property of the deceased to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian Name and Surname in full of Officer, deceased.	Branch of Service to which Deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
	COMMISSIONED OFFICER.						RS. A. P.			
1	Robert Tait ..	Military.	26th Regt. N. I.	Lieut-Colonel.	Trevandrum.	6th Jan. 1877.	800 14 2	Testate.	Deposited 30th Aug. 1877.	1

Fort St. George, 6th September 1877.

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secy. to Govt. Military Department.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 13th September 1877.

No. 712 of 1877.—Colonel E. J. Burton, Staff Corps, will be entitled to Colonel's allowances from the 18th September 1877, under the provisions of para. 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808, dated 26th September 1866.

No. 713 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
37th Grenadiers ..	Havildar, No. 264, Ramiah	Jemadar	19th July 1877.

Fort St. George, 14th September 1877.

No. 714 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. Hudleston, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, on production of medical certificate, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 715 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
33rd Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Soobroydoo	Subadar	15th August 1877.
	Havildar, No. 1686, Mahomed Beg	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 1782, Mahomed Secunder	Do.	
	Do. No. 1704, Lutchmiah	Do.	
			16th " "
			16th September 1877.

Fort St. George, 15th September 1877.

No. 716 of 1877.—With reference to Judicial Department Notification, dated 14th September 1877, the services of Major G. S. Keith, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 717 of 1877.—Captain A. T. Woodhouse, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 29th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eight months and eighteen days, and on medical certificate for one year, three months and twelve days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 18th September 1877.

No. 718 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. D. Plowden, Infantry, Wing Commander 20th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eleven months and twenty-eight days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 719 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Mottet, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Mysore.	} Arrived at 'Bombay on the 12th September 1877.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Thomson, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Coorg, Mysore Commission.	
Major W. Hill, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Mysore ..	
Colonel P. P. L. O'Connell, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Superintending Engineer, N. W. P.	

No. 720 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment, from the 1st October 1877 :—

41st Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Kistamah, Sirdar Bahadur, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank.

Subadar Bungariah, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

Subadar Venketasawmy, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

Subadar Abee Khan, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

No. 721 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
38th Regiment N. I. {	Havildar, No. 2593, Shaik Mean	Jemadar	21st August 1877.
	Do. No. 1840, Mahomed Modeen	Do.	
	Do. No. 1864, Nundasawmy	Do.	
			1st September 1877.

No. 722 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th September 1877, is republished :—

No. 794.—BREVET—

Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the following casualty, the names of the undermentioned officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List as specified :—

Major-General W. K. Babington, Madras Infantry, is placed }
on the list of Lieutenant-Generals ; } In consequence of the death
Colonel W. T. Money, Madras Infantry, is placed on the list } of General Sir W. L. Griffies-
of Major-Generals ; } Williams, Bart., Madras Infantry,
Captain H. W. Hastings, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on } on the 23rd May 1877.
the list of Majors on the Indian Gradation List.

No. 723 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th September 1877, is republished :—

No. 795.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Brevet.

Rank, Name, and Corps.	To what Rank promoted	From what date.	In succession to
Major Charles Samuel Steward, Madras Cavalry.	Lieutenant-Colonel ..	24th May 1877 ..	General Sir W. Griffies-Williams, Bart., Madras Infantry, deceased.

No. 724 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th September 1877, is republished :—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Valise Equipment—Allowance for Marking.

No. 804.—The following Clause 93 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st June 1871, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information :—

Marking Accoutrements.

Clause 93.—With reference to paragraph 8 of Clause 72, Army Circulars, 1870, it has now been decided that in the case of a regiment or corps receiving a new equipment, a money allowance shall be granted for marking the same not exceeding nine pence for every 300 articles marked.

2. This order applies to the valise equipment, the number of articles composing which are detailed below, and it will be of retrospective effect so far as that equipment is concerned :—

- 1 bag, ammunition.
- 1 belt, waist.
- 2 braces.
- 1 haversack.
- 2 pouches.
- 2 straps, great coat.
- 2 „ steadying.
- 1 strap, mess tin.

3. The allowance will be charged in the Regimental Pay Lists, and be vouched by a certificate showing the number and description of articles marked.

No. 725 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th September 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 437 of 1877:—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Valise Equipment—List of Accoutrements. No. 806.—In continuation of G.O.G. No. 408 of 1877, the following list of accoutrements forming the valise equipment of a regiment of British Infantry, is published for general information:—

Names of Articles.		Period of Service.	Data for calculating Proportion.	Total number per Regiment.	REMARKS.
ACCOUTREMENTS.		Years.			
Bags, leather, ammunition, valise equipment, sergeants and rank and file.		5	1 per sergeant, corporal and private.	829	
	Color, infantry, buff	10	1 per color	2	
BELTS.	Waist, buff, { Staff sergeants	8	1 per staff sergeant, sergeant cook, master tailor and band sergeant.	12	
LEATHER.	{ Serjeants	8	1 per sergeant and sergeant pioneer.	41	
	{ Rank and file	8	1 per corporal, private, pioneer, musician, bugler and drummer.	835	
Bottles, glass, soda-water, covered with leather			1 per man of all ranks	886	
Bottles, zinc, oil, for ball bags, infantry			1 per sergeant, corporal and private.	829	
Braces, leather, V.E., all ranks, buff, infantry	sets	8	1 per man of all ranks	886	
Buckles, brass, infantry, rank and file, waist belts		10	{ 1 per waist belt, sergeants ..	875	
			{ 1 " " rank and file .. }		
CARRIAGE.	Drum, buff side, infantry	10	1 per side drum	8	
LEATHER.	Waist belts, infantry (long ..	5	1	12	
	S. S. with billets. { short ..	5	1 per S.S., belt waist	12	
FROGS.	Pioneers with shifting loop	10	1 per pioneer sergeant and pioneer.	11	
LEATHER.					
BUFF.	Rank and file	10	1 per corporal and private.	789	
INFANTRY.	Sergeants, drummers, band and bugler	10	1 per sergeant, drummer, musician and bugler.	76	
Haversacks, canvas, white, with button and brass slide		3	1 per man of all ranks	886	
Knots, leather, swords, buff, S. S. infantry, R. A. and R. E.	No.	8	1 per sword	12	
	Brass, infantry, rank and file	12	1 per corporal, private, pioneer, musician, drummer and bugler.	835	
LOCKETS.					
UNION.	Gilding, metal, sergeant, infantry	12	1 per sergeant and pioneer sergeant.	41	
	Gilt, staff sergeants, infantry	12	1 per staff sergeant, sergeant cook and master tailor.	12	
Pouches, leather, ammunition black, V. E. 20 rounds, sergeants, rank and file, infantry.		5	2 per sergeant, corporal and private.	1,658	
SLINGS, LEATHER, MUSKET	Short rifles	8	1 per short rifle	40	
AND RIFLE, BUFF, INFANTRY.					
	Long ..	8	1 per long ..	789	
	Great Coat ..	8	1	886	
STRAPS, LEATHER, V.E. BUFF.	Mess, tin ..	8	1 per man of all ranks	886	
	Supporting valise ..	8	1	886	
Washers, leather, for zinc oil, bottles			2 per oil bottle	1,658	
Whistles and chains, sergeants, brass, infantry			1 per sergeant	40	Light infantry only.
Valise, infantry		10	1 per man of all ranks	886	

No. 726 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th September 1877, is republished:—

ORDNANCE.

No. 810.—STORES—

Lance Bucket. The following clause in List of changes in War Matériel, is made applicable to India:—

Dated 1st December 1871.

LANCE BUCKET.

2134. Lance bucket, secured to staple of stirrup iron by 3 inch strap and buckle instead of being sewn; top binding prolonged so as to cover top of stirrup iron, and form a pocket with a hole to take stirrup leather, for Cavalry.

No. 727 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 10th September 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 12th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	September ..	Bell, C. J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Blair, H. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	August ..	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Babington, R. C., Brevet-Colonel, 4th Regiment, Native Infantry.
1	September ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cadell, A. T., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do. ..	Cornish, W. R., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Cox, H. W. H., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain and Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Elliot, H. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Officiating Assistant Quartermaster-General, Mysore Division.
1	Do. ..	Fletcher, J. J., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	August ..	Godson, John, Major, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	September ..	Gray, R. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Gulland, A. D., Surgeon-Major British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hinde, Benjamin, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Isacke, L. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Jennings, C. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Ceded Districts.
1	Do. ..	Laughton, A. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Murray, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding Royal Artillery* Staff, Mysore Division (late Head-quarters C Brigade) Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. D/6th Brigade (late D/20th) Royal Artillery.
1	August ..	Do. No. 8/8th Brigade (late No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade) Royal Artillery.
1	September ..	Do. Head-quarters (late 20th Brigade) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 89th do.
1	Do. ..	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Smith, C. J., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Sparrow, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Taylor, A. C., Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, L. F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Welch, F. H., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, C. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Woodhouse, A. T., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Walker, Alexander, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for July and August 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail :—

	1877.	
1	July ..	Officer Commanding Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. B Battery, C Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 3 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 do. 5th do. do.
2	June and July ..	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	July ..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. A do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	July ..	Officer Commanding A Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 20th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
2	June and July ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
2	July ..	Do. " 14th Hussars.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
4	May and June ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
2	July ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
4	June and July ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	August ..	Do. Presidency, for Gunner James Day, late 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. H. M.'s 67th Regiment, for Privates Thomas Duff, Samuel Dixon, and Samuel Barnes, 89th Foot.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 19th September 1877.

No. 728 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Medical Department:—

Passed Hospital	{ Donald Wooten .. .. .	.. .. .	To be 2nd-Class Assistant
Apprentices	{ Henry Rath .. .. .	.. .. .	Apothecaries from the
	{ William Francis .. .. .	.. .. .	14th May 1877, to com-
	{ Richard Cumming Debeaux Prince .. .. .	.. .. .	plete the Establishment.

No. 729 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
23rd Regt. W. L. I.	{ Jemadar Kurreemoolah Khan	Subadar	21st September 1877.
	{ Havildar, No. 307, Chinmasawmy	Jemadar	

Fort St. George, 21st September 1877.

No. 730 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Dyneley, Commandant, 1st Light Cavalry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 731 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Lieutenant F. C. Maltby, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quarter-master, 16th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Bombay on the 15th September 1877.

No. 732 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant James Edward Porteous having completed twelve years' service, four of which have been in the Staff Corps, to be Captain from the 22nd September 1877.

No. 733 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 16, dated 24th August 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, or allowed to retire from the service, &c.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain C. R. Bradstreet, Infantry.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. W. Osborne, c.b., Staff Corps .. 4 months, m. c.
 Surgeon J. L. O'Keefe 6 months, m. c.

RETIREMENT.

Captain F. R. B. Byrch, Infantry, 12th September 1877.

No. 734 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.

Subadar Shaik Ahmed, on Rupees 59-8-0 per mensem, from the 1st October 1877.

Fort St. George, 24th September 1877.

No. 735 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major R. C. Stewart, Cavalry, Military Assistant to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore. } Arrived at Bombay on the 12th September 1877.

Fort St. George, 25th September 1877.

No. 786 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Elliot, Infantry, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Malabar and Canara, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 787 of 1877.—With reference to Revenue Department Notification dated 25th September 1877, the services of Major E. H. Thomas, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 788 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Shaik Homed, Sirdar Bahadur, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank, from the 6th October 1877.

No. 739 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th September 1877, is republished:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 884.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I, "British Troops":—

Article 1241, Clause *a*, page 235. At the end of this clause insert the following:—

"NOTE.—An officer serving at Thayetmyo is allowed a free passage by river steamer to Rangoon, and one serving at Tonghoo a free passage to the coast when entitled to a free passage thence by sea."

G.L. No. 6971-C of 3rd July 1877.

Article 2012. The two clauses of this article to be lettered *a* and *b* respectively. To Clause *a* add the following:—

"Should it be considered expedient that the families should not accompany the regiments, &c., but proceed separately to their destination, no claims to additional carriage will be thereby established." To Clause *b* add the following:—

G.L. Nos. 21-6 of 2nd July 1877.

"The provisions of this clause are not applicable to the families of detachments proceeding to convalescent depôts who are only allowed carriage on the scale prescribed in the preceding clause."

G.L. Nos. 21-6 of 2nd July 1877.

G.L. No. 96 of 4th May, and Nos. 512-13-S. of 18th May 1877.

Article 60, Clause *d*, page 20. For "Remount Agent, Madras," substitute "Remount Agent, Bengal and Madras."

Article 1734, Clause XIV, page 330. Immediately above the Note insert the following:—

"For the company of Royal Engineers at Roorkee, an assistant nurse is allowed on the above rate of pay, provided the number of women present with the company exceed that usually present with two companies of infantry."

G.L. Nos. 135-6-S. of 5th May 1877.

Article 1162. To be reconstructed as follows:—

"An Officer entitled to the mileage rate of travelling allowance when travelling on duty connected with his office, cannot draw that rate when he is removed to another station or charge. If entitled to conveyance at the public expense on such occasions, he must obtain an order for free conveyance, or draw the actual expenses of the journey under Article 1157, provided they do not exceed the authorized mileage rate."

G.L. Nos. 781-3-S. of 30th July 1877.

Article 1074. Add "This article is applicable to the Hyderabad Contingent."

Article 2468-*a*. Add "The provisions of this article are to be strictly observed except in cases where the absence of the parent or parents is not to exceed one year, when the child or children may be retained on an approved guarantee that they will be removed without expense to Government or the asylums, &c., in the event of their parents not returning to India on the expiration of that period."

G.L. Nos. 533-6 of 20th July 1877.

Article 1341-*a*. Add the following:—

G.L. No. 177-94-C. of 9th August 1877.

"NOTE.—Leave granted to priests by their ecclesiastical superiors does not count as service qualifying for the higher allowances."

Insert the following article:—

G.L. Nos. 63-4-C of 3rd August 1877, and 493-S to Bom. of 20th idem.

"581-*a*. No extra remuneration is admissible to a veterinary surgeon who may be required to aid the Commissariat Department in treating deceased cattle.

G.G.O. No. 230 of 1873.

Article 1734, Clause III, page 328. In the sixth line, for the words "an infantry" substitute "and two for each regiment of infantry."

Article 124, page 43. Enter the following:—

G.L. Nos. 413-4-C of 21st August 1877.

Article 120, Clause *i*, page 41. Add—

"Officer Commanding Fortress Gwalior, Rupees 25."

"The half staff pay will commence from the date on which the officer makes over charge of his office, and he will not again receive full staff pay until he resumes charge of his office in India."

Financial Resolution No. 2118 of 31st July 1877.
G.L. Nos. 361-71 of 18th August 1877.

To the foot-note at page 45 add—

"But when a lancer regiment or the 17th Bengal Cavalry is provided with and required to keep up a range, half the allowances sanctioned for a Native Cavalry Regiment armed with rifled carbines is authorized, viz.:—For butts and targets Rupees 2, and for musketry appliances Rupees 5 per mensem."

G.L. Nos. 652-4-S of 25th July 1877.
Bengal Controller's letter No. 5897 of 28th August 1877, to Accountant-General, Military Department.

Article 1158, page 219. To the Note add—
Bengal Controller's letter No. 5481 of 17th August 1877, to Accountant-General, Military Department.

Article 1596, Clause (c), is reconstructed as follows:—

"(c.) While absent on furlough out of India on medical certificate,—British pay of the rank the man holds on the unattached list. Non-commissioned officers of departments who draw infantry, cavalry, horse artillery, foot artillery, or the engineer rates of pay in India, will draw the British pay of those arms while on furlough (see Article 1630)."

Article 1630. In the third line after the word "rank" insert the words "on that list (Article 1596)"; in the fourth line substitute the word "pay" for "salary."

At the end of the article add the following:—

"In the case of a non-commissioned officer in receipt of a consolidated salary, the half staff pay will be a moiety of the difference between such consolidated salary and the pay of his rank on the unattached list for a month of 30 days."

G.G.O. No. 670 of 1877.

Article 1608. Expunge the words commencing "his half staff," &c., to the end of the article, and substitute "his half staff pay will be calculated as prescribed in Article 1630."

G.G.O. No. 670 of 1877.

Article 937. Add—"An officer may, at his option, take furlough on the above conditions, or receive furlough pay on the understanding that, should he not return to India, he will have to

G.G.O. No. 741 of 1877.

refund the difference between it and English pay less the regulated amount of passage money: the officer's choice must be made at the time of applying for furlough, and should be noted on his last pay certificate."

Article 1707 is reconstructed as follows:—

"1707. A schoolmaster absent on leave, except during the authorized vacations, is not entitled to staff pay which is only admissible when present with his regiment and in performance of his duties—see Article 1999."

G.G.O. No. 766 of 1877.

Article 1999 is reconstructed as follows:—

"1999. A schoolmaster will be granted an allowance of one Rupee and twelve Annas daily in addition to the actual and necessary travelling expenses by railway or road, under the following circumstances:—

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(a.)—When travelling on duty without troops to join his regiment.

(b.)—When visiting detachment schools.

(c.)—During transfer from one station to another.

(d.)—When proceeding to or from a hill depot.

Staff pay is not admissible for the above periods."

No. 740 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th September 1877, is republished:—

Pay Code. No. 835.—The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume II, "Native Troops":—

Page 115. To foot-note *a*, add the following:—

"A monthly allowance of Rupees 2 each is granted to 3 syces per horse artillery battery, 2 syces per field battery, 3 syces per mountain battery of six guns, and 2 syces per mountain battery of four guns, employed in the repair of line gear."

G.G.O. No. 541 of 1877.

Article 571. Add the following:—

"Tent lascars, when detached singly or in small parties, are entitled to extra batta without the submission of the usual certificate that carriage has been maintained."

G.L. Nos. 1—2-C of 1st August 1877.

Article 98, Clause *f*, page 28. Immediately under the entry "School allowance" and above the words "Malwa Bheel Corps" insert:—

G.L. Nos. 525-8-S of 20th July 1877.

Article 559, page 114. To foot-note *p*, add—

G.L. Nos. 37-8-S of 2nd August 1877.

Article 385. In the Note, expunge the words "the allowance is granted to the 4th Punjab Cavalry," and add the following at the end of the article:—

"The above allowance for the school-room or shed is also sanctioned for each regiment of cavalry, infantry and battery of artillery of the Punjab Frontier Force."

G.L. Nos. 525-8-S of 20th July 1877.

Article 343, Clause (c) Expunge the portion of the first note to this clause, which reads "exclusive also of trumpeters, drummers," &c., and substitute the following:—

G.L. Nos. 342-5-S of 15th August 1877.

"Trumpeters, drummers, and buglers are allowed to participate in the rewards for good shooting and judging distance."

G.L. Nos. 729-30-S of 28th August 1877.

"To the best shot of each of the three squadrons (when practised) of the 17th Bengal Cavalry."

G.L. Nos. 225-8-S of 10th October 1877.

G.L. Nos. 731-5-S of 28th August 1877.

Article 343, Clause (a), page 66. In the seventh and eighth lines, after the words "regiments armed with the rifled carbine," add—

Article 637. For "Government steamers" substitute "Government river steamers."

Articles 5-a and 340-a. Add "The allowance is not admissible to muleteers, drivers, and mahouts of British and Native artillery."

No. 741 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 17th September 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 19th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	September ..	Beeching, Frank, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	August ..	Bourne, M. K., Lieutenant-Colonel, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Boone, F. B., Major, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Byng, T. R., Captain, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	September ..	Broughton, B. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Clerk, Godfrey, Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do. ..	Gamack, Alexander, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Houston, J. M., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	August ..	Hawkes, George, Lieutenant, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	September ..	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant, Dépôt Poonamallee, for Corporal Henry Masson.
1	Do. ..	Major, F. W., Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Mackenzie, George, Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	McKee, James, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Macdougall, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding Royal Artillery Staff, Mysore Division (late Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery).
1	Do. ..	Do. B/B Brigade (late B/C) Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C/B do. (late C/C) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. H/1st do. (late A/9th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. L/1st do. (late D/9th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. O/1st do. (late G/9th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F/6th do. (late F/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 13/8th Brigade (late 6/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 14/8th do. (late 7/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, A. C., Army School Master, Wellington Dépôt.
1	Do. ..	Tennant, T. B. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	August ..	Watson, E. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Young, T. H. B., Captain, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 26th September 1877.

No. 742 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Foord, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, } Arrived at Madras on the
23rd Regiment Light Infantry. } 21st September 1877.

No. 743 of 1877.—The services of Major G. S. Keith, Staff Corps, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Judicial Department.

Fort St. George, 28th September 1877.

No. 744 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 614, dated 14th September 1877, permitting Lieutenant-Colonel H. Watson, Staff Corps, Commandant, 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

No. 745 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Driver Thomas, Senior, L Battery, 1st Brigade, late C Battery, 9th } Adelaide, South Australia.
Brigade, Royal Artillery.

Fort St. George, 1st October 1877.

No. 746 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer in civil employ is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the terms of the Secretary of State's despatch in the Home Department to the Government of India, No. 81, dated 13th July 1876 :—

Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Robert Renton, Town Magistrate, Mysore.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d. 421 19 0	England.

No. 747 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877 :—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
16	Lieutenant-Colonel George Kallender	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 365 0 0	£ s. d. 293 4 0	England.

No. 748 of 1877.—Major E. H. R. Chambers, Staff Corps, is appointed to the charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Vizagapatam and Vizianagram, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Hudleston, who proceeds on furlough to Europe.

No. 749 of 1877.—Captain R. J. McGhee, Half Pay List, Madras Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to active duty.

No. 750 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department :—
Passed Hospital Apprentice Robert Collins to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary from the 13th September 1877, *vice* Assistant Apothecary H. Rath, deceased.

Fort St. George, 2nd October 1877.

No. 751 of 1877.—The services of Major J. A. Richmond, Staff Corps, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief at his own request.

No. 752 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 696, Gunner George William Carey, E. Battery, 6th Brigade (late } Madras.
E/20th), Royal Artillery.

No. 753 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 31st August and 4th September 1877, are republished :—

India Office, 31st August 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Services made by the Governments in India :—

BREVET.

* * * *

To be Majors.

Captain Atwill Curtois, Madras Cavalry, in succession to General W. N. T. Smeë, Bombay Infantry, deceased. Dated 8th February 1877.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain Arthur Frederick Loughton. Dated 20th April 1877.

Captain James Henry Gordon. Dated 20th April 1877.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Charles Warren Walker. Dated 12th May 1877.

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th September 1877.

The following Officers to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

Lieutenant-Colonels and Brevet-Colonels to be Major-Generals. Dated 5th September 1877.

* * * *

James Puckle, Madras Staff Corps.
John Elphinstone, Madras Staff Corps.
Alexander James Bruce, Madras Staff Corps.
Arthur Francis, Madras Staff Corps.

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Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels. Dated 5th September 1877.

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George Massey Payne, Madras Staff Corps.
Edward Cave, Madras Staff Corps.

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The undermentioned Warrant Officers to be granted a step of honorary rank as follows :—
To have the honorary rank of Captain :—

Deputy Commissary James Lever, Madras Establishment. Dated 1st May 1877.

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To have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, junior of that rank for one year :—

Deputy Assistant Commissary James Joyce, Madras Establishment. Dated 1st May 1877.

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No. 754 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st September 1877, is republished :—

ORDNANCE.

Artillery—Equipment. No. 849.—The following clauses in list of changes in War Matériel are made applicable to India :—

Dated 1st January 1875.

2692. Carriage, iron, wrought, travelling, rifled M. L. 40-pr. (Mark I § 2606).

Addition of :—

Bed, elevating and shifting	..	..	..	..	..	1
Coins { hand..	..	..	..	..	..	1
{ large	..	..	..	..	..	1
Roller shifting	..	..	..	..	..	1
Scotch	..	..	..	..	..	1

Dated 1st December 1875.

2814. Carriages, iron, wrought, travelling, R. M. L., siege.
Method of carrying priming irons.

Dated 1st October 1876.

2963. Rocket, war, hale, 24-pr. (Mark V).
2964. Tank, wood, gun-cotton, with plug (Mark II).

Dated 1st November 1876.

2968. Instructions for the use of implements, fuze and shell, rifled ordnance, field service only.

Dated 1st December 1876.

2989. Gyn, triangle, heavy, 12 to 7 tons, wrought-iron, complete, with tackle, levers, slings and wood trucks, 18 feet (Mark II).
Gyn, triangle, light, under 7 tons, wrought-iron, complete, with tackle, levers, slings, and wood trucks, 18 feet (Mark II).
Increase of diameter of head bolts.

Dated 1st March 1877.

3046. Shells, rifled M. L., shrapnel, boxer, 9-pr. (Marks I and II).
Withdrawal of

Dated 1st April 1877.

3058. Box, wood, rocket, packing, sea service, 24-pr. (to hold three rockets) (Mark III).

Dated 1st May 1877.

3081. Arc, graduated; with screws for attachment to wood, bolts for stone, and bolts with nuts of extra depth for the ends of arc for concrete (Mark II).
3103. Side-arms, rifled M. L., 16-pr. and 9-pr. Screw marking of staves.

No. 755 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st September 1877, is republished:—

TRANSFER OF OFFICERS.

Transfer of Officers. *No. 854.*—The services of the undermentioned Officers have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George for special duty:—

Major G. C. Ross, Bengal Staff Corps, Squadron Commander, 16th Bengal Cavalry.

Captain J. B. Hopkins, 1st Battalion, 6th Foot.

Captain C. W. N. Guinness, 72nd Foot, Station Staff Officer, Landour.

Captain H. G. Grant, 78th Foot, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

Captain D. J. Stewart, General List, Infantry, Wing Officer, 3rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain E. H. Webb, General List, Infantry, Wing Officer, 8th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain S. A. Swinley, General List, Cavalry.

Lieutenant J. J. Congdon, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant C. F. Magrath, do.

Lieutenant R. Johnston, 2nd Battalion, 22nd Foot.

Lieutenant H. Kilgour, 1st do. 5th do.

Lieutenant C. A. Morris, 1st do. 14th do.

Lieutenant C. D. Gibbon, 1st do. 25th do.

Lieutenant L. Gordon, 1st do. 25th do.

Lieutenant W. W. Beagin, 59th Foot.

Lieutenant A. G. Leonard, 59th do.

Lieutenant H. C. Lamb, Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating Squadron Officer, 4th Bengal Cavalry.

Lieutenant S. C. F. Peile, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 2nd (Queen's Own) Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry.

Lieutenant C. M. Fitzgerald, Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer, 3rd Regiment of Native Infantry.

Lieutenant C. H. DesVœux, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 4th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Lieutenant E. H. Bingham, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 13th (The Shekhawattee) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Lieutenant G. H. B. Coats, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 25th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Lieutenant P. E. Anderson, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 25th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Lieutenant A. C. G. Lydiard, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 31st (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry.

No. 756 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 27th September 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 29th idem.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	September	Babington, R. C., Colonel, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Chambers, C. A., Master-Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Candy, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Duckworth, Frederick, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Finlay, G. C., Colonel, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Frazer, W. M., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Furlong, Malcolm, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Grove, A. S., Captain, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Godson, John, Major, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Heysham, B. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, Assistant Commissary-General, Rangoon, for Serjeant Harry States.
1	Do.	Lockart, W. E., Major, Royal Artillery.
2	Do.	Lawford, E. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Lloyd, E. C., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Larminie, E. M., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Newmarch, George, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding C Battery B Brigade, (late C/O), Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. K do. 1st do. (late C/9th), Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. L do. 1st do. (late D/9th), do.
1	Do.	Do. O do. 1st do. (late G/9th), do.
1	Do.	Do. F do. 6th do. (late F/20th), do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 6th do. (late G/20th), do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 9 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 2/5th), Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. No. 11 do. 8th do. (late 4/5th), do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. (late 5/5th), do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 14th Hussars.
1	Do.	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do.	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. " 48th do.
2	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Rogers, C. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Rose, William, Colonel, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Steward, C. S., Major, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Stansfeld, T. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do.	Standen, Douglas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps, for himself and Garrison Serjeant-Major W. W. Marony.
1	Do.	Thompson, Ross, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Thornton, C. M. J., Colonel, Commanding Royal Artillery, British Burmah.
1	Do.	Tennant, T. B. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Woodhouse, A. T., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Wolfe, John, Lieutenant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Wynch, J. W., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
50	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 3rd October 1877.

No. 757 of 1877.—Conductor Thomas Fairfax, of the Adjutant-General's Department, is promoted to the rank of Deputy Assistant Commissary.

Fort St. George, 5th October 1877.

No. 758 of 1877.—Deputy Surgeon-General J. A. W. Thompson, M.D., British Medical Service, Mysore Division and Ceded Districts, is permitted to proceed to Europe on medical certificate to appear before a Medical Board, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. Nos. 1037* of 1871 and 1088† of 1872.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 285, dated 5th December 1871.
† Madras G.O.G. No. 257, dated 26th October 1872.

No. 759 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 634, dated 27th September 1877, permitting Surgeon-Major W. Fry, Residency Surgeon, Travancore, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that officer is granted furlough on private affairs for one year and seven days, and on medical certificate for eleven months and twenty-three days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

No. 760 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon James Byers Thomas, L.R.C.P.L., having completed 12 years' service, to be Surgeon-Major, from the 2nd October 1877.

No. 761 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department:—

Passed Hospital Apprentice Richard Selvey, to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary from the 1st October 1877, to complete the Establishment.

No. 762 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
6th Regt. N. I. .. {	Havildar, No. 1193, Mahomed Yasseen	Jemadar	1st February 1877.
	Do. No. 555, Ramasawmy	Do.	20th May ..

Fort St. George, 6th October 1877.

No. 763 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) R. Benson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 764 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Captain H. A. Hammond, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police,) Arrived at Bombay on the
Central Provinces.) 28th September 1877.

No. 765 of 1877.—Captain E. Shaw, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, Mysore, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for eighteen months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 766 of 1877.—**Saddle Contract Fund, Native Cavalry.** His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following final statement exhibiting the names of Officers, and the periods for which they are entitled to share in the Consolidated Saddle Contract Fund of Native Cavalry Regiments, from 1st April 1876 to 31st March 1877, be published in General Orders :—

Distribution Details.

4 Regiments of Light Cavalry, 1 share each	4 shares.
Body-Guard	$\frac{1}{4}$ share.
	<u>4$\frac{1}{4}$ shares.</u>
Amount of contract allowance from 1st April 1876 to 31st March 1877, as per computation statement	RS. A. P. 19,695 4 0
Deduct the amount of expenses incurred from 1st April 1876 to 31st March 1877	17,845 10 5
Amount for final distribution	<u>1,849 9 7</u>

	Amount of share to each Officer.	Total.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
<i>1st Regiment Light Cavalry.</i>		
Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Dyneley, for the whole year	435 3 2	435 3 2
<i>2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.</i>		
Colonel C. R. Stainforth, from 1st April to 29th November 1876 .. 243 days ..	289 11 9	
Colonel C. H. Abdy, from 30th November 1876 to 31st March 1877 .. 122 „ ..	145 7 5	435 3 2
<i>3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.</i>		
Colonel G. R. Phillips, for the whole year	435 3 2	435 3 2
<i>4th Regiment Light Cavalry.</i>		
Colonel A. H. Hope, from 1st April to 7th December 1876 251 days ..	299 4 4	
Lieutenant-Colonel E. M. Lawford, from 8th December 1876 to 10th March 1877 93 „ ..	110 14 2	
Colonel J. N. Maclean, from 11th to 31st March 1877 21 „ ..	25 0 8	435 3 2
<i>Body Guard.</i>		
Major J. M. C. Galloway, for the whole year	108 12 9	108 12 9
Total	1,849 9 5	
Lost by fraction	0 0 2	
Total	1,849 9 7	

His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the balance due on account of the Consolidated Saddle Contract Fund be discharged accordingly, in the usual manner.

Fort St. George, 9th October 1877.

No. 767 of 1877.—The services of Major W. Stoddart, Staff Corps, Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, at his own request.

No. 768 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major C. A. Sim, Royal (Madras) Engineers { Arrived at Madras on the 5th October 1877.

No. 769 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough to Europe, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) V. J. Shortland, Staff Corps, Commandant 30th Regiment Native Infantry, private affairs, for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868—embarking from Bombay or Madras.

Lieutenant E. F. Braine, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quarter-master, 30th Regiment Native Infantry, medical certificate, under the Furlough Rules of 1875 (see Ruling, Rule 6, G.O.G. No. 687 of 1876)—embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 770 of 1877.—With reference to Revenue Department Notification, dated 9th October 1877, the services of Major A. G. Murray, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 771 of 1877.—Lieutenant Edward S. Hastings, 169th Foot, Wing Officer 25th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 17th August 1876, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 772 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment, from the 21st October 1877:—

3rd Regiment Light Infantry.

Subadar Mahomed Hyath, on Rupees 40 per mensem.
 Subadar Cawder Khan, on Rupees 40 per mensem.
 Subadar Chinniah, on Rupees 40 per mensem.
 Jemadar Abdool Cawder, on Rupees 12 per mensem.
 Jemadar Cawder Saib, on Rupees 12 per mensem.

No. 773 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 17, dated 14th September 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel T. I. M. Hog, Royal Artillery.
 Major A. Farrer, Cavalry.
 Captain J. Ward, Staff Corps.
 Lieutenant W. H. Goldney, Royal Engineers.
 Major C. A. Sim, Royal Engineers.
 Colonel W. Fane, c.b., Staff Corps.
 Major T. Higginson, Staff Corps.
 Conductor J. Ring, Ordnance Department.
 Major D. McNeill, Staff Corps.
 Major A. E. Arbuthnot, Staff Corps.
 Major E. W. Shaw, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Colonel J. W. Rideout, Staff Corps	.. .. .	6 weeks, m. c.
Surgeon-Major J. P. Nash	.. .. .	6 months, m. c.
Major St. G. Caulfeild, Staff Corps	.. .. .	6 months, p. a.

No. 774 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th September 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 27 of 1877:—

CLOTHING.

No. 871.—To G.G.O. No. 1294 of 1876 add the following:—

Clothing. NOTE.—The period of duration of cloaks and capes of the mounted branches and of schoolmasters, should be ten years in connection with service both in England and India, without any difference being made in reckoning one year in England as equivalent to two years in India, as in the case of great coats and capes of Infantry and dismounted men of Artillery and Engineers.

No. 775 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th September 1877, is republished:—

HONORS AND REWARDS.

No. 876.—GOOD-SERVICE PENSIONS—

It is hereby announced that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer good-service pensions on the undermentioned Officers, with effect from the dates specified:—

Colonel EDMOND FRANCIS BURTON, Madras Staff Corps.

DATES OF COMMISSIONS.

Ensign, 18th September 1839.
 Lieutenant, 31st March 1842.
 Captain, 7th March 1848.
 Major, 18th February 1861.
 Lieutenant-Colonel, 18th September 1865.
 Brevet-Colonel, 18th September 1870.

APPOINTMENTS.

Quartermaster and Interpreter, 13th Native Infantry, 3rd June 1845.
 Adjutant, 13th Native Infantry, 7th July 1846.
 Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Southern District, 24th July 1855.
 Assistant Quartermaster-General, Nagpore Force, 1st December 1857.
 Commandant, 18th Native Infantry, 1st November 1865.
 Commandant, 4th Native Infantry, 15th March 1866.
 Commandant, 8th Native Infantry, 11th September 1874.

WAR SERVICES.

Colonel E. F. Burton was employed with a field force against rebels in the Tondiman Rajah's country from 22nd to 31st July 1854.

From the 1st April 1877,
 in room of Colonel
 T. C. Longcroft, Madras
 Staff Corps, retired.

Colonel FRANCIS MARDALL, Madras Staff Corps.

DATES OF COMMISSIONS.

Ensign, 8th February 1840.
 Lieutenant, 21st December 1844.
 Brevet-Captain, 8th February 1855.
 Captain, 3rd March 1855.
 Brevet-Major, 18th February 1861.
 Major, 12th September 1866.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel, 8th February 1866.
 Lieutenant-Colonel, 12th September 1866.
 Brevet-Colonel, 8th February 1871.

APPOINTMENTS.

Adjutant, 16th Native Infantry, 25th February 1845.
 Deputy-Judge Advocate-General, 19th September 1851 to 25th November 1856.
 Acting Quartermaster and Interpreter, 16th Native Infantry, 6th January 1860.
 Deputy Judge Advocate-General, 1st October 1861.
 Acting Judge Advocate-General, 23rd October 1875 and 31st January 1876.
 Judge Advocate-General, 1st December 1876.

From the 18th June 1877, in room of Colonel E. J. Lawder, Madras Staff Corps, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

WAR SERVICES.

Colonel F. Mardall served in the Southern Mahratta Country, 1844-45, and formed part of Colonel Outram's escort to Kolapore; was present at the storming of the fort of Samunghur, 13th December 1845; attack and capture of the heights of Budderghur, 7th, and surrender of that fort, 10th November 1844; storm and capture of the forts of Punalla and Powenghur, 1st December 1844; during the whole of the operations at Sasedroog, and at the attack on the stockades in December 1844; led the descent of the Elephant Rock, 8th January 1845; present at the attack and capture of the village of Seerapoor and at the attacks on the forts of Munohur and Munsintosh in January 1845; was slightly wounded at Punalla.

No. 776 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 4th October 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 6th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	October	Austin, Edmund, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Butler, W. H. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 23rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Babington, W. M. S., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Blair, H. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Bradford, W. J., Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Army Schoolmaster Thomas Simms.
1	Do.	Cooke, A. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Cunningham, P. S., Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Clay, A. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Clerk, Godfrey, Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do.	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
2	Do.	Dyneley, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for himself and Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.
1	Do.	Deane, C. H., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dale, H. M., Captain, Queen's Own Sappers and Miners.
1	Do.	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Elliot, C. S., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	FitzPatrick, F. S., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Gray, R. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Gib, W. A., Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Godfrey, George, Captain, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Hodgson, F. G., Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Holloway, E. G. V., Major 35th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	October	Hamilton, A. F., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do.	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant, Dépôt Poonamallee, for Serjeant William Laud and Driver Thomas Hardy.
1	Do.	Johnstone, G. N., Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Luxmoore, C. T. P., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Leader, T. A. F., Lieutenant, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Morgan, W. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	MacDonnell, Richard, Sub-Lieutenant, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Mackinnon, D. W., Captain, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Osborn, William, Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	O'Connell, H. H., Brigadier-General, Quartermaster-General.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding Royal Artillery, Staff Mysore Division (late Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery).
1	Do.	Do. Royal Artillery, Staff Mysore Division (late Head-quarters, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery).
1	Do.	Parker, C. R. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Prendergast, R. S. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
2	June	Paymaster, Her Majesty's 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	October	Ridings, J. S., Surgeon-Major, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Riach, W. A., Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Robinson, W. M., Captain, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Rogers, C. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Ritherdon, A. W., Colonel, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Robinson, H. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Shortt, John, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Smith, George, Surgeon-General, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Spence, James, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Smithers, O. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Teversham, Richard, Sub-Lieutenant, 3rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Thomas, L. F. C., Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Store Serjeant H. M. Harris.
1	Do.	Walton, C. S. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Warlow, George, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Walker, Mark, Brigadier-General, Commanding Nagpore Force.
1	Do.	Wetherall, P. J. P., Colonel, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Wynch, J. W., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Williamson, William, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 10th October 1877.

No. 777 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Surgeon-Major W. Doyle, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., Civil Surgeon, Cochin . . . { Arrived at Bombay on the
26th September 1877.

No. 778 of 1877.—The following extract from a Military despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is republished:—

No. 76, dated 13th September 1877.

Para. 1. The undermentioned candidates having completed their course of instruction at the Army Medical School, and having been reported qualified, have been appointed Surgeons on the Madras Establishment:—

T. K. Rogers.
H. A. F. Nailer.
D. Elcum.
G. C. Bouton.
N. Chatterjee.

2. They will be allowed to count as service for full pay pensi on the period of their residence a Netley, from the 31st March 1877, to the 6th August 1877, inclusive.

Fort St. George, 11th October 1877.

No. 779 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
2nd Regiment L. C. {	Jemadar Sooba Row Havildar, No. 638, Syed Hoossain	Subadar Jemadar	} 1st October 1877.

Fort St. George, 12th October 1877.

No. 780 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 634, dated 27th September 1877, permitting Surgeon-Major W. Fry, Residency Surgeon, Travancore, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that officer is granted furlough on medical certificate for two years, under Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

This cancels G.O.G. No. 759, dated 5th October 1877.

Fort St. George, 15th October 1877.

No. 781 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Willoughby Thomas Brereton, having completed 20 years' service, to be Major, from the 10th October 1877.

Fort St. George, 16th October 1877.

No. 782 of 1877.—Surgeon-General G. Smith, M.D., Indian Medical Department, is granted privilege leave, on production of medical certificate, for sixty days, from the 22nd October 1877, or date of departure,—the Deputy Surgeon-General, Presidency Division, performing the duties of the appointment on Dr. Smith's responsibility.

No. 783 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment, as a temporary arrangement:—

Surgeon-Major B. Tydd, in medical charge of the Royal Artillery, Bangalore, to officiate, with temporary rank, as Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service, Mysore Division, *vice* Deputy Surgeon-General Thompson, proceeded to England on medical certificate.

No. 784 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 14th September 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 521, dated 19th June 1877:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 14th September 1877.

The honorary rank of Lieutenant conferred upon Deputy-Assistant-Commissary John Wolfe, Madras Establishment, in *Gazette* of 22nd May 1877, to be dated 3rd November 1876, instead of 3rd March 1876, as therein stated.

No. 785 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th October 1877, is republished:—

No. 892.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

* * * *

4th Cavalry.

Captain J. T. Cummins, Officiating Squadron Commander, 3rd Cavalry, to officiate as Squadron Commander, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel E. Hill, on furlough.

No. 786 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 11th October 1877.

Family remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 13th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	October	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, doing duty Remount Dépôt.
1	Do.	Bell, S. W., Captain, 34th Foot, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do.	Broughton, B. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Cox, H. W. H., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do.	Cadell, A. T., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do.	Corbett, A. P. M., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Drever, W. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do.	Fairtlough, E. D'H., Major, Commandant, Wellington Dépôt.
1	Do.	Hay, Woulfe, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Hinde, Benjamin, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Ceded Districts.
1	Do.	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding B Battery B Brigade (late B/C), Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. C do. B do. (late C/C), do.
1	Do.	Do. L do. 1st do. (late D/9th), Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. B do. 6th do. (late B/20th), do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. „ 33rd Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. „ 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. „ 45th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. „ 67th do.
1	Do.	Philips, R. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Reynolds, William, Major, Bombay Invalid Establishment.
1	Do.	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Wellington Dépôt.
1	Do.	Thompson, Ross, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Taylor, J. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	September	Thornton, C. M. J., Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	October	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Wetherall, P. J. P., Colonel, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
35	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for August 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail :—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.			
1877.					
1	August ..	Officer Commanding	Head-quarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	B Battery, C Brigade,	do.	
2	Do. ..	Do.	C do. C do.	do.	
1	July ..	Do.	No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.		
1	August ..	Do.	No. 2 do. 5th do.	do.	
2	Do. ..	Do.	No. 3 do. 5th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 4 do. 5th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 5 do. 5th do.	do.	
2	Do. ..	Do.	No. 6 do. 5th do.	do.	
3	May and August.	Do.	No. 7 do. 5th do.	do.	
1	July ..	Do.	C do. 9th do.	do.	
1	August ..	Do.	D do. 9th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	G do. 9th do.	do.	
2	Do. ..	Do.	A do. 20th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	B do. 20th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	C do. 20th do.	do.	
2	Do. ..	Do.	D do. 20th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	E do. 20th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	F do. 20th do.	do.	
1	Do. ..	Do.	G do. 20th do.	do.	
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s	14th Hussars.		
2	Do. ..	Do.	2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.		
1	July ..	Do.	1/21st Fusiliers.		
2	August ..	Do.	33rd Regiment.		
2	Do. ..	Do.	43rd Light Infantry.		
2	Do. ..	Do.	44th Regiment.		
3	July and August.	Do.	45th do.		
2	August ..	Do.	67th do.		
1	July ..	Do.	89th do. (Head-quarters).		
2	June and July..	Do.	89th do. (Left Wing).		
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The following Savings' Bank Statements were despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.		Names of Remitters.			
	1877.					
2	August	..	Officer Commanding No. 1 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.			
1	Do.	..	Do.	G	do.	20th do. do.
3	Returns.					

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 18th October 1877.

No. 787 of 1877.—The following movements are ordered:—

Queen's Own Sappers and Miners.

					From	To
C Company	..	..	..	..	Bangalore.	Madras.
K Company	..	..	..	..	Secunderabad.	Bangalore.

No. 788 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major T. Higginson, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 1st Punjab Infantry. Arrived at Bombay on the 10th October 1877.

No. 789 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

22nd Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Sultan Sherreef, on Rupees 25 per mensem, from the 1st November 1877.

No. 790 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
41st Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Cawmiah	Subadar	1st October 1877.
	Do. Lutchmenaraidoo	Do.	
	Do. Appiah	Do.	
	Do. Meer Assan Ally	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 1616, Venketasoo	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 1755, Venkatasawmy	Do.	
	Do. No. 1785, Venkatasawmy	Do.	
	Do. No. 1827, Russool Beg	Do.	

Fort St. George, 19th October 1877.

No. 791 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 659, dated 8th October 1877, permitting Surgeon-Major A. Gamack, A.M. and M.D., Zillah Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Madras, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that officer is granted furlough on medical certificate for two years, under Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 20th October 1877.

No. 792 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Edward William Charles Hay Miller, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 20th October 1877.

Fort St. George, 22nd October 1877.

No. 793 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 1970, Daniel O'Neil, 14th Battery, 8th Brigade (late 75th) Royal Artillery.—Australia.

Fort St. George, 23rd October 1877.

No. 794 of 1877.—The furlough to Europe granted in G.O.G. No. 701, dated 8th September 1877, to Colonel C. P. Foyes, C.B., Staff Corps, Commanding Punjab Frontier Force, is cancelled, at his own request.

No. 795 of 1877.—With reference to G.O. by the Government of Bombay, No. 669, dated 15th October 1877, permitting Surgeon-Major H. Crocker, M.D., Indian Medical Department, 4th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that officer is granted furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave—embarking from Bombay.

No. 796 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain S. L. Hunt, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	}	During the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel B. H. W. Magrath, or until further orders.
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No. 797 of 1877.—Captain E. S. Begbie, European Veterans, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for six months under the Regulations of 1796, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 798 of 1877.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant DeLacy Dayrell Passy, Her Majesty's 67th Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 4th Regiment Native Infantry—from the 7th August 1876, and
Lieutenant Eustace Edward Melville Lawford, Her Majesty's 43rd Foot, Squadron Officer, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry—from the 17th October 1876.

No. 799 of 1877.—The services of Sub-Lieutenant S. J. M. Jopp, Her Majesty's 48th Foot, a Probationer for the Staff Corps, are transferred to the Government of Bombay.

No. 800 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

1st-Class Barrack Serjeant Charles Browning, 43rd Foot—Canterbury, New Zealand.

No. 801 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment:—

3rd Regiment Light Infantry.

Subadar Condiab, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 1st November 1877.

No. 802 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
40th Regt. M. N. I.	Jemadar, Venketooyloo	Subadar	5th September 1877.
	Do. Madramootoo	Do.	12th " "
	Havildar, No. 2004, Mahomed Cassim	Jemadar	5th " "
	Do. No. 2178, Goonniah	Do.	12th " "

No. 803 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th October 1877, is republished:—

No. 917.—REGULATIONS—

**Officers—Political Employ.
Leave counting as Service.**

Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is notified that in future military officers in political employ will be allowed to share in common with other officers the privilege of counting as service leave on medical certificate in or out of India, consequent on wounds or illness contracted in the field, necessitating the immediate departure of the officer.

This order will not have retrospective effect.

Fort St. George, 23rd October 1877.

No. 804 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer

in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 18th October 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 20th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	October ..	Benson, C. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	September ..	Boone, F. B., Major, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Bourne, M. K., Lieutenant-Colonel, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	October ..	Baker, William, Store Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Clarke, T. G., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	September ..	Crawford, James, Lieutenant-Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	October ..	Chambers, C. A., Master Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	September ..	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	October ..	O'Leary, T. C., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding Royal Artillery Staff, Mysore Division (late Head-quarters C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery).
1	Do.	Do. H Battery, 1st Brigade (late A 9th) Royal Artillery.
1	September ..	Do. K do. 1st do. (late C 9th) do.
1	October ..	Do. L do. 1st do. (late D 9th) do.
1	May ..	Do. No. 10 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 3/5th) do.
1	October ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. (late 5/5th) do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 14 do. 8th do. (late 7/5th) do.
1	Do.	Do. Head-quarters (late) 20th Brigade do.
1	Do.	Do. Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 89th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	Do.	Standen, Douglas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Assistant Adjutant-General, Rangoon, for Garrison Serjeant Major W. W. Marony.
1	Do.	Wilson, C. H., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 24th October 1877.

No. 805 of 1877.—The following transfers are ordered of Officers in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates :—

Major R. C. Budd, Staff Corps, from Madras to Trichinopoly.

Major W. Chisholm, Staff Corps, from Trichinopoly to Madras.

No. 806 of 1877.—The services of Brevet-Colonel T. J. Maclachan, Royal Artillery, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

Fort St. George, 25th October 1877.

No. 807 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. I. M. Hog, Royal (Madras) Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 1st Class, having returned from furlough, the services of Major R. T. Hamond, Royal (Madras) Artillery, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

Fort St. George, 26th October 1877.

No. 808 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 18, dated 28th September 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain A. K. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps.

Do. A. Anderson, Infantry.

Do. H. H. Hughes Hallett, Staff Corps.

Major E. A. Wood, Staff Corps.

Colonel R. Q. Mainwaring, Staff Corps.

Major G. A. Strover, do.

Do. G. E. Fryer, do.

Colonel A. T. Williams, do.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major T. O. Underwood, Staff Corps 2 months, m. c.

Do. R. C. Smith, Royal Artillery 3 months, m. c.

No. 809 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
3rd Regiment L. C. . .	Jemadar Mahomed Uzzeem	Subadar	1st September 1877.

Fort St. George, 29th October 1877.

No. 810 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment from the 1st November 1877 :—

19th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Gholam Hoossain, on Rupees 40 per mensem.

Subadar Hyder Cawn, on Rupees 25 per mensem.

Fort St. George, 30th October 1877.

No. 811 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel T. I. M. Hog, Royal (Madras) Artillery, 1st Class.	} Arrived at Madras on the 23rd October 1877.
Captain C. R. Bradstreet, Infantry General List, Wing Officer 15th Regiment Native Infantry.	
	} Arrived at Madras on the 26th October 1877.

No. 812 of 1877.—Major F. H. Vanderzee, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 24th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for 1 year, 5 months and 28 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Rangoon or Madras.

No. 813 of 1877.—Captain A. V. Chick, Staff Corps, Squadron Officer 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, is allowed furlough for one month on medical certificate under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.G. No. 393, dated 30th April 1877.

No. 814 of 1877.—Captain R. Hunter, General List, Acting Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department in G.O.G.G. No. 531, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 276, dated 22nd July 1864.

No. 815 of 1877.—Subject to the confirmation of the Government of India, the services of Surgeon C. L. Swaine, Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Resident at Hyderabad, for employment, temporarily, with the 4th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent, *vice* Surgeon-Major Crocker on furlough.

No. 816 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st September 1877, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 850.—Thomas Austin, late 9th Lancers, an out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, is permitted to draw his pension (which is chargeable to Imperial Revenue) in India, *viz.*, one shilling and one penny per diem, from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay.

No. 817 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th September is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th September 1877.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

*	*	*
Charles Harry Wilson, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 13th June 1877.	*
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Charles Shuckburgh Hearn, Madras Staff Corps,	Dated 13th June 1877.	*
*	*	*
Theodore Clayton Georges, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 13th June 1877.	*
*	*	*
Douglas Gordon Seafield St. John Grant, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 13th June 1877.	*
Walter Douglas, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 23rd June 1877.	*
George Andrew Walker, Madras Staff Corps.	Dated 23rd June 1877.	*
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No. 818 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 2nd October 1877, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 2nd October 1877.

The undermentioned General Officers are placed upon the Retired List from 1st October 1877, under the provisions of Article 137 of the Royal Warrant of 13th August 1877:—

Generals.

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Major-Generals.

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Colin Mackenzie, C.B., Madras Staff Corps.			
William George Woods, C.S.I., Madras Staff Corps.			

BREVET.

The following promotions to take place from 1st October 1877, consequent on the before-named General Officers having been placed on the Retired List, and in order to complete the establishment of General Officers provided for the Indian Staff Corps by Article 26 of the Royal Warrant of 13th August 1877:—

*	*	*	*
<i>Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals.</i>			
*	*	*	*
Henry Pritchard, Madras Staff Corps.			
*	*	*	*
Stephen Charles Briggs, Madras Staff Corps.			
*	*	*	*
Richard Hamilton, C.B., Madras Staff Corps.			
Sir Alfred Thomas Wilde, K.C.B., C.S.I., Madras Staff Corps.			
*	*	*	*
Lousada Barrow, C.B., Madras Staff Corps.			
*	*	*	*
Henry Nott, Madras Staff Corps.			

The undermentioned General Officers on the Retired List to be promoted from 1st October 1877, as follows:—

*	*	*	*
<i>Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals.</i>			
*	*	*	*
Colin Mackenzie, C.B., Madras Staff Corps.			
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The undermentioned Officers to be Major-Generals from the date specified against their respective names, such antedates not to carry back pay prior to 1st October, 1877:—

*	*	*	*
Brevet Colonel William George Woods, C.S.I., Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
*	*	*	*
Brevet Colonel Edward Every Miller, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
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Brevet Colonel Crawford Cooke, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
Brevet Colonel John Wilson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
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Brevet Colonel Annesley Knox Gore, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
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Brevet Colonel Francis Henry Scott, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October, 1877.			
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Brevet Colonel George William Russell, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
Brevet Colonel Molyneux Capel Spottiswoode, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
Brevet Colonel Henry Man, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
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Brevet Colonel William Charles Robertson Macdonald, C.B., Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
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Brevet Colonel Anthony Robert Thornhill, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
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Brevet Colonel Robert Woolley, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October 1877.			
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To be Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 1st October 1877:—			
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Major T. O'Neill, half-pay, Madras Staff Corps.			
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No. 819 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th October 1877, is republished:—

BENGAL ARMY REGULATIONS.

Bengal Army Regulations. Soldiers—Bedding.

No. 928.—Clause 7 (Transfers) of paragraph 950, Bengal Army Regulations, is cancelled, the following substituted:—
Transfers.—Men volunteering or transferred from one regiment or battery to another at their own request, if still serving with their old corps on the 1st October, will receive the bedding due

to the old corps on that date, and this bedding they will take with them when joining their new corps.

Men, who join their new corps before the 1st October, will take with them the bedding already in their possession, and will receive the bedding issuable on or after that date to the new corps.

Soldiers of short service enlisted under the Army Enlistment Act of 1870, with more than two years to serve, will receive the bedding issuable to the regiment with which they are serving on the 1st October, and after joining their new corps, will be entitled to proportionate compensation for the period each article of bedding (in their possession when transferred) is required to last beyond the prescribed period of duration. The compensation will be payable annually in arrears, and subsequent issues will be regulated according to the bedding due to their new corps.

No. 820 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th October 1877, is republished:—

DRESS.

Dress—Officers. Commissariat Department.

No. 929.—Officers of the Commissariat Department will, in future wear the dress of the staff as laid down in pages 9 to 12 of the British Army Dress Regulations, but without pouch belt and telescope case. The saddle cloth will also be omitted from their horse furniture.

2. The Commissary-General will wear the uniform and appointments of a Deputy Adjutant-General; Deputy Commissaries-General, those of Assistant Adjutants-General; and Assistant and Deputy Assistant Commissaries-General, those of a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General.

3. Sub-Assistant Commissaries-General will also wear the uniform of a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General; the braid on the collar being, in their case, that laid down for a Captain holding the appointment.

4. All officers serving in the department will wear the collar badges of their *army* rank.

5. The uniform to be worn will be that of their substantive rank in the department.

6. The Hawke's pattern helmet with spike will replace the cocked hat and plume, and the departmental turban will be of alternate twisted folds of yellow and white. There will be no objection, however, to Commissariat Officers when attached to divisions or districts wearing turbans of the same color and pattern as those of other staff officers serving within the command.

7. The staff plume will only be worn when in full dress.

No. 821 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th October 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 226, dated 2nd April 1875:—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Equipment. No. 930.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 341, dated 24th March 1875, the following alterations will be made in the Equipment Tables for Native Infantry Regiments:—

Names of Stores.		Period of service.	Data for calculating proportion.	Remarks.
Page 2.	Accoutrements.			
Belts, leather, waist.	Black N. I., native officers, complete.	5	1 per sword, gilt hilt, line regiments, staff sergeants.	
	Brown N. I., native officers, complete.	5	1 per sword, gilt hilt, line regiments, staff sergeants.	
	Buff N. I., native officers, complete.	8	1 per sword, gilt hilt, line regiments, staff sergeants.	
Frogs, leather.	Black N. I., drummers	5	1 per drummer, bugler and musician.	
	Brown N. I. "	5	1 do. do.	
	Buff N. I. "	8	1 do. do.	
Knots, leather, sword.	N. I. rank and file, Bombay.	5		
	Black " Native officers, staff sergeants and havildar-major, Madras.	5		
	Brown N. I., staff sergeants, Bombay.	5	1 per sword, gilt hilt, line regiments, staff sergeants.	
	Staff sergeants, Bombay.	8		
	Buff N. I. Officers, staff sergeants and havildar-major, Madras.	8		

Names of Stores.	Period of service.	Data for calculating proportion.	Remarks.			
Page 3. <i>Accoutrements.</i>						
Locketts, union. { Brass, native infantry, all ranks	12	1 per havildar, naick, sepoy, drummer, bugler and musician.	In Bombay Presidency. Do.			
{ Gilt, staff sergeants, native infantry, Bombay.	12	1 per sword, gilt hilt, line regiments, staff sergeants.				
Slings, leather coat for Brown, Bombay	5	1 per havildar, naick, sepoy, drummer, bugler and musician.				
native infantry. { Buff, ..	10					
<i>Arms.</i>						
Scabbards, sword, leather. { Brass { Havildars or drum-mounted. { mers, N. P.	5	1 per drummer, bugler and musician.	On payment for native officers, Bengal and Bombay.			
{ Gilt mounted, line regiments, staff sergeants.	6	1 per sword, gilt hilt, line regiments, staff sergeants.				
Page 4.						
<i>Bengal Presidency.</i>						
Swords	{	Gilt hilt, line regiments, staff sergeants.	12	1 per native officer	..	On payment.
		<i>Madras Presidency.</i>				
		1 per native officer.				
		1 per staff sergeant.				
		1 per havildar-major.				
		<i>Bombay Presidency.</i>				
		1 per native officer				
		1 per havildar-major.				
		1 per quartermaster havildar.				
		1 per drill havildar.				
		1 per drum major.				
		1 per fife major.				
		12				1 per drummer, bugler and musician.
		Iron hilt, havildars or drummers, N. P.				
Pages 6 and 11. <i>Miscellaneous.</i>						
Bags, canvas, kit, for native troops, painted, Bombay.	..	1 per havildar, naick, sepoy, drummer, bugler and musician	In Bombay Presidency only.			
Clubs, practice, wood	..	16 pairs per regiment				
Flags	..	Camp, 18" x 18"	..	24 per regiment	Do.	
..	..	Saluting, 18" x 18", Bombay	..	1 per regiment		
Flags	..	Staff, wood	..	24 per regiment		
..	..	Saluting, 9' 10"	..	1 per regiment		
Gymnasium and fencing stores.	{	Guards, hand, for single sticks, land service.	..	80 per regiment	Do.	
		Masks, wire-fencing, for foil practice.	..	20 per regiment		
		Sticks, fencing, male bamboo	..	400 per regiment		
		Page 7.				
Musketry instruction stores.	{	Straight edge, brass.	..	1 per regiment	Supplied free.	
Page 10. <i>Tools, Armourers.</i>						
Tools for fixing leathers in snap caps	..	1 per regiment	..	..		
Page 26. <i>Instruments.</i>						
Cases, drum, ticken side brass, C.P.	..	1 per side drum.	..	1 do.	Do.	
Cords, drum, side brass, C.P.	..	2 do.	..	2 do.		
Hoops drum { Cords, side brass, C.P.	..	2 do.	..	1 do.	Do.	
{ Flesh, side brass, C.P.	..	1 do.	..	1 do.		
Slings, buff, side brass, drums	..	1 do.	..	1 do.		
Snarcs, catgut, side brass, C.P.	..	1 do.	..	1 do.		
Sticks, drum, side brass, C.P.	..	1 do.	..	1 do.		

NOTE.—Pace sticks,—1 per company to be supplied by Wing officers, and 4 by the Adjutant for instruction of recruits, to last 10 or 12 years.

No. 822 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th October 1877, is republished:—

No. 933.—REGULATIONS—

Furlough—Service.

Pension.

Under the authority of Her Majesty's Government, it is notified that in the case of officers of the old Indian cadres of Royal Artillery and of those officers of the 12 new Line Regiments of Cavalry and Infantry who are serving under Indian Pension Rules, the restriction now enforced by the Indian Pension Rules of deducting certain periods of leave or furlough from their service is removed, and that in the case of the officers above indicated all full pay service, past or future, will be permitted to count towards pension on retirement.

No. 823 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 25th October 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 27th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	October	Anderson, J. W. M., Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Beauchamp, G. E. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	Do.	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Blundell, J. E., Captain, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Southern Division, for Road Serjeant George Kalkhoven.
1	Do.	Clarke, D. G., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Cochran, John, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do.	Duckworth, Frederick, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do.	Fletcher, J. J., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Finlay, G. C., Colonel, 26th do.
1	Do.	Godson, John, Major, 4th do.
1	Do.	Hallett, W. H., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do.	Lawford, E. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do.	Lys, F. G., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Mackenzie, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Major, F. W., Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Ostrehan, J. D., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding H Battery, 1st Brigade (late A/9th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. A do. 6th do. (late A/20th) do.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 6th do. (late D/20th) do.
1	Do.	Do. F do. 6th do. (late F/20th) do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 6th do. (late G/20th) do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 8 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 1/5th) do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 10 do. 8th do. (late 3/5th) do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 11 do. 8th do. (late 4/5th) do.
1	Do.	Do. No. 13 do. 8th do. (late 6/5th) do.
2	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. " 14th Hussars.
1	Do.	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
2	Do.	Do. " 43rd do.
1	Do.	Do. " 44th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 45th do.
2	Do.	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do.	Do. " 67th do.
38	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 1st November 1877.

No. 824 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer in civil employ is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the terms of the Secretary of State's despatch in the Home Department, to the Government of India, No. 81, dated 13th July 1876 :—

Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Bulstrode Cumberlege, Commissioner, Chatisgarh Division, Central Provinces.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 292 0 0	£ s. d. 258 19 0	England.

No. 825 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Major D. McNeill, Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 3rd Class, Central Provinces. } Arrived at Bombay on the 24th October 1877.
Captain L. B. Byass, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 37th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 28th October 1877.

No. 826 of 1877.—With reference to Judicial Department Notification dated 31st October 1877, the services of Major G. S. Keith, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 827 of 1877.—Major A. T. Cox, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 15th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe and Australia on furlough on private affairs for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 828 of 1877.—Captain J. G. Pollock, Royal (Madras) Artillery, Commandant, No. 2 Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted general leave under Rule XXXII of the Furlough Regulations of 1868, retrospectively, from the 6th January to the 28th February 1877—the day preceding that on which he embarked for Europe on the furlough granted to him in G.O.G. No. 204, dated 2nd March 1877. This cancels the subsidiary leave granted to that officer in that G.O. and in G.O.G., No. 284, dated 24th March 1877.

Fort St. George, 2nd November 1877.

No. 829 of 1877.—Captain C. M. A. Morant, Cavalry General List, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 830 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
5th Regiment N. I. ..	Jemadar Abdool Rymon	Subadar	14th October 1877.

Fort St. George, 3rd November 1877.

No. 831 of 1877.—Captain L. B. Byass, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 37th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted an extension of his leave to Europe from the 14th to the 27th October 1877, inclusive, to enable him to rejoin.

No. 832 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors, having completed twenty years' service.

Captains { John Ward From 4th November 1877.
Lovell Bowles Byass From 5th November 1877.

No. 833 of 1877.—Captain C. E. L. Eastall, Infantry General List, Superintendent of Police, Jeypore District, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year, four months, and eleven days, and on medical certificate for three months and nineteen days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 5th November 1877.

No. 834 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major G. B. Farrington, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, 1st Cavalry) Arrived at Bombay on the
Hyderabad Contingent.) 29th October 1877.

Fort St. George, 6th November 1877.

No. 835 of 1877.—The Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Major R. S. Roberts, Staff Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General on the establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Elliot, who vacates on the 20th November 1877.

No. 836 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 778, dated 10th October 1877, Mr. T. K. Rogers is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment, from the 26th October 1877—the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 837 of 1877.—The undermentioned individual is permitted to reside and draw pay at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Gunner M. Johnson, C/6th, late C/20th, Royal Artillery Madras

No. 338 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 9th October 1877, is republished :—

India Office, 9th October 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Robert Henry Cunliffe. Dated 13th June 1877.

Major Hugh Watson. Dated 13th June 1877.

Major Richard Smith Gray. Dated 13th June 1877.

Major Evelyn Meadows Norie. Dated 16th June 1877.

To be Majors.

Captain William Robert Sheffield. Dated 12th June 1877.

Captain Joshua Waddington Swift. Dated 13th June 1877.

Captain James Herbert Marsh Barnett. Dated 13th June 1877.

Captain Francis Skelton FitzPatrick. Dated 13th June 1877.

Captain Richard Charles Evanson. Dated 13th June 1877.

Captain Walter Follett Wright. Dated 4th July 1877.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Joseph Henry Newill. Dated 4th July 1877.

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RESIGNATION.

Surgeon Charles Henry Day, Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 26th June 1877.

No. 839 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th October 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 209 of 1865 :—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Passages—Officers. No. 948.—With reference to paragraph 11 of War Office Circular No. 888 of the 2nd January 1865, republished in G.G.O. No. 471 of 1865, the following Clause 45 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st April 1877, is published for general information :—

Officers' Passages.

Clause 45.—1. An officer returning from abroad on his private affairs will be liable to pay the expense of his successor's passage to the station from which he has returned, provided—

(a.)—He retires from the service (except on full pay), or exchanges to another regiment, or to half-pay, or is made supernumerary in his regiment.

(b.)—He is transferred to the Militia (except as Adjutant) under Article 28, Royal Warrant, 24th February 1873 (Clause 21, Army Circulars, 1873).

2. Paragraph 11, page 3, of the Regulations issued with War Office Circular 888, will be amended accordingly.

No. 840 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th October 1877, is republished:—

HONORS AND REWARDS.

Honors and Rewards.

No. 953.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officer to the 2nd class of the Order of British India, under the operation of G.G.O. No. 2 of 1877, with effect from the 19th July 1877:—

MADRAS.

To the 2nd Class, with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Gopaulsawmy, 19th Regiment Native Infantry, *vice* Subadar-Major Abbass Ally, "Bahadur," deceased.

No. 841 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th October 1877, is republished:—

PASSAGES.

Passages—Officers.

Account Department. No. 954.—The following rules regulating the grant of passages at the public expense to officers of the Military Account Department in India, are promulgated in supersession of all previous orders:—

- I. An officer appointed permanently to the post of Controller will not be allowed free passage on promotion.
- II. An officer moved within the presidency in which he is serving to act as Controller, will not be allowed free passage; but if moved from one presidency to another on account of such acting promotion, he will be allowed free passage for himself, and for his family also if the duty extends over six months.
- III. An officer below the grade of Controller, moved from one appointment to another in the interests of the public service, whether permanently or temporarily, will be allowed free passage for himself, and for his family also if the move is permanent, or on account of duty of a permanent nature extending over six months.

No. 842 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th October 1877, is republished:—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

Travelling Allowances—Officers.

No. 955.—The following Notification by the Financial Department, No. 3399, dated 27th September 1877, is republished for general information:—

"PAY AND ALLOWANCES."

The 27th September 1877.

No. 3399.—The President in Council directs that the following Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information:—

RESOLUTION.—The President in Council is pleased to rule that in calculating travelling allowances at mileage rates, fractions of a mile shall be omitted from the calculation."

No. 843 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th October 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 484 of 1877:—

Personal Allowances—Officers.

No. 956.—In continuation of G.G.O. No. 482 of 1877, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that the provisions of Articles 1078 to 1080, and 1082 to 1084 of the Pay Code for India, Vol. I, are generally applicable to a British officer (on British pay), landed under proper authority at any intermediate place while on passage to or from India, who shall receive the following rate of personal allowance for every night he may be obliged to remain on shore:—

For general officers	..	..	..	20 shillings.
„ field officers	..	..	..	15 „
„ other officers	..	..	..	10 „

No. 844 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th October 1877, is republished:—

No. 957.—PAY CODE—

Pay Code. The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I, "British Troops":—

Article 1260. Add—When it is found necessary to appoint a clergyman to accompany troops proceeding home *via* the Suez Canal, he will be allowed £50, provided the number of troops does

not fall below 100, the clergyman making his own arrangements for passage.

Article 1661. The last clause is reconstructed as follows:—

G.L. No. 463—4-S of 15th September 1877.

Article 1208. In the 6th line, after the word "baggage" substitute "is" for "in."

G.L. No. 312 of 8th August 1862.

Controller's Instructions to Paymasters.

"Free passage for one servant is authorized for a passed hospital apprentice when travelling by rail on duty of a permanent nature."

Article 457. To the note add—"Subaltern officers of field artillery ordered on service are allowed a second charger."

Article 1595, page 299. After the words "Transport Serjeant-Major," for "Bengal" substitute "Bengal and Bombay."

G.L. No. 583—4-S of 20th September 1877.

Article 1217. Add the following:—

"NOTE.—The European servants of officers travelling on duty by rail, may be allowed 2nd-class accommodation, provided the aggregate expenses for the conveyance of the servants accompanying the officers does not exceed what would be incurred if the full number of servants allowed by this article were provided with 3rd-class passages."

G.L. No. 335—8 of 19th September 1877.

G.L. No. 754—5-S of 27th September 1877.

Article 1290. Add—"Passage by private steamer will not be granted during the troopship season to an officer who may be urgently ordered home on duty, unless it be specially stated in the order that he is to proceed at once by private steamer without waiting for the sailing of the next troopship."

G.L. No. 22-S of 1st June 1877

G.O. No. 193 of 1877.

Bombay G.G.O. No. 537 of 1877.

Article 1527. In the fourth line, for the word "establishment" substitute the words "actual effective strength," and add the following at the end of the article:—

"The authorized established strength of a corps must not be exceeded by the enlistment of boys: when the effective strength may be in excess of the established strength, no enlistment of boys will be permitted except when the necessity therefor is clearly proved, and then only with the sanction of the Commander-in-Chief of the presidency concerned—each case being reported to the Government of India."

G.L. No. 473—6-C of 25th September 1877.

Article 1547 is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

Army Circular of 1877, Clause 58.

G.O. No. 154 of 1877.

"1547. A soldier who takes his discharge on the expiration of the first term of his limited engagement, on or after the 1st June 1877, will not be permitted to re-enter the army."

In the margin of Article 1144 enter, as an additional authority, "G.O. No. 252 of 1877."

G.L. No. 414—15-S of 16th October 1877.

Article 652, Clause a. At the end of this clause add the words "nor does it apply to British regimental, artillery district and station commands."

No. 845 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th October 1877, is republished:—

Pay Code. No. 958.—The following corrections are to be made in the Pay Code for India, Volume II, "Native Troops":—

G.O. Nos. 94 and 248 of 1877.

Article 343, Clause (d). To the note of this clause add—

"In no case shall the same duflidar or havildar obtain this prize for two years in succession: the holder of the prize may still compete annually, and if found the best instructor, can, after being 12 months without the reward, be again recommended for it."

G.O. No. 186 of 1877.

Article 423-a. Add the following additional clause:—

"Bullock-train passages may, in the absence of railway communication, be provided for Native commissioned officers required to proceed to a distant station, when the urgency of the duty will in the absence of bullock-train, the most inexpensive mode of conveyance will be adopted, horse or dooly dāk being only allowed in very exceptional case when no other cheaper carriage is procurable."

G.O. No. 237 of 1877.

Article 472. Insert the following at the end of the article:—

"NOTE.—Degradation from a higher to a lower class of an officer's grade on account of stupidity, infirmity or physical inefficiency, does not debar him from attaining the superior pension, nor does such degradation come within the signification of 'blemished character.'"

G.L. No. 479—83-S of 20th August 1877.

Article 659, page 139. The 1st degree injury pension for men of and above fifteen years' service should be, for findal Rupees 7-2-0, for tent and store lascars and bheesties Rupees 3-12-0 a month.

No. 846 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 2nd November 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, via Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 3rd current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	November ..	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, doing duty Remount Depôt.
1	Do. ..	Bardin, G. R. F., Colonel, Assistant Commissary-General, for Serjeant George Campbell.
1	October ..	Barrow, F. E., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	November ..	Bowlby, P. E., Captain, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, for Serjeant-Major J. J. Nicholas.
1	Do. ..	Clerk, Godfrey, Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do. ..	Campbell, C. C., Captain, 31st Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Clay, A. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cox, R. E., Captain, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cadell, Robert, Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Store-Serjeant Thomas Baker.
1	Do. ..	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	FitzPatrick, F. S., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Gib, W. A., Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	October ..	Gunning, J. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	November ..	Handyside, R. V., Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hawks, T. S., Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Holloway, E. G. V., Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hodgson, F. G., Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Hampson, Joseph, Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
2	Do. ..	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant, Depôt Poonamallee, for Serjeants William Laud and Richard Milden.
1	October ..	King, Henry, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	November ..	Luxmoore, C. T. P., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lecky, George, Captain, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Major, F. W., Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Mackinnon, D. W., Captain, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Madlean, J. N., Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.
1	Do. ..	Prendergast, R. S. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
2	October ..	Paymaster, Her Majesty's 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do. ..	Do. do. 67th Regiment.
1	November ..	Rogers, C. J., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Ridings, J. S., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Ritherdon, A. W., Colonel, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Robinson, W. M., Captain, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Riach, W. A., Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Smither, O. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Shaw, G. J., Sub-Lieutenant, 34th Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Theobalds, J. R., Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Vizard, W. J., Colonel, 12th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Walton, C. S. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Wright, W. F., Major, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Williamson, William, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	October ..	Weightman, William, Commissariat Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,
FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 9th November 1877.

No. 847 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) A. W. Ritherdon, Staff Corps, Commandant, 10th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 848 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant William Cooke, having completed twelve years' service, to be Captain, from the 7th November 1877.

Fort St. George, 10th November 1877.

No. 849 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) C. Hight, Staff Corps, Commandant 41st Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 850 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Colonel J. W. Rideout, Staff Corps, Military Accountant, 1st Class ..	{ Arrived at Madras on the 5th November 1877.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	
Captain (Brevet-Major) A. Farrer, Cadre 2nd Light Cavalry, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, Hyderabad.	{ Arrived at Bombay on the 1st November 1877.
Captain R. J. McGhee, Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.	

No. 851 of 1877.—The services of the undermentioned Officers, Probationers for the Madras Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Lieutenant W. A. D'O. Mealy, H. M.'s 67th Foot, Wing Officer, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
Sub-Lieutenant W. Cook, H. M.'s 89th Foot, Wing Officer, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. 852 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 19, dated 12th October 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major E. G. Morrogh, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. R. S. Henderson, Staff Corps.
Major J. H. M. Barnett, Staff Corps.
Colonel J. W. Rideout, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Surgeon W. Macrae	.. .. .	4 months, m. c.
Conductor R. P. Lennon, Public Works Department	.. .. .	6 months, m. c.

No. 853 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

22nd Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Coopoosawmy, on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 21st November 1877.

Fort St. George, 12th November 1877.

No. 854 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major J. H. M. Barnett, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 4th Regiment Native Infantry.	{ Arrived at Madras on the 6th November 1877.

No. 855 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 778, dated 10th October 1877, the under-mentioned gentlemen are admitted as Surgeons on the Madras Establishment from the 25th October 1877—the date of their arrival at Bombay :—

H. A. F. Nailer.
N. Chatterjee.

No. 856 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

19th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Gopaulsawmy, Bahadur, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank, from the 16th November 1877.

2nd Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Appasawmy, on Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 21st November 1877.

Fort St. George, 13th November 1877.

No. 857 of 1877.—Surgeon-General C. A. Gordon, M.D., C.B., British Medical Service, is granted privilege leave for nineteen days, from the 12th November 1877—Deputy Surgeon-General C. D. Madden performing the duties of the appointment on Dr. Gordon's responsibility.

No. 858 of 1877.—Colonel G. R. Phillips, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for six months, under the Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 859 of 1877.—Major J. H. E. Johnson, Staff Corps, Station Staff Officer, Vellore, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

No. 860 of 1877.—Major A. G. Murray, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate.

No. 861 of 1877.—With reference to the General Order issued by the Government of Bombay, No. 660, dated 8th October 1877, permitting Captain C. Curtois, Infantry General List, Wing Officer 5th Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, that Officer is granted furlough on medical certificate, to appear before a Medical Board in England.

No. 862 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Conductor John Cochran, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, Sub-Conductor Francis Sheridan to be Conductor, and Store-Serjeant William Morrison to be Sub-Conductor, from the 6th November 1877, *vice* Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary R. Spink, deceased.

No. 863 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th October 1877, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 12th October 1877.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

To be Major-Generals. Dated 13th October 1877 :—

Brevet-Colonel Charles George Henry Coote, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 864 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 324 of 1864 :—

No. 965.—BREVET—

The following promotion by Brevet is made from the date specified, under the operation of G.G.O. No. 632 of the 4th August 1864, paragraph 69, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Melville Lawford, Madras Cavalry,—20th October 1877.

No. 865 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd November 1877, is republished :—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

No. 973.—The following Clause 174 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st December 1876, is declared applicable to India, and published for general information :—

Schoolmasters' Clothing.

Clothing—Schoolmasters.

Clause 174.—1. The allowance in lieu of boots to schoolmasters will, from the 1st April 1877, be calculated at the rate of 1s. 10d. a month, or £1 2s. a year.

2. The rates given in Appendix D (page 17) and Appendix F (page 20) to Clause 2, Army Circulars, 1874, will be amended accordingly.

No. 866 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 269 of 1877:—

No. 977.—GOOD CONDUCT REWARDS—

Good Conduct Rewards. In continuation of G.G.O. No. 225 of 1877, it is notified that the gratuity to be awarded to British Non-commissioned officers and men of the Indian Army and Unattached List, who have fulfilled the required conditions as to service and character, shall in no case exceed £5 in amount.

No application for a gratuity can be entertained for a man who, under previous rules, may have been granted a medal only, *without gratuity*, for long service and good conduct.

No. 867 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 8th November 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *vid* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 10th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	November ..	Babington, W. M. S., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Blair, H. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Blundell, J. E., Captain, 67th Regiment, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Southern District.
1	Do. ..	Bardin, George, Colonel, Assistant Commissary-General, for Serjeant James Beauchamp.
1	Do. ..	Curtis, Atwell, Major, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Fox, W. S. Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Gray, R. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Irvine, T. T., Captain, 44th Regiment, Station Staff Officer, Wellington.
1	Do. ..	Jennings, C. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Ceded Districts.
1	Do. ..	King, Henry, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Kane, J. F. W., Captain, 48th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Kilcoin, Patrick, 1st Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Leader, T. A. F., Lieutenant, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Macdonald, R. M., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding, Royal Artillery, Staff, Mysore Division (late Head Quarters C Brigade Royal Horse Artillery).
1	Do. ..	Do. C Battery, B Brigade (late C/C) Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. A do. 6th do. (late A/20th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. B do. 6th do. (late B/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	October ..	Do. „ 89th do. (Left Wing).
1	November ..	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Sibthorpe, Charles, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Wellington Dépôt.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, L. F. C., Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Twynam, F. R., Captain, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Welch, F. H., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Walker, Mark, Brigadier-General, Commanding Nagpore Force.
1	Do. ..	Wetherall, P. J. P. Colonel, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for September 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail:—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.			
	1877.				
2	July and Sept. . .	Officer Commanding	C Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.		
1	September ..	Do.	No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.		
2	Do. ..	Do.	No. 3 do. 5th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 6 do. 5th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	No. 7 do. 5th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	A do. 9th do. do.		
1	August ..	Do.	C do. 9th do. do.		
1	September ..	Do.	D do. 9th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	G do. 9th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	Head-quarters, 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	A Battery, 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	B do. 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	C do. 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	D do. 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	E do. 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	F do. 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Do.	G do. 20th do. do.		
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s	12th Royal Lancers.		
1	Do. ..	Do. "	14th Hussars.		
1	Do. ..	Do. "	2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.		
2	August ..	Do. "	1/21st Fusiliers.		
1	September ..	Do. "	33rd Regiment.		
1	Do. ..	Do. "	43rd Light Infantry.		
2	Do. ..	Do. "	44th Regiment.		
3	Do. ..	Do. "	45th do.		
4	Aug. & Sept. ..	Do. "	48th do.		
2	September ..	Do. "	67th do.		
2	August ..	Do. "	89th do. (Head-quarters).		
1	Do. ..	Do. "	89th do. (Left Wing).		
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The following Savings' Bank Statement was despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the same Mail:—

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.			
	1877.				
1	September ..	Officer Commanding	G Battery, 6th Brigade, (late G/20th) Royal Artillery.		
1	Return.				

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 16th November 1877.

No. 868 of 1877.—The following Order by the Officer Commanding the Northern District is confirmed, with reference to G.O.G., No. 748, dated 1st October 1877:—

Dated 19th October 1877.—Appointing Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Burge, 7th Regiment Native Infantry, as a temporary measure, and without prejudice to his Regimental duties, to relieve Lieutenant-Colonel Hudleston, proceeding to Europe on medical certificate, from the charge of Pensioners and Family Certificate Holders at Vizagapatam and Vizianagram.

No. 869 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Major E. W. Shaw, Staff Corps	} Arrived at Bombay on the 8th November 1877.
Major G. E. Fryer, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade,	
British Burmah.	

Fort St. George, 19th November 1877.

No. 870 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 20, dated 26th October 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain J. G. R. D. Macneill, Infantry.
Major H. F. deLousada, Staff Corps.
Captain C. J. Johnston, Infantry.
Major H. T. O'Reilly, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major W. W. Pemberton, Staff Corps	.. .. .	3 months, m. c.
Surgeon-Major R. E. Pearse	.. .. .	6 months, m. c.
Captain J. B. Gahan, Staff Corps	.. .. .	1 month, m. c.

No. 871 of 1877.—With reference to Revenue Department Notification, dated 19th November 1877, the services of Major D. V. Shortland, Royal Artillery, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, at his own request.

No. 872 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 810, of the 29th October 1877, the date of transfer to the Pension Establishment of Subadars Gholam Hoossain and Hyder Cawn, 19th Regiment Native Infantry, is altered from the 1st to the 10th November 1877.

No. 873 of 1877.—Private J. Crapp, 67th Foot, is permitted to reside and draw pay at Madras, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension.

Fort St. George, 20th November 1877.

No. 874 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G.G., No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G., No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
17	Lieutenant-Colonel William George Grove	Infantry	£ s. d. 365 0 0	£ s. d. 2,930 0 0	£362-0-0 in India, remainder in Eppland.

No. 875 of 1877.—The furlough to Europe granted to Major J. H. E. Johnson, Staff Corps, Station Staff Officer, Vellore, in G.O.G., No. 859, dated 13th November 1877, is under the Regulations of 1854—not 1868.

No. 876 of 1877.—With reference to Judicial Department Notification, dated 20th November 1877, the services of Captain W. H. Hallett, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 877 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Henry William Holmes Cox, having completed 20 years' service, to be Major, from the 20th November 1877.

No. 878 of 1877.—Lieutenant Robert Hutchinson Campbell Tufnell, Her Majesty's 89th Foot, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 30th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 1st August 1876, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 879 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 778, dated 10th October 1877, the undermentioned gentlemen are admitted as Surgeons on the Madras Establishment from the 10th November 1877—the date of their arrival at Bombay:—

D. Eleum.
G. C. Bouton.

No. 880 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
41st Regiment M.N.I.	Subadar Mahomed Hoossain	Subadar-Major ..	1st October 1877.

No. 881 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th September 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 30 of 1877:—

No. 877.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

The admission of the following Native Officers to the 1st and 2nd Classes of the Order of British India, notified in G.G.O. No. 2 of 1877, is cancelled:—

1st Class, Madras.

Subadar-Major Appiah, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.

2nd Class, Madras.

Subadar-Major Abdool Nubby, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry.

Subadar Syed Ahmed, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar Syed Abdool Cawder, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.

No. 882 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th October 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 30 of 1877:—

No. 935.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officers to the 1st and 2nd Classes, respectively, of the Order of British India, under the operation of G.G.O. No. 2 of 1877, with effect from the dates specified:—

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MADRAS.

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sirdar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Naugiah, "Bahadur," 31st Regiment Native Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Shaik Moideen, "Sirdar Bahadur," deceased—5th July 1877.

To the 2nd Class, with the title of "Bahadur."

Subadar Narrainsawmy, 13th Regiment Native Infantry, *vice* Subadar-Major Naugiah, "Bahadur," promoted—5th July 1877.

No. 883 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th November 1877, is republished :—

ARMY CIRCULARS.

Gunpowder Magazine Regulations.

No. 991.—The following Clause 102 of Army Circulars, dated the 1st July 1877, is declared applicable to India and published for general information :—

ORDNANCE STORE REGULATIONS.

Regulations for Gunpowder Magazines.

1. Clause 102.—The shifting room mentioned in paragraph 44 of the Gunpowder Magazine Regulations, issued with Clause 101, Army Circulars, 1874, will henceforth be designated "the examining shed."
2. The room where men change their clothes will alone be called the "shifting room."
3. The paragraphs of the Magazine Regulations above mentioned will be amended accordingly.

No. 884 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 2 of 1871 :—

CLOTHING.

Clothing. No. 993.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 1177 of 1870, it is notified that soldiers discharged in India, as invalids or time-expired men, may be allowed to take with them a condemned cloak or great-coat, if available.

No. 885 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 245 of 1877 :—

EQUIPMENT.

Equipment. British Cavalry.

No. 994.—BRITISH CAVALRY—

To G.G.O. No. 199 of 1877 after "Buckets, wooden, water, small," make the following entry :—

Names of Articles.	Proportion.		Number required per Regiment.			Period of duration.	Source of supply.	Remarks.
	No.	Per	Total.	Spare.	Grand Total.			
Buckets, wooden, for Veterinary Infirmaries.	..	..	4	..	4	Do. . .	Do. . .	These articles are to be taken on the line of march.

No. 886 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 725 of 1877 :—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Valise Equipment.

List of Accoutrements. No. 995.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 806 of 1877, the following alterations are to be made to the list of accoutrements forming the valise equipment of a regiment of British Infantry :—

For "Belts, Leather, Waist, buff, Infantry, without lockets," read *Belts, Leather, Waist, buff, Infantry with lockets.*

Opposite entry "Lockets, Union," "for period of service, 12 years," substitute 8 years.

No. 887 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th November 1877, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT, GENERAL.

The 8th November 1877.

No. 3186-G.—APPOINTMENTS.—Captain D. Robertson, Political Assistant, 2nd Class, and Cantonment Magistrate, Nasirabad, is appointed to officiate as Political Assistant, 1st Class, and Assistant Commissioner of Mhairwarra, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Captain Lassalle proceeding on furlough.

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No. 3187-G.—Consequent on the return of Colonel M. Thomson, Political Agent, 2nd Class, from leave, the following appointments are made with effect from the forenoon of 22nd October 1877 :—

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Captain C. B. Euan Smith, C.S.I., to officiate as Political Agent, 3rd Class.

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No. 888 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 15th November 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 17th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	November	Beeching, Frank, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	Do.	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do.	Connolly, Paul, Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do.	Dinwiddie, David, Captain and Barrack Master at Kamptee.
1	Do.	Hallett, W. H., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Johnson, J. H. E., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do.	Moberly, F. J., Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do.	Officer Commanding B Battery, B Brigade (late B/C) Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. C do. B do. (late C/C) do.
1	Do.	Do. C do. 6th do. (late C/20th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do.	Do. D do. 6th do. (late D/20th) do.
1	Do.	Do. G do. 6th do. (late G/20th) do.
1	Do.	Do. L do. 1st do. (late D/9th) do.
1	Do.	Do. O do. 1st do. (late G/9th) do.
1	Do.	Do. Head-Quarters (late) 20th Brigade do.
1	Do.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do.	Do. „ 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. „ 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do.	Do. „ 45th Regiment.
1	Do.	Do. „ 48th do.
1	Do.	Taylor, A. C., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do.	Thomas, L. F. C., Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Armourer-Serjeant John Barber.
1	Do.	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
23	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 22nd November 1877.

No. 889 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Major G. A. Strover, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade, British Burmah.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 15th November 1877.
Captain H. H. H. Hallett, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, Central Provinces.	
	} Arrived at Bombay on the 16th November 1877.

No. 890 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Dates of Commissions.
22nd Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Rajah Sherreef	Subadar	1st November 1877.
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Fort St. George, 23rd November 1877.

No. 891 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major J. Ward, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.	} Arrived at Madras on the 20th November 1877.

No. 892 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant George Carew Fenwick, having completed twelve years' service, to be Captain from the 21st November 1877.

Fort St. George, 26th November 1877.

No. 893 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Major E. A. Wood, Staff Corps	} Arrived at Madras on the 20th November 1877.
Major A. E. Arbuthnot, Cadre, 8th Regiment Light Cavalry, attached to 4th Regiment (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry.	

No. 894 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
5th Regiment M.N.I.	Havildar No. 1691, Ramasawmy	Jemadar	14th October 1877.

No. 895 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 461, dated 25th May 1877, Corporal Robert Lowe (not Law, as therein named), of the late 20th Brigade Royal Artillery, is permitted to reside and draw pay at Madras, instead of Poona, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension.

No. 896 of 1877.—No. 2204, Gunner Patrick Tracey, of the G Battery, 6th Brigade (late G/20th) Royal Artillery, is permitted to reside and draw pay at Kamptee, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension.

Fort St. George, 27th November 1877.

No. 897 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation by Colonel G. Baldock, Staff Corps, of the appointment of Staff Officer and Superintendent of Details, Fort St. George.

No. 898 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Lieutenant-Colonel L. H. Isacke, Staff Corps, to be Staff Officer and Superintendent of Details, Fort St. George.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel R. Benson, or until further orders.

No. 899 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 26th October 1877, are republished :—

India Office, 22nd October 1877.

The date of rank of the undermentioned Officers, admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, should be as follows, and not as stated in the *London Gazettes* specified below :—

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MADRAS.

Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Arthur Gorham Howard Hayne, 89th Foot. Dated 3rd February 1872 ;

Lieutenant Edmund Francis Braine, 21st Foot. Dated 28th October 1871 ;

and not as stated in the *Gazette* of June 8, 1877.

Lieutenant Charles Simpson, 18th Hussars. Dated 28th August 1871 ;

and not as stated in the *Gazette* of July 24, 1877.

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India Office, 24th October 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and Her Majesty's Indian Forces, made by the Governments in India :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Frederick Kilgour. Dated 11th July 1877.

No. 900 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th November 1877, is republished :—

No. 1014.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

* * * *

3rd Punjab Infantry.

* * * *

Lieutenant W. A. D'O. Mealy, 67th Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 38th Madras Native Infantry, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation.

Sub-Lieutenant W. Cook, 89th Foot, Wing Officer, 40th Madras Native Infantry, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation.

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No. 901 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 139 of 1872 :—

EQUIPMENT.

Arms—Ammunition. **British Army.**

No. 1016.—BRITISH ARMY—

In supersession of G.G.O. No. 550 of 1872, which is hereby cancelled, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following rules for the disposal of arms, ammunition and stores in possession of British troops returning to England, which rules are to be strictly observed in future :—

Royal Artillery.

1. Batteries of Horse and Field Artillery are to take home with them their 24 carbines, 1 set of accoutrements, 1 haversack, and 1 kit bag per man embarked ; also 1 sword and scabbard per man, drivers excepted.

2. Garrison batteries will take with them 1 carbine, 1 sword with scabbard, 1 set of accoutrements, 1 haversack, and 1 kit bag per man embarked.

Cavalry.

3. Hussar regiments will take home 1 carbine, 1 sword with scabbard, 1 set of accoutrements, 1 haversack, and 1 kit bag per man embarked. Also a pistol per staff serjeant, troop serjeant-major, and trumpeter.

4. Lancer regiments will take 1 pistol, 1 lance, 1 sword with scabbard, 1 set of accoutrements, 1 haversack, and 1 kit bag per man embarked.

Infantry.

5. Regiments armed with the Henry-Martini rifle will take with them 1 rifle, 1 set of accoutrements, 1 haversack, and 1 kit bag per man embarked.

6. All regiments and batteries returning to England will take with them the whole of their regimental stores connected with personal equipment and armourer's tools, making their own arrangements for disposing of their workshop tools. They will also take home the appointments appertaining to trumpeters, drummers and pioneers, together with such musical instruments as are the property of Government. 40 rounds of ammunition per small arm will be taken by regiments of Infantry, and 20 rounds by regiments of Cavalry and batteries of Royal Artillery, to the port of embarkation, and will there be returned into store, as ammunition is provided on board Her Majesty's Indian troopships.

7. A battery or regiment under orders for England will dispose of its camp equipage in accordance with the instructions it will receive from the Quartermaster-General's Department.

8. All regimental stores, ammunition, and equipment, with the exception of those above detailed, will be returned by the regiment or battery into the arsenal or ammunition dépôt on which it is dependent, one month before it leaves its station, and receiving officers will be held personally responsible that none of the articles above authorized to be taken home are returned into store.

9. When a battery or regiment under orders for England is about to leave its station, the officer commanding the station will convene a committee of experienced officers, of which the officer commanding the battery or regiment shall be President or Member, to survey the equipment and stores which are to be returned as above into ordnance store as well as those to be taken to England. The reports of the equipments to be returned into store will be sent to the Ordnance Office, Calcutta, Madras, or Poona, as the case may be. The reports of the equipments to be taken to England will be prepared in triplicate, and of these one copy will remain with the officer commanding, for delivery on arrival, to the authorities at the War Office, or at the Colony, or other British possession to which the troops may be proceeding. One to be sent to the Adjutant-General for transmission to the India Office, through the Government of India, and one to the Controller of Military Accounts of the presidency.

10. When a battery under orders for England is ordered to march from the station where it has been located, to another station, for the purpose of handing over its horses and equipment, the committee detailed in the foregoing paragraph will be assembled, as soon as possible, after its arrival at the latter station.

11. In preparing the reports of the equipment to be taken to England, the committee will carefully fill in the first seven columns, the remainder being left blank for completion at the India Office.

No. 902 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th November 1877, is republished :—

ORDNANCE.

Ordnance. No. 1019.—The following clauses in list of changes in War Matériel, are made applicable to India :—

Dated 1st July 1877.

3131. Carriages, iron, wrought, travelling, field, complete, rifled	} Paras. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10, so far as they refer to the 9-pounder.
M.L. 9-pr. and 16-pr.	
Wagons, iron, wrought, ammunition, with boxes complete, rifled	
M.L. 9-pr. and 16-pr.	
Limbers, iron, wrought, field, with boxes complete, rifled M.L.	
9-pr. and 16-pr.	
Alterations and additions (See §§ 2991, 3045)	
3132. Carriages, garrison, wrought iron, double plate.	
Holes in brackets, to allow water to escape.	
3134. Lanyards, friction tube. New form of hook.	
3136. Pieces, pivot, for elevating arc, complete, for 8-inch rifled M. L. howitzer of 46 cwts.	
(Mark I) 25-pr. rifled M. L. gun of 18 cwts. (Mark I).	

Dated 1st August 1872.

2305. Musical instruments.

No. 903 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 22nd November 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *vid* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 24th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	October ..	Boone, F. B., Major, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	November ..	Chambers, C. A., Master-Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Fainnee, B. B., Captain, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	October ..	Holmes, P. L., Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	November ..	Lawford, E. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Mackenzie, George, Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Oakes, G. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding Royal Artillery, Staff Mysore Division (late Headquarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery).
1	Do. ..	Do. C Battery, B Brigade (late C/O) Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. H do. 1st do. (late A/9th) Royal Artillery.
2	Oct. and Nov. ..	Do. K do. 1st do. (late C/9th) do.
1	November ..	Do. B do. 6th do. (late B/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 6th do. (late C/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 6th do. (late D/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 5/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 13 do. 8th do. (late 6/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 14 do. 8th do. (late 7/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	October ..	Rose, William, Colonel, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	November ..	Redmond, James, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Straker, C. D. A., Major, Royal Artillery.
2	October ..	Spencer, T. C. H., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	November ..	St. Aubyn, George, 2nd-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Standen, Douglas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps, for Garrison Serjeant-Major W. W. Marony.
1	Do. ..	Thornton, C. M. J., Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Thuillier, H. R., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Warlow, George, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 28th November 1877.

No. 904 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have reported their return from Europe :—

Colonel R. Q. Mainwaring, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 21st November 1877.
Conductor J. Ring, Ordnance Department	
	} Arrived at Bombay on the 23rd November 1877.

No. 905 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
19th Regt. M.N.I.	Jemadar Shaik Madar Do. Shaik Booden	Subadar Do.	} 10th November 1877.

Fort St. George, 30th November 1877.

No. 906 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Colonel R. Q. Mainwaring, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel R. Benson, or until further orders.

No. 907 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Colonel A. F. Williams, Staff Corps, Wing Commander (Second in Command), 14th Regiment Native Infantry.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 24th November 1877.

No. 908 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 856, dated 12th November 1877, the date of transfer to the Pension Establishment of Subadar-Major Gopaulsawmy, Bahadur, 19th Regiment Native Infantry, is altered from the 16th to the 24th November 1877.

No. 909 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Army:—			
Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
29th Regiment N.I.	{ Jemadar Rhyim Khan Havildar, No. 1717, Shaik Esmail	{ Subadar Jemadar	} 16th September 1877.

No. 910 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

23rd Regiment Light Infantry.

Jemadar Abdoolah Khan, on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 12th February 1878.

Fort St. George, 1st December 1877.

Regimental Appointments—Officers.

No. 911 of 1877.—With reference to General Order by the Government of India, No. 3 of 1877, His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Officers serving in Native Regiments below the rank of squadron and wing commander be graded according to length of regimental service; but this rule is to be subject to modification when Army Rank, and the public interests, call for special consideration.

2. The cases of officers now on staff and detached employ, and who are not borne on the rolls of a regiment, but who must necessarily hereafter be posted to Corps, will be specially dealt with.

3. Officers will hereafter take rank and precedence regimentally according to their regimental grading; and temporary appointments in Native Regiments will, in the same manner, be regulated by the regimental position of officers.

4. Officers nominated to Army or Personal Staff appointments tenable for fixed periods will be seconded. An officer thus seconded will continue to hold his position in the regiment, will be eligible for promotion as if present with it, and revert to his regimental appointment on the expiration of his tour of Staff service.

5. The appointments of commandant and squadron and wing commander are only to be held, except in special cases, by officers of or above the rank of Captain. The appointments of adjutant and quartermaster are only to be held permanently by subaltern officers, and are to be vacated on the promotion of the incumbent to the rank of Captain. A subaltern thus promoted may however, under special sanction, if there is no qualified subaltern, wing or squadron officer in the Corps, be allowed to retain his appointment provisionally until a duly qualified subaltern officer is available in the regiment.

6. Wing and squadron officers on promotion to the substantive rank of Major will not, in future, be required to vacate their regimental appointments.

N.B.—Para. 5 does not necessarily affect present incumbents holding the appointment of adjutant and quartermaster, until the Captains vacate on attaining the rank of Major, on promotion in the regiment, or on completion of the five years' tenure of appointment.

No. 912 of 1877.—Conductor N. Spencer, of the Ordnance Department, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 4th December 1877.

No. 913 of 1877.—Colonel F. Mardall, Staff Corps, Judge Advocate-General, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for four months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 914 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. R. S. Henderson, Staff Corps, Wing Com- } Arrived at Bombay on the
mander (2nd in Command) 13th Regiment Native Infantry. } 29th November 1877.

No. 915 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Captain A. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel R. Benson, or until further orders.

No. 916 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor is pleased to appoint Lieutenant B. T. G. Montgomery, 2/60th Rifles, to be an extra Aide-de-Camp on His Grace's Personal Staff.

No. 917 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

35th Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Madura Mootoo, on Rupees 12 per mensem, from the 16th December 1877.

No. 918 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 21, dated 9th November 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major T. O. Underwood, Staff Corps.
Major A. Kenney-Herbert, Cavalry.
Sub-Conductor J. Smith.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Surgeon-Major W. A. Smith	..	..	..	..	6 months, m. c.
Major C. Gordon, Staff Corps	..	..	..	..	6 months, m. c.

No. 919 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 2nd November 1877, is republished :—

India Office, 1st November 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service :—

To be Surgeons. Dated 31st March 1877.

MADRAS.

Thomas King Rogers.
Henry Augustus Fitzroy Nailer.
Donald Elcum.
George Charles Bouton.
Nityananda Chatterjee.

No. 920 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd November 1877, is republished :—

No. 1028.—BREVET—

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Annesley Benson, Madras Infantry, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the 29th September 1877, under the provisions of paragraph 13, Clause c, of the Royal Warrant of 21st December 1871, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 921 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd November 1877, is republished :—

No. 1045.—The undermentioned out-pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, are permitted to draw their pensions (which are chargeable to Imperial revenue) in India, from the dates they cease to receive regimental pay :—

Charles Markham, late 9th Lancers,—one shilling and one and half pence per diem.

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No. 922 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 29th November 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 1st December 1877.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	November ..	Duckworth, Frederick, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
4	Do. ..	Hamilton, F. W., Major, Commandant Dépôt, Poonamallee, for Serjeant-Major John Guilfoyle, Serjeants William Land, William Thorpe, and Private Michael Keefe.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade (late C/O) Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. H do. 1st do. (late A/9th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 1st do. (late D/9th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 8 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 1/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 10 do. 8th do. (late 3/5th) do.
1	Do. ..	Do. A do. 6th do. (late A/20th) do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
3	Do. ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 89th do.
1	Do. ..	Rose, William, Colonel, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Williams, D. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
26	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 6th December 1877.

No. 923 of 1877.—Colonel R. Benson, Staff Corps, will be entitled to Colonel's allowances from the 10th December 1877, under the provisions of paragraph 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808, dated 26th September 1866.

No. 924 of 1877.—Veterinary-Surgeon J. H. Cox, British Veterinary Department, 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry, is granted an extension of his leave to Europe for thirty-two days on private affairs, to enable him to rejoin.

No. 925 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officers are transferred to the Pension Establishment, from the 22nd December 1877 :—

26th Regiment Native Infantry.

Subadar-Major Sheik Husein, Sirdar Bahadur, on Rupees 40 per mensem, with the staff allowance of his rank.

Jemadar Rampersaud, on Rupees 12 per mensem.

Jemadar Maduramootoo, on Rupees 12 per mensem.

39th Regiment Native Infantry.

Jemadar Veeragoo, on Rupees 12 per mensem.

No. 926 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Captain A. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary- } Arrived at Madras on the
General, 3rd Class. } 1st December 1877.

Fort St. George, 7th December 1877.

No. 927 of 1877.—With reference to Revenue (Famine) Department Notification, dated 6th December 1877, the services of Lieutenant W. H. Riddell, H. M.'s 2nd/16th Foot, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 928 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

His Grace the Governor's Body Guard.

Subadar Esoff Khan, on Rupees 25 per mensem, from the 16th December 1877.

Fort St. George, 8th December 1877.

No. 929 of 1877.—The services of Major E. W. Shaw, Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Revenue Department for employment on famine relief.

No. 930 of 1877.—Major W. Hay, Staff Corps, Assistant to the Resident, Travancore, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from the Western Coast, Bombay or Madras, on or after the 15th January 1878.

No. 931 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Captain J. G. R. D. MacNeill, Infantry General List, Commandant } Arrived at Madras on the
and Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, Nair Brigade. } 5th December 1877.

No. 932 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
19th Regiment N.I. {	Havildar No. 2555, Assim Sherriffe	Jemadar	} 10th November 1877.
Do. No. 1838, Syed Allee	Do.	Do.	
40th do. do. ..	Do. No. 2539, Shaik Farreed	Do.	
			25th October 1877.

Fort St. George, 10th December 1877.

No. 933 of 1877.—Lieutenant M. E. H. O. Welch, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 9th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted an extension for six months, on medical certificate, of the furlough to Australia notified in G.O.G. No. 424, dated 9th May 1877.

Fort St. George, 11th December 1877.

No. 934 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Thomas Rooke Tabuteau, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major from the 11th December 1877.

No. 935 of 1877.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 9th November 1877, is republished:—

BREVET.

* * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary Joseph Costello, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 22nd July 1877.

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No. 936 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 895 of 1877:—

PENSIONS.

No. 1002.—Corporal Robert Low, * late 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery, an out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, is permitted to draw his pension (which is chargeable to Imperial revenue) in India, viz., one shilling per diem, from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay.

* Lowe.

No. 937 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th November 1877, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1050.—BREVET—

Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the following casualty, the names of the under-mentioned Officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List as specified:—

Colonel W. H. Freese, Madras Infantry, is placed on the list of Major-Generals;	} In consequence of the death of Colonel (Major-General on the Indian Gradation List) W. T. Money, Madras Infantry, on the 20th August 1877.
Major J. M. Sexton, Bombay Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Colonels;	
Captain H. G. Pritchard, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Majors on the Indian Gradation List.	

No. 938 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 815 of 1877:—

No. 1056.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

4th Infantry.

Surgeon C. L. Swaine, Madras Medical Department, to be Officiating Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon-Major H. Crocker, M.D., on furlough.

No. 939 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th November 1877, is republished:—

Volunteer Corps—Rangoon. No. 1062.—VOLUNTEER CORPS—

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the formation of a volunteer rifle corps at Rangoon, to be designated the "Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps," and to notify the following appointment:—

To be Commandant.

Major Richard Charles Evanson, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 940 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 820 of 1877 :—

DRESS.

Dress. No. 1064.—Paragraphs 6 and 7 of G.G.O. No. 929 of 1877 are cancelled, and the following substituted as paragraph 6 :—

6. *The Army pattern helmet with plume or spike will replace the cocked hat and plume, the turban being white. The plume or spike will be worn as laid down for Staff Officers.*

No. 941 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th November 1877, is republished :—

EQUIPMENT.

Equipment—Royal Artillery. No. 1065.—With a view to the assimilation of equipment in the Mountain Batteries (Royal Artillery and Native) armed with 7-pounder Rifled Muzzle Loading Guns, 200 lbs., serving in India, Equipment Tables for these Batteries have been published for adoption throughout the three Presidencies.

No alteration in the scale of equipment now laid down is to be made without the sanction of the Government of India, and the nomenclature and proportion as entered therein should be strictly followed.

All changes that may be made applicable to India will, from time to time, be published either in General Orders by the Government, or in those of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with the sanction of Government.

Copies of Equipment Tables will be printed and distributed to Batteries and Departments in the Bengal Presidency by the Inspector-General of Ordnance, Bengal, under the orders of the Government of India, and to Batteries and Departments in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay under the orders of the Governments of those Presidencies.

No. 942 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th November 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 507 of 1875 :—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Equipment Tables—Royal Artillery. No. 1066.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 747 of 1875, the following addition will be made to Equipment Tables of 9-pounder M. L. R. Batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery, viz.,—at page 16 between the items “worms wadhook,” &c., and “Wrenches iron,” &c., enter *Wrenches iron box for muzzle sight, 2 per Battery.*

No. 943 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th November 1877, is republished :—

HONORS AND REWARDS.

No. 1074.—GOOD-SERVICE PENSIONS—

It is hereby announced that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer a good service pension on the undermentioned Officer, with effect from the 4th May 1877, in room of Colonel G. Selby, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance :—

Colonel ANDREW VANCE FALLS, of the Royal (late Madras) Artillery.

DATES OF COMMISSIONS.

2nd Lieutenant	..	..	..	..	11th June 1839.
1st Lieutenant	..	..	..	..	17th August 1841.
Brevet-Captain	..	..	..	..	11th June 1854.
Captain	..	..	..	..	11th April 1855.
Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	..	9th June 1862.
Brevet-Colonel	..	..	..	..	9th June 1867.
Colonel	..	..	..	..	5th February 1870.

APPOINTMENTS.

Commanded A Troop, Horse Artillery, from 10th August 1852 to 4th November 1852, and from 21st February 1854 to 18th May 1854.

Commanded No. 7 Horse Battery, from 12th September 1857 to 30th April 1858, and from 12th May 1858 to 1st January 1861.

Commanded B Troop, Horse Artillery, from 31st January 1861 to 21st February 1862.

Commanded Royal Artillery, Ceded Districts, from 20th April 1863 to 31st December 1865.

Commanded D Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery, and Royal Artillery, Mysore Division, from 6th November 1869 to 28th February 1870.

Commanded 23rd Brigade and Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, from 7th June 1870 to 31st October 1870.

Commanded 20th Brigade and Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, from 20th November 1873.

WAR SERVICES.

Served in the Southern Mahratta Campaign from 21st October 1844 to 4th February 1845, and was present at the sieges of Punallaghur, Powenghur, Munohur, Munsintosh, also at the capitulation of Budderghur, 10th November 1844.

No. 944 of 1877.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 1st December 1877, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT, GENERAL.

The 30th November 1877.

No. 3306-G.—The services of Major W. Anderson, Officiating 2nd in Command, Malwa Bheel Corps, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved by Major Miller.

No. 945 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 6th December 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 8th current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	December ..	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, doing duty Remount Dépôt.
1	Do. ..	Abdy, C. H., Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Austin, Edmund, Captain, 19th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	November ..	Blenkinsop, E. G., Captain, 4th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	December ..	Babington, W. M. S., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Blair, H. W., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Clay, A. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Clephane, A. R., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cadell, Robert, Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Church, T. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cooke, A. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Chaplain, Allan, Captain, 32nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Collis, J. G., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Campbell, C. C., Captain, 31st Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Currie, J. W., Sub-Lieutenant, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Clerk, Godfrey, Lieutenant-Colonel, Military Secretary, to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do. ..	Clay, A. O'H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Connolly, Paul, Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Dwyer, C. E., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Davies, H. C., Captain, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Davidson, A. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, and Barrackmaster at Kamptee.
1	Do. ..	Fletcher, J. J., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Fulton, G. A., Colonel, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Godfrey, W. H. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Gray, R. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Gib, W. A., Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Handyside, R. V., Lieutenant-Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Holloway, E. G. V., Major, 35th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hodgson, F. G., Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, R. E., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Hog, T. J. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Huddleston, John, Captain, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Heath, G. J. D., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Harris, H. T., Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Isacke, L. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Jennings, C. J., Major, Madras Staff Corps.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	December ..	Kempster, F. G., Brigadier-General, Commanding Ceded Districts.
1	Do. ..	Kennedy, M. K., Major-General, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Leader, T. A. F., Lieutenant, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Loudon, John, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Mottet, H. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Maclean, J. N., Colonel, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, for Serjeant-Major Henry Hynes.
1	Do. ..	O'Connell, H. H., Brigadier-General, Quartermaster-General.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade, (late C/C), Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Preston, B. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Prendergast, R. S. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Rogers-Harrison, A. N., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Riach, W. A., Colonel, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Rideout, J. W., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Richmond, J. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Strettell, J. E. F., Captain, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Strickland, W. G. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, 13th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Stainforth, William, Captain, 36th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Smithers, O. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, 14th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Smith, George, Surgeon-General, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	St. John, F. C., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	St. Aubyn, George, 2nd Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Teversham, R. K., Sub-Lieutenant, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Twynam, F. R., Captain, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, J. B., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Trevor, F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Serjeant Thomas Grant.
1	Do. ..	Vizard, W. J., Colonel, 12th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Wetherall, P. J. P., Colonel, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Wilnot, H. E., Sub-Lieutenant, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Walker, Mark, Brigadier-General Commanding Nagpore Force.
1	Do. ..	Williamson, William, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do. ..	White, H. B., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
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The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for October 1877, despatched to England *via* Bombay and Southampton by the same Mail:—

	1877.	
1	October ..	Controller, Military Accounts, on account of the Estate of the late Lieutenant M. C. Spottiswoode, H. M.'s 43rd Foot.
2	Sept. and Oct...	Officer Commanding B Battery, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	October ..	Do. C do. C do. do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 5th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 3 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 5 do. 5th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 6 do. 5th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 5th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. A do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. 9th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. D do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. A do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. B do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. E do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. F do. 20th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. G do. 20th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. do. do. do.
3	August, September & October.	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
2	October ..	Do. " 14th Hussars.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
2	September ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.

N ^o . of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
2	October ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 33rd Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Light Infantry.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 44th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 48th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	September ..	Do. " 89th do. (Left Wing).
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The following are the Savings' Bank Statements despatched to England *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the same Mail:—

	1877.	
1	October ..	Officer Commanding No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, (late 5/5th) Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster H. M.'s 43rd Regiment Light Infantry.
2	Returns.	

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the deaths of the Officers named and described in the subjoined Table.

Secondly.—That there have been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amount set opposite their respective names.

Thirdly.—That all claims by creditors against their respective properties of the deceased are to be lodged with me, within two calendar months from the date of this Notice.

Number.	Christian Name and Surname in full of Officer, deceased.	Branch of Service to which Deceased belonged.	Number of Regiment.	Rank of deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.	Amount of Surplus.	Whether deceased known to have left a Will or not.	Other particulars respecting deceased and his property and remarks.	Number.
COMMISSIONED OFFICER.										
1	} Cecil Nicholls { Maxwell John Munro.	Military.	Staff Corps.	Colonel.	Cuttack..	1877.	{ 1,038 11 5 367 4 4 1,281 4 0	{ Tes- tate. Intes- tate.	Deposited 16th Nov.	{ 1 2 3
2		Do.	48th Foot.	Liente- nant.	Bangalore.	21st May.			1877.	
3						29th June.			Deposited 29th Nov.	
									1877.	

Fort, St. George, 10th December 1877.

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secy. to Govt. Military Department.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 12th December 1877.

No. 946 of 1877.—Major J. H. E. Johnson, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on medical certificate for two years, under the Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Bombay or Madras.

This order is in substitution of G.O.G. Nos. 859 and 875 of 1877.

No. 947 of 1877.—The furlough to Europe granted in G.O.G. No. 517, dated 18th June 1877, to Sub-Conductor J. Smith, of the Public Works Department, is under the Regulations of 1875 (see Ruling, Rule 6, G.O.G. No. 687 of 1876).

No. 948 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
32nd Regiment M.N.I.	Havildar, No. 1673, Buggavattee	Jemadar	7th November 1877.

Fort St. George, 13th December 1877.

No. 949 of 1877.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels, having completed twenty-six years' service.

Majors ..	Thomas Henry Way	From 12th December 1877.
	Nowell Swanston	From 13th December 1877.
	James Giberne Bell	
	Henry Annesley Justice	

To be Majors, having completed twenty years' service.

Captains ..	Holloway Walrond Hastings	From 12th December 1877.
	Elphinstone Shaw	
	Alexander Fairlie Dobbs	
	Walter Coningham	
	George Chrystie	
	Albert Francis Orchard	

No. 950 of 1877.—Major G. Proudfoot, Madras Volunteer Guards (Seconded List), is granted eighteen months' leave of absence to Europe on medical certificate.

No. 951 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is promoted to the rank of Major by Brevet, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Hurlock Galloway Pritchard, from the 12th December 1877.

No. 952 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Colonel G. P. B. Sherard, Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate, 1st Circle, to officiate as Judge Advocate-General, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel Mardall, or until further orders.

Fort St. George, 14th December 1877.

No. 953 of 1877.—No. 2293, Trumpeter Samuel Parker, of the B/6th, (late 20th) Brigade, Royal Artillery, is permitted to reside and draw pay at Bellary, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension.

Fort St. George, 17th December 1877.

No. 954 of 1877.—The furlough to Europe on medical certificate granted to Surgeon-Major R. W. Cockerill, Indian Medical Department, Surgeon of the General Hospital, &c., in G.O.G. No. 288, dated 27th March 1877, is under the Regulations of 1854.

No. 955 of 1877.—Captain J. W. Moscrop, Madras Volunteer Guards, is permitted to resign his Commission, at his own request.

No. 956 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
Body Guard	Jemadar Syed Khader Havildar, No. 246, Syed Esoff	Subadar Jemadar	16th December 1877

Fort St. George, 18th December 1877.

No. 957 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 16th December 1877, under the provisions of G.O.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877 :—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
18	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Henry Hessey.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d. 3,727 0 0	England.

No. 958 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Colonel G. R. F. Bardin, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	} With effect from the 10th December 1877, vice Colonel R. Benson, succeeded to Colonel's allowance.
Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.	
Lieutenant-Colonel B. F. Heysham, Deputy Assistant Commissary- General, 2nd Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	
Colonel R. Q. Mainwaring, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.	
Captain E. A. Bruce, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	
Captain A. Clark-Kennedy, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.	
Captain William Cooke, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 9th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class.	

No. 959 of 1877.—Lieutenant Alexander Bulstrode Fenton, Her Majesty's 66th Foot, Squadron Officer, 4th (Prince of Wales' Own) Regiment Light Cavalry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 20th October 1876, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 960 of 1877.—The undermentioned Native Officer is transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.

Jemadar Mahomed Mooltan, on Rupees 20 per mensem, from the 15th January 1878.

No. 961 of 1877.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 20th November 1877, is republished :—

India Office, 19th November 1877.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to Her Majesty's Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Robert Castel Sherard, 44th Foot. Dated 24th February 1872.

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No. 962 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th December 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 725 of 1877:—

EQUIPMENT TABLES.

Equipment Tables. No. 1094.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 806 of 1877, the following alterations are to be made in the list of accoutrements forming the valise equipment of a Regiment of British Infantry:—

Opposite entry "Belts, leather, waist, buff, Infantry, without lockets," enter the following remark:—

The belts will be issued from Ordnance Store with the lockets attached.

Opposite entry "Lockets, Union," in column "period of service, years," substitute 8 for "12," and enter remark as follows:—

Lockets will be issued attached to Belts, not separate.

No. 963 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th December 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 725 of 1877:—

Valise Equipment. No. 1095.—The following corrections to be made in G.G.O.

List of Accoutrement. No. 806 of 1877:—

Opposite "Buckles, brass, Infantry, Rank and File, Waist Belts," in column "Total number per Regiment," for "875" read 876.

Opposite "Lockets, Union, Gilt, Staff Sergeants, Infantry," in column "Data for calculating proportion," enter *Band Sergeant* after "1 per Staff Sergeant."

Opposite "Pouches, leather, ammunition, black, V. E., 20 rounds, &c.," in third column, for "2 per Sergeant, Corporal and Private," read *1 per Sergeant, 2 per Corporal and Private*; and in "Total number per Regiment," for "1658" read 1618.

No. 964 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th December 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 28 of 1876:—

Officers—Civil Employ. No. 1102.—REGULATIONS—

Furlough Regulations.

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify the following supplementary regulations which have received the approval of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for

Despatch No. 164, dated the 10th May 1877.

India, providing for the ease of military officers in civil employ referred to in paragraph IV of the subsidiary rules appended to G.G.O. No. 1316 of the 30th December 1875:—

I. Any officer now in civil employ, who is subject to the Military Furlough Regulations of 1854 or 1868, shall remain so subject.

II. Any military officer who may hereafter enter civil employ, who is not already subject to the Military Furlough and Leave Rules of 1875, shall remain subject to the rules applicable to him when he enters civil employ.

NOTE.—An officer referred to in Rules I and II cannot elect the Military Furlough and Leave Rules of 1875, so long as he continues in civil employ.

III. Any officer who may enter civil employ, who is already subject to the Military Furlough and Leave Rules of 1875, shall be subject to the rules in the Civil Leave Code applicable to covenanted civil servants both as regards furlough and leave taken out of India and in India.

IV. If any officer who is employed in the civil administration has taken furlough in the Military Department under the said rules of 1875, this furlough shall be treated, in calculating the furlough or special leave admissible to him under the preceding rule, as if it had been furlough taken under the Civil Leave Code. Leave so taken under the 10th military rule shall be treated as if it had been privilege leave taken under the Civil Leave Code, and the claims of the officer under the Civil Leave Code adjusted accordingly.

V. If an officer who has been subject to the rules in the Civil Leave Code under the third of these rules is again employed in the Military Department, and so again becomes subject to the Military Furlough and Leave Rules of 1875, any furlough or special leave taken by him under the Civil Leave Code will be treated, in calculating the furlough admissible to him under the said military rules, as if it had been furlough taken under the said military rules. Privilege leave taken under the Civil Leave Code Rules will be treated as if it had been leave taken under the 10th military rule. Subsidiary or examination leave taken under the Civil Leave Code will not affect the claims of such an Officer under the Military Furlough and Leave Rules.

No. 965 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th December 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 247 of 1876 :—

**Ration Certificate.
Non-Commissioned Officers.
Unattached List**

UNATTACHED LIST.

No. 1108.—Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, the following revised certificate is to be adopted in lieu of that published in G.G.O. No. 442 of 1876 :—

No. 1.

Stoppage for Rations, &c.

I hereby certify that on the _____ 18 _____, embarked at _____, on board _____, for a passage to _____, and landed at _____ on the _____; and I further certify that the grocery ration was issued to him for _____ days, and the spirit ration, or its equivalent, for _____ days. His first dinner was eaten on board ship on _____ and his last on _____.

When troops are embarked, this certificate is to be signed by the Officer Commanding, as well as by the paymaster of the ship. When no troops are on board under military command, it is to be signed by the paymaster or master of the ship only.

No. 966 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 13th December 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, *via* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 15th current.

No. of Return.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1877.		
1	December ..	Cole, G. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	November ..	Crawford, James, Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	December ..	Cookes, C. H., Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Army Schoolmaster Thomas Simms.
1	Do. ..	Davies, A. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Fletcher, J. J., Captain, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hankin, E. L., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hampson, J., Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Hog, T. I. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Ordnance Department, for Store Serjeant Thomas Evans.
1	Do. ..	Jollie, James, Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Kilgour, Frederick, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lambert, Parry, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Macdonald, J. C., Colonel, Acting Assistant Commissary-General, for Serjeant J. W. Bailey.
1	Do. ..	O'Leary, T. C., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding Royal Artillery, Staff, Mysore Division (late Headquarters, C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery).
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 5/5th), Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 13 do. 8th do. (late 6/5th), do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Head-quarters (late 20th Brigade), do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2/16th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 33rd do.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd do. Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 45th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	November ..	Spencer, T. C. H., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	December ..	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Wellington Depôt.
1	Do. ..	Taylor, J. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Todd, R. C., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	November ..	Thornton, C. M. J., Colonel, Commanding Royal Artillery, British Burma Division.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,
FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 19th December 1877.

No. 967 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Gray, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe and Australia on furlough on private affairs for one year, two months, and eight days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 968 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Captain A. Anderson, Infantry General List, Wing Officer and } Arrived at Bombay on the
Adjutant, 8th Regiment Native Infantry. } 14th December 1877.

Fort St. George, 20th December 1877.

No. 969 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Where to be paid.
19	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Cornwallis Phillips.	Staff Corps.	£ 456 5 0	£ 668 12 0	England.

No. 970 of 1877.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain William Granville Sharp, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major from the 20th December 1877.

No. 971 of 1877.—Captain G. H. Trevor, Staff Corps, Second Assistant to the Resident at Hyderabad, is granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for one year from the 22nd October 1877, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave,—embarking from Bombay.

No. 972 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
22nd Regiment N.I...	Havildar, No. 1678, Shaik Furreed	Jemadar	21st November 1877.

No. 973 of 1877.—The undermentioned individuals are permitted to reside and draw pay at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

Private John Reynolds, 45th Foot	..	..	..	..	..	Rangoon.
Do. John Collins, 45th Foot	..	..	..	..	..	Coimbatore.

Fort St. George, 21st December 1877.

No. 974 of 1877.—Major A. Wingfield, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under the Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 975 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Captain (Major) A. R. Kennv-Herbert, Cavalry General List, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Malabar and Canara.	} Arrived at Madras on the 17th December 1877.
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No. 976 of 1877.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 22, dated 23rd November 1877.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extension of leave or allowed to retire from the service, &c.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain J. W. S. Butler.
Major A. J. Filgate.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Surgeon J. A. W. Spence 6 months, m. c.

RETIREMENT.

Surgeon-Major G. F. Trimmell, 22nd November 1877.

DEATH.

Colonel N. F. Bayly, 16th September 1877.

No. 977 of 1877.—First-Class Apothecary J. Sausman is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, from the 1st January 1878.

No. 978 of 1877.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	Date of Commission.
6th Regt. M.N.I. ..	Subadar Shaik Abdool Cawder	Subadar-Major	6th October 1877.
	Jemadar Laul Khan	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 378, Mahomed Esoph	Jemadar	

No. 979 of 1877.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 856, dated 12th December 1877, the date of transfer to the Pension Establishment of Subadar Appasawmy, of the 2nd Regiment Native Infantry, is altered from the 21st November to 1st December 1877.

Fort St. George, 24th December 1877.

No. 980 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Major T. O. Underwood, Staff Corps, Squadron Commander, 4th Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force.	} Arrived at Bombay on the 14th December 1877.
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Major E. G. Morrogh, Staff Corps { Arrived at Madras on the
 17th December 1877.
 Captain C. J. Johnston, Infantry General List, Quartermaster, } Arrived at Madras, on the
 32nd Regiment Native Infantry. } 20th December 1877.

No. 981 of 1877.—The following promotion is made in the Medical Department:—

Passed Hospital Apprentice John Fisher, to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary from the 13th November 1877, *vice* Assistant Apothecary J. Marrow, deceased.

Fort St. George, 26th December 1877.

No. 982 of 1877.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, and with reference to G.O.G. Nos. 38, dated 11th January 1876, and 140, dated 12th February 1877, the admission to the Madras Staff Corps of Captain James Turner Cummins is antedated to the 7th June 1875.

No. 983 of 1877.—Major W. Coningham, Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for one year and ten days, under the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Madras or Bombay.

No. 984 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th December 1877, is republished:—

No. 1111.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Colonel J. W. Rideout, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 1st Grade, on return from furlough, is appointed to officiate as Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, with effect from the 5th November 1877.

Captain C. F. Thomas, Military Accountant, 3rd Class, on return from the leave granted him in G.G.O. No. 648 of 1877, is appointed to officiate as Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 9th November 1877.

Junior Officers, acting in higher grades, will revert to their proper places in the Department.

No. 985 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th December 1877, is republished:—

No. 1117.—BREVET—

The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the dates specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

*	*	*	*	
Lieutenant-Colonel Augustus Hall Cooke,	Madras Staff Corps	..	} 11th December 1877.	
*	*	*		
Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Verner Handyside,	Madras Staff Corps	..	12th	,,

No. 986 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th December 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 635 of 1875:—

Medical Department.

Necessaries—Hospital Appliances.

No. 1127.—The following to be added as Note V to G.G.O. No 931 of 1875:—

The scale of surgical instruments and hospital appliances as sanctioned for a battery of Royal Artillery is allowed for the company of Royal Engineers stationed at Roorkee.

No. 987 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th December 1877, is republished:—

ORDNANCE.

No. 1128.—STORES—

The following statement showing the cost of component parts of the Martini-Henry rifle with the price of each article converted into Indian Currency, is published for general information :—

Description of Article.		Cost.		Remarks.	
		RS. A. P.	Per		
ARMS.					
Interchangeable parts of bayonets.	common parts of	rings, locking	0 2 3	each.	
		screws, locking ring	0 4 6	doz.	
	scabbards, leather	complete	0 7 8	each.	
		parts of { lockets	0 0 10	"	
		tips	0 1 6	"	
		common to (2 lb. make 100)	0 2 0	lb.	
	sword, parts of	screws, spring	0 3 4	doz.	
		springs, bolt	0 5 8	"	
	Interchangeable parts of furniture.	bands without screws, parts of	grips, leather, pairs	6 5 4	each.
			scabbards, leather, rifles	1 5 4	"
parts of		screws lower and middle	0 0 4	doz.	
		upper nuts, screw, upper band	0 1 0	"	
plates, butt, parts of, screws, large		screws	0 5 8	"	
		swivels	0 2 0	each.	
Interchangeable parts of actions.		trigger guard, parts of swivels		0 6 10	doz.
			parts of screws	0 2 0	each.
		brooch	0 4 10	doz.	
			lever catch	1 2 4	each.
	blocks	0 2 6	"		
		pins	0 1 2	"	
	axis	0 1 0	doz.		
		lever catch	0 2 10	each.	
	Interchangeable parts of barrels.	springs, lever catch	4 0 0	"	
			bodies	0 10 0	"
extractors		0 4 4	"		
		indicators	0 12 4	"	
levers		0 2 8	"		
		nuts, stop	0 10 0	doz.	
pins, extractor		0 3 10	"		
		screws, keep indicator	0 4 4	"	
Interchangeable parts of caps, snap.		for stop nut	0 1 8	each.	
			springs, main	0 4 6	"
	strikers	0 5 10	"		
		tumblers	0 4 8	"	
	tumblers, parts of	0 6 4	doz.		
		rests	25 2 0	each.	
	screws, rest	14 10 0	doz.		
		rifled	0 4 0	doz.	
	Interchangeable parts of bayonets.	without do.	0 8 8	"	
			parts of pins, stud	0 3 4	"
stops do.		0 8 8	"		
		studs	0 3 4	"	
common, with locking rings (converted)		1 8 0	each.		
		verted	6 2 4	"	
Interchangeable parts of caps, snap.		sword, rifle, short (converted)	0 4 4	"	
			complete	0 1 8	doz.
		parts of pellets	0 2 8	"	
			screws	0 4 0	"
	springs	0 4 0	each.		
		without screws, lower	0 10 8	"	
	swivels, upper	0 0 10	doz.		
		bands	0 3 4	"	
	Interchangeable parts of furniture.	parts of, { lower	0 4 4	each.	
			upper	0 3 4	doz.
pins		1 5 4	each.		
		caps, nose, iron	0 9 4	"	
screws for		0 2 10	"		
		guards, trigger	0 4 8	"	
plates, butt		0 3 10	doz.		
		swivels, butt	0 3 6	each.	
Interchangeable parts of furniture triggers.		iron	0 2 4	"	
			screws for trigger	0 3 4	"
	springs for (spring, trigger)	0 3 10	doz.		
		0 3 6	each.		
	Interchangeable parts of jags.	0 2 4	0 3 4	"	
			0 3 4	"	
		protectors, foresight and muzzle	0 2 8	"	
			cleaning	0 9 6	"
		holders	0 2 6	"	
			screws	0 3 2	doz.
long		0 3 2	"		
		short			
Interchangeable parts of sights, back.		holders	0 12 3	each.	
			leaves, assembled with caps and slides	0 0 8	doz.
	pins, axis	0 0 8	doz.		
		cap	0 1 0	"	
	short or bed	0 2 0	"		
		spring	0 2 4	"	
	slides	0 10 6	each.		
		springs	0 1 8	"	
	Interchangeable parts of sights fore or barley corn.	.. .. .	0 0 6	doz.	
			0 0 6	each.	
butts		1 4 0	each.		
		long	1 4 0	"	
short		1 4 8	"		
		fore ends	0 4 0	"	
bolts		0 4 0	"		
		parts of washers bolts	0 2 0	doz.	
Non-interchangeable parts of bayonets, sword, parts of bolts.		.. .. .	0 1 8	each.	
			0 1 8	each.	

The Martini-Henry has only two large screws.

No. 988 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th December 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 944 of 1877. The services of the Officer therein named are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

TRANSFER OF OFFICERS.

No. 1132.—The services of Major W. Anderson, Madras Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Commander, Malwah Bheel Corps, are, with reference to the Notification by the Foreign Department, No. 3306-G, dated the 30th November 1877, replaced at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved by Major J. Miller.

No. 989 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 15th December 1877, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 11th December 1877.

No. 985.—The following appointments are made in the Central Provinces Commission:—
Lieutenant Colonel C. B. Lucie Smith, Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class, to be Commissioner of the Chhattisgarh Division, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Cumberlege, retired.

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Major C. H. Grace, Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Class, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Newmarch.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT—GENERAL.

The 14th December 1877.

No. 3445-G.—Consequent on the departure to Europe on furlough of Captain E. Shaw, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, and the retirement from the service of P. Krishna Rao, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, the following promotions are made in the Mysore Commission, subject to such changes as may be hereafter considered necessary by the Government of India, in view of the termination of the minority of His Highness the Maharaja:—

Captain H. M. S. Magrath, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class,	} With effect from the 8th October 1877.
to act as Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class.	
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Captain E. P. Maltby, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, and Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, to be Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, but to continue to act as Deputy Inspector-General of Police until further orders.	} With effect from the 9th October 1877.
Major C. S. Blair, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class.	
Captain H. M. S. Magrath, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class.	
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No. 3448-G.—With reference to the Notification of this Department, No. 2752-G, dated 2nd October 1877, the following temporary promotions are made in the Mysore Commission during the employment of Mr. L. Ricketts, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, as an Additional Sessions Judge for the Nundydroog Division, with effect from the 13th September 1877, the date on which Major W. Hill, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, rejoined from furlough:—

Major C. J. Pearse, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, *vice* Mr. Ricketts.

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Major C. S. Blair, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class.

Captain J. S. F. Mackenzie, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, with effect from the 22nd September 1877, the date on which he was relieved of the office of Deputy Inspector-General of Police.

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No. 990 of 1877.—It is hereby notified, for the information of the Officers concerned, that the following remittances, which were exhibited in the undermentioned returns forwarded to the Officer in charge, Accounts Branch, Controller's Office, were included in the General Roll for the week ending 20th December 1877.

Family Remittances of Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

The General Weekly Roll was despatched to the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, via Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 22nd current.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the amount was paid and adjusted in the accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1877.	
1	December ..	Adam, Hunter, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Branfoot, A. M., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Chambers, C. A., Master-Armourer, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Campbell, W. A., Lieutenant, 54th Regiment.
1	November ..	Crawford, James, Lieutenant-Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	December ..	Hog, T. I. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery, for Store-Serjeant George Bishop.
1	Do. ..	Kidd, D. W., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
2	Do. ..	Lawford, E. M., Colonel, 4th Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Lys, F. G., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Liardet, C. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade (late C Battery, C Brigade), Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. O Battery, 1st Brigade (late G/9th), Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. B do. 6th do. (late B/20th), do.
1	Do. ..	Do. D do. 6th do. (late D/20th), do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 8 Battery, 8th Brigade (late 1/5th), do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 11 do. 8th do. (late 4/5th), do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment.
2	Do. ..	Do. " 1/21st Fusiliers.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 43rd Regiment Light Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Do. " 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Rose, William, Colonel, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Silver, A. C., Brigadier-General, Commanding Northern District.
1	Do. ..	Smith, J. M., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Sayers, J. J. B., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Vanderzee, F. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS GRACE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 28th December 1877.

No. 991 of 1877.—His Grace the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain (Brevet-Major) Atwill Curtois, General List, Cavalry, Squadron Officer, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Captain Coningham, whose tour of staff service expired on the 23rd December 1877.

No. 992 of 1877.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Sub-Conductor J. Smith, Public Works Department Arrived at Bombay on the 21st December 1877.

Fort St. George, 31st December 1877.

No. 993 of 1877.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from this date, under the provisions of G.O.G. No. 8 of 1877, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 49, dated 16th January 1877.

No.	Rank and Names.	Corps	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
20	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Percy Lee Holmes.	Staff Corps.	£ s. d. 456 5 0	£ s. d. 528 7 0	£ s. d.	England.
21	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Francis George Hodgson.	Do. ..	865 0 0	....	3,868 0 0	£868 in India— remainder in England.

No. 994 of 1877.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. Duncan, c.s.r., Staff Corps, Political Resident, Mandalay, Burmah, is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs for two years, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, and to embark from Rangoon, Calcutta or Bombay.

No. 995 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1877, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 1136.—STAFF CORPS.—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant Francis Sheffield Sorell, 45th Foot, Wing Officer, 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent,—5th September 1876.

No. 996 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1877, is republished:—

No. 1141.—BREVET.—

The undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Oliver Swanston, Madras Staff Corps	..	} 20th December 1877.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Robinson Godfrey, Madras Staff Corps	..	
Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Metcalfe Hailes, Madras Staff Corps	..	
Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Davidson Clay, Madras Staff Corps	..	

No. 997 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1877, is republished :—

EQUIPMENT.

Equipment. No. 1143.—Officers Commanding valise equipped Regiments will submit to the Ordnance Department indents for condemned or part-worn haversacks for use during the passage to England, for the time-expired men, invalids, and men proceeding home for duty at the depôts. The indent for the current year should be submitted at once, and in future years so soon as the number of men to proceed home is known.

No. 998 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1877, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 452 of 1877 :—

HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

Hospital Supplies. No. 1151.—The following correction to be made in G.G.O. No. 441 of 1877 :—
“*Air beds and cushions for British Troops,*” expunge the words “or Brigade of Artillery” in third and fourth lines.

No. 999 of 1877.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st December 1877, is republished :—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

Pay Code. No. 1152.—PAY CODE—

Article 1170, Clause *m*, Pay Code for India, Volume I, is reconstructed as follows :—

“*m.*—When ordered to another station to perform the duties of any occasional or strictly temporary staff or other appointment, if the Officer derives no pecuniary benefit from the

G.L. No. 417-18 of 14th July 1873. transfer. If, however the total gain in staff pay be less than his total authorized travelling expenses, the difference only will be paid by the State.”

No. 1000 of 1877.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 22nd December 1877, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT, GENERAL.

Fort William, the 21st December 1877.

No. 3511-G.—Captain R. G. E. Dalrymple, Officiating Political Assistant, 1st Class, and Officiating Cantonment Magistrate, Nowgong, is transferred to Morar, as Officiating Assistant Cantonment Magistrate.

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No. 535.—The undermentioned Officers are re-transferred from Mysore to the province and branch noted :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 20th December 1877.

To Bengal Irrigation Branch.

Colonel G. A. Searle, M.S.C., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade.

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(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. JEBB, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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