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GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Fort St. George, 4th January 1881.

No. 1 *of* 1881.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India:—

Colonel E. W. Childers, Royal Artillery, Superintendent, Gun Powder Factory.
Lieutenant H. M. S. Grover, Madras Staff Corps.
Surgeon R. James, M.B., C.M., Indian Medical Department.

No. 2 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 50, *dated* 10*th December* 1880.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Surgeon A. Adams, M.D.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Surgeon-Major W. H. Harris, M.D. .. .. 6 months, p.a.

No. 3 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 30th November 1880, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 30*th November* 1880.

BREVET.

Colonel Francis Charles Trevor, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major-General upon retiring on a pension. Dated 1st September 1880.

No. 4 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th December 1880, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 682.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

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BREVET.

To be Colonels.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Daniel Cloeté, Madras Staff Corps,—12th December 1880.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Tod Stuart, Madras Staff Corps,—12th December 1880.
Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Christian Menzies, Madras Staff Corps,—12th December 1880.
Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Thaddeus Searle, Madras Staff Corps,—12th December 1880.

No. 5 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th December 1880, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 697.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

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BREVET.

To be Colonels.

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Lieutenant-Colonel William Robert Johnson, Madras Staff Corps,—20th December 1880.

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Fort St. George, 7th January 1881.

No. 6 *of* 1881.—The Medical Fund Annuities of January 1881 are granted as follows:—

To retired Deputy Surgeon-General W. J. vanSomeren, M.D.	A large annuity ..	From the 1st January 1881.
To retired Deputy Surgeon-General J. R. Theobalds.	Do. ..	
To retired Surgeon-Major J. Macdonald, M.D., (a member on small annuity).	Do. ..	
To retired Surgeon-Major J. S. Morton, M.D. / To retired Surgeon-Major J. P. Nash, M.D.	Do. ..	The small annuities held by these Officers are converted into large ones from the 1st January 1881, by the addition of the established small annuity and the small annuity liberated by retired Surgeon-Major J. Macdonald, M.D.

Fort St. George, 8th January 1881.

No. 7 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Major A. F. Laughton, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.	Arrived at Bombay on the 27th December 1880.
Conductor W. Doig, Commissariat Department	Arrived at Bombay on the 3rd January 1881.
Sub-Conductor T. Evans, Ordnance Department	

Fort St. George, 10th January 1881.

No. 8 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 51, *dated* 17*th December* 1880.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Stewart, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major H. T. Harris, Staff Corps	.. 6 months, m.c.
Major H. S. Elton, Staff Corps	.. 4 months, m.c.

DEATH.

General (retired) J. K. Luard, Infantry, 18th October 1880.

No. 9 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Major O. M. Bradshaw, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 20th Regiment Native Infantry.	Arrived at Calcutta on the 19th November 1880.
Captain W. Jackson, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Cuddapah Division.	Arrived at Bombay on the 3rd January 1881.

No. 10 *of* 1881.—Veterinary Surgeon J. H. Cox, 4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX, Note 1, of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 11 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant R. A. Wahab, Royal Engineers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Public Works Department.

No. 12 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant A. Frend, of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles, is permitted to resign his commission, at his own request.

No. 13 *of* 1881.—Conductor William Norris, of the Commissariat Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, from the 4th January 1881.

No. 14 *of* 1881.—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. 2829, Gunner Charles Munro, N. Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery .. Secunderabad.

Fort St. George, 11th January 1881.

No. 15 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor is pleased to make the following appointments on His Excellency's Personal Staff. Dated 11th January 1881:—

Captain W. H. Curzon Wyllie, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Military Secretary.
Captain J. H. N. G. H. *Viscount* Dalrymple, Royal Horse Guards, to be Aide-de-Camp.
Captain John Gordon, 89th (P.V.) Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp.
Lieutenant A. J. English, 14th (King's) Hussars, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp.
Lieutenant A. H. L. Bagot, 13th Light Infantry, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp.

No. 16 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY.

Captain Edward Pennycuick Maltby, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 4th January 1881.

No. 17 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Surgeon A. F. Dobson, M.B., Zillah Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Mangalore. } Arrived at Madras on the 23rd December 1880.

No. 18 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon F. R. Divecha are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, being no longer required by the Government of Bombay.

No. 19 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor R. Wolfe, of the Ordnance Department, is allowed leave of absence up to the 30th June 1881, to visit Madras, on medical certificate, under the Regulations of 1875.

No. 20 *of* 1881.—Barrack Serjeant Robert Furey is promoted to the rank of Sub-Conductor.

Fort St. George, 12th January 1881.

No. 21 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain R. E. C. Jarvis, 67th Foot, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Major Hope, transferred to Malabar and Canara. Dated 9th January 1881.

No. 22 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. Lowndes, Staff Corps, Inspector-General of Police, British Burmah, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras, Bombay, or Calcutta.

No. 23 *of* 1881.—Colonel W. Rose, Staff Corps, Commandant 17th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 24 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. Beeching, Infantry, Commandant 10th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for nine months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 25 *of* 1881.—Major C. J. O. FitzGerald, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, five months and fifteen days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 26 *of* 1881.—Captain C. H. Sheppard, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 11th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for eighteen months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 27 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor H. Hann, of the Commissariat Department, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, from the date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 28 *of* 1881.—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:—

Serjeant Denis Trehy, Her Majesty's 43rd Regiment .. .. Hobart Town, Tasmania.

No. 29 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st December 1880, is republished:—

No. 704.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

No. 3 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant A. H. P. Turner, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 4 Field Battery, and Officiating Subaltern, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant Penton, transferred to No. 4 Field Battery.

No. 4 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant A. P. Penton, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 3 Field Battery, on furlough, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant Turner, transferred to No. 3 Field Battery.

3rd Infantry.

Surgeon R. James, Madras Establishment, to Officiate as Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon W. R. Browne, M.D., whose services have been replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George.

No. 30 *of* 1881.—**Soldiers—Discharge—Allowances.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st December 1880, is republished:—

PENSIONS.

No. 707.—Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, the following Horse Guards General Order and War Office Army Circulars are published for information, and made applicable to India, with effect from the 1st February 1881:—

I. Horse Guards G.O. No. 146 *of* 1*st November* 1880.

DISCHARGES.

I. General Officers Commanding abroad will carry out the discharge of soldiers—

(*a.*) Found unfit for further service;
(*b.*) On termination of second period of limited engagement;

when such men are to reside abroad after discharge.

II. After confirming the proceedings of the Discharge Board, he will cause the Parchment Certificate to be handed to the man, and will then forward the proceedings of the Board, with the other Discharge Documents, to the Adjutant-General of the Forces for record, and submission, if necessary, to the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital, with a view to the grant of a pension should the man be entitled thereto. The issue of the 90 days' allowance (at 2*s.* or 1*s.* a day, as the case may be), under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 16th October 1880, Clause 255, Army Circulars, 1880, should be recorded in words, on the Parchment Certificate of Discharge (Army Form B 128, late W.O. Form 64).

III. Section 20, paragraphs 5, 23, and 39, of the "Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army, 1873," will be amended accordingly.

II. Clause 255, *War Office Army Circulars of* 1*st November* 1880.

ROYAL WARRANT.—ALLOWANCES TO SOLDIERS ON DISCHARGE.

VICTORIA R.

WHEREAS WE deem it expedient to amend in certain respects the regulations which govern the issue of allowances to soldiers on discharge;

OUR WILL AND PLEASURE IS that Article 696 of Our Warrant of the 1st May 1878 be cancelled, and that the following be substituted in lieu thereof:—

696. A soldier, discharged at home from physical unfitness but not to pension, or discharged either at home or abroad on reduction, or abroad with a gratuity, shall be entitled to receive the sum of 1*s.* a day for 20 days from the date of his ceasing to receive full-pay.

696*a.* A soldier, discharged at any foreign station from physical unfitness but not to pension, shall be entitled to receive the sum of 2*s.* a day if holding the rank of Serjeant or any superior rank, or the sum of 1*s.* a day if holding any lower rank, for 90 days from the date of his ceasing to receive full pay. This article shall not apply to soldiers of our Colonial Corps who shall, on discharge, be dealt with under Article 703.

Given at Our Court at Balmoral, this 16th day of October 1880, in the 44th year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

HUGH C. E. CHILDERS.

III. Clause 261, *War Office Army Circulars of* 1*st November* 1880.

FINANCIAL INSTRUCTIONS, 1879.—ALLOWANCE TO SOLDIERS ON DISCHARGE.

The following will be substituted for paragraphs 470 to 472 of the Financial Instructions, 1879, issued with Clause 62, Army Circulars, 1879:—

470. A soldier discharged to pension at home (except to deferred pension), may on discharge receive an advance on account of pension for 20 days, calculated at the rate of 1*s.* a day such 20 days to reckon from the date of his ceasing to receive full pay on discharge.

This advance will not be made to non-commissioned officers and others discharged for the purpose of immediately joining the Permanent Staff of the Auxiliary Forces, nor to those who have been transferred to such Permanent Staff, and continue to serve thereon as Pensioners, subsequently to their discharge.

471. A soldier discharged to pension at any foreign station (except to deferred pension), may on discharge receive an advance on account of pension of 90 days, calculated at a rate not exceeding 2*s.* a day, if holding the rank of Serjeant, or any superior rank; or at a rate not exceeding 1*s.* a day if holding any lower rank, such 90 days to reckon from the date of his ceasing to receive full pay on discharge.

471*a*. The advance of pension, as also the allowance granted on discharge to soldiers not entitled to pension by Articles 696 and 696*a* of the Royal Warrant of 16th October 1880 (Clause 255, Army Circulars, 1880), will be issued by the Paymaster or Acting Paymaster, from whom the soldier may be drawing his pay at the time of his discharge, and will be charged under the head of Vote 23, Out-Pensions, in the case of the advance of pension, and, as regards the allowance above mentioned, under the head of Regimental Pay, Vote 1.

471*b*. The advance of pension will be recorded in words on the back of the parchment certificate of discharge, which will be referred to by the officer who makes the first issue of pension, and the amount will be recovered and credited to the Vote for Chelsea Out-Pensions, Vote 23. The issue of pension will commence from the date on which the soldier ceases to receive regimental pay.

471*c*. Officers Commanding will be held responsible that the date to which the service is made up in the discharge documents and parchment certificate, corresponds in every case with the date to which the soldier last receives regimental pay.

471*d*. The regulations contained in the foregoing paragraphs will not apply to soldiers of the Colonial Corps.

2. With reference to the foregoing orders, the rate of pension to which a soldier may be admitted, will be notified subsequently, as usual, in the Pension Circulars on receipt of the decision of the Chelsea Board; but, in modification of the present practice, the pay, ration money, family allowance, and good conduct pay will cease absolutely from the date of discharge.

3. The allowance granted on discharge and the advance of pension will be paid by the Regimental Paymaster or Officer Commanding the Battery, from whom the man may be drawing his pay at the time of his discharge, and the advance will be adjusted by the Military Accounts Department on the first issue of pension.

No. 31 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st December 1880, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 708.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 28th January 1878, the names of the undermentioned Officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List, as specified:—

Major-General F. H. Scott, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals,— In consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General W. P. Hampton, Bengal Infantry, on the 21st September 1880.

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No. 32 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st December 1880, is republished:—

No. 709.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

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BREVET.

* * * *

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Macgregor Kerr, Madras Cavalry,— From the 21st September 1880, in succession to Lieutenant-General W. P. Hampton, Bengal Infantry, retired.

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Major Philip Durham Henderson, C.S.I., Madras Cavalry. From the 5th October 1880, in succession to Colonel (Major-General on the Indian Gradation List) *Sir* W. L. Merewether, K.C.S.I., C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, deceased.

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No. 33 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st January 1881, is republished:—

RETIREMENTS.

Officers' Retirement Scheme. *No.* 1.—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 1881 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, through the heads of their departments, 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 1881.

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 in 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—

1*st*.—Their rank and service.

2*nd*.—Their age (supported by certificate of birth, or, in its absence, by a formal declaration).

3*rd*.—Whether they wish to receive commutation for their prospective allowances in the shape of an annuity, or to capitalize its value; if the latter, whether they desire to receive payment of the capitalized value wholly, or in part, in India, or in England. 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.

4*th*.—Their address subsequent to retirement.

5*th*.—They must also attach to their application or arrange to forward subsequently a No-demand certificate dated within three months of the date of their proposed retirement.

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 exchange fixed for the adjustment of financial transactions between the Imperial and Indian Governments for the time being. Capitalized annuities of Officers retiring in India can, on receipt of telegram announcing retirement, be paid to their Agents in England, under power of attorney to be lodged at the India Office.

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. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.
12	2,310	42	176 10	2,231	43	172 13	2,160	44	169 9	2,095	45	166 17	2,037	46	164 16	1,984	47	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 19	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	4,646	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
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.			
12	1,935	48	162 6	1,888	49	161 11	1,849	50	161 8	1,817	51	162 1	1,779	52	162 19			
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			
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			
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			
8	2,887	52	262 18	2,830	53	263 5	2,766	54	262 15	2,695	55	261 11	2,619	56	259 13			
7	3,189	53	296 12	3,120	54	296 8	3,043	55	295 7	2,962	56	293 14	2,875	57	291 7			
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			
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			
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	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			
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			
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			
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			

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 this 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 1881. He will be 49 years of age on the 4th May 1881. He will become entitled to the Colonel's allowance on the 1st August 1886. 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 £364-8-0, and its capitalized value is £4,260.

No. 34 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Bombay Gazette*, dated 6th January 1881, is republished:—

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 5th January 1881.

No. 36.—Surgeon F. R. Divecha and Surgeon-Major H. R. McDougall respectively delivered over and received charge of the Civil Medical duties at Rájkot on the 27th ultimo, before office hours.

No. 35 *of* 1881.—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 December 1880.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 6th January 1881.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1880.	
1	December ..	Bredin, Alexander, Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Chaplin, Allan, Major, 32nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Kidd, D. W., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding I Battery, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	January ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
1	December ..	Paymaster, 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. 2-24th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Pigott, E. C. P., Major, 44th Foot.
10	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 13th January 1881.

No. 36 *of* 1881.—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 Regt. N. I. ..	Havildar, No. 1977, Gopaulsawmy	Jemadar	11th November 1880.

Fort St. George, 14th January 1881.

No. 37 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major F. Kilgour, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, 2nd Grade, Madura. } Arrived at Tuticorin on the 22nd December 1880.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1881.

No. 38 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 52, *dated 24th December* 1880.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Honorary Surgeon J. S. Howard, M.D.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Surgeon J. A. Laing .. .. 18 months, p.a.

No. 39 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Madras Volunteer Guards :—

To be Lieutenants.

Second Lieutenant R. B. Ward.
Do. J. Roach.
Do. G. D. Coleman.

Fort St. George, 18th January 1881.

No. 40 *of* 1881.—The following movements are ordered :—

Native Infantry.

	From	To
12th Regiment..	Cuttack	Alipore, instead of Dorunda G.O.G. No. 750 of 1880).
14th Do.	Alipore	Dorunda.

No. 41 *of* 1881.—Major P. Montgomerie, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 42 *of* 1881.—Captain F. J. Harden, 2nd Battalion 16th Regiment, officiated as Adjutant of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles from the 11th December 1880 to the 7th January 1881, inclusive.

No. 43 *of* 1881—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Lieutenant A. G. H. Hayne, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 15th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 15th January 1881.

No. 44 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant Edward Robert John Presgrave, Her Majesty's 21st Fusiliers, Wing Officer and Acting Adjutant, 15th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, from the 19th December 1878, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 45 *of* 1881.—Senior Apothecary Henry Wale, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 150 per mensem, from the 15th January 1881.

No. 46 *of* 1881.—In G.O.G. No. 13, dated 10th January 1881, transferring Conductor W. Norris, of the Commissariat Department, to the Pension Establishment, *for* 4th January 1881, *read* 1st February 1881.

No. 47 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 17th and 21st December 1880, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 17th December 1880.

BREVET.

* * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary Thomas Cole, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 20th September 1880.

India Office, 16th December 1880.

The Queen has approved of the following admissions to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service :—

MADRAS.

To be Surgeon.

Francis Casement Reeves. Dated 31st October 1879.

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India Office, 20th December 1880.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major St. George Caulfeild. Dated 20th October 1880.
Major Robert Hoskyns Phelips. Dated 20th October 1880.

To be Major.

Captain Shelley Leigh Hunt. Dated 9th June 1880.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Major.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Chase Morris, late 8th Light Cavalry. Dated 18th September 1880.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon Frederick Henry Blenkinsop. Dated 1st October 1880.

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No. 48 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th January 1881, is republished :—

No. 3.—ORDNANCE MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS—

Colonel E. W. Childers, Royal Artillery, Superintendent of the Gunpowder Factory at Madras, to be Superintendent of the Gunpowder Factory at Ishapore, with effect from the date on which he may assume the duties of the office, *vice* Colonel E. Tierney, Royal Artillery, whose tenure of appointment has expired.

No. 49 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th January 1881, is republished :—

No 8.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) E. W. Dun, Madras Staff Corps, Commandant, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is allowed leave in India, (m.c.) for 273 days, under Rule XXVI of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from the date on which he left his station.

No. 50 *of* 1881.—**Medical Department—Officers—Promotion, &c.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th January 1881, is republished :—

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 13.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following Warrant, dated the 16th November 1880, regulating the promotion, relative rank, &c., of the Indian Medical Service :—

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

WHEREAS We deem it expedient to revise the rules for the promotion and relative rank and allowances of Our Indian Medical Service, Our will and pleasure is that Our Warrants of 10th May 1873 and 14th September 1876 be cancelled, and that from and after the date of this Warrant the following rules shall be established, and that by these rules Our Viceroy and Governor-General in Council, and the Governors in Council of Madras and Bombay respectively, shall be governed.

1. The grades of Medical Officers in Our Indian Military Forces shall be five in number, viz. :—
   1. Surgeon-General.
   2. Deputy Surgeon-General.
   3. Brigade Surgeon.
   4. Surgeon-Major.
   5. Surgeon.
2. The relative rank of the Medical Officers of Our Indian Military Forces shall be as follows:
   Surgeon-General as Major-General, according to the date of his Commission.
   Deputy Surgeon-General as Colonel, according to the date of his Commission.
   Brigade Surgeon as Lieutenant-Colonel, according to the date of his Commission, or according to the date upon which he completed 20 years' service as Surgeon and Surgeon-Major.
   Surgeon-Major as Major, according to the date of his Commission, and after 20 years' service as Surgeon and Surgeon-Major, as Lieutenant-Colonel.
   Surgeon as Captain, according to the date of his Commission.
3. Such relative rank shall carry with it all precedence and advantages attaching to the rank with which it corresponds [except as regards the presidency of courts-martial, where Our will and pleasure is that the senior combatant Officer be always president], and shall regulate the choice of quarters and the rates of prize money.
4. A Surgeon shall be promoted to Surgeon-Major on completion of 12 years' service from date of first Commission.
5. In cases, however, of emergency, or when the good of the service renders such alteration desirable, it shall be competent for the Secretary of State for India, on the recommendation of Our Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council, to shorten the period of service above mentioned, in such manner as he shall deem fit and expedient.
6. All promotion from the rank of Surgeon-Major to that of Brigade Surgeon shall be given by selection for ability and merit.
7. All promotion from the rank of Brigade Surgeon to that of Deputy Surgeon-General, and from the rank of Deputy Surgeon-General to that of Surgeon-General, shall be given by selection for ability and merit, and the grounds of such selection shall be stated to Us in writing, and recorded in the office of the Secretary of State for India in Council.
8. With a view to maintain the efficiency of the service, all Medical Officers of the ranks of Surgeon-Major and Brigade Surgeon shall be placed on the Retired List when they shall have attained the age of 55 years, and all Surgeons-General and Deputy Surgeons-General when they shall have attained the age 60 years; but as respects Surgeons-Major and Brigade Surgeons who entered the service prior to the 13th January 1860, this rule shall be relaxed, and an Officer who has attained the age of 55 years, without having obtained the rank of Deputy Surgeon-General, shall be permitted to remain in the service for three years more, on his perfect competency and fitness being certified in such manner as Our Secretary of State for India may direct. In any special case where it would appear to be for the good of Our Service that the Officer should continue in employment, he may be so continued, subject in each case to the sanction of Our Secretary of State for India in Council.
9. Medical Officers shall be entitled to all the allowances granted to Our Indian Military Forces on account of wounds and injuries received in action, as combatant Officers holding the same relative ranks.
10. Their families shall in like manner be entitled to all the allowances granted, under existing regulations, to the families of combatant Officers holding the same relative ranks.
11. A Medical Officer, retiring on a pension after a service of 20 years and upwards, may, if recommended for the same by the Government of his Presidency, receive a step of honorary rank, but without any consequent increase of pay.

12. Six of the most meritorious Medical Officers of the service shall be named Our Honorary Physicians, and six Our Honorary Surgeons.
13. It is further Our will and pleasure that the promotions to the rank of Brigade Surgeon made in the first instance under this Our Warrant shall have effect from the 27th November 1879.

Given at our Court at Balmoral, this sixteenth day of November in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty-fourth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's command,

HARTINGTON.

No. 51 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 8th January 1881, is republished:—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 6th January 1881.

No. 8.—Major C. M. Moberly, Examiner, 3rd Class, temporary rank, is confirmed in that class, with effect from 27th December 1880.

No. 52 *of* 1881.—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 1881.

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, *viâ* 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.
	1881.	
1	January ..	Allen, R. M., Surgeon, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, 1st-Class, Remount Depôt.
1	Do. ..	Backhouse, Joseph, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Barnett, H. C. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Beeching, Franck, Lieutenant-Colonel, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Brown, J. F., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Chrystie, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Carnegy, P. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Currie, J. W., Lieutenant, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Church, T. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cox, William, Major, 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Dempster, Robert, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dunkley, Thomas, Garrison Serjeant-Major, Adjutant-General's Department.
1	Do. ..	Fenwick, G. C., Captain, 1st Regiment Madras Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Frazer, W. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Grove, A. S., Major, 15th Regiment Madras Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Gadsden, Frederick, Lieutenant-Colonel, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Gunning, J. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hatchell, D. T., Major, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Lane, W. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Lys, F. G., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Lane, H. P., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Morant, C. M. A., Captain, 4th Madras Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	McLeod, D. J. S., Captain, Assistant Quartermaster-General.
1	Do. ..	Morgan, W. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12th Battery, 8th Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-16th Foot.
1	December 1880.	Do. ,, 43rd do.
2	Dec. 1880 and January 1881.	Do. ,, 67th do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	January ..	Prendergast, H. N. D., Brigadier-General, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Phillips, Joseph, Laboratory Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Quinn, Patrick, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Ross, James, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Rawson, C. C., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Rose, William, Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Shaw, Elphinston, Major, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Stuart, H. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Spencer, T. C. H., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
2	Do. ..	Swanston, Nowell, Lieutenant-Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Tims, James, Lieutenant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	VanHomrigh, P. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
55	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for November and December 1880, despatched to England, *vid* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

	1880.	
1	November ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 1st do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
2	Sept. and Nov. ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
1	November ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 do. 8th do. do.
1	October ..	Do. No. 11 do. 8th do. do.
1	November ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 19 do. 9th do. do.
1	September ..	Do. Depôt, Wellington.
2	November ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
2	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-13th Foot.
2	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-16th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. ,, 1-21st do.
2	September ..	Do. ,, 2-24th do.
1	October ..	Do. ,, 43rd do. (Head Quarters).
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 43rd do. (Left Wing).
1	November ..	Do. ,, 44th do.
5	Oct. and Nov. ..	Do. ,, 67th do.
1	October ..	Do. ,, 89th do. (Head Quarters).
2	Sept. and Dec. ..	Do. ,, Presidency, for Depôt 67th Regiment, and Serjeant-Major Hodge, late G Battery, 6th Brigade Royal Artillery.
39	Returns.	

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

	1880.	
1	November ..	Officer Commanding O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 19 do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
2	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-16th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. ,, 1-21st do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 43rd do.
2	Do. ..	Do. ,, 44th do.
17	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting 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 Commissioned 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.				RS. A. P.			
1	Robert Henry Robinson.	Medical.	Indian Medical Dept.	Surgeon.	Chóda-varam, Raja-mundry.	28th March 1880.	475 0 0	Intestate.	Deposited 3rd Dec. 1880.	1
2	Henry Crowe ..	Military.	67th Foot.	Lieutenant.	Lawrence-pore.	27th Feb. 1879.	Two sealed packets.	Do. ..	Deposited 7th Dec. 1880.	2

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secy. to Govt., Mily. Department.

Fort St. George, 15th January 1881.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 19th January 1881.

No. 53 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. St. M. Wynch, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, 29th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 20th January 1881.

No. 54 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 492, dated 19th July 1880, Surgeon C. Mallins, Indian Medical Department, was granted by the Secretary of State for India furlough (m.c.) for six months, under the Ruling on Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 21st July 1880.

The above furlough was extended for six months on medical certificate, as notified in G.O.G. No. 905, dated 23rd December 1880.

No. 55 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Conductor M. Bourke, Ordnance Department .. .. .. { Arrived at Bombay on the 15th January 1881.

Fort St. George, 21st January 1881.

No. 56 *of* 1881.—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. 2778, Corporal Edward Moore, M Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery .. Adelaide, Australia.

No. 57 *of* 1881.—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.
30th Regiment N.I...	Jemadar Audeynarraidoo	Subadar	1st June 1880.

Fort St. George, 24th January 1881.

No. 58 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable William Patrick Adam has been pleased to accept the office of Honorary Colonel-in-Chief of the Madras Volunteer Guards, with effect from the 20th December 1880, the date of His Excellency's arrival at Madras.

No. 59 *of* 1881.—The services of Brevet-Major E. C. P. Pigott, Her Majesty's 44th Foot, Adjutant, Madras Volunteer Guards, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st February 1881.

No. 60 *of* 1881.—Major F. M. Onslow, Cavalry General List, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 61 *of* 1881.—The furlough granted to Sub-Conductor T. Evans, of the Ordnance Department, by the Secretary of State for India, and notified in G.O.G. No. 415, dated 16th June 1880, is extended by one month and seventeen days.

No. 62 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department:—

Sub-Conductor T. Evans to be Officiating Conductor; Officiating Sub-Conductor H. E. Dallison to be Sub-Conductor (on probation); and Store Serjeant Walter Madely to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, from the 16th January 1881, *vice* Pallet.

Fort St. George, 25th January 1881.

No. 63 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) A. Drury, Staff Corps, will be entitled to the Colonel's allowance, from the 30th January 1881, under the provisions of paragraph 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808* of 1866.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 374, dated 12th October 1866.

No. 64 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G.G. No. 711* of 1867, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to re-appoint Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Arthur Drury, of the Staff Corps, to be Agent for Remounts at Oossoor, from the 30th January 1881, until further orders, subject to the approval of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 314, dated 23rd July 1867.

No. 65 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Ordnance Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel Isaac Ketchen, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Superintendent, Gun Powder Factory, on being relieved from charge of the Madras Arsenal.

Captain Richard Walter O'Grady, Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class, to officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, 1st Class.

Major Vincent Carne Fisher, Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class. to officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class.

Commissariat Department.

Lieutenant L. J. Torrie, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class. — With effect from the 24th November 1880, *vice* Major McInroy on furlough (m.c.), or until further orders.

Colonel R. Q. Mainwaring, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. S. Berkeley, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class.

Captain W. Cooke, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

Lieutenant R. C. Sherard, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class. — With effect from the 4th December 1880, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Hawkes on special duty to Calcutta, or until further orders.

Lieutenant E. E. Kenny, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class. — With effect from the 21st December 1880, *vice* Captain Clark-Kennedy, Acting Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class.

No. 66 *of* 1881.—First-Class Apothecary (Honorary Surgeon) Francis Bormel Pereira, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 175 per mensem, from the 15th January 1881.

No. 67 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st December 1880, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 700.—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 Randolph Seton Burn, 2nd Battalion, 16th Foot, Wing Officer and Adjutant, Meywar Bheel Corps—6th June 1879.

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No. 68 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 15th January 1881, is republished:—

HOME, REVENUE, AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Establishments.

Fort William, the 11th January 1881.

No. 11.—Appointments.—Captain T. M. Jenkins, Assistant Commissioner, 4th Grade, and Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Grade, in British Burmah, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 26th June 1880.

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No. 69 of 1881.—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 1881.

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.
1	December 1880..	Cox, R. E., Major, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	January 1881 ..	Curtois, Atwill, Major, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dene, Octavius, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Fox, W. S., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	December 1880..	Gordon, J. H., Major, 23rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	January 1881 ..	Gompertz, B. T. M., Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hammick, S. V. A., Captain, Military Secretary to the Commander-in-Chief.
1	Do. ..	Kenney-Herbert, A. R., Major, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, C.D.
1	Do. ..	Laughton, A. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
1	December 1880..	Do. O do 6th do. do.
1	January 1881 ..	Do. No. 7 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 1-21st do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-24th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, Presidency, for Head-quarters, Royal Artillery, H. S. Force.
1	Do. ..	Price, William, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Pearse, C. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Rideout, J. W., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Ross, Peter, Serjeant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Sharp, James, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, T. C., Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, Wellington Depôt.
1	Do. ..	Thomson, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Woodhouse, A. T., Major, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 27th January 1881.

No. 70 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon-Major H. M. G. Archdall, Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

Fort St. George, 28th January 1881.

No. 71 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

First-Class Assistant Apothecary James Anderson to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, and Passed Hospital Apprentice George Towers Jones to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary, from the 15th January 1881, *vice* Wale, pensioned.

Fort St. George, 31st January 1881.

No. 72 *of* 1881.—Major E. J. Watson, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 24th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, nine months, and twelve days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 73 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to return to duty:—

List No. 1, *dated 7th January* 1881.

Major H. W. D. Cox, Staff Corps.

No. 74 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Australia:—

Captain E. A. E. Wylly, Staff Corps, 8th Regiment Native Infantry.) Arrived at Bombay on the 16th January 1881.

Fort St. George, 1st February 1881.

No. 75 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Major C. W. Brereton, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class—to join on being relieved.

Lieutenant G. T. Kelaart, Royal Artillery, to be Assistant Superintendent of Factories.

No. 76 *of* 1881.—Major W. P. O. Boulderson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 15th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 77 *of* 1881.—The following appointment is made in the "Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery:—

Mr. George Henry Pooley to be Lieutenant.

No. 78 *of* 1881.—The leave in India granted to Conductor W. Riley, of the Ordnance Department, in G.O.G. No. 548, dated 16th August 1880, is extended (m.c.) to 30th April 1881.

No. 79 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Commissariat Department :—

Sub-Conductor C. Carroll to be Conductor, and Serjeant James Beauchamp to be Sub-Conductor, from the 1st February 1881, *vice* Norris, pensioned.

No. 80 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 31st December 1880 and 4th January 1881, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 31st December 1880.

BREVET.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Sir Edward Green, K.C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, placed upon the Retired List, from 15th December 1880 :—

Lieutenant-General Stephen Charles Briggs, Retired List, Madras Staff Corps, to be General. Dated 15th December 1880.

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Major-General John Wilson, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 15th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Francis Young, Madras Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 15th December 1880.

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India Office, 4th January 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Robert Sutton Burge, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th October 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Malcolm Kemp Bourne, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th October 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel De Symonds Barrow, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th October 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Theophilus Leslie Scott, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George Nassau Johnstone, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 14th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles Julien Ralph Bell, of the Madras Staff Corps Dated 18th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles James Richards, of the Madras Army. Dated 15th October 1880.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Western George Morris, of the Madras Army. Dated 15th December 1880.

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Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Morris Alexander, of the Madras Army. Dated 18th September 1880.

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BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

* * * *

To be Major-Generals.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Robert Sutton Burge, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th October 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Malcolm Kemp Bourne, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th October 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel De Symonds Barrow, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th October 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Theophilus Leslie Scott, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George Nassau Johnstone, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 14th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles Julien Ralph Bell, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 18th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles James Richards, of the Madras Army. Dated 15th October 1880.

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To be Colonels.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Western George Morris, of the Madras Army. Dated 15th December 1880.

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Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Morris Alexander, of the Madras Army. Dated 18th September 1880.

No. 81 *of* 1881.—**Retirements.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th December 1880, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 38 of 1880 :—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 686.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, it is notified that as many of the retirements under the provisions of G.G.O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1880, as may remain unallotted on the 31st December 1880, will be held available for officers of all three Presidencies up to the 31st March 1881.

2. This offer is restricted to officers who are qualified under Clause II of the G.G.O. of 1st January 1880, and who may have completed 28 years' service on or before the 31st December 1880.

3. Applications will be disposed of by the Government of India according to the priority of proposed dates of retirement, preference being given, if necessary, to the senior applicant, should there be more than one for retirement on the same day.

4. Officers of the Madras and Bombay Armies should submit their applications in the usual manner to their respective Governments for communication to the Government of India.

No. 82 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st January 1881, is republished :—

No. 30.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

2nd Punjab Cavalry.

* * * * *

Lieutenant M. H. S. Grover, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 21st Regiment of Madras Native Infantry, to officiate as Squadron Officer during the period Lieutenant Batten may officiate as Adjutant, 5th Punjab Cavalry, or until further orders.

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No. 83 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st January 1881, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 36.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

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BREVET.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Otway Francis Smithers, Madras Staff Corps,—20th January 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel John William Orr, Madras Staff Corps,—20th January 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Charles Hay, Madras Staff Corps,—20th January 1881.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Gadsden, Madras Staff Corps,—21st January 1881.

No. 84 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st January 1881, is republished:—

REWARDS.

No. 40.—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 date specified:—

Colonel Edward Winterton Dun, *Madras Staff Corps.*

Dates of Commissions.

Ensign	8th December 1843.	
Lieutenant	2nd March 1853.	
Brevet-Captain	8th December 1858.	
Captain	18th February 1861.	
Major	8th December 1863.	
Lieutenant-Colonel	8th ,, 1869.	
Brevet-Colonel	8th ,, 1874.	

Appointments.

Acting Quartermaster and Interpreter, 42nd Madras Native Infantry	1852.	
Acting Adjutant, 35th Madras Native Infantry	16th May 1853.	
Adjutant, 2nd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent	27th March 1854.	
Officiating 2nd-in-Command, 4th Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent	October 1857.	
Second-in-Command, 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent	15th January 1859.	
Commandant, 2nd Regiment, Beatson's Horse	28th November 1859.	From the 4th September 1880, in room of Colonel H. R. Bolton, retired.
Acting Commandant, Bhopal Levy	26th April 1861.	
Acting Quartermaster and Interpreter, 4th Light Cavalry	27th September 1862.	
Commandant, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent	14th May 1863.	

War Services.

Colonel Dun served with the expedition to Canton, under Major-General D'Aguilar, C.B., as Ensign, 42nd Madras Native Infantry, 1847, and was present at the capture of Boguebarrier and Canton forts. Served in the Central India campaign, in 1857-58, as 2nd-in-Command of the 4th Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent; present at the capture of the forts Baroded and Talbehut; siege and capture of the fortress of Jhansi (charger wounded). Commanded a cavalry detachment sent to invest the fort of Gurwai, 26th April 1858; obtained the surrender of the fort, the commandant, and greater part of the rebel garrison; battle of Koonch (two chargers wounded); operations before Calpee; action of Galowlee; affair of Belawa; operations at Gwalior. Mentioned in despatches by *Sir* Hugh Rose, G.C.B. Mentioned three times in despatches by Colonel Orr, C.B., Commanding Field Force, Hyderabad Contingent. Served as Brigade-Major, Hyderabad Contingent, with the Berar Field Force, under Sir W. Hill, in 1858-59. (Medal with clasp for Central India).

No. 85 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 22nd January 1881, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

General.

Fort William, the 21st January 1881.

No. 105 *G.-G.*—The services of Captain W. H. C. Wyllie, Officiating Political Agent, 3rd Class, and Officiating 3rd Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General for Biluchistan, are placed at disposal of the Government of Fort St. George, with effect from the 22nd December 1880.

No. 86 *of* 1881.—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 January 1881.

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 27th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	January ..	Clark-Kennedy, Alexander, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cook, H. D., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding N Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 3 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H.M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 43rd do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Pigott, E. C. P., Major, 44th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Sheffield, W. R., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	White, H. B., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
15	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 3rd February 1881.

No. 87 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have sanctioned the following appointments in the 3rd Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, during the absence on furlough of Major C. K. Mackinnon, or until further orders :—

* * * *

Lieutenant H. F. V. Gaitskell, Wing Officer and Adjutant, to officiate as Wing Commander, *vice* Major Finnis.

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No. 88 *of* 1881.—His Excellency General Sir Neville Bowles Chamberlain, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., having resigned the command of the Madras Army, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council cannot permit His Excellency to relinquish office without placing on record the high sense entertained by the Government of Fort St. George of the value of his services while in command of the Madras Army, which must not only be proud of its association with so distinguished a soldier, but feel indebted to him for his constant and earnest advocacy of all its just claims, and for his untiring energy in maintaining its high standard of efficiency.

The Government, in bidding His Excellency farewell, and thanking him for his services as Commander-in-Chief, desire also to record their high appreciation of the valuable counsel and support they have invariably received from him as a Member of the Executive Government of this Presidency.

All distinctions and honors which were paid to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief while in office, will be continued to General Sir Neville Chamberlain during his stay in the Presidency.

The Command of the Army will devolve upon Major-General W. Payn, C.B., the next senior Officer on the Staff, as Provincial Commander-in-Chief, from this date.

Fort St. George, 4th February 1881.

No. 89 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Henry Evelyn Coningham having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel from the 4th February 1881.

No. 90 *of* 1881.—The furlough (m.c.) granted to Conductor M. Bourke, of the Ordnance Department, in G.O.G. No. 333, dated 28th April 1879, is extended for one month and two days.

No. 91 *of* 1881.—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 Regt. N. I. ..	Subadar Rungiah	Subadar-Major ..	1st August 1880.

Fort St. George, 5th February 1881.

No. 92 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. W. Bruce, of the Infantry, officiated as Staff Officer and Superintendent of Details, Fort St. George, from the 10th July to the 5th December 1880.

No. 93 *of* 1881.—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. 5847, Gunner James McManus, 7th Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery. } St. Thomas' Mount.

Fort St. George, 7th February 1881.

No. 94 *of* 1881.—Major W. R. Sheffield, Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate, Cannanore, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with ten days' subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 95 *of* 1881.—Surgeon J. Maitland, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge of the 28th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted leave to sea (m.c.) for four months from the date of embarkation, under Rule X of the Regulations of 1875, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 8th February 1881.

No. 96 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY.

Captain William Miller having completed twenty years' service, to be Major from the 4th February 1881.

No. 97 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Officer Commanding British Burmah Division is confirmed :—

Dated 31st December 1880.—Appointing Major E. S. Skinner, Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate, to officiate as Executive Commissariat Officer, Rangoon, without prejudice to his other duties, with effect from the 31st December 1880, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel O'Reilly, reported sick.

No. 98 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

List No. 2, *dated* 14*th January* 1881.

Major D. Cowie, Staff Corps .. .. 4 months, m.c.

No. 99 *of* 1881.—The second Christian name of Lieutenant Pooley, whose appointment to the "Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery, was notified in G.O.G. No. 77, dated 1st February 1881, is Hendy, *not* Henry.

No 100 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant H. Briggs, Assistant Commissary of Ordnance and Head Overseer, Gun Powder Factory, is granted leave in India (p.a.) for six months, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from the 10th February 1881, or date of departure.

No. 101 *of* 1881.—Serjeant Edward Alfred Ward, of the Commissariat Department, acted as Sub-Conductor from the 1st September to the 5th December 1880, *vice* Carroll.

No. 102 *of* 1881.—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. 7392, Gunner Samuel Holroyd, L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery. } Madras.

No. 103 *of* 1881.—**Brevet Promotion.** The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 31st December 1880 and 4th and 11th January 1881, are republished :—

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

WHEREAS it has been represented to Us, that it is expedient to extend the period during which the system may be continued of granting Brevet Promotion by succession on the occasion of a vacancy on the Establishment of General Officers of Our Indian Forces :

Our will and pleasure is that Clause (*d*) of Article 1, and Clause (*d*) of Article 2 of Our Warrant of the 28th January 1878, be cancelled, and that the following be substituted in lieu thereof:—

For Clause (*d*) of Article 1, relating to promotion of Captains to the rank of Major,

(*d*) By Brevet, in succession to a vacancy on the establishment of General Officers, provided such vacancy occur before the 1st October, 1881.

For Clause (*d*) of Article 2, relating to the promotion of Majors to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel,

(*d*) By Brevet, in succession to a vacancy on the Establishment of General Officers, provided such vacancy occur before the 1st October, 1881, or thereafter for so long as there remain any Majors on the List of Cavalry and Infantry who are not subject to the conditions prescribed in the General Order of Our Governor-General of India in Council, dated the 9th December, 1859, No. 1637.

Given at Our Court at *Osborne*, this 21st day of *December*, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and in the forty-fourth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

HARTINGTON.

India Office, 4th January 1881.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

* * * *

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Hill Ratcliffe Chambers, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th October 1880.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 11th January 1881.

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First-Class Apothecary Charles Pettigrew, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary and local rank of Surgeon in the East Indies on retirement from the service.

No. 104 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th January 1881, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 42.—VOLUNTEER CORPS—

Akyab Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Colonel E. B. Sladen, Madras Staff Corps, Commissioner of Arakan, to be Major-Commandant, *vice* Major G. J. S. Hodgkinson, resigned.

Berar Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Major R. Bullock, Madras Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Amraoti, to be Major-Commandant, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Bell, resigned.

No. 105 *of* 1881.—**Donation Batta.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th January 1881, is republished:—

No. 48.—DONATION BATTA—

It being very desirable that outstanding claims on account of the Afghan War should be adjusted with the least possible delay, the Governor-General in Council desires that all claims for donation batta on account of the second campaign be submitted on or before the 28th February 1881.

No. 106 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 29th January 1881, is republished :—

HOME, REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 28th January 1881.

No. 27.—APPOINTMENTS.—The following promotions are made in the British Burma Commission, with effect from the 10th November 1880, the date on which the services of Colonel C. P. Hildebrand, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, were replaced at the disposal of the Military Department :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. Pemberton, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd (officiating 2nd) Grade, to be confirmed as Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, *vice* Colonel Hildebrand.

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Major M. C. Poole, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Grade, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade, to be confirmed as Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade, *vice* Major Spearman.

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Captain C. H. E. Adamson, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd (officiating 2nd) Grade, to be confirmed as Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, *vice* Mr. Weidemann.

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No. 107 *of* 1881.—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 1st February 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 3rd instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	February ..	Anderson, E. B., Captain, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Archdall, H. G., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	January ..	Bredin, Alexander, Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	February ..	Bevan, R. J., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Bishop, George, Officiating Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Carnegy, P. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Claridge, H. C. Z., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Currie, J. W., Lieutenant, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Davies, H. C., Major, 9th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Hooper, W. W., Brevet-Major, 4th Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Hudleston, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Lee, W. A., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Morant, C. M. A., Captain, 4th Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	McClorg, Alexander, Surgeon-Major, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	January ..	Officer Commanding O Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. 16th do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 44th ,,
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 77th ,,
1	February ..	Preston, B. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Prendergast, J. H., Major, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Rose, William, Colonel, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Rolland, S. E., Captain, 26th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Spencer, T. C. H., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	St. John, F. C., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Swanston, Nowell, Lieutenant-Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Shaw, Elphinstone, Major, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Standen, Douglas, Brevet-Colonel, 28th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Shearburn, J. H., Store-Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Thornhill, W. H., Surgeon, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Woodhouse, A. T., Major, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Walters, R. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Warlow, George, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel, *Ag. Secy. to Govt.*

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 a portion of 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 dated of this notice.

Number.	Christian name and Surname in full of Commissioned 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.			1880.	RS. A. P.			
1	William Clements Bayley.	Military.	10th Regt. N.I.	Major ..	Addetegala, Rajamundry.	17th Jan.	*a* 1 0 0	Intestate.	Deposited 21st Jan. 1881.	1
2	Robert Henry Robinson.	Medical.	Indian Medical Dept.	Surgeon.	Chódavaram, Rajamundry.	28th March	11 4 8	Do. ..	Deposited 28th Jan. 1881.	2

a Transferred to the Administrator-General, Madras, (included in Rupees 555-9-5) who is administering the estate.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,

Fort St. George, 5th February 1881. *Ag. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Department.*

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 10*th February* 1881.

No. 108 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department:—

Sub-Conductor (on probation) H. E. Dallison, to be Sub-Conductor from the 16th January 1881, *vice* Pallet.

No. 109 *of* 1881.—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:—

Quartermaster Serjeant J. Everett, 1st Battalion, 21st Regiment, Depôt, Wellington. } Wellington, Madras Presidency.

Fort St. George, 11*th February* 1881.

No. 110 *of* 1881.—The furlough (m.c.) for two years granted in G.O.G. No. 308, dated 19th April 1879, to Surgeon-Major H. J. Beach, Indian Medical Department, Civil Surgeon, Cocanada, was under Rules VIII (Clause 2) and XV (not under Rule XIV) of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 111 *of* 1881.—Senior Apothecary D. H. Gray, Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" on the invalid pension of Rupees 150 per mensem, from the 16th February 1881.

No. 112 *of* 1881.—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 William Slark, L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery . . St. Thomas' Mount.

Fort St. George, 12*th February* 1881.

No. 113 *of* 1881.—Major H. R. Ogilvie, Infantry, Wing Officer, 12th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 114 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant W. A. Gale, Royal Engineers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Public Works Department.

Fort St. George, 14*th February* 1881.

No. 115 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. Murray, Staff Corps, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 36th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 116 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following appointment, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Surgeon-Major Michael Cudmore Furnell, M.D., F.R.C.S., having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Deputy Surgeon-General with permanent rank, under the provisions of paragraph 6, Clause 33, India Army Circulars, for March 1880. Dated 7th February 1881.

No. 117 *of* 1881.—Major S. E. R. Butler, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 32nd Regiment Native Infantry, is granted leave to Sea and the East Coast (m.c.) for three months, from the 6th January 1881, under the Regulations of 1854.

No. 118 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant J. M. Clements, Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

Fort St. George, 15th February 1881.

No. 119 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable William Patrick Adam has been pleased to accept the office of Honorary Colonel-in-Chief of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

No. 120 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 3, *dated* 21*st January* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and allowed to retire from the service :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major W. Vertue, Staff Corps.

RETIREMENT, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Surgeon-Major J. A. W. Spence, 17th January 1881.

No. 121 *of* 1881.—Under the provisions of Clause 5, Section 172, of the Army Discipline Act, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to remand Conductor James Minty, of the Commissariat Department, to regimental duty, in the rank held by him immediately previous to his appointment to be a Warrant Officer.

No. 122 *of* 1881.—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 5th February 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 8th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	February ..	Adams, W. S., Veterinary Surgeon, 1st Class, Remount Department.
1	Do. ..	Austin, Edmund, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Burke, U. J., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Benson, C. A., Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bailey, James, Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
1	January ..	Casey, John, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	February ..	Church, T. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Drury, Arthur, Colonel, Remount Department.
1	Do. ..	Donaghue, Michael, Store Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Dunkley, Thomas, Garrison Serjeant-Major, Adjutant-General's Department.
1	Do. ..	Frazer, W. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hankin, E. L., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	February ..	Lane, W. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department
1	Do. ..	Nangle, H. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding L Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	January ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
2	February ..	Do. No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Smith, A. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	January ..	St. Aubyn, George, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	February ..	Tims, James, Lieutenant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	VanHomrigh, P. A., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Whitlock, C. J. T., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wallace, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Wright, H. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
29	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 17*th February* 1881.

No. 123 *of* 1881.—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 George Trett, Her Majesty's 67th Regiment . . Sydney, Australia.

Fort St. George, 18*th February* 1881.

No. 124 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 4, *dated* 28*th January* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. O. Hasted, Royal Engineers.
Captain E. A. Fraser, Staff Corps.
Colonel H. T. Rogers, Royal Engineers.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant S. W. Jervis, Staff Corps . . . . . 6 months, m.c.
Colonel G. H. M. Aynsley, Staff Corps . . . . . 6 months, m.c.

No. 125 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant E S. Hastings, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 25th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, from date of embarkation, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 126 *of* 1881.—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 Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Venketswamy	Subadar	10th February 1881.
	Do. Ebrahim Khan	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 2380, Syed Hyder	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 2379, Doorgasing	Do.	
28th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Venketsamy (2nd)	Subadar	1st January 1881.
	Havildar, No. 450, Sookramoney	Jemadar	

No. 127 *of* 1881.—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. 2206, Gunner Peter Mack, O Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery, (2nd Battalion, Madras Artillery). St. Thomas' Mount.

Fort St. George, 21st February 1881.

No. 128 *of* 1881.—**Furniture, &c.—Troops and Hospitals.** With the approval of the Government of India, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to authorize the publication of a revised scale of furniture, &c., to be supplied to troops and hospitals in the Madras Presidency, and directs its adoption in supersession of G.O.G. No. 191, dated 5th September 1848, and all subsequent orders on the subject.

2. Supplies will be made on requisitions signed by Commanding Officers on the departments concerned.

3. No alteration in the scale is to be made without the sanction of Government.

4. Any changes that may hereafter be considered necessary will, from time to time, appear in General Orders by Government.

5. Copies of the scale have been supplied to the Quartermaster-General for distribution to corps, batteries, and departments.

No. 129 *of* 1881.—Major H. M. Vibart, Royal Engineers, Superintendent of Works, Presidency Division, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 130 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have sanctioned the following appointment in the Hyderabad Contingent:—

Captain W. H. Salmon, Wing Officer, 6th Infantry, to officiate as Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 1st Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, during the absence on furlough of Captain W. G. C. Johnston, or until further orders.

No. 131 *of* 1881.—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.
1st Regt. N. I. ..	Subadar Calliapah	Subadar-Major ..	1st February 1881.
34th do. ..	Jemadar Applesawmy	Subadar	11th December 1880.
	Havildar, No. 1792, Gopaulroydoo	Jemadar	

No. 132 *of* 1881.—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. 2850, Gunner George Stacey, N Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery, (3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery). } St. Thomas' Mount.

Fort St. George, 22nd February 1881.

No. 133 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Colonel) A. T. Searle, Staff Corps, Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 134 *of* 1881.—Captain F. O. Sherman, Madras Volunteer Guards, is appointed to act as Adjutant of the Regiment from the 1st February 1881, until further orders.

Fort St. George, 23rd February 1881.

No. 135 *of* 1881.—Deputy Surgeon-General John Wilson, Indian Medical Department, is permitted to retire from the service, from the 28th March 1881, on a pension of £800 per annum, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 136 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Surgeon-Major William Henry Rean, M.D., to be Deputy Surgeon-General with permanent rank, *vice* Deputy Surgeon-General J. Wilson, retired. Dated 28th March 1881.

No. 137 *of* 1881.—Surgeon W. E. Johnson, M.D., Indian Medical Department, in medical charge, 19th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay.

No. 138 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

First-Class Assistant Apothecary George John Duckworth to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, from the 16th February 1881, *vice* Gray, pensioned.

No. 139 *of* 1881.—Conductor John Lynch, of the Ordnance Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, from the 1st March 1881.

No. 140 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 21st and 25th January 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 20*th January* 1881.

The Queen has approved the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Sub-Lieutenant John Sutton Edward Western, from the 85th Foot. Dated 5th November 1877, but to rank from 12th February 1878.

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The names of the undermentioned Officers, whose admissions to the Staff Corps were notified in the *London Gazettes* specified, should be as follows, and not as given in those Gazettes:—

* * * *

Madras Staff Corps.

Gazette, 26th October 1877—Lieutenant Charles *Henry* Simpson.

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The dates of rank of the undermentioned Officers, admitted to the Staff Corps in the *London Gazettes* of the 1st February 1878 and 26th October 1877, respectively, should be as follows, and not as therein stated:—

* * * *

Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Simpson, 28th October 1871.

India Office, 24*th January* 1881.

The following appointments to his personal Staff, dated 2nd December 1880, were made by the Duke of Buckingham, Governor of Madras:—

Captain John Gordon, 89th Foot, Aide-de-Camp, to be Military Secretary.
Lieutenant A. H. L. Bagot, 13th Foot, Extra Aide-de-Camp, to be Aide-de-Camp.

No. 141 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st January 1881, is republished:—

No. 31.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

No. 1 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant W. A. Urquhart, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 2 Field Battery, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant R. J. Bevan, Royal Artillery, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George.

No. 2 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant R. H. Mahon, Royal Artillery, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant Urquhart.

No. 4 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant R. M. B. F. Kelly, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Subaltern, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant A. P. Penton, Royal Artillery, or until further orders.

No. 142 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th February 1881, is republished :—

No. 66.—Military Accounts Department—

Major H. H. P. Cowper, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, to be Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade.
Captain C. F. Thomas, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade.
Captain J. A. Miley, Military Accountant, 3rd Class, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade.
Major F. W. Major, Assistant Military Accountant, to be Military Accountant, 3rd Class.

} With effect from the 18th October 1880, *vice* Colonel J. P. Martin, retired.

No. 143 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th February 1881, is republished :—

Furlough and Leave.

No. 73—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. W. Rideout, Madras Staff Corps, Controller of Military Accounts, Madras (m.c.) for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

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No. 144 *of* 1881.—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 February 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 15th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	February ..	Allen, R. M., Surgeon, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bowen, Charles, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	January ..	Berkeley, E. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	February ..	Courtney, William, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Chrystie, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Cook, H. D., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
2	Do. ..	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Evans, Algernon, Staff Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Inshaw, T. P., Armourer Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Kidd, D. W., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Lunn, W. J., Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Leeming, William, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Morgan, W. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Mackenzie, George, Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	O'Connor, Patrick, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Unattached List.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Sharp, James, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Stevens, C. F., Lieutenant, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Smith, James, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, John, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do ..	Woods, Peter, Serjeant-Major, Native Infantry Depôt.
26	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstracts of Remittances for December 1880 and January 1881, despatched to England *viâ* 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.
	1880.	
1	December ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. B do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. O do. 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 do. 8th do. do.
2	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 8th do. do.
1	December ..	Do. No. 11 do. 8th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
3	Sept., Nov., and Dec.	Do. No. 16 do. 9th do. do.
4	Nov. and Dec. ..	Paymaster, 12th Lancers.
1	December ..	Do. 14th Hussars.
2	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do. 2-13th Foot.
2	December ..	Do. 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. 1-21st do.
2	Nov. and Dec. ..	Do. 43rd do. (Head-quarters).
2	Do. ..	Do. 43rd do. (Left Wing).
1	December ..	Do. 44th do.
4	Oct., Nov., and Dec.	Do. 2-24th do.
2	December ..	Do. 67th do.
1	November ..	Do. 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. 89th do.
4	January 1881 ..	Paymaster, Presidency, for Captain W. H. Sawyer, Serjeant Instructor Peter Johnson, Senior Trumpeter A. G. Warburton, and for the wife of Gunner Charles Wallis.
48	Returns.	

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

	1880.	
1	December ..	Officer Commanding K Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, 12th Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. 43rd Foot (Head-quarters).
1	Do. ..	Do. 43rd do. (Left Wing).
3	Do. ..	Do. 67th do.
8	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 24th February 1881.

No. 145 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary Lawrence Collins, Barrack Master, 1st Class, Secunderabad, is promoted to the rank of Deputy Commissary.

Fort St. George, 25th February 1881.

No. 146 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant R. H. C. Tufnell, Staff Corps, Adjutant, 30th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, from date of embarkation—one year under Rule I and the remainder under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 147 *of* 1881.—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.
16th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Laul Khan	Subadar	1st February 1881.
	Havildar, No. 338, Mahomed Cassim	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 308, Curpanah	Do.	
	Do. No. 967, Appanah	Do.	

Fort St. George, 28th February 1881.

No. 148 *of* 1881.—Colonel L. W. Buck, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 149 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel St. George Caulfeild, Staff Corps, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years—two months and eight days under Rules IX and XV, and the remainder under Rule XIV, Clause 2 of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 150 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon W. H. Thornhill, M.D., M.C., and B.A., Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

Fort St. George, 1st March 1881.

No. 151 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. O'Reilly, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, embarking from Madras or Bombay, with sixty days' subsidiary leave, from date of departure from Rangoon.

No. 152 *of* 1881.—The Honorable Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Coleman, Major Commandant of "The Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery, is granted leave to Europe on private affairs for four months, from 1st March 1881, or date of embarkation.

No. 153 *of* 1881.—Major D. H. Trail, Royal Engineers, Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 154 *of* 1881.—Major J. P. James, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 13th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 155 *of* 1881.—Major C. R. Oxley, Infantry General List, Wing Officer, 6th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years—seven months and thirteen days, under Rules IX and XV, and one year, four months and seventeen days under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 156 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor R. A. Bragg, of the Public Works Department, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, from date of embarkation, under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 157 *of* 1881.—No. 4 Battery, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 16th January 1881, the date of its arrival at Bombay.

Fort St. George, 3rd March 1881.

No. 158 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) E. O. Leggatt, Staff Corps, Commandant, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry, to act as Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, during the absence on furlough of Colonel A. T. Searle, or until further orders.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Briggs, Staff Corps, to be Deputy Judge Advocate, *vice* Colonel C. H. Wilson, promoted. Dated 16th January 1880.

No. 159 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department:—

Officiating Sub-Conductor G. Splane to be Sub-Conductor and Store Serjeant John Ford to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, from the 28th February 1881, *vice* Casey, deceased.

Deputy Assistant Commissary F. Clark to be Officiating Assistant Commissary; 1st Class Permanent Conductor N. Spencer to be Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary; Sub-Conductor G. McDonald to be Officiating Conductor, and Store Serjeant George Jones to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, from the 1st March 1881, *vice* Briggs, on leave.

Officiating Conductor P. McKenna to be Conductor; Sub-Conductor W. Rainford to be Officiating Conductor, and Officiating Sub-Conductor H. Williams to be Sub-Conductor, from the 1st March 1881, *vice* Lynch, pensioned.

No. 160 *of* 1881.—*Corrigendum.*—In the last column of G.O.G. No. 914, dated 29th December 1880, permitting Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) George De la Poer Beresford to retire from the service—*for* "India," *read* "England."

No. 161 *of* 1881.—**Officers of Royal Marines—Staff Corps.** The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 28th January and 1st February 1881, are republished:—

ROYAL WARRANT.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

WHEREAS it has been represented to Us that it is expedient to relax the conditions for appointment to the Indian Staff Corps in the case of certain Officers of Our Royal Marines who have recently been appointed Probationers for the said Corps.

Our will and pleasure is, that the said Officers of Our Royal Marines shall be admitted to the Staff Corps without completing the period of probation ordinarily required, but that they shall be liable to removal from Our service provided they do not, within such time as Our Secretary of State for India in Council may fix, pass such tests and comply with such other conditions as he may adopt for governing the final admission of Officers who have been appointed on probation.

Given at Our Court at *Osborne* this seventeenth day of *January*, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and in the forty-fourth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's command,

HARTINGTON.

India Office, 27th January 1881.

The Queen has approved the following admissions to the Indian Staff Corps, under the terms of the Royal Warrant of the 17th January 1881 :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Harland FitzLyddon Farrant, from the Royal Marine Artillery. Dated 23rd June 1880, but to rank from 1st October 1875.

Lieutenant Arthur Hatton, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 3rd October 1880, but to rank from 1st September 1876.

Lieutenant Donald Mackenzie, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 3rd October 1880, but to rank from 1st September 1876.

Lieutenant William John Langford, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 21st August 1880, but to rank from 19th September 1877.

Lieutenant George Borlase Stevens, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 3rd October 1880, but to rank from 19th September 1877.

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India Office, 1st February 1881.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Hill Ratcliffe Chambers, whose retirement from the service and promotion to the honorary rank of Colonel was notified in the *London Gazette* of the 4th January 1881, should have been described as of belonging to the Madras Staff Corps.

The Christian name of Colonel Barrow, of the Madras Staff Corps, is *De Symons*, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 4th January.

No. 162 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th February 1881, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 83.—Her Majesty the Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General *the Honorable Sir* Donald Martin Stewart, G.C.B., Staff Corps, Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India, to be Commander-in-Chief of the Forces in the East Indies, with the local rank of General, in succession to His Excellency General *Sir* Frederick Paul Haines, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., C.I.E. Dated 10th April 1881.

No. 163 *of* 1881.—**Pay Code.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th February 1881, is republished :—

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

No. 93.—PAY CODE—

A revised Pay Code for India having been approved by the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council, will be issued for the information and guidance of all concerned.

2. The usual distribution of copies will be made through the Superintendent of Government Printing.

No. 164 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th February 1881, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 95.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

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BREVET.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Patrick Alexander Carnegy, Madras Staff Corps,—16th February 1881.

No. 165 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th February 1881, is republished :—

No. 96.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 28th January 1878, the names of the undermentioned officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List, as specified :—

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Major-General G. W. Russell, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals. Colonel F. G. Kempster, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals.	In consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General R. Hamilton, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, on the 18th December 1880.
Major-General M. C. Spottiswoode, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals. Colonel C. P. Molony, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals.	In consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General C. A. Barwell, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps, on the 21st December 1880.

No. 166 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th February 1881, is republished :—

No. 97.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

BREVET.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Mawby Clossy Galloway, Madras Cavalry.	From the 15th December 1880, in succession to General *Sir* E. Green, K.C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, retired.
Major Thomas Harrison Tod Chalon, Madras Cavalry * * *	From the 18th December 1880, in succession to Lieutenant-General R. Hamilton, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, retired.

No. 167 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 19th February 1881, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Fort William, the 17th February 1881.

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No. 341 *G.-G.*—Surgeon H. G. L. Wortabet, 35th Madras Native Infantry, is appointed to the medical charge of the Bundelkhand Political Agency, in addition to his other duties, with effect from the forenoon of the 29th November 1880.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The 15th February 1881.

No. 59.—The services of Major S. C. Clarke, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Railway Branch, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Madras in the Public Works Department.

No. 168 *of* 1881.—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 February 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 22nd instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	January ..	Brown, A. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	February ..	Cairns, J. A., Serjeant Instructor, "Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Evanson, R. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Furlong, Malcolm, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	January ..	Gordon, J. H., Major, 23rd Regiment, Light Infantry.
1	February ..	Hay, A. C., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Jackson, Edward, Sub-Conductor, Assistant Adjutant-General's Department.
1	Do. ..	Laughton, A. F., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Marony, W. W., Garrison Serjeant-Major, Adjutant-General's Department.
1	Do. ..	Oxley, C. R., Major, 6th Regiment, Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 1-21st „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-24th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 77th „
1	Do. ..	Do. Presidency, for Head-quarters, Royal Artillery, H. S. Force.
1	Do. ..	Stone, T. E., Serjeant Instructor in Gunnery, Royal Artillery, B. B. Division.
1	Do. ..	Trail, D. H., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Tennant, T. B. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Walker, G. A., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
30	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 4th March 1881.

No. 169 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel B. W. Broughton, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 35th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Calcutta or Bombay.

No. 170 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Charles Morris Moberly having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 4th March 1881.

No. 171 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major F. H. Blenkinsop, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge, 5th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 172 *of* 1881.—Captain A. Awdry, Royal Engineers, Superintendent of Works, Buckingham Canal, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Fort St. George, 5th March 1881.

No. 173 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY.

To be Majors, having completed 20 years' service.

Captains { Robert Mildmay Clerk .. .. } From 4th March 1881.
{ Mare Henry Wratislaw .. .. }

No. 174 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Commissariat Department:—

Serjeant Caleb Davenport to be Acting Sub-Conductor, from the 16th January 1881, *vice* Hann, on leave to Europe.

Fort St. George, 7th March 1881.

No. 175 *of* 1881.—The following lists received from the India Office are published:—

List No. 5, dated 4th February 1881.

RETIREMENT, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Surgeon D. H. Cullimore, 8th March 1881.

DEATHS.

Major-General A. K. Gore, Staff Corps, 12th January 1881.
Major J. Godson, Staff Corps, 25th December 1880.

List No. 6, *dated* 11*th February* 1881.

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. E. H. Beauchamp, Infantry.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major G. Thomas, Staff Corps .. .. 6 months, m.c.
Colonel C. E. Bates, Staff Corps .. .. 6 months, m.c.

No. 176 *of* 1881.—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 Timothy Ryan, Her Majesty's 89th Regiment .. .. Melbourne, Australia.
Private Isaac Thorp, Her Majesty's 89th Regiment .. .. Ballarat, do.
Private Joe Matthews, Her Majesty's 89th Regiment .. .. Victoria, do.
Lance Corporal William Nott, Her Majesty's 48th Regiment .. Madras.

Fort St. George, 8*th March* 1881.

No. 177 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to declare G.O.G. No. 427, dated 11th June 1878, to be applicable also to the Mountain Battery at Thayetmyo, so long as it is furnished with elephant carriage.

No. 178 *of* 1881.—Colonel A. R. Clephane, Staff Corps, Deputy Adjutant-General, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 179 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon F. C. Smith, Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department.

No. 180 *of* 1881.—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.
7th Regt. N. I. ..	Jemadar Shaik Ebram	Subadar	21st December 1880.
	Do. Venketreddy	Do.	1st February 1881.
21st Regt. N. I. ..	Havildar, No. 166, Hoossain Ghory	Jemadar	16th January ,,

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Fort St. George, 9*th March* 1881.

No. 181 *of* 1881.—Colonel A. Drury, Staff Corps, Agent for Remounts, is granted privilege leave of absence for thirty days from the 12th March 1881, or date of departure—Veterinary Surgeon W. S. Adams performing the duties of the appointment on Colonel Drury's responsibility.

No. 182 *of* 1881.—Major A. F. Dobbs, Staff Corps, Judicial Superintendent of Railways in the Dominions of His Highness the Nizam, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 183 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary John Debnam, 1st-Class Barrack Master, Bangalore, is promoted to the rank of Assistant Commissary.

No. 184 *of* 1881.—Second-Class Apothecary Francis Brown is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 85 per mensem, from the 16th February 1881.

No. 185 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department:—

Store Serjeant Frederick Bradbury to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, from the 1st March 1881, *vice* Williams, promoted.

No. 186 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th February 1881 is republished:—

India Office, 8th February 1881.

The Queen has approved the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and Indian and Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain George Lecky. Dated 12th November 1880.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Major.

Captain Hugh Richard Hope. Dated 4th November 1880.

INFANTRY.

To be Majors.

Captain Augustus Frederick Wilkinson. Dated 4th November 1880.
Captain Allan Chaplin. Dated 12th November 1880.

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No. 187 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th December 1880, is republished:—

No. 679.—Lieutenant A. P. Penton, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is allowed leave in India (m.c.), from the 21st June to the 21st November 1880, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 188 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th February 1881, is republished:—

No. 106.—Lieutenant R. A. Ritherdon, 1st Battalion, 4th Foot, and 2nd Lieutenant F. Wyllie, 91st Foot, candidates for the Indian Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Madras, in view to their appointment to the Staff Corps of that presidency, with effect from the date of their arrival in India.

No. 189 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th February 1881, is republished:—

No. 112.—The leave in India allowed to Lieutenant A. P. Penton, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, in G.G.O. No. 679 of 1880, had effect from the 16th June 1880, and not as previously announced.

No. 190 *of* 1881.—**Donation Batta.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th February 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 900 of 1880:—

SPECIAL.

No. 119.—DONATION BATTA—

In continuation of the General Orders quoted in the margin, the rates of donation batta admissible to the regimental followers of corps and batteries in the Bengal Presidency are as follows:—

G.G.O. No. 489 of 1880.
G.G.O. No. 523 of ,,
G.G.O. No. 676 of ,,

	RS.
(1) Tindals, Salootries, Farriers, Jemadar-Syces and all followers drawing salaries of not less than Rupees 10 per mensem	24
(2) All others	12

No. 191 *of* 1881.—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 February 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 1st March.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	February ..	Andrews, C. A., Surgeon-Major, 20th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Healey, Dennis, Acting Bombardier, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Maclean, M. M., Store Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 11 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 16 do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 14th Hussars.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-24th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 43rd do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 43rd do. (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Presidency, for Details, 77th Foot.
2	Do. ..	Ricketts, Anthony, Bombardier, attached to European Artillery, Veteran Company.
1	Do. ..	Splane, G. G., Serjeant and Officiating Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
21	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 12*th March* 1881.

No. 192 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

List No. 7, *dated* 18*th February* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major A. T. Fraser, Royal Engineers.
Major Bowness Fischer, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major A. T. Fraser, Royal Engineers .. .. 21 days, p.a.

Fort St. George, 14*th March* 1881.

No. 193 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major P. R. Martin, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge of the 14th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

The above is balance of furlough due to Surgeon-Major Martin, consequent on his having been recalled from Europe in 1877 for famine duty.

Fort St. George, 15*th March* 1881.

No. 194 *of* 1881.—Major G. Chrystie, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, Bellary, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with subsidiary leave for ten days, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 195 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 626, dated 18th September 1880, Major W. G. Sharp, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 16th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted subsidiary leave, retrospectively, from the 20th September to the 1st October 1880.

Fort St. George, 16*th March* 1881.

No. 196 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major William Moore Dickinson having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 15th March 1881.

No. 197 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Major W. Vertue, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, Central Provinces.
Captain E. A. Fraser, Staff Corps, Political Assistant, Central India.
} Arrived at Bombay on the 8th March 1881.

No. 198 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major G. D. Riddell, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge, 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year and six days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 199 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain G. C. Fenwick, Staff Corps, Wing Officer 1st Regiment Native Infantry, to be Adjutant of the Madras Volunteer Guards.

No. 200 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant Frederick George Preston, Her Majesty's 98th Foot, Officiating Wing Officer 28th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 8th September 1879, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 201 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

First-Class Assistant Apothecary George Albert Watts to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, and Passed Hospital Apprentice Michael Bowers to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary, from the 16th February 1881, *vice* Brown, pensioned.

No. 202 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor Henry Pimm, Unemployed List, late of the Public Works Department, is transferred to the Retired Pension List on £36-10-0 per annum, with effect from the 1st March 1881.

No. 203 *of* 1881.—Conductor William James Lunn, of the Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Retired Pension List on £36-10-0 per annum, with effect from the 5th April 1881, or date of embarkation to England.

No. 204 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department:—

Sub-Conductor, on probation, (supernumerary) and Assistant Overseer T. Clarke, to be Sub-Conductor (supernumerary) and Assistant Overseer, from the 11th September 1880.

No. 205 *of* 1881.—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 Robert McIlroy, 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment	Ballarat, Australia.
No. 7424, 1st-Class Trumpeter Samuel Powell, O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.	Coimbatore.
No. 7699, Gunner Thomas Maker, O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.	St. Thomas' Mount.

No. 206 *of* 1881.—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.
1st Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Vencatasamy	Subadar	1st February 1881.
	Havildar, No. 2152, Shekh Hoosain	Jemadar	
35th do. do.	Subadar Abdoolah Khan	Subadar-Major ..	16th do. ,,
	Jemadar Vencatasawmy	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 2708, Solomon Isaac	Jemadar	

No. 207 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 11th February 1881, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th February 1881.

The following promotion to take place on the list of General Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces in consequence of the death of Major-General A. K. Gore, Madras Staff Corps, whose name was borne on that list as a Lieutenant-General:—

Major-General William Vine, Madras Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 8th January 1881.

No. 208 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th March 1881, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 131.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

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BREVET.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Philip Hawkes, Madras Staff Corps,—3rd March 1881.

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No. 209 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 5th March 1881, are republished :—

HOME, REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 4th March 1881.

No. 84.—The following temporary appointments are made in the British Burmah Commission :—

* * * *

With effect from the 15th December 1880.

Captain C. H. E. Adamson, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st Grade.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

MILITARY.

The 3rd March 1881.

No. 29*G.-M.*—Lieutenant J. M. Clements, Madras Staff Corps, and Officiating Wing Officer, 30th Madras Native Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Wing Officer and Adjutant of the Erinpura Irregular Force, *vice* Captain C. E. Wheeler.

GENERAL.

The 4th March 1881.

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No. 471*G.-G.*—Lieutenant-Colonel P. D. Henderson, C.S.I., Resident, 2nd Class, and General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti, is granted privilege leave for twenty-one days, with effect from the 6th March 1881.

No. 473*G.-G.*—The services of Sir Richard J. Meade, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., Resident at Hyderabad, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his present duties by Sir Steuart C. Bayley, K.C.S.I.

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No. 210 *of* 1881.—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 5th March 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 8th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	March ..	Allen, R. M., Surgeon, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Blenkinsop, F. H., Surgeon-Major, 5th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Barnett, H. C. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Benson, C. A., Colonel, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bishop, George, Officiating Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Bevan, R. J., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Beech, Lionel, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Bourke, N. J., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Coaker, W. H., Captain, Royal Engineers.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	March ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Chrystie, George, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Church, T. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Curtois, Atwill, Major, 2nd Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Cherry, F. S., Captain, 2nd Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Cotton, T. J., Major, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Chamier, S. H. E., Brevet-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Dickey, A. H. M., Colonel, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dunkley, Thomas, Garrison Serjeant-Major, Adjutant-General's Department.
1	Do. ..	Guinness, H. C., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Henry, George, Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Hicks, F. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Houston, J. M., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Lane, W. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	February ..	Lecky, George, Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	March ..	Leeming, William, Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Lys, F. G., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Mainwaring, R. Q., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Maturin, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Madden, C. D., Deputy Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Magan, T. S., Major, 37th Grenadiers.
1	January ..	Maguire, C. M., Lieutenant, 20th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	March ..	Morgan, W. H., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Nepean, H. A. T., Major, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Nangle, H. B., Major, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding I Battery, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	February ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 3 Battery, 8th Brigade, do.
1	March ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
1	February ..	Paymaster, 44th Foot.
1	March ..	Preston, B. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Puckle, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, 28th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Ross, James, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Roberts, R. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, T. C., Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	Do. ..	Shaw, Elphinstone, Major, 1st Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do. ..	Swanston, Nowell, Lieutenant-Colonel, 7th Regiment, Native Infantry
1	Do. ..	Standen, Douglas, Colonel, 28th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	St. John, F. C., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Shearburn, J. H., Store Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Shepherd, James, Commissariat Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Tims, James, Lieutenant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Thomson, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Tennant, T. B. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wilson, John, Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Wallace, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Whitlock, C. J. T., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Woodhouse, A. T., Major, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Walters, R. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do. ..	Wright, H. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
64	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 17th March 1881.

No. 211 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Thompson, Staff Corps, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Bangalore, is granted privilege leave for sixty days, from date of departure, Lieutenant-Colonel G. Briggs performing the duties of the appointment on Lieutenant-Colonel Thompson's responsibility.

Fort St. George, 18th March 1881.

No. 212 *of* 1881.—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 Key Guthrie .. .. / Charles McInroy .. .. } From the 17th March 1881.

No. 213 *of* 1881.—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.
3rd Regt. L. I. ..	Jemadar Mahomed Cossim	Subadar	1st January 1881.
	Havildar, No. 161, Syed Hoossain	Jemadar	
6th Regt. N. I. ..	Jemadar Madooray	Subadar	1st March ,,

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Fort St. George, 19th March 1881.

No. 214 *of* 1881.—Her Majesty's 89th Foot is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 31st December 1880.

No. 215 *of* 1881.—Major-General G. W. Russell, Madras Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 216 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Commissariat Department, with effect from the 25th February 1881:—

Sub-Conductor G. Chooet to be Conductor, and Acting Sub-Conductor C. Davenport to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Minty, remanded to regimental duty.

Serjeant George Campbell to be Acting Sub-Conductor, *vice* Hann, on furlough to Europe.

Fort St. George, 21st March 1881.

No. 217 *of* 1881.—No. 11 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery, is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 26th February 1881.

No. 218 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

List No. 8, *dated* 25*th February* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain F. T. Powis, Infantry.
Major W. G. Cumming, Royal Engineers.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major H. R. Faber, Royal Engineers . . . . . 6 months, m.c.

No. 219 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Albert O'Halloran Clay having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 20th March 1881.

No. 220 *of* 1881.—Major E. W. Shaw, Staff Corps, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for eighteen months—eight months and twenty-three days under Rules IX and XV, and the remainder under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Pondicherry.

No. 221 *of* 1881.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India:—

Lieutenant F. B. Deane, Madras Staff Corps, 34th Regiment Light Infantry.

Lieutenant J. G. Downing, Probationer Madras Staff Corps, 11th Regiment Native Infantry.

Fort St. George, 22nd March 1881.

No. 222 *of* 1881.—Deputy Surgeon-General H. R. Oswald, M.D., Indian Medical Department, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force and Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for six months, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 872* of 1876, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 525, dated 25th August 1876.

Fort St. George, 23rd March 1881.

No. 223 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Surgeon-Major William Pearl, Garrison Surgeon, Bangalore, to be Deputy Surgeon-General, with temporary rank, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Deputy Surgeon-General Oswald, or until further orders.

No. 224 *of* 1881.—Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon G. Evans, M.D., having been posted by the Government of India to this Presidency, is brought on the Madras Establishment from the 17th March 1881.

No. 225 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel E. R. C. Bradford, C.S.I., Staff Corps, Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 226 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Tyrrell, Infantry, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 37th Grenadiers, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 227 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Gunning, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, and Major A. F. Laughton, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, with effect from the 1st January 1881, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. O'Reilly on furlough, or until further orders.

No. 228 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Major H. W. H. Cox, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, North Arcot.	Arrived at Madras on the 19th March 1881.
Major E. G. V. Holloway, Staff Corps	Arrived at Madras on the 21st March 1881.
Major A. T. Fraser, Royal Engineers	

No. 229 *of* 1881.—Surgeon J. Backhouse, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge, 26th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 230 *of* 1881.—Conductor Charles Carroll, of the Commissariat Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, from the 18th February 1881.

No. 231 *of* 1881.—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 Soobiah	Subadar	16th December 1880.

No. 232 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th March 1881, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 120.—MILITARY SECRETARIAT—

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:—

Colonel W. M. Lees, Deputy Secretary, will officiate as Secretary to the Government of India, in the Military Department, at the Presidency.

Captain E. H. H. Collen, 1st Assistant Secretary, will officiate as Deputy Secretary.

Captain T. Deane, 3rd Assistant Secretary, and Officiating 1st Assistant Secretary, will officiate as Deputy Secretary until the return of Captain Collen from privilege leave.

Communications on the following subjects (unless of a very *urgent* nature, or relating to the Afghanistan Field Force) are to be addressed to the Officiating Secretary at Calcutta:—

(1.)—*Furlough and Leave*, including all questions relating to the furlough regulations, and all applications for furlough, reports of departure and of return to duty, &c., &c.

(2.)—*Promotions and Retirement*, including applications for pension, promotion rolls of native officers, applications or correspondence connected with statements of service.

(3.)—*Accounts and Pay and Allowances.*

(4.)—*Estates*, European and Native Army.

(5.)—*Medals*, including the Orders of Merit and British India.

(6.)—*Army List.*

(7.)—*Clothing.*

(8.)—*Books and Maps.*

(9.)—*Volunteers.*

(10.)—*Reports and Returns*, including all ordinary and periodical returns sent for information of Government, except such as the Secretary to Government with the Governor-General may specially desire to be sent direct to Simla.
(11.)—*Appointments, Native Army.*
(12.)—*Asylums.*
(13.)—*Correspondence.*
(14.)—*Discharges.*
(15.)—*Furlough*, Native Army.
(16.)—*Guards.*
(17.)—*Pensions.*
(18.)—*Recruiting.*
(19.)—*Rewards*, Native Army.
(20.)—*Salutes.*
(21.)—*Service.*
(22.)—*Stores.*
(23.)—*Women and Children.*

No. 233 *of* 1881.—**Medals—Afghanistan.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th March 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 899 of 1880:—

MEDALS.

No. 147.—In modification of paragraph 4 of G.G.O. No. 673 of 1880, the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to sanction the grant of the clasp for Kandahar to all persons entitled to medals under regulations, who were actually engaged in the reconnaissance of the 31st August, but who, through some legitimate cause, may have been prevented from taking part in the action of the 1st September 1880.

No. 234 *of* 1881.—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 March 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 15th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	March ..	Adam, Hunter, Surgeon-Major, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bowen, Charles, Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Brockman, E. F., Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Berkeley, E. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	February ..	Cox, R. E., Major, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	March ..	Cairns, J. A., Serjeant Instructor, "Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Hay, A. C., Brevet-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	McLeod, Harry, Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 1st do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-24th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Presidency, for Details, 77th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Price, William, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Sharpe, James, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, T. C., Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	Do. ..	Steel, E. H., Major, Bengal Staff Corps.
25	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for January 1881, despatched to England *viâ* 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.
	1881.	
1	January ..	Cadell, H. F., Lieutenant, in charge Account Branch, of a balance of Canteen Fund of 48th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 1st do. Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. O do. 1st do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
2	Nov. & Dec. 1880.	Do. Depôt, Wellington.
2	January 1881 ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 14th Hussars.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-13th Foot.
3	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 1-21st do.
3	Oct. 1880 and Jan. 1881.	Do. „ 2-24th do.
2	October 1880 ..	Do. „ 48th do.
3	January 1881 ..	Do. „ 67th do.
1	December 1880 ..	Do. „ 77th do.
34	Returns.	

The following Saving's Bank Statements were despatched to England, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

	1881.	
1	January ..	Officer Commanding No. 4 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
2	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 28th March 1881.

No. 235 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. Robertson, Staff Corps, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with ten days' subsidiary leave if he embark from Madras, or thirteen days if from Bombay.

No. 236 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Officer Commanding Ceded Districts is confirmed :—

Dated 23rd February 1881.—Appointing Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. D. Logan, Staff Corps, Acting Wing Commander, 37th Grenadiers, to officiate as Executive Commissariat Officer, Bellary, without prejudice to his regimental duties, with effect from the date of taking over charge of office from Captain W. H. M. Francklyn, pending arrival of Major H. C. Wright, or until further orders.

No. 237 *of* 1881.—Major S. C. Clarke, R.E., is granted special leave to Europe for one year, under the Resolution of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, No. 1605-27E.G., dated 3rd September 1879.

No. 238 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department :—

First-Class Apothecary Samuel Sausman to be Senior Apothecary, from the 16th February 1881, *vice* Gray, transferred to the Invalid Establishment.

No. 239 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 4645, Gunner William Littler, 11th Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery (5th Battalion, Madras Artillery). } Vizagapatam.

Fort St. George, 29th March 1881.

No. 240 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant W. duG. Gray, Staff Corps, 11th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

Fort St. George, 30th March 1881.

No. 241 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers will be admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the date specified, under the provisions of paragraph 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808, dated 26th September 1866 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Colonel) W. A. Gib, Staff Corps .. .. } 4th April 1881.
Lieutenant-Colonel (Colonel) Sir C. P. Keyes, K.C.B., Staff Corps. . }

No. 242 *of* 1881.—Under the sanction of the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India and with the concurrence of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, Brigadier-General Godfrey Clerk, Rifle Brigade, is appointed Adjutant-General of the Madras Army. Dated the 29th August 1880.

No. 243 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Joseph Gabbett having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel from the 30th March 1881.

No. 244 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major C. R. G. Parker, Indian Medical Department, Civil Surgeon, Masulipatam, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with twelve days' subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 245 *of* 1881.—The furlough granted to Sub-Conductor R. A. Bragg, of the Public Works Department, in G.O.G. No. 156, dated 1st March 1881, commenced from the 12th February 1881—after the expiration of ten days' subsidiary leave, to which he is entitled under the Civil Leave Code.

No. 246 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

Gunner Samuel Holroyd, L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery ..	Madras.
Do. Peter Mack, O Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery ..	St. Thomas' Mount.
Do. George Stacey, N Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery ..	Do.
Lance Corporal William Nott, H. M.'s 48th Regiment	Madras.
Private Robert McIlroy, 2-16th Regiment	Ballarat, Australia.
First-Class Trumpeter Samuel Powell, O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery	Coimbatore.
Gunner Thomas Maker, O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery ..	St. Thomas' Mount.

This cancels the following General Orders:—

G.O.G. No. 102, dated 8th February 1881.
Do. No. 127, dated 18th do. „
Do. No. 132, dated 21st do. „
Do. No. 176, dated 7th March „
Do. No. 205, dated 16th do. „

No. 247 *of* 1881.—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.
7th Regiment N. I.	Havildar, No. 86, Shaik Nuttah	Jemadar	21st December 1880.
	Do. No. 174, Paupiah	Do.	1st February 1881.

No. 248 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 25th February and 1st March 1881, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th February 1881.

BREVET.

* * * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary Edwin Bonner, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 20th November 1880.

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The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:—

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Lieutenant-Colonel Frank Horsley, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th November 1880.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Daniel Cloeté, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th December 1880.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Tod Stuart, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Christian Menzies, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Thaddeus Searle, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th December 1880.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Robert Johnson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th December 1880.

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India Office, 1*st March* 1881.

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

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Richard Houghton. Dated 9th December 1880.
Major Alexander McGoun. Dated 9th December 1880.
Major Thomas Lowndes. Dated 10th December 1880.
Major Bryan William Broughton. Dated 10th December 1880.
Major John Picton-Warlow. Dated 10th December 1880.
Major George Tyndall. Dated 10th December 1880.
Major Edmund Faunce. Dated 20th December 1880.

To be Majors.

Captain Wyndham Hughes Hallett. Dated 19th December 1880.
Captain Robert Græme Elphinstone Dalrymple. Dated 20th December 1880.
Captain Colin Charles Campbell. Dated 22nd December 1880.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major and Brevet-Colonel Reynolds Stephen James Prendergast, late 2nd Light Cavalry. Dated 15th December 1880.

To be Majors.

Captain Frederick William Buller. Dated 4th December 1880.
Captain and Brevet-Colonel Septimus Hodgson, late 2nd Light Cavalry. Dated 15th December 1880.

INFANTRY.

To be Majors.

Captain George Chamberlain Cooper. Dated 19th December 1880.
Captain Charles Edward Loraine Eastall. Dated 20th December 1880.
Captain Frederick Edmund Spry. Dated 20th December 1880.
Captain Alexander John Shaw. Dated 20th December 1880.

War Office, 22*nd February* 1881.

The Queen has been graciously pleased 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 Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honorable Order, viz. :—

* * * *

Colonel William Anthony Gibb, Madras Staff Corps.
Colonel Francis Dawson, Madras Staff Corps.

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Colonel Benjamin Lumsden Gordon, Royal Artillery.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Benjamin Knowles, 67th Regiment

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India Office, 22*nd February* 1881.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint :—

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Major Montague Protheroe, Madras Staff Corps, late Political Officer in Afghanistan,

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to be Companions of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

War Office, Pall Mall, 1st March 1881.

BREVET.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the following promotions being conferred upon the undermentioned Officers in recognition of their services during the late Afghan Campaigns, and also in the operations against the Naga Hill Tribes (1879-80). Dated 2nd March 1881.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

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Major William Henry Bell Kingsley, 67th Foot.

* * * *

Major Ross Thompson, Royal Engineers.

Major John Claudius Auchinleck, Royal Artillery.

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Major Charles Hayter, Madras Staff Corps.

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Major George Corrie Bird, Madras Staff Corps.

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Major Walter Coningham, Madras Staff Corps.

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Major Charles Bean Smith, C.S.I., Madras Infantry.

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To be Majors.

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Captain Arthur James Poole, 67th Foot.

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Captain Robert Edward Colborne Jarvis, 67th Foot.

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No. 249 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th March 1881, is republished :—

No. 159.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

* * * *

5th Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant G. A. Keef, 1st Battalion, 21st Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation.

No. 250 *of* 1881.—**Authorized Prisons.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th March 1881, is republished :—

JUDICIAL.

No. 163.—With the sanction of the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare the following to be "authorized prisons" in accordance with the provisions of the Army Discipline and Regulation Act :—

* * * *

In the Madras Presidency.

The Penitentiary at Madras.
The Jail at Ootacamund.
The Central Jail at Rangoon.

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No. 251 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th March 1881, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 165 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

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BREVET.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Rowlandson, Madras Infantry,—19th December 1880.

No. 252 *of* 1881.—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 March 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 22nd instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	March ..	Clark, Kennedy Alexander, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Furlong, Malcolm, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Jollie, James, Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Mullins, John, Colonel, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 8th Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 43rd do. (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Presidency, for Head-quarters, Royal Artillery, H. S. Force.
1	Do. ..	Rourke, Hugh, Store Serjeant and Officiating Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Ross, Peter, Serjeant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
19	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 1*st April* 1881.

No. 253 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

List No. 10, *dated* 11*th March* 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Street, Staff Corps.

No. 254 *of* 1881.—Major W. M. Dickinson, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 8th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 255 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Surgeons-Major, having completed 12 *years' service.*

Surgeons { William Price, M.D. .. .. / Samuel Matthias Tyrrell, F.R.C.S.E. .. .. .. / William Hope Boalth, F.L.S. .. .. .. / Joseph Backhouse .. .. } From the 1st April 1881.

No. 256 *of* 1881.—The following alterations of rank are made in the Commissariat Department :—

Conductor G. Chooet and Sub-Conductor C. Davenport, from the 18th February 1881, *vice* Carroll, pensioned.

Acting Sub-Conductor G. Campbell, from the 18th February 1881, *vice* Hann, on furlough to Europe.

No. 257 *of* 1881.—Conductor P. McKenna, of the Ordnance Department, is granted leave in India (m.c.) until the 15th September 1881, under the Regulations of 1875.

Fort St. George, 4*th April* 1881.

No. 258 *of* 1881.—Colonel R. S. J. Prendergast, Commandant 2nd Madras Cavalry, is granted leave to sea (p.a.) for three months, under Rule XXVII of the Regulations of 1868, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 259 *of* 1881.—The following extract from a military despatch from the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India is published :—

Despatch No. 14, *dated* 3*rd March* 1881.

The undermentioned Candidates having completed a 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 bearing date the 2nd October 1880 :—

John Lawrence VanGeyzel.
Hastings Norman Victor Harington.
Geard Martin Eccles McKee.
Havasji Cursetjee Sanjana.
Hormasji Nowanji Hakim.
John Adolphus Burton.
Francis Joseph Doyle.
Manekshaw Jamshedji Kelawala.
Philip Henry William Boon.
Merevanji Pestonji Kharegat.

They will be entitled to count as service for full pay pension the period of their residence at the Army Medical School from the 2nd October 1880 to the 7th February 1881, inclusive.

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No. 260 *of* 1881.—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 Shekh Abdullah	Subadar	1st April 1881.
	Havildar, No. 379, Innasseemootoo	Jemadar	

Fort St. George, 5th April 1881.

No. 261 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Campbell Stewart, of the Cavalry, to be Agent for Remounts at Hosúr, from the 12th April 1881, *vice* Colonel A. Drury, who vacates.

No. 262 *of* 1881.—Major W. J. Seaton, Staff Corps, Conservator of Forests, Tenasserim Circle, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Rangoon.

No. 263 *of* 1881.—The services of 1st-Class Veterinary Surgeon John Hammond, British Veterinary Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Revenue Department.

No. 264 *of* 1881.—Honorary Lieutenant F. J. White, Pensioned Deputy Assistant Commissary, is permitted to proceed to Europe for six months.

No. 265 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Commissariat Department :—

Sub-Conductor W. Collins to be Conductor, and Acting Sub-Conductor G. Campbell to be Sub-Conductor, from the 25th February 1881, *vice* Minty, remanded.

Fort St. George, 6th April 1881.

No. 266 *of* 1881.—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 Charles Wright .. .. } From the 4th April 1881.
{ Thomas Henry Barstow Brooke .. .. .. }

No. 267 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Officiating Conductor (Supernumerary) T. Baker to be Conductor (Supernumerary) ; Officiating Conductor C. McCarthy to be Conductor, from the 31st March 1881, *vice* Lunn, pensioned.

Sub-Conductor A. Hale to be Officiating Conductor, Officiating Sub-Conductor W. Franks to be Sub-Conductor (on probation), and Laboratory Serjeant John Delany to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, from the 31st March 1881, *vice* McCarthy, promoted.

No. 268 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th March 1881, is republished :—

India Office, 7th March 1881.

The following appointments to His Excellency's Personal Staff have been made by the Governor of Madras, dated 11th January 1881 :—

To be Military Secretary.

Captain W. H. Curzon Wyllie, Bengal Staff Corps.

To be Aides-de-Camp.

Captain J. H. N. G. H. Viscount Dalrymple, Royal Horse Guards.
Captain John Gordon, 89th Foot.

To be Extra Aides-de-Camp.

Lieutenant A. J. English, 14th Hussars.
Lieutenant A. H. L. Bagot, 13th Foot.

The following appointments to the Staff have been made by the Government of Madras:—

Captain R. E. C. Jarvis, 67th Foot, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General. Dated 9th January 1881.

Colonel Charles Harry Wilson, Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate, to be Judge Advocate-General, *vice* Colonel G. P. Sherard, deceased. Dated 16th January 1880.

No. 269 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th March 1881, is republished:—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 182.—In continuation of G.G.O. No. 104 of 1881, the undermentioned officer is permitted to retire from the service, under the provisions of G.G.O. No. 686 of 1880, with effect from the date specified, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Richard Collyer Andrée Marshall, Madras Staff Corps, 21st March 1881.

No. 270 *of* 1881.—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 March 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 29th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	March ..	Awdry, Ambrose, Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Bishop, George, Officiating Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Clementson, C. D., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Chard, C. H., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Hutchins, H. L., Lieutenant, 21st Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Mackenzie, George, Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding C Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. Royal Artillery
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 1-21st do.
2	Do. ..	Do. ,, 2-24th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 43rd do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. ,, 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Thomson, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wetherall, Pakenham, Colonel, 41st Regiment Native Infantry.
21	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 9th April 1881.

No. 271 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. O. Hasted, Royal Engineers, Superintending Engineer, 1st Class. } Arrived at Madras on the 3rd April 1881.

No. 272 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major J. Bilderbeck, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge, 36th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 273 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private John Lee, 1st Battalion, 21st Fusiliers . . . . . Lahore.

Ootacamund, 12th April 1881.

No. 274 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant J. S. G. Manera, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 7th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, from date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Calcutta.

Ootacamund, 13th April 1881.

No. 275 *of* 1881.—In G.O.G. No. 226, dated 23rd March 1881, granting Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Tyrrell, Infantry, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 37th Grenadiers, two years' furlough out of India, *for* (m.c.) *read* (p.a.).

No. 276 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor W. J. McAliese, Department Public Works, Assistant Master, Civil Engineering College, Madras, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for eighteen months from date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with ten days' subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 277 *of* 1881.—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 Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Shaik Furreed	Subadar	21st March 1881.
	Havildar, No. 2832, Shaik Dawood	Jemadar	

No. 278 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th March 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 15th March 1881.

The Queen has approved of the following retirements from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Army:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George de la Poer Beresford, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th December 1880.

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Surgeon James Atkinson West Spence, of the Madras Army. Dated 17th January 1881.
Surgeon Daniel Henry Cullimore, of the Madras Army. Dated 18th January 1881.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

To be Major-Generals.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George de la Poer Beresford, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th December 1880.

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No. 279 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st April 1881, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 189.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 28th January 1878, the names of the undermentioned officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List, as specified :—

* * * *

Major-General A. K. Gore, Madras Staff Corps (since deceased), is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals. — In consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General H. Nott, Madras Staff Corps, on the 14th July 1880.

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Major-General F. H. Scott, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals. — In consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General W. P. Hampton, Bengal Infantry, on the 21st September 1880.

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Colonel F. G. Kempster, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals. — In consequence of the retirement from the service of General *Sir* E. Green, K.C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, on the 15th December 1880.

Major-General G. W. Russell, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals.
Colonel C. P. Molony, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals. — In consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General R. Hamilton, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, on the 18th December 1880.

Major-General M. C. Spottiswoode, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals.
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Major H. C. Wright, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Colonels. — In consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General C. A. Barwell, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps, on the 21st December 1880.

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This cancels G.G.O.* Nos. 544, * * * * * of 1880 and 96 and 97 of 1881.

* Madras G.O.G. Nos. 689 of 1880 and 165 and 166 of 1881.

No. 280 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st April 1881, is republished :—

No. 191.—BREVET—

The following promotions and alterations of rank are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

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Alterations of Rank.

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Lieutenant-Colonel John Macgregor Kerr, Madras Cavalry. — From the 21st July 1880, in succession to Lieutenant-General F. Stock, Bombay Staff Corps, retired.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Philip Durham Henderson, C.S.I., Madras Cavalry. — From the 21st September 1880, in succession to Lieutenant-General W. P. Hampton, Bengal Infantry, retired.

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Lieutenant-Colonel John Mawby Clossy Galloway, Madras Cavalry. — From the 5th October 1880, in succession to Major-General *Sir* W. L. Merewether, K.C.S.I., C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, deceased.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Harrison Tod Chalon, Madras Cavalry. — From the 15th December 1880, in succession to General *Sir* E. Green, K.C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, retired.

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No. 281 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 2nd April 1881, are republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 1st April 1881.

No. 639 *G.-G.*—Subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State, the following appointments are made, with effect from the 25th March 1881:—

* * * *

Surgeon P. H. Benson, M.B., Civil Surgeon, Nagar Division, to be Resident Surgeon in Mysore.

No. 637 *G.-G.*— * * *

Surgeon A. Adams, Medical Officer of the Political Agencies at Kotah and Jhalra Patun, is appointed to officiate as Medical Officer of the Western Rajputana States and of the Erinpura Irregular Force, *vice* Surgeon-Major Spencer.

No. 282 *of* 1881.—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 April 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 5th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	April ..	Allen, R. M., Surgeon, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Anderson, E. B., Captain, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bevan, R. J., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery.
1	March ..	Chaplin, Allen, Major, 32nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	April ..	Carnegy, P. A., Colonel, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cox, R. E., Major, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Lee, W. A., Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Lane, W. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Major, F. W., Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morant, C. M. A., Captain, 4th Madras Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Nepean, H. A. T., Major, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding K Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	March ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 3 Battery, 8th Brigade, do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 16 do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 44th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. Presidency, for Head-quarters, Royal Artillery, Ceded Districts.
1	April ..	Pigott, E. C., Captain, 44th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Puckle, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, 28th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	March ..	Ross, Peter, Serjeant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Sargeaunt, C. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	April ..	St. John, F. C., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Swanston, Nowell, Lieutenant-Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Spencer, William, Laboratory Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Tims, James, Lieutenant, Commissariat Department.
1	March ..	Wallace, John, Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	April ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do. ..	Woodhouse, A. T., Major, 29th Regiment Native Infantry.
32	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 14*th April* 1881.

No. 283 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Colonel Thomas Dyer, Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant-General, to be Officiating Deputy Adjutant-General, *vice* Colonel Clephane, on furlough. Dated 6th April 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Faunce, Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant-General, Mysore Division, to be Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Colonel Dyer. Dated 6th April 1881.

No. 284 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Colonel) W. A. Gib, C.B., Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 285 *of* 1881.—Major W. Miller, Infantry General List, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, three months and twenty-eight days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Tuticorin.

No. 286 *of* 1881.—The furlough (m.c.) to Australia granted to Major R. Hunter, Infantry General List, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, in G.O.G., No. 433, dated 23rd June 1880, is extended for one year on medical certificate.

No. 287 *of* 1881.—Pensioned Sub-Conductor Henry Pimm is permitted to reside and draw pension at Melbourne, Australia.

No. 288 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Gunner Andrew Crowe, M Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery .. .. Kamptee.

Ootacamund, 16*th April* 1881.

No. 289 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant (Captain) G. Simpson, having completed nineteen years, four months and eighteen days' service, four years of which have been in the Staff Corps, to be Captain, from the 14th April 1881.

Ootacamund, 18*th April* 1881.

No. 290 *of* 1881.—The following alterations of rank and promotions are made in the Ordnance Department:—

Officiating Conductor A. Hale and Officiating Sub-Conductor J. Delany to take temporary rank from the 16th March 1881, *vice* McKenna, on sick leave.

Sub-Conductor J. J. Harrington to be Officiating Conductor, and Store Serjeant Thomas Southam to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, from the 31st March 1881, *vice* McCarthy, promoted.

Sub-Conductor W. Baker, to be Officiating Conductor, from the 31st March 1881, *vice* Harrington, on sick leave.

Ootacamund, 19th April 1881.

No. 291 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 11, *dated 18th March* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Captain T. Price, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant K. M. Foss, Staff Corps	4 months, m.c.
Major C. S. Blair, Staff Corps	3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant H. H. H. Aspinall, Staff Corps	3 months, m.c.

Ootacamund, 20th April 1881.

No. 292 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major John MacDonald Smith, having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 20th April 1881.

No. 293 *of* 1881.—Surgeon J. Backhouse, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge 26th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to embark from Madras, instead of from Bombay, on the furlough granted to him in G.O.G. No. 229, dated 23rd March 1881.

No. 294 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 22nd March 1881, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd March 1881.

The honorary rank conferred on Captain George Edward Wiffin, Deputy Commissary, Madras Establishment, is dated 24th July 1880, instead of 22nd July 1880, as stated in the Gazette of 9th November 1880.

No. 295 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th April 1881, is republished :—

No. 201.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Major C. J. Durand, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, to be Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade. Lieutenant E. J. G. Lewis, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade. Lieutenant D. A. A. Macpherson, Military Accountant, 3rd Class, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade.	With effect from the 26th February 1881, *vice* Colonel C. Armstrong, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade, retired.

No. 296 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th April 1881, is republished :—

No. 203.—*4th Punjab Cavalry.*

2nd-Lieutenant W. H. M. Stewart, 43rd Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Squadron Officer, on probation.

No. 297 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th April 1881, is republished :—

No. 204.—*1st Punjab Infantry.*

Lieutenant F. B. Deane, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 34th Regiment of Madras (Chicacole) Light Infantry, to officiate as Wing Officer.

4th Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant W. duG. Gray, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 11th Regiment of Madras Native Infantry, to officiate as Wing Officer.

No. 298 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th April 1881, is republished :—

No. 205.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

1st Cavalry.

Lieutenant F. Oswald, 2nd Battalion, 16th Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Squadron Officer, on probation.

No. 299 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th April 1881, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 209.—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, with effect from the date specified :—

MADRAS.

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

Subadar-Major Pineeandy, 2nd Regiment Native Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Veeragoo, "Bahadur," deceased,—9th December 1880.

No. 300 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 9th April 1881, are republished :—

HOME, REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 8th April 1881.

No. 91—Major D. MacNeill, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, 2nd Class, in the Central Provinces, to officiate as District Superintendent of Police, 1st Class, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel T. E. Vandergucht, or until further orders.

Major H. A. Hammond, Officiating District Superintendent, 3rd Class, to officiate as District Superintendent, 2nd Class, *vice* Major MacNeill.

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GENERAL.

No. 704*G.-G.*—

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Captain E. A. Fraser, Political Assistant, 3rd Class, is appointed to be a Political Agent, 3rd Class, substantive *pro tempore*, and is posted as 1st Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Captain Talbot.

No. 706*G.-G.*—

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Captain D. Robertson, Political Agent, 3rd Class, substantive *pro tempore*, and Assistant Commissioner, Mhairwara, is posted as 1st Assistant to the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Captain Barr.

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No. 709*G.-G.*—Major R. G. E. Dalrymple, Officiating Political Assistant, 1st Class, and Assistant Political Agent, Banswara, is posted as Cantonment Magistrate of Nowgong, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

Captain C. B. Cooke, Officiating Political Agent, 2nd Class, and Cantonment Magistrate, Nowgong, is appointed temporarily to the charge of the Political Agency in Bandelkhand, in addition to his own duties.

Captain Cooke to continue in charge of the Cantonment Magistracy until relieved by Major Dalrymple.

No. 301 *of* 1881.—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 April 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 12th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	April ..	Archibald, W. F., Assistant Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Burton, E. F., Brigadier-General, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Browne, A. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Chard, C. H., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Camani, C. W., 1st-Class Serjeant Instructor, Madras Volunteer Guards.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	King, Henry, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Lane, H. P., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Lecky, George, Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Macrae, William, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Nangle, H. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	March ..	Officer Commanding O Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	April ..	Do. No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	March ..	Do. No. 4 do. 9th do. do.
1	April ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 77th do.
1	Do. ..	Smith, A. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Sharp, James, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
21	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstract of Remittances for February and March 1881, despatched to England *viâ* 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.
	1881.	
1	February ..	Officer Commanding L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. O do. 1st do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
2	January ..	Do. No. 3 Battery, 8th Brigade do.
1	February ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 16 do. 9th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Depôt, Wellington.
3	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-13th Foot.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 1-21st do.
4	Dec. 1880 to Feb. 1881.	Do. „ 2-24th do.
2	January 1881 ..	Do. „ 43rd do. (Head-quarters).
2	Jan. and Feb. ..	Do. „ 43rd do. (Left Wing).
4	Do. ..	Do. „ 44th do.
3	February ..	Do. „ 67th do.
1	January ..	Do. „ 77th do.
3	March ..	Do. Presidency, for Major E. A. Bruce, Madras Staff Corps, and for 48th Foot.
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The following Savings Bank Statement was despatched to England, *viâ* 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.
	1881.	
1	February ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 44th Foot.
1	Return.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 21st April 1881.

No. 302 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

List No. 12, *dated* 25*th March* 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Smith, C.S.I., Infantry .. .. 6 months, p.a.

No. 303 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Budd, Staff Corps, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 304 *of* 1881.—Captain S. G. F. Selfe, Royal Artillery, Commandant, No. 4 Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 305 *of* 1881.—With reference to Public Department Notification, dated 14th April 1881, the services of Surgeon A. F. Dobson, M.B., Indian Medical Department, are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

No. 306 *of* 1881.—Surgeon H. G. Hall, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge 16th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 307 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department :—

Sub-Conductor, on probation, W. Franks to be Sub-Conductor, from the 31st March 1881, *vice* McCarthy, promoted.

No. 308 *of* 1881.—G.O.G. No. 743, dated 29th October 1880, remanding Conductor R. Langley, Commissariat Department, to regimental duty, will be considered to have had effect from the 25th August 1880.

Ootacamund, 22nd April 1881.

No. 309 *of* 1881.—The services of Major Bowness Fischer, Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

No. 310 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Commissariat Department :—

Serjeant Patrick Twohig to be Acting Sub-Conductor, from the 25th February 1881, *vice* Hann, on furlough.

Ootacamund, 23rd April 1881.

No. 311 *of* 1881.—The services of Captain H. M. Dale, Infantry General List, Acting Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, are replaced at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief, at his own request.

No. 312 *of* 1881.—Captain S. Bates, of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles, is granted leave to Europe on private affairs for six months.

No. 313 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant John George Downing, Her Majesty's 72nd Foot, Wing Officer, 11th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, from the 17th October 1878, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 314 *of* 1881.—Second-Class Apothecary J. McDiarmid, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 40 per mensem, from the 15th April 1881.

No. 315 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Warrant Officers of the Ordnance Department are transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 25th April 1881, on the invalid pensions specified against their names:—

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary Edwin Bonner, on Rupees 140 per mensem.

Conductor John Leehy, on Rupees 100 per mensem.

No. 316 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private Henry Ogden, Her Majesty's 67th Regiment .. .. .. Lucknow.

Ootacamund, 25th April 1881.

No. 317 *of* 1881.—Colonel R. B. Kennedy, Infantry, acted as Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing from the 22nd February to the 7th March 1881.

No. 318 *of* 1881.—Major S. C. Clarke, Royal Engineers, is allowed two years' special leave to Europe, in lieu of the one year granted in G.O.G. No. 237, dated 28th March 1881.

Ootacamund, 26th April 1881.

No. 319 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Serjeant Alexander O'Toole, N Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery. } Melbourne, Australia.

Ootacamund, 27th April 1881.

No. 320 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Major B. Fischer, Staff Corps .. .. } Arrived at Madras on the 21st April 1881.

Captain F. T. Powis, General List, Wing Officer, 17th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 25th April 1881.

No. 321 *of* 1881.—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:—

First-Class Barrack Serjeant James Redmond, Unattached List, (Her Majesty's 2-13th Foot). } Akola, Hyderabad Assigned Districts.

No. 322 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 11th March 1881, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th March 1881.

To be Honorary Lieutenants.

* * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary Daniel Falvey, Madras Establishment. Dated 23rd November 1880.

No. 323 *of* 1881.—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 April 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 19th idem.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	April ..	Baker, William, Sub-Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Campbell, George, Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Ewing, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Kidd, D. W., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. C do. B do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 1st do. Royal Artillery
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Smithwhite, John, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, A. C., Army Schoolmaster, School Department.
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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Ootacamund, 28th April 1881.

No. 324 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Berkeley, Infantry, Political Agent, Baghelkund, Central India, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year and one hundred and eighty-two days, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 325 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant J. F. Wilson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant 12th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, from the date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Calcutta.

No. 326 *of* 1881.—The leave (m.c.) granted to Conductor J. Dunlop, of the Ordnance Department, in G.O.G. No. 694, dated 14th October 1880, is extended to the date of his transfer to the Pension Establishment.

Ootacamund, 29th April 1881.

No. 327 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain Spencer Richard Rawlinson, Staff Corps, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to complete the establishment.

No. 328 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 176, dated 7th March 1881, Private Timothy Ryan, Her Majesty's 89th Regiment, is permitted to reside at Ballarat, Australia, instead of Melbourne.

Ootacamund, 30th April 1881.

No. 329 *of* 1881.—Colonel A. Drury, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 330 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major A. E. Dalgairns, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge of the 7th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 331 *of* 1881.—The date of admission to the Staff Corps of Lieutenant F. G. Preston, Her Majesty's 98th Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 28th Regiment Native Infantry, is 24th May 1879, not 8th September 1879 as notified in G.O.G. No. 200, dated 16th March 1881.

No. 332 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the place specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

$\frac{\text{No. 40-B}}{440.}$, Private James Riordan, 67th Foot (late 3rd Madras European Regiment).	Bangalore.
$\frac{\text{No. 40-B}}{733}$, Private Robert Farlowe, 67th Foot (late 3rd Madras European Regiment).	

Ootacamund, 2nd May 1881.

No. 333 *of* 1881.—Major R. J. B. Simpson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 12th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 334 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant W. T. H. Holmes, the "Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery, is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

No. 335 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department, from the 25th April 1881:—

Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary N. Spencer to be Deputy Assistant Commissary; Conductor J. Glen to be Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary; Officiating Conductor C. Johnson to be Conductor; Sub-Conductor M. Gerard to be Officiating Conductor; Officiating Sub-Conductor W. McEntegart to be Sub-Conductor, and Store Serjeant Walter Madeley to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, *vice* Bonner, pensioned.

Officiating Conductor (Supernumerary) W. H. Clarke to be Conductor, *vice* Leehy, pensioned.

Ootacamund, 3rd May 1881.

No. 336 *of* 1881.—Colonel E. W. Childers, Royal Artillery, Superintendent, Gun Powder Factory, Bengal, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Clause 1, Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Calcutta.

No. 337 *of* 1881.—Conductor John Dunlop, of the Ordnance Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, from the 5th May 1881.

Ootacamund, 4th May 1881.

No. 338 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. E. H. Beauchamp, Madras Infantry. { Arrived at Bombay on the 26th April 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. Rogers, Royal Engineers, Superintendent, Revenue Survey. { Arrived at Madras on the 2nd May 1881.

No. 339 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Francis James Rivers having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 4th May 1881.

No. 340 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 5th April 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 5th April 1881.

The following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India, have been approved by Her Majesty:—

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Henry Evelyn Coningham. Dated 4th February 1881.

MADRAS ARMY.

INFANTRY.

To be Majors.

Captain Edward Pennycuick Maltby. Dated 4th January 1881.
Captain William Miller. Dated 4th February 1881.

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To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Macgregor Kerr, Madras Cavalry, in succession to Lieutenant-General W. P. Hampton, Bengal Infantry, retired. Dated 21st September 1880.

Major Philip Durham Henderson, C.S.I., Madras Cavalry, in succession to Colonel (borne as Major-General on the Indian List) Sir W. L. Merewether, K.C.S.I., C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, deceased. Dated 5th October 1880.

Major John Mawby Clossy Galloway, Madras Cavalry, in succession to General Sir E. Green, K.C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, retired. Dated 15th December 1880.

Major Thomas Harrison Tod Chalon, Madras Cavalry, in succession to Lieutenant-General R. Hamilton, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, retired. Dated 18th December 1880.

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The Christian names of the undermentioned Officers whose promotions were notified in the *London Gazette* of 1st March 1881, should be as follows, and not as therein stated :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant-Colonel *Richmond* Houghton.
Major Robert *Græme* Elphinstone Dalrymple.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

Major Charles Edward *Lorraine* Eastall.

No. 341 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 23rd April 1881, is republished :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 21st April 1881.

No 143.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. M. Moberly, Examiner of Accounts, Rajputana State Railway, is appointed to officiate as Manager, Rajputana State Railway, in addition to his present duties, during the absence on leave of Major W. S. S. Bisset, R.E., or until further orders.

No. 342 *of* 1881.—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 April 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 26th idem.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	April ..	Evanson, R. C., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Francklyn, William, Captain, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Harvey, Robert, Honorary Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 3 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 16 do. 9th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 1-21st „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-24th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 43rd „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 43rd „ (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 44th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 77th „

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
2	April ..	Paymaster, Presidency, for Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force and Staff, Mysore Division.
1	Do. ..	Ross, Peter, Serjeant, Royal Engineers
1	Do. ..	Usher, John, Quartermaster Serjeant, Depôt, Wellington.
1	Do. ..	Woods, Peter, Serjeant-Major, Native Infantry Depôt.
25	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 5th May 1881.

No. 343 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain William Andrew Yule, 1-21st Fusiliers, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, *vice* Major Kenny-Herbert, who vacates on completion of tour of service. Dated 26th April 1881.

No. 344 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Colonel) A. C. Hay, Staff Corps, District and Sessions Judge, Ashtagram Division, Mysore, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for six months under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with fourteen days' subsidiary leave if he embark from Madras, or seventeen days if from Bombay.

No. 345 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 14, *dated 8th April* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. S. Hooper, Cavalry.
Major H. S. Elton, Staff Corps.
Major D. Cowie, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major R. T. Chapman, Infantry .. .. 6 months, m.c.

No. 346 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon R. M. Allen, Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department.

No. 347 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Subordinate Medical Department, with effect from the 15th April 1881:—

First-Class Assistant Apothecary H. Wells, to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, *vice* McDiarmid, pensioned.

First-Class Assistant Apothecary E. Gillson, to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, in succession to 2nd-Class Apothecary H. Wells, seconded.

Ootacamund, 6th May 1881.

No. 348 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

Passed Hospital Apprentice Henry William George King to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary, from the 29th April 1881, *vice* Thoy, deceased.

No. 349 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Gunner Charles Hutchinson, O Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery .. Vellore.

Ootacamund, 7th May 1881.

No. 350 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department:—

Officiating Conductor G. Bishop to be Conductor and Officiating Sub-Conductor F. W. Earle to be Sub-Conductor, on probation, from the 5th May 1881, *vice* Dunlop, pensioned.

No. 351 *of* 1881.—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 Samuel Mayes, Her Majesty's 67th Foot .. .. Madras.

No. 352 *of* 1881.—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 Regt. N.I. ..	Cemádar Mootoosawmy	Subadar	1st April 1881.
	Havildar, No. 743, Mahomed Esoph	Jemadar	1st March ,,
	Do. No. 1023, Toolseram	Do.	1st April ,,
21st Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Ballaraidoo	Subadar	21st March 1881.
	Havildar, No. 471, Timmiah	Jemadar	

No. 353 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th and 12th April 1881, are republished :—

India Office, 7th April 1881.

The following admissions to the Indian Medical Service have been approved by Her Majesty :—

To be Surgeons. Dated 2nd October 1880—

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MADRAS.

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John Lawrence Vangeyzel.
Hastings Norman Victor Harington.
Gerard Macklin Eccles McKee.
Kavasji Cursetji Sanjana.
Hormasji Merwanji Hakim.
John Adolphus Burton.
Francis Joseph Doyle.
Manekshaw Jamshedji Keláwálá.
Philip Henry William Boon.
Mervanji Pestanji Kharegat.

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The following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India, and transfer to the Half Pay List of the Staff Corps, have been approved by Her Majesty :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Edward Robert John Presgrave, from the 21st Foot. Dated 19th December 1878, but to rank from 11th February 1875.

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The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

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Otway Francis Smithers, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th January 1881.
John William Orr, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th January 1881.
Alexander Charles Hay, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th January 1881.

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Frederick Gadsden, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 21st January 1881.
Patrick Alexander Carnegy, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 16th February 1881.

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No. 354 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 30th April 1881, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 28th April 1881.

No. 834*G.-G.*—The following appointments are made, with effect from the 25th March 1881 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Hill, Madras Staff Corps, is appointed Civil and Sessions Judge in the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Cole, Madras Staff Corps, is appointed to officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore during the absence on other duty of Lieutenant-Colonel Hill, or until further orders.

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No. 355 *of* 1881.—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 May 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mail of the 3rd idem.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	May ..	Anderson, E. B., Captain, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bailey, W. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Baker, Thomas, Officiating Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	April ..	Bishop, George, Officiating Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	May ..	Bevan, R. J., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Boone, F. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 6th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Borrowdaile, William, Serjeant-Major, Governor's Body Guard.
1	April ..	Clark-Kennedy, Alexander, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	May ..	Carnegy, P. A., Colonel, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Carruthers, H. St. C., Surgeon, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Chaplin, Allen, Major, 32nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Cox, R. E., Major, 33rd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	April ..	Campbell, James, Shipping Serjeant, Quartermaster-General's Department.
1	May ..	Eyre, E. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	April ..	Frazer, W. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	May ..	Grove, A. S., Major, 15th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Grant, Thomas, Serjeant, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Hudleston, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lecky, George, Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Major, F. W., Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morant, C. M. A., Captain, 4th Madras Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Nepean, H. A. T., Major, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	April ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-24th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th „
1	May ..	Preston, B. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Ramsden, H. F. S., Lieutenant, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	St. John, F. C., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
2	Do. ..	Stevenson, K. F., Major, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Stuart, H. T., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
2	Do. ..	Swanston, Nowell, Lieutenant-Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Swanston, W. O., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Ootacamund, 10*th May* 1881.

No. 356 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) E. O. Leggatt, Staff Corps, Acting Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, is granted privilege leave of absence for thirty days, from date of departure—Major G. H. Oakes, Staff Corps, 36th Regiment Native Infantry, performing the duties of the appointment on Colonel Leggatt's responsibility.

Ootacamund, 12*th May* 1881.

No. 357 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Stewart, Cavalry, Agent for Remounts, is granted privilege leave of absence from the 16th to 31st May 1881—Veterinary Surgeon W. S. Adams performing the duties of the appointment on Lieutenant-Colonel Stewart's responsibility.

No. 358 *of* 1881.—Captain H. M. Dale, Infantry General List, Wing Officer, 37th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years—one year under Rules IX and XV, and the remainder under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Ootacamund, 13*th May* 1881.

No. 359 *of* 1881.—The leave (m.c.) granted to Major S. E. R. Butler, Staff Corps, Wing Commander 32nd Regiment Native Infantry, in G.O.G. No. 117, dated 14th February 1881, is extended to the 26th May 1881.

No. 360 *of* 1881.—The leave (m.c.) granted to Conductor W. Riley, of the Ordnance Department, in G.O.G. No. 78, dated 1st February 1881, is extended to the date of his transfer to the Pension Establishment.

Ootacamund, 14*th May* 1881.

No. 361 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

Private Daniel Chambers, 1st Battalion, 21st Regiment .. .. Ballarat, Australia.
Private Michael Mayberry, 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment .. .. Bangalore.

No. 362 *of* 1881.—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.
27th Regiment N.I...	Havildar, No. 375, Mootoosawmy	Jemadar	20th April 1881.

Ootacamund, 16*th May* 1881.

No. 363 *of* 1881.—Major-General R. Cadell, C.B., Inspector-General of Ordnance, is granted privilege leave of absence for sixty days, from the 1st June 1881 or date of departure—Lieutenant-Colonel H. McLeod, Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance, performing the duties of the appointment on Major-General Cadell's responsibility.

No. 364 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Hay, Staff Corps, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 41st Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 365 *of* 1881.—Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) C. S. Steward, 4th Light Cavalry, Squadron Commander and 2nd in Command, 4th Light Cavalry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year and two days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 366 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 16, *dated 22nd April* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major G. J. vanSomeren, Infantry.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major M. Protheroe, c.s.i., Staff Corps .. .. 5 months, p.a.

No. 367 *of* 1881.—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.
25th Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Moossay Khan	Subadar	7th April 1881.
	Havildar, No. 127, Shumsher Deen	Jemadar	

Ootacamund, 17*th May* 1881.

No. 368 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 259, dated 4th April 1881, the undermentioned gentlemen are admitted as Surgeons on the Madras Establishment from the 6th April 1881—the date of their arrival at Bombay :—

John Lawrence VanGeyzel.
Hastings Norman Victor Harington.
Philip Henry William Boon.

Ootacamund, 18*th May* 1881.

No. 369 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 30th April and 7th May 1881, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 28*th April* 1881.

No. 834*G.-G.*—The following appointments are made, with effect from the 25th March 1881 :—

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Major E. P. Maltby is appointed Magistrate and President of the Municipal Commission of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

The 5th May 1881.

No. 873*G.-G.*—Captain R. G. E. Dalrymple, Madras Staff Corps, Officiating Assistant Political Agent, Banswara and Partabgarh, has been granted furlough in India from the 11th October to the 30th November 1880, both days inclusive, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 370 *of* 1881.—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 May 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 10th idem.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	May ..	Allen, R. M., Surgeon, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Burton, E. F., Brigadier-General, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Churchill, C. F., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Cleveland, J. W., General, Madras Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Carroll, James, Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	Do. ..	Clerk, Godfrey, Brigadier-General, Adjutant-General.
1	Do. ..	Cox, H. W. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Davies, A. M., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dyer, Thomas, Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dunkley, Thomas, Garrison Serjeant-Major, Adjutant-General's Department.
1	Do. ..	Faunce, B. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Galloway, J. M. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Gunning, J. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hodgson, G. R., Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lane, H. P., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Lane, W. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Leonard, John, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	Magrath, B. H. W., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Mackenzie, Colin, Lieutenant-Colonel, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Mackenzie, George, Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Morley, Samuel, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding I Battery, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	April ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
1	May ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 77th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Prendergast, H. N. D., Brigadier-General, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Pelly, C. H., Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Phelips, R. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Smith, A. C., Captain, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Tims, James, Lieutenant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Whitlock, C. J. T., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do. ..	Waters, J. M., Surgeon-Major, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Wynch, J. W., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
36	Returns.	

The following Miscellaneous Remittances, exhibited in the undermentioned Returns, were included in the Abstracts of Remittances for March and April 1881, despatched to England *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the same Mail :—

	1881.	
1	March ..	Officer Commanding L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 1st do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 8th Brigade do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
1	Dec. 1880 and Jan. 1881.	Do. No. 4 do. 9th do. do.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
1	March 1881 ..	Officer Commanding No. 19 Battery, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-13th Foot.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th do.
2	Do. ..	Do. „ 1-21st do.
5	Feb. and March.	Do. „ 43rd do. (Head-quarters).
2	March ..	Do. „ 44th do.
3	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
2	February ..	Do. „ 77th do.
2	April ..	Do. Presidency, for Private E. Hefford, 48th Foot, and Serjeant F. Riley, Commissariat Department.
34	Returns.	

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

	1881.	
1	March ..	Officer Commanding O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. do.
3	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
2	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 12th Lancers.
4	Do. ..	Do. „ 1-21st Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th do.
19	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 19*th May* 1881.

No. 371 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor is pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff:—

Major A. R. Kenney-Herbert, General List, Cavalry, to officiate as Military Secretary during the employment of Captain Wyllie on other duty, or until further orders. Dated 10th May 1881.

No. 372 *of* 1881.—Under instructions from the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India, G.O.G. No. 786, dated 15th November 1880, altering the furlough granted to Major Campbell Walker, Staff Corps, from under Clause 2 to Clause 1 of Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868, is cancelled. G.O.G. No. 679 of 1880 will stand good.

No. 373 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 104, dated 2nd April 1870, and with the sanction of the Government of India, the Northern District Brigade Command is abolished.

The station duties at Vizagapatam will be performed by a Station Staff Officer of the 2nd Class.

Ootacamund, 20*th May* 1881.

No. 374 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Howes, Infantry, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 16th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (u.p.a.) out of India for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Ootacamund, 21*st May* 1881.

No. 375 *of* 1881.—Conductor William Doig, of the Commissariat Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, from the 16th May 1881.

No. 376 *of* 1881.—Conductor William Riley, of the Ordnance Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, from the 20th May 1881.

No. 377 *of* 1881.—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...	Subadar Shaik Darcah	Subadar-Major ..	7th May 1881.

Ootacamund, 23*rd May* 1881.

No. 378 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 17, *dated* 29*th April* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Surgeon-Major G. S. W. Ogg, Indian Medical Department.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Surgeon-Major H. J. Beach, Indian Medical Department . . 3 months, 15 days, m.c.

No. 379 *of* 1881.—Captain B. T. M. Gompertz, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department, in G.O.G.G. No. 531 of 1864, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 276, dated 22nd July 1864.

Ootacamund, 25th May 1881.

No. 380 *of* 1881.—Her Majesty's 2nd Battalion, 7th Fusiliers, is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 17th May 1881, the date of arrival at Bellary of the 1st detachment thereof.

No. 381 *of* 1881.—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.
3rd Regt. L.C. ..	Subadar Mahomed Ghouse	Subadar-Major ..	20th April 1881.
	Jemadar Daood Khan	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 52, Sied Khader Padsha ..	Jemadar	

No. 382 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 26th April 1881, is republished :—

India Office, 26th April 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces :—

* * * *

Deputy Surgeon-General John Wilson, of the Madras Army. Dated 28th March 1881.

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Surgeon-Major James Atkinson West Spence, of the Madras Army, whose retirement from the service was notified in the *London Gazette* of the 15th March 1881, was therein erroneously described as Surgeon.

No. 383 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 14th May 1881, are republished :—

HOME, REVENUE, AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Forests.

Simla, the 13th May 1881.

No. 482*F.*—Captain G. J. vanSomeren, Supernumerary Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade, now on leave, is posted to the Punjab.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The 13th May 1881.

No. 175.—The following officers employed in Mysore are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department :—

Colonel W. R. Johnson, Madras Staff Corps, Superintending Engineer, 1st Class.

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No. 177.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions, with effect from the dates specified :—

Names.	Present Grade.	Grade to which Promoted.	With effect from	Nature of Promotion.
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Lindsay, Lieutenant-Colonel J. G., R.E.	Temporary Superintending Engineer, Class I.	Superintending Engineer, Class I.	April 23, 1881 ..	Permanent.
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No. 384 *of* 1881.—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 May 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 17th idem.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	May ..	Connolly, Patrick, Quartermaster Serjeant, 89th Regiment.
1	Do. ..	Doig, William, Conductor, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Dunk, F. S., Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Frazer, W. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Fletcher, William, Army Schoolmaster, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Freeman, W. C., Serjeant, 77th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Grant, D. G. S. St. J., Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Inshaw, T. P., Armourer Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Johnson, W. R., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lane, Walter, Private, 67th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Macrae, William, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	Do. ..	O'Connor, Patrick, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Unattached List.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding, C Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 6th do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-16th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 2-24th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 67th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ 77th „
1	Do. ..	Do. „ Presidency, for Depôt, 67th Foot.
1	Do. ..	St. Aubyn, George, 1st-Class Barrack Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, T. C., Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	Do. ..	Shepherd, James, Commissariat Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Whitlock, C. J. T., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Walsh, Henry, Private, 67th Foot.
26	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 27th May 1881.

No. 385 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 27th May 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Edward Henry Power.	Staff Corps.	456 5 0	668 12 0	....	England.

No. 386 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon J. Maitland, M.D., M.C., Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department.

Ootacamund, 28th May 1881.

No. 387 *of* 1881.—The furlough in India for one year granted to Captain R. R. E. Brockman, R.E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, in G.O.G. No. 190, dated 9th March 1880, is extended to 31st July 1881.

This cancels the furlough out of India granted to that Officer in the above G.O.G.

Ootacamund, 30th May 1881.

No. 388 *of* 1881.—The following Proclamation, &c., from the *Fort St. George Gazette* Extraordinary, of 30th May 1881, are republished in General Orders:—

PROCLAMATION.

Ootacamund, May 28, 1881.

Whereas in consequence of the lamented decease of the Right Honorable William Patrick Adam, on 24th instant, and in virtue of the provisions of Section LXIII of the Act 3 and 4 of William IV, Chapter 85, the office of Governor of Fort St. George and its Dependencies has devolved upon the Honorable William Hudleston, it is hereby proclaimed that the Honorable William Hudleston has assumed charge of the said office of Governor of Fort St. George and its Dependencies, and taken his seat accordingly.

Ordered that the above Proclamation be read at the head of the troops of the garrison of Fort St. George under a salute of seventeen guns and three volleys of small arms.

Ordered also that the Proclamation be read with the usual ceremonies at the head of the troops at all the principal Military stations.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, May 28, 1881.

The Honorable the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

* * * *

Major A. R. Kenney-Herbert, Cavalry General List, to be Military Secretary.

Captain J. H. N. G. H. *Viscount* Dalrymple, Royal Horse Guards, to be Aide-de-Camp.

Captain J. Gordon, 89th Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp.

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Subadar-Major Oossman Khan, Sirdar Bahadur, the Governor's Body Guard, to be Native Aide-de-Camp.

The above appointments to have effect from 24th May 1881.

No. 389 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Stewart, Agent for Remounts, having returned to duty on the 28th May 1881, the unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted to him in G.O.G. No. 357, dated 12th May 1881, is cancelled.

No. 390 *of* 1881.—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.
8th Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Syed Dawell	Subadar	1st April 1881.
	Do. Mahomed Attavoolah	Do.	20th „ „
	Havildar, No. 340, Shaik Dawood	Jemadar	1st „ „
	Do. No. 224, Coopiah	Do.	20th „ „
	Do. No. 240, Madden Sing	Do.	20th „ „
41st do. do.	Jemadar Jemaul Homed	Subadar	10th „ „

Ootacamund, 31*st May* 1881.

No. 391 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant J. B. de la Poer Beresford, Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, from date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 392 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 259, dated 4th April 1881, Mr. Hormasji Merwanji Hakim is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment, from the 14th April 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 393 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department :—

First-Class Assistant Apothecary D. O'Leary to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, from the 20th May 1881, *vice* Boon, deceased.

No. 394 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Sub-Conductor, on probation, F. W. Earl to be Sub-Conductor, from the 5th May 1881, *vice* Bishop, promoted.

Officiating Conductor H. M. Harris to be Conductor, and Officiating Sub-Conductor E. Fisher, to be Sub-Conductor, on probation, from the 20th May 1881, *vice* Riley, pensioned.

No. 395 *of* 1881.—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 Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Mahomed Vazeer	Subadar	1st April 1881.
	Havildar, No. 2859, Soobanah	Jemadar	

Ootacamund, 1*st June* 1881.

No. 396 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. S. Hooper, Cavalry, Officiating 2nd in Command, 2nd Regiment, Light Cavalry. } Arrived at Bombay on the 24th May 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Street, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Grade, and Secretary to Chief Commissioner, British Burmah. } Arrived at Madras on the 29th May 1881.

No. 397 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd May 1881, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd May 1881.

In consequence of the death of Major-General A. K. Gore, Madras Staff Corps, having taken place on the 12th January 1881, and not on the 7th of that month, as stated in the Gazette of 11th February 1881, the promotions in his succession are postdated, as follows :—

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The promotion of Major-General William Vine, Madras Cavalry, to Lieutenant-General, is dated 13th January 1881, instead of the 8th idem, as announced in the Gazette of 11th February 1881.

No. 398 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1881, is republished :—

No. 274.—Military Accounts Department—

The undermentioned Officers to be Assistant Military Accountants, on probation, with effect from the dates specified :—

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Lieutenant J. G. Downing, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 11th Regiment of Madras Native Infantry,—6th May 1881.

No. 399 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 733 of 1878 :—

No. 275.—Ordnance Department—

With reference to G.G.O. No. 851 of 1878, Major-General N. G. Campbell, Royal Artillery, Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance, Madras, is confirmed in the appointment of Inspector-General of Ordnance, Bengal, with effect from the 18th September 1878.

No. 400 *of* 1881.—**Pensions—Indian Medical Service.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1881, is republished :—

Medical Department.

No. 279.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Military,
No. 112.

India Office,
London, 14th April 1881.

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

My Lord Marquis,

Para. 1. I have given very careful consideration to the proposals for a revised scale of pensions for the Indian Medical Service contained in your Financial letter of the 12th October 1880, No. 335, and, on a full review of all the circumstances, I have determined to sanction, with some slight exceptions, the proposals you have made.

2. I am unable, however, to allow longer periods of leave of absence to count as service for pension than those at present admitted; and I do not consider it would be expedient to give higher rates of pensions to Medical Officers of 20 and 26 years' service who retire on account of wounds or ill health contracted in the service, than are granted to Officers who, after a similar period of service, retire in ordinary course.

3. It has not been usual in any branch of the service to give higher pensions to Officers entitled to pension merely because they retired on account of wounds or ill health, and I see objections to altering the system in the manner proposed. Officers who break down in the service before they are entitled to pension receive the half pay of their relative rank, and Officers so severely wounded as to entail the loss of a limb receive the wound pension of their relative rank in addition to pay or pension, and this appears to me to be sufficient.

4. I also consider that the third scale of pension may properly be given after 25 years' service instead of after 26 years.

5. In accordance with these views, therefore, the following will be the scale of pensions for the Indian Medical Service, with effect from the 1st January 1881 :—

After 17 years' service, including $1\frac{3}{5}$ years' leave and furlough, 292*l.*
After 20 years' service, including two years' leave and furlough, 365*l.*
After 25 years' service, including three years' leave and furlough, 500*l.*
After 30 years' service, including four years' leave and furlough, 700*l.*

6. Those Officers who served five years as Surgeon-General or Deputy Surgeon-General will receive on retirement extra pensions of 350*l.* and 250*l.* a year respectively, six months' leave on medical certificate, or four months on private affairs, being allowed to count as part of this service of five years. A good service pension granted to a Medical Officer will lapse on his obtaining the additional pension allowed to a Deputy Surgeon-General or Surgeon-General.

7. Medical Officers not entitled to pension, but who, at the expiration of two years' leave of absence on medical certificate, are unfit to return to duty, will be placed on temporary or permanent half pay, after examination by the Medical Board at the India Office. The half pay granted in such a case will be the British rate of half pay of the relative rank held by the officer. The period passed on half pay will in no case be reckoned as service in calculating claims for promotion or to pension on retirement.

8. With the liberal rates of pension now introduced, I do not consider that it will be necessary to give any higher rate than that to which they may be entitled, to medical officers below the rank of Deputy Surgeon-General who may be retired on attaining the age of 55 years, under the provisions of Article 8 of the Royal Warrant of the 16th November 1880. An officer now in the service, who is so retired, may, if he pleases, elect to receive pension under the previous Regulations.

9. You will have the goodness to publish this despatch in the General Orders of your Government.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) KIMBERLEY.

No. 401 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st May 1881, are republished:—

HOME, REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 19th May 1881.

No. 192.—The following temporary promotions are made in the British Burma Commission, with effect from the 3rd March 1881, the date on which Colonel H. A. Browne, who has been granted furlough to Europe on private affairs, made over charge of the office of Commissioner of Pegu to Mr. G. J. S. Hodgkinson, C.S., Deputy Commissioner, 1st Grade, and until further orders:—

Major G. A. Strover, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 1st Grade.

Colonel W. Munro, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade.

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No. 193.—The following temporary promotions are made in the British Burma Commission, with effect from the 18th March 1881, the date on which Mr. W. deCourcy Ireland, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Grade, received charge of the office of Inspector-General of Police, British Burma:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. Pemberton, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 1st Grade.

Major W. G. Hughes, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade.

Major C. H. A. Gower, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade.

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No. 194.—The following temporary promotions are made in the British Burma Commission, with effect from the 26th March 1881, the date on which Captain C. A. Cresswell, received charge of the Sandoway District:—

Captain C. A. Cresswell, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd (Officiating 1st) Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade.

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No. 195.—The following temporary promotions are made in the British Burma Commission, with effect from the 21st March 1881, the date on which Mr. A. Hough, Deputy Commissioner, 4th (Officiating 3rd) Grade, received charge of the office of Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the Revenue Settlement Department:—

Major M. Furlong, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade.

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No. 402 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 25th May 1881, is republished:—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd May 1881.

No. 97.—*Promotions.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following promotions with effect from the 13th May 1881, to fill existing vacancies:—

PERMANENT.

From Executive Engineer, Second to First Grade.

Major G. F. E. S. Neill, Madras Staff Corps.

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No. 403 *of* 1881.—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 27th May 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi, by the Mails of the 23rd and 29th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	May ..	Bishop, George, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding L Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. O do. 1st do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. I do. 3rd do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. L do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. M do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. N do. 6th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 3 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 7 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 12 do. 8th do. do.
1	Do. ..	Paymaster, 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. 2-16th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. 1-21st do.
1	Do. ..	Do. 43rd do. (Right Wing).
1	Do. ..	Do. 43rd do. (Left Wing).
1	Do. ..	Do. 44th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. 67th do.
1	Do. ..	Do. Presidency, for Royal Artillery, H. S. Force.
1	Do. ..	Ross, Peter, Serjeant, Royal Engineers, Public Works Department.
1	Do. ..	Smithwhite, John, Junior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Theobald, Henry, Serjeant-Major, Rangoon Volunteer Rifles.
22	Returns.	
	1881.	
1	May ..	Court, H. S., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	April ..	Lecky, George, Major, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry.
1	May ..	Munro, C. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Officer Commanding N Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 4 Battery, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
2	Do. ..	Paymaster, 12th Royal Lancers.
1	Do. ..	Do. 2-13th Foot.
1	Do. ..	Do. 2-24th do.
1	Do. ..	Roberts, Francis, Armourer Serjeant, Ordnance Department.
10	Returns.	

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 2nd June 1881.

No. 404 *of* 1881.—Major-General R. Cadell, C.B., Royal (late Madras) Artillery, succeeds to Colonel's allowance from the 17th March 1881, by the death of Lieutenant-General J. Maitland, Royal (late Madras) Artillery.

No. 405 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 597, dated 3rd September 1880, Lieutenant-Colonel H. McLeod, Royal Artillery, 1st-Class Commissary of Ordnance, is confirmed in the appointment of Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance, with effect from the 10th September 1880.

No. 406 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 631, dated 20th September 1880, Lieutenant-Colonel I. Ketchen, Royal Artillery, is confirmed in the appointment of 1st-Class Commissary of Ordnance, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel McLeod, with effect from the 2nd November 1880, but will continue to officiate as Superintendent of the Gun Powder Factory, under G.O.G. No. 65, dated 25th January 1881.

Ootacamund, 3rd June 1881.

No. 407 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant E. T. C. N. Marten, Staff Corps, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry, is granted furlough (M.C.) out of India for two years, from date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 408 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 259, dated 4th April 1881, the undermentioned gentlemen are admitted as Surgeons on the Madras Establishment from the date specified against their names, being the date of their arrival at Bombay:—

Mr. John Adolphus Burton .. .. } 14th April 1881.
Mr. Manekshaw Jamshedji Kelawala .. }

No. 409 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Commissariat Department, with effect from the 16th May 1881:—

Sub-Conductor R. A. Norris to be Conductor, and Acting Sub-Conductor P. Twohig to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Doig, pensioned.

Serjeant Reuben Mucklow to be Acting Sub-Conductor, *vice* Hann, on furlough.

Ootacamund, 4th June 1881.

No. 410 *of* 1881.—The services of Major W. F. Gatacre, Her Majesty's 77th Regiment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay Army.

No. 411 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 2544, Gunner John Thompson, K Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery, (late 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery). } Bangalore.

Ootacamund, 6th June 1881.

No. 412 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major H. S. Elton, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 16th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Bombay on the 31st May 1881.

Ootacamund, 7th June 1881.

No. 413 *of* 1881.—Major F. W. Buller, Cavalry, District Superintendent of Police, North-Western Provinces, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year and one hundred and eighty-two days, under the Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 414 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Thomas Price having completed twenty years' service to be Major, from the 7th June 1881.

No. 415 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 6th and 10th May 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 6th May 1881.

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:—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Charles Morris Moberly. Dated 4th March 1881.
Major William Moore Dickinson. Dated 15th March 1881.
Major Thomas Key Guthrie. Dated 17th March 1881.
Major Charles McInroy. Dated 17th March 1881.
Major Albert O'Halloran Clay. Dated 20th March 1881.
Major Joseph Gabbett. Dated 30th March 1881.

MADRAS ARMY.

INFANTRY.

To be Majors.

Captain Robert Mildmay Clerk. Dated 4th March 1881.
Captain Marc Henry Wratislaw. Dated 4th March 1881.

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India Office, 10th May 1881.

The following appointment to the Staff of the Army in Madras has been made by the Government of Madras:—

Lieutenant-Colonel George Briggs, Madras Staff Corps, to be Deputy Judge-Advocate, *vice* Colonel C. H. Wilson, appointed Judge Advocate-General. Dated 16th January 1881.

No. 416 *of* 1881.—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 June 1881.

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, *viâ* Bombay and Brindisi by the Mail of the 5th instant.

No. of Returns.	Month in which the Amount was paid and adjusted in the Accounts.	Names of Remitters.
	1881.	
1	June ..	Anderson, E. B., Captain, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Bourke, U. I., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Bailey, W. S., Lieutenant-Colonel, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Baker, Thomas, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	Barnett, H. C. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Borrowdaile, William, Serjeant-Major, Body Guard.
1	Do. ..	Carrol, James, Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	Do. ..	Chamier, S. H. E., Brevet-Colonel, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Clark-Kennedy, Alexander, Captain, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Currie, J. W., Lieutenant, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Claridge, H. C. Z., Brevet-Colonel, 37th Grenadiers.
1	Do. ..	Clerk, Godfrey, Brigadier-General, Adjutant-General.
1	Do. ..	Cox, H. W. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Dinwiddie, David, Captain, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Deane, C. H., Senior Chaplain, Ecclesiastical Department.
1	Do. ..	Durand, C. J., Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	deBerry, G. F., Brigadier-General, Commanding Nagpore Force.
1	Do. ..	Duley, William, Serjeant, Commissariat Department.
1	Do. ..	Eyre, E. H., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Faunce, B. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Gabbett, Joseph, Lieutenant-Colonel, 25th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Grant, D. G. S. St. J., Colonel, 39th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Gunning, J. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hodgson, G. R., Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hudleston, John, Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Hamilton, A. F., Major, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Home, A. D., Surgeon-General, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Holder, John, Garrison Serjeant-Major, Unattached List.
1	Do. ..	Johnson, W. R., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Lane, W. L., Surgeon, British Medical Service.
1	Do. ..	Major, F. W., Major, Bombay Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Magan, T. S., Major, 37th Grenadiers.
1	Do. ..	Macdougall, John, Major, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Morant, C. M. A., Captain, 4th Light Cavalry.
1	Do. ..	Macrae, William, Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Department.
1	May ..	Officer Commanding B Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. K do. 6th do. Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
1	Do. ..	Do. No. 16 do. 9th do. do.
1	February ..	Paymaster, H. M.'s 2-24th Foot.
1	May ..	Do. „ 77th „
1	June ..	Preston, B. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Prendergast, H. N. D., Brigadier-General, Commanding Malabar and Canara.
1	Do. ..	Reader, W. C., Serjeant, Royal Engineers.
1	Do. ..	Sherwood, T. C., Sub-Inspector, Army Schools.
1	Do. ..	Spence, James, Conductor, Ordnance Department.
1	Do. ..	St. John, F. C., Major, 30th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Stevenson, K. F., Major, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Stuart, H. T., Colonel, 40th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Swanston, Nowell, Lieutenant-Colonel, 7th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Swanston, W. O., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Taylor, J. B., Major, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Thomas, E. H., Major, 38th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Tucker, Henry, Staff Serjeant, Barrack Department.
1	Do. ..	Vanderzee, F. H., Major, 24th Regiment Native Infantry.
1	Do. ..	Weldon, Thomas, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras Staff Corps.
1	Do. ..	Wood, P. R. J., Major, European Veterans.
1	Do. ..	Young, H. H., Lieutenant, 27th Regiment Native Infantry.
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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

First.—That information has been received by me of the Death of the Soldier 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 a 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.
			SOLDIER.				Rs. A. P.		1881.	
1	Thomas Williams	Military.	European Infantry Veteran Company.	Private.	Vizagapatam.	7th March 1881.	27 1 4	Will left.	Deposited 27th May	1

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Department.

Ootacamund, 3rd June 1881.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 8th June 1881.

No. 417 *of* 1881.—Colonel R. A. Moore, Staff Corps, Acting Commissary-General, is granted privilege leave of absence for sixty days, from the 10th June 1881 or date of departure—Colonel G. A. Walker, Staff Corps, Acting Deputy Commissary-General, performing the duties of the appointment on Colonel Moore's responsibility.

No. 418 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

List No. 19, *dated* 13*th May* 1881.

Colonel S. Hodgson, Cavalry .. .. 6 months, m.c.

No. 419 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Coningham, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Police, Tinnevelly District, is granted furlough (p.a) out of India for six months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with subsidiary leave for ten days, embarking from Tuticorin.

No. 420 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major S. J. Wyndowe, M.D., Indian Medical Department, is permitted to retire from the service from the 15th June 1881, or date of relief, on a pension of £500 per annum, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 421 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant A. B. Shute, No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 422 *of* 1881.—Passed Hospital Apprentice James William Delaney, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is permitted to resign the service from the 1st July 1881.

Ootacamund, 9th June 1881.

No. 423 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have sanctioned the following appointment in the Hyderabad Contingent :—

3rd Cavalry.

Major H. S. Stewart, Squadron Officer, to officiate as Squadron Commander and 2nd in Command, during the absence on furlough of Major C. J. O. FitzGerald, or until further orders.

No. 424 *of* 1881.—Surgeon E. Levinge, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge, 11th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 425 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant E. E. MacMahon, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 34th Regiment Light Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, from date of embarkation, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Cannanore, Bombay, or Madras.

Ootacamund, 10*th June* 1881.

No. 426 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 2353, Gunner Samuel James, I Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery (2nd Battalion, Madras Artillery). } Madras.

Ootacamund, 11*th June* 1881.

No. 427 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

List No. 20, *dated* 20*th May* 1881.

Major A. F. Wilkinson, Infantry .. .. 5 months, m.c.
Surgeon C. Mallins, Indian Medical Department .. .. 3 months, m.c.

No. 428 *of* 1881.—Captain F. T. Powis, Wing Officer, 17th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted an extension of leave from the 2nd to the 24th April 1881, to enable him to rejoin.

Ootacamund, 13*th June* 1881.

No. 429 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 13th June 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881—subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
2	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Robert Vernor Handyside.	Staff Corps.	456 5 0	468 6 0	....	England.

No. 430 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

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

Majors
- Charles Lewis Raikes .. .. From 8th June 1881.
- George Baillie Farrington .. .. From 9th „ „
- William Charles Plant .. .. From 9th „ „
- Peter Arding VanHomrigh .. .. From 12th „ „

Ootacamund, 14*th June* 1881.

No. 431 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned officer is promoted to the rank of Major by Brevet, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain James Turner Cummins, from the 8th June 1881.

No. 432 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department :—

Sub-Conductor, on probation, E. Fisher to be Sub-Conductor, from the 20th May 1881, *vice* Harris, promoted.

No. 433 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 17th May 1881, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 17*th May* 1881.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

Henry Philip Hawkes, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 3rd March 1881.

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No. 434 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 4th June 1881, are republished :—

HOME, REVENUE, AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Police.

Simla, the 28th May 1881.

No. 145.—Major H. A. Hammond, District Superintendent of Police, 4th (Officiating 2nd) Class, in the Central Provinces, to officiate as District Superintendent of Police, 1st Class, during the absence on furlough of Mr. J. J. Higgins, or until further orders.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Judicial.

The 2nd June 1881.

No. 125*I.-J.*—Under the provisions of Section 3 of Act II of 1869, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Captain D. Robertson, 1st Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent in Central India, to be a Justice of the Peace for the whole of British India.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 15*th June* 1881.

No. 435 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have decided that the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers shall, from the 25th March 1881, form part of the Volunteer Force of Southern India, and be under the orders of the Madras Government.

The Officer Commanding the Corps will make his reports and returns accordingly.

No. 436 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant L. J. Torrie, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department in G.O.G.G. No. 531 of 1864, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 276, dated 22nd July 1864.

No. 437 *of* 1881.—Second Lieutenant William Le Poer Mansfield, of the Madras Volunteer Guards, to be Lieutenant.

No. 438 *of* 1881.—Passed Hospital Apprentice Charles Henry Eyles, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is permitted to resign the service at his own request.

Ootacamund, 16*th June* 1881.

No. 439 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant Donald Mackenzie, Probationer Madras Staff Corps, is granted furlough (u.p.a.) out of India for six months, from the date of embarkation, under Rule 8 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave.

Ootacamund, 18*th June* 1881.

No. 440 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

List No. 21, *dated* 27*th May* 1881.

Surgeon-Major W. J. Busteed .. .. 6 months, m.c.

No. 441 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major G. J. vanSomeren, Infantry General List, Conservator of Forests, Punjab. } Arrived at Bombay on the 13th June 1881.

Ootacamund, 20*th June* 1881.

No. 442 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Horace Francis de Lousada having completed twenty-six years' service to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 20th June 1881.

No. 443 *of* 1881.—With reference to the Public Department Notification, dated 16th June 1881, the services of Surgeon-Major G. S. W. Ogg, M.B., M.A., Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

No. 444 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 259, dated 4th April 1881, the undermentioned gentlemen are admitted as Surgeons on the Madras Establishment from the date specified against their names, being the date of their arrival at Bombay:—

Mr. Kavasji Cursetji Sanjana .. .. } 14th April 1881.
Mr. Mervanji Pestonji Kharegat .. .. }

No. 445 *of* 1881.—Senior Apothecary Robert Frederick Stephenson, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," on the invalid pension of Rupees 150 per mensem, from the 1st July 1881.

No. 446 *of* 1881.—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.
21st Regiment N.I..	Havildar, No. 179, Syed Abdool Khader ..	Jemadar	1st May 1881.
29th do. do.	Jemadar Venkanah	Subadar	7th " "
	Havildar, No. 84, Moideen Khan	Jemadar	

Ootacamund, 21*st June* 1881.

No. 447 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 20th May 1881, is republished:—

India Office, 20*th May* 1881.

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.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Frederick George Preston, from the 98th Foot. Dated 8th September 1879, but to rank from 28th February 1874.

No. 448 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th June 1881, is republished:—

No. 306.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant H. M. Prior, a probationer for the Military Accounts Department, is confirmed in his appointment as Assistant Military Accountant, with effect from the 12th May 1880.

No. 449 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th June 1881, is republished:—

No. 308.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

No. 3 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant A. B. Shute, R.A., to officiate as Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant A. H. P. Turner, R.A., appointed to officiate as Commandant, No. 4 Field Battery, or until further orders.

No. 450 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 11th June 1881, are republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

General.

Simla, the 9th June 1881.

No. 1107*G.-G.*—The following appointments are made, consequent on the retirement of Surgeon-Major S. J. Wyndowe, M.D., Residency Surgeon, Hyderabad, with effect from the date of assumption by the officers concerned of their respective charges:—

Surgeon-Major T. Beaumont, M.D., Residency Surgeon, Indore, to be Residency Surgeon, Hyderabad.

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The 10*th June* 1881.

No. 1121*G.-G.*—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Thomson (late) Mysore Commission, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 29th March 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 22nd June 1881.

No. 451 *of* 1881.—Major W. Freeth, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent, Revenue Survey, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with ten days' subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras.

No. 452 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Officer Commanding the Ceded Districts is confirmed:—

Dated 30th May 1881.—Appointing Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. D. Logan, Staff Corps, 37th Grenadiers, to act as Executive Commissariat Officer, Bellary, without prejudice to his regimental duties, during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Wright on inspection duty.

Ootacamund, 23rd June 1881.

No. 453 *of* 1881.—With reference to Political Department Notification, dated 23rd June 1881, the services of Major W. Miller, General List, Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

No. 454 *of* 1881.—The services of Major F. L. Haleman, Half Pay List, Staff Corps, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Vizagapatam and Vizianagrum, are placed at the disposal of the Political Department.

No. 455 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. McGoun, Staff Corps, is appointed to the charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Vizagapatam and Vizianagrum.

Ootacamund, 24th June 1881.

No. 456 *of* 1881.—The services of Captain G. H. Dean, 12th Royal Lancers, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Right Honorable the Governor of Bombay.

No. 457 *of* 1881.—Serjeants Oswald John Smiles and George Watson Mills, of the Commissariat Department, are promoted to the rank of Sub-Conductor, in recognition of the services rendered by them during the second phase of the Afghan War.

These promotions are to be regarded as supernumerary, until the Warrant Officers are absorbed by the vacancies which would have promoted them in ordinary course.

Ootacamund, 25th June 1881.

No. 458 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 2668, Gunner Robert Hunter, L Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery, (late 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery). } Kamptee.

Ootacamund, 28th June 1881.

No. 459 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) D. G. S. St. J. Grant, Staff Corps, Commandant, 39th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 460 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major William Chisholm having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel from the 25th June 1881.

No. 461 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Subordinate Medical Department :—

1st-Class Assistant Apothecary William Johnson to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, and Passed Hospital Apprentice George Robert Allen to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary, from the 1st July 1881, *vice* Stephenson, pensioned.

No. 462 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the Supplement to the *London Gazette*, dated 24th May 1881, is republished :—

War Office, 24*th May* 1881.

The Queen has been graciously pleased on the occasion of the celebration of Her Majesty's Birth-day, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to the Most Honorable Order of the Bath :—

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To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knight Commanders of the said Most Honorable Order, viz. :—

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General Lord Mark Kerr, 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. :—

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Major-General George Godfrey Pearse.

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Colonel Robert Crosse Stewart, Half Pay, late 2nd Foot.

No. 463 *of* 1881.—**Recognition of Services of Officers—Afghan War.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th June 1881, is republished :—

SPECIAL.

No. 315.—The Most Honorable the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following despatch from the Secretary of State for India, and Minute by His Excellency :—

MILITARY,
No. 136.

INDIA OFFICE,
London, 5th May 1881.

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

PARA. 1. I have received and considered in Council your Military letter, No. 29 of 1881, forwarding, for the consideration of Her Majesty's Government, a Minute recorded by Your Lordship upon the service of various officers employed directly under the Civil Governments, and who have in their several departments rendered valuable aid towards the effectual prosecution of the military operations during the late war.

2. I desire to assure Your Lordship that the services thus brought to the notice of Her Majesty's Government are highly appreciated, and the commendation bestowed on the several officers who rendered them is fully concurred in.

3. Your Lordship has recounted those services so fully, that it is unnecessary for me to refer to them here individually. I have had, however, great satisfaction in bringing them under the most gracious consideration of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress, and I request that Your Lordship will convey to those named the cordial thanks of Her Majesty's Government for the excellent services they have rendered to the Crown.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) HARTINGTON.

Minute by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General.

The Governor-General in Council has lately submitted to Her Majesty's Government a long and honorable list, received from the Commander-in-Chief in India, of those officers under His Excellency's immediate command who have rendered distinguished service during the war of 1878—80 in Afghanistan, now happily brought to a close. It now becomes my pleasing duty to bring also under the notice of the Secretary of State for India the names of those officers, Civil and Military, under the Government of India who have, in their several departments, rendered valuable aid towards the effectual prosecution of the military operations.

The nature of the services rendered from first to last by the Government of Bombay, under the administration of Sir Richard Temple and Sir James Fergusson, is so well known to Her Majesty's Government, that I need do no more here than give expression to the high appreciation in which those services are held by myself and this Government. The indefatigable energy displayed by Sir Richard Temple in his visit to Kandahar and the line of communication in the winter of 1879-80 was productive of very great benefit in establishing the line of communications, and merits the particular recognition of the Governor-General in Council.

To Sir Robert Egerton, who has administered the Government of the Punjab throughout the war, the Government of India is greatly indebted. His mature experience and sound judgment have been at the entire disposal of the Government, and the unfailing and valuable aid rendered by himself and his officers to the military authorities in the field and within our border merits the high approbation of Her Majesty's Government.

It is with much pleasure that I record my strong sense of the important services rendered to the Government and to the Army by the Political officers, who, under circumstances of difficulty, responsibility, and occasional hazard, have generally acquitted themselves with credit and honor.

The Government of India have particular reason to be satisfied with the judgment and ability shown by the officers who have, during the past two years, been employed on Political duty in Afghanistan and in Biluchistan.

Several of these officers have served in Afghanistan since the beginning of military operations in 1878, receiving suitable recognition of their services at the close of the first campaign.

The Chief Political authority at Kabul was held during times of great difficulty, first by Sir Frederick Roberts, and then by Sir Donald Stewart, and the important civil services which they rendered must not be over-shadowed by their brilliant military achievements.

The negotiations with Sirdar Abdur Rahman Khan, commenced by Sir Frederick Roberts, and afterwards under the supreme control of Sir Donald Stewart, carried on with admirable judgment and discretion, were brought to the successful issue which enabled the Government of India to withdraw Her Majesty's troops from Northern Afghanistan.

Sir Robert Sandeman, who has throughout held the Chief Political authority in Biluchistan, has been indefatigable in his exertions to assist the passage of our troops through that country by maintaining communications, procuring supplies, and preserving control over the Pathan border tribes. His remarkable personal influence has been highly successful. Captain Henry Wylie and Captain Curzon Wyllie, Sir Robert Sandeman's assistants, have been very useful.

Lieutenant-Colonel St. John has now held for two years a very responsible and important position at Kandahar; and he has latterly had in his hands the chief management of our political affairs in South Afghanistan. His ability, zeal, and energy have been conspicuous throughout, and deserve recognition.

Mr. Lepel Griffin was specially selected for important political duties at Kabul, and took, with a marked ability and skill, of which I desire to record my high appreciation, a leading part in the direction of political affairs during the six months which preceded the withdrawal of our troops from North Afghanistan. He was assisted by a very capable staff of European and Native officers. Colonel Tweedie, Captain Warburton, Major Protheroe, Captain Burton, Captain Tucker, and Mr. Merk, C.S., merit the commendation of the Government for excellent work upon the line of communication with Kabul. Nawab Sir Gholam Hosein, K.C.S.I., has earned marked distinctions for zealous and valuable services both at Kandahar and at Kabul. Mohamed Afzul Khan of Gundapur, Ressaidar Afzul Khan, and Ibrahim Khan have acted in various capacities with courage and intelligence.

In North Afghanistan, Major E. G. G. Hastings and Mr. H. M. Durand, C.S., who accompanied Sir Frederick Robert's advance upon Kabul in September and October 1879, did excellent service at Kabul with the army during the winter. Major Hastings was afterwards nominated Chief Political Officer with Sir Frederick Roberts when he marched to Kandahar, and was accompanied in that march by Major M. Protheroe, Captain J. Ridgeway, and Major C. B. Euan Smith.

Colonel W. G. Waterfield accompanied Sir Frederick Roberts when he first occupied Kuram, and for some time held political charge in that district. Major A. Conolly, Mr. A. Christie, C.S., and Shahzada Sultan Jan administered Kuram until it was evacuated.

Major-General J. Watson, C.B., V.C., was for a lengthened period the Principal Political Officer in the Kuram Valley, and it was under his direction that the final settlement of that district was satisfactorily concluded.

I now desire to place on record my strong sense of the good work which has been performed throughout the war by the several departments of the Government of India, whose duties connect them with such operations.

In time of war the heaviest burden will necessarily fall on the military branch of the administration: but in such a war as that which has just closed, a weight of responsibility rests also on the Political Department which cannot easily be over-estimated.

In Mr. A. C. Lyall the Government of India is fortunate in possessing a Foreign Secretary whose varied talents, long experience, and unfailing industry are such as to ensure the complete efficiency of the department under his charge. Throughout the difficult and delicate negotiations relating to the settlement of affairs in Northern Afghanistan which have been carried on since I assumed the office of Governor-General, I have received from him a constant and ready assistance of which it is impossible to over-estimate the value, and which, while offering him personally my warm thanks, I desire to bring under the special notice of Her Majesty's Government.

During the regretted absence of General Sir Edwin Johnson, the Military Department was, for the earlier part of the war, in the charge successively of Sir Samuel Browne, Sir Neville Chamberlain, and Lieutenant-General R. Strachey. Of the merits of these officers I need hardly speak. During the whole of this time, Colonel H. K. Burne performed the laborious and responsible duties of Secretary in the department.

For their departmental services during the earlier phase of the war the names of—

Captain E. H. H. Collen,
Major A. C. W. Crookshank, and
Captain T. Deane,

Assistant Secretaries in the Military Department, have been already brought to the favorable notice of the Secretary of State.

During the second phase of the war, Sir Edwin Johnson, having resumed his seat in Council with the charge of the Military Department, rendered valuable and zealous assistance to the Government. Colonel Allen Johnson succeeded Colonel Burne as Secretary in October 1879, and it is a great pleasure to me to have this opportunity of bearing cordial testimony to the marked ability and judgment with which the business of the department has been conducted by him.

Both Sir Edwin Johnson and Colonel Johnson speak in high terms of the services of Captain T. Deane, who also received the distinction of favorable mention in Sir Frederick Roberts' despatches for his purely military services at Sherpur, whither he had accompanied Lieutenant-General Sir Michael Kennedy, who also bears testimony to his services on that occasion.

I have much pleasure in recording also the following names of officers considered by the Government of Bombay to have rendered exceptionally good departmental services in connection with the operations in Southern Afghanistan:—

Colonel J. A. M. Macdonald, Secretary in the Military Department.
Surgeon-General J. M. S. Fogo, A.M.D.

As regards the different executive departments, I do not propose in this Minute to dwell in any detail on the special services of the officers concerned: the reports which will be called for from the several departments will fulfil this purpose. My object is only to place on record the names of those whose services, though not actually performed in the field, deserve to be brought to the favorable notice of Her Majesty's Government as having materially tended to the successful issue of the war.

Excellent work was performed throughout the war by the officers of the Ordnance Department serving in British territory, under the able administration of Major-General Napier Campbell, R.A., the Inspector-General of Ordnance, Bengal, who brings forward the name of Major R. F. Lowis as specially deserving of notice for his departmental services.

The Government of Bombay also brings to notice the good services rendered by Lieutenant-General W. S. Hatch, Inspector-General of Ordnance in that Presidency, and—

Major F. W. M. Spring,
Major T. Walker,

of the same department.

The experience gained in the earlier phase of the war led the Earl of Lytton, when hostilities were renewed in September 1879, to form the important business of transport and supply in a separate department. In placing at its head an officer of such proved administrative ability as Lieutenant-General Sir Michael Kennedy, he went far towards assuring success.

My predecessor in the office of Viceroy, in his Minute of the 4th June, has placed on record his high appreciation of the services rendered by Sir Michael Kennedy, and the department of which he was the head, from the recommencement of hostilities in September 1879 down to the month of June last, and it remains therefore only for me, after having received Sir Michael Kennedy's report upon the subject, to supplement what Lord Lytton has said by expressing my own opinion of the very able and successful manner in which the officers of the Transport and Supply Department have performed their duties during the time that I have been Governor-General.

The march of Sir Frederick Robert's division from Kabul to Kandahar, and the withdrawal of Sir Donald Stewart's forces from Kabul to India, were operations requiring the greatest intelligence and energy on the part of every one connected with the business of transport and supply, and the complete and perfect success which has attended those operations is the best proof of the way in which the duties of the department have been discharged: while the large and sudden demands made upon the department, in connection with the despatch of reinforcements from India to Kandahar after the battle of Maiwand, were met with the utmost rapidity and skill.

Having worked personally with Sir Michael Kennedy during these operations, I can speak, from my own knowledge, of the fertility of resource with which he overcame every difficulty, and of the calmness which he preserved under circumstances which were at times of a very trying nature, and I beg to tender him my best thanks.

Sir Michael Kennedy brings to special notice the Assistant-Controller-General of Transport and Supply—

Captain E. H. H. Collen,

to whose great merits he bears strong testimony.

He also mentions the valuable assistance he received from Colonel A. G. F. Hogg, Bombay Army, who acted as his Assistant during the earlier portion of the campaign.

Sir Michael Kennedy also brings forward the names of several officers of the Transport Department as deserving of the approbation of the Government. Some of these have been already included in the list of officers recommended by the Commander-in-Chief for service in the field. Of those whose labors, although valuable and important, did not bring them into the sphere of active operations, the following should be here mentioned :—

Major J. F. F. Cologan.
Veterinary Surgeon B. W. Skoulding.

Sir Michael Kennedy also brings forward—

Lieutenant-Colonel M. Lane, Postmaster-General, Punjab,

as deserving of special notice, and commends highly—

Captain J. B. Hutchinson, Deputy Commissioner.

The regularity with which the armies in Afghanistan have been supplied throughout the war testifies to the generally excellent manner in which the business of the Commissariat Department has been conducted. Many of the officers of the Commissariat Departments have received high commendation for their services in the field, and have been included in the list of officers recommended for military honors. I must record my approbation of the services of the Bengal Commissariat Department generally, under the zealous control of Colonel Willes, the Commissary-General. Colonel Montagu, Assistant Commissary-General, and Captain L. W. Christopher, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, are very favorably mentioned by Sir Michael Kennedy, who also notices the good work of Major Sir B. Bromhead, Captain Wintle, and Captain St. Paul, of the same Department. The Government of Bombay brings to notice the following officers of the Commissariat Department of that Presidency in addition to those commended for service in the field :—

Colonel F. P. Mignon.
" M. W. Willoughby.
Lieutenant-Colonel A. Phelps.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. M. Van Heythuysen.

I record also with pleasure the valuable services rendered by Colonel Willoughby while officiating for Colonel Macdonald as Secretary in the Bombay Military Department.

On the Kandahar line of communications much good work has been performed by the transport officers, many of whom receive fitting notice from the Commander-in-Chief in India.

The operations of the war, both at the base and in the field, have been greatly aided by the officers serving in the Railway and Telegraph Departments.

To the services in the field of the executive officers of this latter Department, the military despatches bear ample testimony, and they have received the full recognition of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. I desire, however, to place prominently on record the high sense entertained by the Government of India of the resource and zeal displayed in the administration of the Telegraph Department by Colonel R. Murray, the Director-General in India.

For services rendered to the several divisions of the army, the following gentlemen deserve special recognition :—

Mr. S. P. Luke, C.I.E.
Mr. R. Boteler.
Mr. H. Kirk.
Mr. G. Towers.

Colonel Murray speaks in very favorable terms of the aid he has derived from the labor and experience of Mr. A. Cappel, the Deputy Director-General, and Mr. S. J. Josephs, his Assistant Superintendent.

During the recent war the military operations have been greatly dependent on the efficient working of the railway system in Upper India. I desire to express, in strong terms, my sense of the obligation which the Government of India is under to the officers to whose exertions and administrative capacity it is mainly due that the objects of the Government and of the military authorities were unhampered by any failure of supply at the base.

The credit of these results is due to—

Major-General J. S. Trevor, R.E., Director-General of Railways,
Colonel J. G. Medley, R.E., Consulting Engineer to Government, Lahore, and
Mr. Guilford Molesworth, C.I.E., Consulting Engineer to Government for State Railways,

and in no less degree to the unwearying zeal and intelligence of—

Mr. D. Ross, Traffic Manager of the Sind, Punjab and Delhi Railway, and of
Mr. G. F. Mathew, Traffic Manager of the Indus Valley Railway.

Valuable services have also been performed by the undermentioned officers of the Public Works Department :—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Ward, R.E.,
Captain J. T. Wright, R.E.,
Mr. T. W. Morse,
Lieutenant H. Appleton, R.E.,
Mr. E. Farrant, employed on military works at the base of the operations, and
Major A. J. Filgate, R.E., Officiating Accountant-General.

Those officers of the Public Works Department who were employed on active duties in the field received due mention in the despatches of the General officers under whom they served ; but I desire to record my own thanks to Major-General A. Fraser, the Secretary in the Public Works Department, for the willing aid he has rendered to the military authorities throughout the operations.

The Indian Marine performed excellent service in arranging for and carrying out the rapid and efficient transport of large numbers of troops of all arms from Bombay to Karachi.

The Bombay Government selects for special notice in connection with these duties—

Lieutenant G. O'B. Carew, Superintendent of Marine,
Lieutenant J. Brebner,
Mr. W. J. Powell, and
The Master-Builder, Khan Bahadur Jamsetjee Dhunjibhoy Wadia.

The Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab brings to deserved notice the following officers, as having rendered valuable service during the war :—

Colonel S. Black, Military Secretary to the Punjab Government.
Colonel A. H. Bamfield, Inspector-General of Police.
Major-General C. Pollard, Secretary, Public Works Department.

(Signed) RIPON.

Fort William, 15th January 1881.

No. 464 *of* 1881.—**Organization—British Army.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th June 1881, is republished :—

ORGANIZATION.

No. 326.—British Army—

The following Horse Guards General Order is published for information :—

Horse Guards General Order No. 41 *of* 1881.

(Specially issued on the 11th April 1881.)

Army Organization.

I. The following changes in the organization, titles and uniform of the regiments of the Infantry of the Line and Militia having been approved, are promulgated for general information. When not otherwise stated, they will come into effect on 1st July 1881.

II. *Organization.*—The Infantry of the Line and Militia will in future be organized in Territorial Regiments, each of four battalions for England, Scotland and Wales, and of five battalions for Ireland ; the 1st and 2nd of these being Line battalions, and the remainder Militia. These regiments will bear a territorial designation corresponding to the localities with which they are connected ; and the words "Regimental District" will in future be used in place of "Sub-District," hitherto employed.

III. In those regimental districts where more than the requisite number of Militia battalions at present exist, the supernumerary battalions will either be converted into Artillery or Engineers, or absorbed, according to circumstances. In those where only one exists, another will be formed as soon as practicable.

IV. The following alterations in the localization of Line battalions will take place:—

The	26th	and	90th	will be localized together at	..	..	Hamilton.
„	39th	„	54th	„ „ „	..	..	Dorchester.
„	42nd	„	73rd	„ „ „	..	..	Perth.
„	43rd	„	52nd	„ „ „	..	..	Oxford.
„	45th	„	95th	„ „ „	..	..	Derby.
„	53rd	„	85th	„ „ „	..	..	Shrewsbury.
„	71st	„	74th	„ „ „	..	..	Hamilton.
„	72nd	„	78th	„ „ „	..	..	Fort George.
„	75th	„	92nd	„ „ „	..	..	Aberdeen.
„	87th	„	89th	„ „ „	..	..	Armagh.
„	88th	„	94th	„ „ „	..	..	Galway.
„	91st	„	93rd	„ „ „	..	..	Stirling.

V. The 79th will be localized at Inverness, round which centre a fresh regimental district will be formed.

VI. Soldiers serving in any of the battalions mentioned in paragraph IV, previous to the 1st July 1881, will not be liable to serve in the other Line Battalion of their new Territorial Regiment without their own consent.

VII. In addition to the regiments formed out of the existing Rifle battalions of the Line, the Territorial Regiments formed out of the—

26th and 90th with their affiliated Militia battalions,
83rd and 86th „ „ „

will become Rifles.

VIII. *Honors and Distinctions.*—All distinctions, mottoes, badges or devices, appearing hitherto in the "Army List," or on the colors, as borne by either of the Line battalions of a Territorial Regiment, will in future be borne by both those battalions. Battalions which have not hitherto borne a special device will adopt a national badge, as follows:—

English regiments	.. ..	A Rose.
Scotch „	.. ..	A Thistle.
Irish „	.. ..	A Shamrock.
Welsh „	.. ..	A Dragon.

IX. *Uniform.*—With the exceptions noted in paragraph XIII, the uniform of all the battalions of a Territorial Regiment will be the same. The title of the regiment will be shown on the shoulder strap.

X. The facings and the Officers' lace of Territorial Regiments will be the same for all regiments belonging to the same country (Royal and Rifle regiments excepted), and will be as follows:—

	Facings.	Pattern of lace.*
English (and Welsh) Regiments	White.	Rose.
Scotch Regiments	Yellow.	Thistle.
Irish „	Green.	Shamrock.

XI. Royal Regiments will retain blue facings, wearing the national lace. The black line will be maintained in the lace of Territorial Regiments, any of whose battalions are now authorized to wear it.

XII. The following regiments, in addition to those already wearing the kilt, will adopt it, *viz.*, the 72nd, 73rd, 75th, and 91st. All other Scotch Regiments will wear trews and the Highland jacket.

XIII. Militia Battalions will wear an "M" on the shoulder strap above the title of the Territorial Regiment. Scotch Militia Battalions belonging to a regiment whose Line Battalions are kilted will, instead of the kilt, wear trews of the same tartan. The Royal Aberdeenshire and the Highland Light Infantry Militia will, however, continue to wear the kilt.

XIV. The accompanying Tables (see Appendix) show the precedence, composition, title and uniform of the new Territorial Regiments.

XV. The changes of uniform for battalions, which become either kilted or rifles, will come into effect both for Officers and men on 1st April 1882, with the exception of the 73rd Regiment, which will adopt its new uniform on 1st July 1881. Officers joining these battalions will, previous to the change, only be required to appear in undress uniform.

XVI. Changes of facings and alterations in badges (for battalions in which these and the Officers' lace only are changed) will come into effect, both for the Line and the Militia, as regards the men, on 1st July 1881. Officers newly appointed to these battalions will at once provide themselves with uniform in accordance with these instructions, and other Officers in them as they may require to replace that now in possession.

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* Patterns of the three kinds of lace are in the War Office pattern-room.

XVII. Paragraphs XV and XVI will not apply to the Militia Battalions of those regimental districts where their number at present exceeds two in England and three in Ireland. In these cases the Militia Battalions will continue to wear their present uniform, pending further instructions.

APPENDIX No. I.

Territorial Regiments.		Composition.	Head-Quarters of Regimental District.	Uniform.		
Precedence.	Titles.			Color.	Facings.	Pattern of Lace.
1	The Lothian Regiment (Royal Scots).	1st Bn. .. 1st Foot 2nd „ .. 1st „ 3rd „ .. Edinburgh Light Infantry Militia. 4th „ .. (Not yet formed).	Glencorse..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Thistle.
2	The Royal West Surrey Regiment (The Queen's).	1st Bn. .. 2nd Foot 2nd „ .. 2nd „ 3rd „ .. 2nd Royal Surrey Militia. 4th „ .. (Not yet formed).	Guildford..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
3	The Kentish Regiment (The Buffs).	1st Bn. .. 3rd Foot 2nd „ .. 3rd „ 3rd „ .. East Kent Militia. 4th „ .. East „ „	Canterbury.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
4	The Royal Lancaster Regiment (King's Own).	1st Bn. .. 4th Foot 2nd „ .. 4th „ 3rd „ .. 1st Royal Lancashire Militia. 4th „ .. 1st Royal Lancashire Militia.	Lancaster..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
*5	The Northumberland Fusiliers.	1st Bn. .. 5th Foot 2nd „ .. 5th „ 3rd „ .. Northumberland Militia. 4th „ .. (Not yet formed).	Newcastle..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
6	The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 6th Foot 2nd „ .. 6th „ 3rd „ .. 1st Warwick Militia. 4th „ .. 2nd „ „	Warwick ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
7	The City of London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers).	1st Bn. .. 7th Foot 2nd „ .. 7th „ 3rd „ .. 3rd Middlesex Militia. 4th „ .. 4th „ „	Hounslow..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
8	The Liverpool Regiment (The King's).	1st Bn. .. 8th Foot 2nd „ .. 8th „ 3rd „ .. 2nd Royal Lancashire. 4th „ .. 2nd „ „	Warrington.	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
9	The Norfolk Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 9th Foot 2nd „ .. 9th „ 3rd „ .. 1st Norfolk Militia. 4th „ .. 2nd „ „	Yarmouth..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
10	The Lincolnshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 10th Foot 2nd „ .. 10th „ 3rd „ .. Royal North Lincoln Militia. 4th „ .. Royal South Lincoln Militia.	Lincoln ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
11	The Devonshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 11th Foot 2nd „ .. 11th „ 3rd „ .. 2nd Devon Militia. 4th „ .. 1st „ „	Exeter ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
12	The Suffolk Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 12th Foot 2nd „ .. 12th „ 3rd „ .. West Suffolk Militia. 4th „ .. Cambridge Militia.	Bury St. Edmunds.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
13	The Somersetshire Regiment (Prince Albert's Light Infantry).	1st Bn. .. 13th Foot 2nd „ .. 13th „ 3rd „ .. 1st Somerset Militia. 4th „ .. 2nd „ „	Taunton ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
14	The West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales' Own).	1st Bn. .. 14th Foot 2nd „ .. 14th „ 3rd „ .. 4th West York Militia. 4th „ .. (Not yet formed).	York ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
15	The East Yorkshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 15th Foot 2nd „ .. 15th „ 3rd „ .. East York Militia. 4th „ .. (Not yet formed).	Beverley ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
16	The Bedfordshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 16th Foot 2nd „ .. 16th „ 3rd „ & 4th „ .. Huntingdon Militia.† Bedford Militia. Hertford Militia.	Bedford ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
17	The Leicestershire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 17th Foot 2nd „ .. 17th „ 3rd „ .. Leicestershire Militia. 4th „ .. (Not yet formed).	Leicester ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.

* Berwick-on-Tweed, temporarily.

† A further order will shortly be issued giving definitely the arrangements to be carried out with regard to these Militia battalions.

Territorial Regiments.		Composition.	Head-Quarters of Regimental District.	Uniform.		
Precedence.	Titles.			Color.	Facings.	Pattern of Lace.
18	The Royal Irish Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 18th Foot	Clonmel ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Shamrock.
		2nd „ .. 18th „				
		3rd „ .. Wexford Militia.				
		4th „ .. North Tipperary Militia.				
		5th „ .. Kilkenny Militia.				
19	The North Yorkshire Regiment (Princess of Wales' Own).	1st Bn. .. 19th Foot	Richmond .	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 19th „				
		3rd „ .. North York Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
20	The Lancashire Fusiliers.	1st Bn. .. 20th Foot	Bury ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 20th „				
		3rd „ .. 7th Royal Lancashire Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
21	The Royal Scots Fusiliers.	1st Bn. .. 21st Foot	Ayr ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Thistle.
		2nd „ .. 21st „				
		3rd „ .. Scottish Borderers Militia.				
		4th „ .. Royal Ayr and Wigtown Militia.				
22	The Cheshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 22nd Foot	Chester ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 22nd „				
		3rd „ .. 1st Royal Cheshire Militia.				
		4th „ .. 2nd Royal Cheshire Militia.				
23	The Royal Welsh Fusiliers.	1st Bn. .. 23rd Foot	Wrexham .	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 23rd „				
		3rd „ & 4th „ — Royal Flint Militia.* Royal Denbigh and Merioneth Militia. Royal Carnarvon Militia.				
24	The South Wales Borderers.	1st Bn. .. 24th Foot	Brecon ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 24th „				
		3rd „ .. Royal South Wales Borderers Militia.				
		4th „ .. Hereford Militia.				
25	The York Regiment (King's Own Borderers).	1st Bn. .. 25th Foot	York ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 25th „				
		3rd „ .. 5th West York Militia.				
		4th „ .. 2nd „ „ „				
26	The Scotch Rifles (Cameronian).	1st Bn. .. 26th Foot	Hamilton ..	Green ..	Dark Green.	..
		2nd „ .. 90th „				
		3rd „ .. 2nd Royal Lanark Militia.				
		4th „ .. 2nd „ „ „				
27	The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.	1st Bn. .. 27th Foot	Omagh† ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Shamrock.
		2nd „ .. 108th „				
		3rd „ & 4th „ — Fermanagh Militia.* Royal Tyrone Militia.				
		& „ — Londonderry Militia.				
		5th „ .. Donegal Militia.				
28	The Gloucestershire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 28th Foot	Bristol ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 61st „				
		3rd „ .. Royal South Gloucester Militia.				
		4th „ .. Royal North Gloucester Militia.				
29	The Worcestershire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 29th Foot	Worcester .	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 36th „				
		3rd „ .. Worcester Militia.				
		4th „ .. Worcester „				
30	The West Lancashire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 30th Foot	Burnley ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 59th „				
		3rd „ .. 5th Royal Lancashire Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
31	The East Surrey Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 31st Foot	Kingston ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 70th „				
		3rd „ .. 1st Royal Surrey Militia.				
		4th „ .. 3rd „ „ „				
32	The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.	1st Bn. .. 32nd Foot	Bodmin ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 46th „				
		3rd „ .. Royal Cornwall Rangers Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
33	The Halifax Regiment (Duke of Wellington's).	1st Bn. .. 33rd Foot	Halifax ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 76th „				
		3rd „ .. 6th West York Militia.				
		4th „ .. 6th „ „ „				
34	The Cumberland Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 34th Foot	Carlisle ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 55th „				
		3rd „ .. Royal Cumberland Militia.				
		4th „ .. Royal Westmoreland Militia.				

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† Enniskillen, temporarily.

Territorial Regiments.		Composition.	Head-Quarters of Regimental District.	Uniform.		
Precedence.	Titles.			Color.	Facings.	Pattern of Lace.
35	The Royal Sussex Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 35th Foot	Chichester .	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 107th „				
		3rd „ .. Royal Sussex Militia.				
		4th „ .. Royal „ „				
36	The Hampshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 37th Foot	Winchester*	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 67th „				
		3rd „ .. Hampshire Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
37	The North Staffordshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 38th Foot	Lichfield ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 80th „				
		3rd „ .. 1st Stafford Militia.				
		4th „ .. 1st „ „				
38†	The Dorsetshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 39th Foot	Dorchester.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 54th „				
		3rd „ .. Dorset Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
39	The South Lancashire Regiment (Prince of Wales' Volunteers).	1st Bn. .. 40th Foot	Warrington.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 82nd „				
		3rd „ .. 4th Royal Lancashire Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
40	The Welsh Regiment ..	1st Bn. .. 41st Foot	Cardiff ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 69th „				
		3rd „ .. Royal Glamorgan Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
41	The Royal Highlanders (Black Watch).	1st Bn. .. 42nd Foot	Perth ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Thistle.
		2nd „ .. 73rd „				
		3rd „ .. Royal Perth Militia.				
		4th „ .. Highland Borderers Militia.				
42	The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.	1st Bn. .. 43rd Foot	Oxford ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 52nd „				
		3rd „ .. Bucks Militia.				
		4th „ .. Oxford Militia.				
43	The Essex Regiment ..	1st Bn. .. 44th Foot	Warley ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 56th „				
		3rd „ .. Essex (Rifles) Militia.				
		4th „ .. West Essex Militia.				
44	The Derbyshire Regiment (Sherwood Foresters).	1st Bn. .. 45th Foot	Derby ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 95th „				
		3rd „ & 4th „ 2nd Derby Militia.‡ Nottingham Militia. 1st Derby Militia.				
45	The North Lancashire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 47th Foot	Prestone ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 81st „				
		3rd „ .. 3rd Royal Lancashire Militia.				
		4th „ .. 3rd Royal Lancashire Militia.				
46	The Northamptonshire Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 48th Foot	Northampton.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 58th „				
		3rd „ .. Northampton and Rutland Militia.				
		4th „ .. Northampton and Rutland Militia.				
47	The Berkshire Regiment (Princess Charlotte of Wales').	1st Bn. .. 49th Foot	Reading ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose
		2nd „ .. 66th „				
		3rd „ .. Royal Berks Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
48	The Royal West Kent Regiment (Queen's Own).	1st Bn. .. 50th Foot	Maidstone.	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 97th „				
		3rd „ .. West Kent Militia.				
		4th „ .. West „ „				
49	The South Yorkshire Regiment (King's Own Light Infantry).	1st Bn. .. 51st Foot	Pontefract.	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 105th „				
		3rd „ .. 1st West York Militia.				
		4th „ .. (Not yet formed).				
50	The Shropshire Regiment (King's Light Infantry).	1st Bn. .. 53rd Foot	Shrewsbury.	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 85th „				
		3rd „ .. Shropshire Militia.				
		4th „ .. Montgomery Militia.				
51	The Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own).	1st Bn. .. 57th Foot	Hounslow..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd „ .. 77th „				
		3rd „ .. Royal Elthorne Militia.				
		4th „ .. Royal East Middlesex Militia.				
52	The King's Royal Rifle Corps. §	1st Bn. .. 60th Foot	Winchester.	Green ..	Scarlet.	..
		2nd „ .. 60th „				
		3rd „ .. 60th „				
		4th „ .. 60th „				

* Fort Elson, temporarily.

† Weymouth, temporarily.

‡ A further order will shortly be issued giving definitely the arrangements to be carried out with regard to these Militia battalions.

§ Four Battalions, all Regulars.

Territorial Regiments.		Composition.	Head Quarters of Regimental District.	Uniform.		
Precedence.	Titles.			Color.	Facings.	Pattern of Lace.
53	The Wiltshire Regiment (Duke of Edinburgh's).	1st Bn. .. 62nd Foot	Devizes ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd ,, .. 99th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. Royal Wiltshire Militia.				
		4th ,, .. (Not yet formed).				
54	The Manchester Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 63rd Foot	Ashton-under-Lyne.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd ,, .. 96th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. 6th Royal Lancashire Militia.				
		4th ,, .. 6th Royal Lancashire Militia.				
55	The South Staffordshire Regiment (Prince of Wales').	1st Bn. .. 64th Foot	Lichfield ..	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd ,, .. 98th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. 2nd Stafford Militia.				
		4th ,, .. 3rd ,, ,,				
56	The York and Lancaster Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 65th Foot	Pontefract.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd ,, .. 84th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. 3rd West York Militia.				
		4th ,, .. (Not yet formed).				
57	The Durham Light Infantry.	1st Bn. .. 68th Foot	Sunderland.	Scarlet ..	White ..	Rose.
		2nd ,, .. 106th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. 1st Durham Militia.				
		4th ,, .. 2nd ,, ,,				
58	The Highland Light Infantry.	1st Bn. .. 71st Foot	Hamilton ..	Scarlet ..	Yellow ..	Thistle.
		2nd ,, .. 74th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. 1st Royal Lanark Militia.				
		4th ,, .. (Not yet formed).				
59	The Seaforth Highlanders.	1st Bn. .. 72nd Foot	Fort George	Scarlet ..	Yellow ..	Thistle.
		2nd ,, .. 78th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. Highland (Rifle) Militia.				
		4th ,, .. (Not yet formed).				
60	The Gordon Highlanders.	1st Bn. .. 75th Foot	Aberdeen ..	Scarlet ..	Yellow ..	Thistle.
		2nd ,, .. 92nd ,,				
		3rd ,, .. Royal Aberdeenshire Militia.				
		4th ,, .. (Not yet formed).				
61	The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders.*	1st Bn. .. 79th Foot	Inverness..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Thistle.
		2nd ,, .. Highland (Light Infantry) Militia.				
62	The Royal Irish Rifles.	1st Bn. .. 83rd Foot	Belfast ..	Green ..	Light Green.	..
		2nd ,, .. 86th ,,				
		3rd ,, .. Royal North Down Militia.				
		4th ,, .. Antrim Militia.				
		5th ,, .. Royal South Down Militia.				
63	The Royal Irish Fusiliers (Princess Victoria's).	1st Bn. .. 87th Foot	Armagh ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Shamrock.
		2nd ,, .. 89th ,,				
		3rd ,, & 4th ,, Armagh Militia.† Cavan Militia.				
		& Louth Militia.				
		5th ,, Monaghan Militia.				
64	The Connaught Rangers.	1st Bn. .. 88th Foot	Galway ..	Scarlet ..	Green ..	Shamrock.
		2nd ,, .. 94th ,,				
		3rd ,, & 4th ,, South Mayo Militia.† Galway Militia. Roscommon Militia.				
		& Leitrim Militia.				
		5th ,, North Mayo Militia.				
65	The Sutherland and Argyle Highlanders (Princess Louise's).	1st Bn. .. 91st Foot	Stirling ..	Scarlet ..	Yellow ..	Thistle.
		2nd ,, .. 93rd ,,				
		3rd ,, .. Renfrew Militia.				
		4th ,, .. (Not yet formed).				
67	The Prince of Wales' Royal Canadian Regiment.	1st Bn. .. 100th Foot	Birr ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Shamrock.
		2nd ,, .. 109th ,,				
		3rd ,, & 4th ,, Royal Longford† Militia. King's County Militia. Queen's County Militia.				
		& West Meath Militia.				
		5th ,, Royal Meath Militia.				
68	The Royal Munster Fusiliers.	1st Bn. .. 101st Foot	Tralee ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Shamrock.
		2nd ,, .. 104th ,,				
		3rd ,, & 4th ,, South Cork Militia.† Clare Militia. Kerry Militia.				
		& North Cork Militia.				
		5th ,, Royal Limerick County Militia.				
69	The Royal Dublin Fusiliers.	1st Bn. .. 102nd Foot	Naas ..	Scarlet ..	Blue ..	Shamrock.
		2nd ,, .. 103rd ,,				
		3rd ,, & 4th ,, Carlow Militia.† Kildare Militia. Royal Dublin City Militia.				
		&				
		5th ,, Dublin County Militia.				

* Only two Battalions, one Line and one Militia.

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Territorial Regiments.		Composition.	Head Quarters of Regimental District.	Uniform.		
Precedence.	Titles.			Color.	Facings.	Pattern of Lace.
66	The Rifle Brigade* (Prince Consort's Own).	1st Bn. .. Rifle Brigade	Winchester.	Green ..	Black.	..
		2nd ,, .. ,,				
		3rd ,, .. ,,				
		4th ,, .. ,,				

* Four battalions, all Regulars.

Note.—The following four Militia battalions, which are not included in the above table, will be attached in peace time to the Brigade of Guards. On mobilization their Reserve men will join as below:—

Men of the 2nd Middlesex Militia .. .. .. } will join the King's
,, Royal London ,, ... } Royal Rifle Corps.
,, King's Own Royal Tower Hamlets Militia } will join the Rifle
,, Queen's ,, ,, ,, } Brigade.

The two last regiments will shortly adopt Rifle uniform.

APPENDIX No. II.

Tartans of Highland Regiments.

Kilted Regiments.		Trews Regiments.	
Title.	Tartan.	Title.	Tartan.
The Royal Highlanders (Black Watch)..	As at present.	The Lothian Regiment (Royal Scots) ..	Black, blue and green.*
The Seaforth Highlanders	Mackenzie.	The Royal Scots Fusiliers	
The Gordon Highlanders	Gordon.	The Scotch Rifles	
The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders.	As at present.	The Highland Light Infantry	As at present worn by 71st.
The Sutherland and Argyle Highlanders (Princess Louise's).	As at present worn by 93rd.		

* According to the pattern in War Office pattern-room.

No. 465 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th June 1881, is republished:—

Promotions.

No. 327.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

Brevet.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Gordon Thomson, Madras S. C.,—14th June 1881.
Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Ross Church, Madras S. C.,—14th June 1881.

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No. 466 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 18th June 1881, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

General.

Simla, the 11th June 1881.

No. 1126*G.-G.*—The following appointments are made, with effect from the date of assuming charge:—

Major G. H. Trevor, Secretary for Berar to the Resident at Hyderabad, is appointed to officiate as 1st Assistant to the Resident at Hyderabad.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 29th June 1881.

No. 467 *of* 1881.—Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon F. G. Shaw, Indian Veterinary Department, is granted six months' leave (m.c.) to the Eastern Coast and Nilgiri Hills, in continuation of privilege leave, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 468 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

List No. 22, *dated* 3*rd June* 1881.

Major R. F. Taylor, Infantry.

No. 469 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major T. Price, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 40th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 26th June 1881.

No. 470 *of* 1881.—The name of Captain Brockman, of the Royal Engineers, will be hereafter entered on the returns of the Army as Ralph Rhenius Evens Drake-Brockman.

Ootacamund, 30th June 1881.

No. 471 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) D. Standen, Staff Corps, Commandant, 28th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India, for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras.

No. 472 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. B. Farrington, Staff Corps, Squadron Commander, 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India, for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 473 *of* 1881.—Major Albert Dawson Phelps, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 41st Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to retire from the service from the 30th June 1881, on a pension of £191-12-0 per annum, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 474 *of* 1881.—Surgeon J. C. Lawrenson, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge 21st Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 475 *of* 1881.—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.
5th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Shaik Abdool Cawder	Subadar	1st February 1881.
	Do. Ramasawmy	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 1810, Shaik Silliman	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 2020, Veerasawmy	Do.	

Ootacamund, 2nd July 1881.

No. 476 *of* 1881.—Major-General A. W. Macintire, C.B., of the Royal Artillery, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 477 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Thomson, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

Ootacamund, 4th July 1881.

No. 478 *of* 1881.—The Medical Fund Annuities of July 1881 are granted as follows:—

To retired Deputy Surgeon-General J. Wilson.	A large annuity ..	From 1st July 1881.
To Deputy Surgeon-General H. R. Oswald, M.D.	Do. ..	From the date of payment of the balance 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 September 1881.
To Surgeon-Major H. J. Beach ..	The extra small annuity.	

No. 479 *of* 1881.—Major W. J. Seaton, Staff Corps, Conservator of Forests, Tenasserim Circle, is permitted to embark from Calcutta or Bombay, instead of from Madras or Rangoon, on the furlough granted to him in G.O.G. No. 262, dated 5th April 1881.

Ootacamund, 5th July 1881.

No. 480 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 7th June 1881, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th June 1881.

The undermentioned Officers to have the honorary rank of Captain:—

* * * *

Honorary Lieutenant Lawrence Collins, Madras Establishment. Dated 24th February 1881.

No. 481 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th June 1881, is republished:—

No. 343.—Lieutenant A. H. P. Turner, Royal Artillery, Subaltern No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India, (p.a.) for the 25th and the 26th May 1881, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868, in extension of privilege leave.

No. 482 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 25th June 1881, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 22nd June 1881.

No. 1198*G.-G.*—Captain J. H. Newill, Political Assistant, 1st Class, substantive *pro tempore* and Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent in Rajputana, is posted to Bussorah as Assistant Political Agent, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Mr. P. J. C. Robertson on furlough.

No. 483 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 24th June 1881, is republished:—

No. 421.—The following appointment is made on the Personal Staff of His Excellency the Governor:—

Captain G. H. Dean, 12th (Prince of Wales' Royal) Lancers, to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 7th July 1881.

No. 484 *of* 1881.—The following movements are ordered :—

Royal Artillery.

	From	To
No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade	Fort St. George	England.
No. 19 do. 9th do.	Do.	Aden.
A Battery	England	Fort St. George.
A do.	Do.	St. Thomas' Mount.

British Infantry.

Wing, 2-7th Fusiliers	Fort St. George	Bellary.
2-16th Regiment	Cannanore	Thayetmyo and Tonghoo.
1-21st do.	Secunderabad	England.
43rd do.	Thayetmyo and Tonghoo.	Secunderabad.
44th do.	Thayetmyo	Aden.
A do.	England	Cannanore.
A do.	Do.	Fort St. George.

Native Cavalry.

2nd Regiment	Kamptee	Bellary.
4th do.	Bellary	Kamptee.

Sappers and Miners.

B Company	Bangalore	Secunderabad.
F do.	Rangoon	Bangalore.
G do.	Bangalore	Secunderabad.
H do.	Secunderabad	Rangoon.

Native Infantry.

6th Regiment	Trichinopoly	Cannanore.
10th do.	Madras	Mercara and French Rocks.
19th do.	Palláveram	Cannanore.
22nd do.	Rangoon	Madras.
28th do.	Secunderabad	Thayetmyo.
31st do.	Thayetmyo	Secunderabad.
34th do.	Cannanore	Trichinopoly.
40th do.	Mercara and French Rocks.	Rangoon.

No. 485 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

List No. 23, *dated 10th June* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major H. T. Harris, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major J. A. Richmond, Staff Corps	4 months, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. Howes, Royal Engineers	4 months, m.c.
Lieutenant H. H. H. Aspinall, Staff Corps	4 months, m.c.
Major R. Wilson, Infantry	6 months, m.c.

No. 486 *of* 1881.—Second Lieutenant J. W. Knight, of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteer Corps, is permitted to resign his commission.

Ootacamund, 8th July 1881.

No. 487 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

GENERAL LIST, CAVALRY.

Captain William Bannatyne Warner, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 1st July 1881.

Ootacamund, 9th July 1881.

No. 488 *of* 1881.—The following extract from a Military despatch from the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is published:—

Despatch No. 36, *dated 9th June* 1881.

"I have to inform your Government that Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major-General Sir F. S. Roberts, V.C., G.C.B., R.A., being placed on the Staff of the Army in India, with the local rank of Lieutenant-General, with a view to his commanding the troops in the Madras Presidency."

No. 489 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

List No. 24, *dated* 17*th June* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. W. Laughton, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Burton, Royal Engineers.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Thompson, Cavalry	6 months, M.C.
Surgeon-Major J. J. L. Ratton, M.D. and M.C.	3 months, M.C.

No. 490 *of* 1881.—Major D. Cowie, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, is granted an extension of his furlough for two days, to enable him to rejoin.

No. 491 *of* 1881.—The furlough (p.a.) granted to Surgeon-Major P. R. Martin, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge of the 14th Regiment Native Infantry, in G.O.G. No. 193, dated 14th March 1881, is cancelled, at his own request.

No. 492 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

First-Class Apothecary Samuel Hall to be Senior Apothecary, from the 1st July 1881, *vice* Stephenson, retired.

Ootacamund, 11th July 1881.

No. 493 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major D. Cowie, Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey. } Arrived at Bombay on the 27th June 1881.

No. 494 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have sanctioned the following appointment in the Hyderabad Contingent:—

1*st Cavalry.*

Surgeon-Major H. Crocker, M.D., 4th Regiment of Infantry, to be Officiating Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon-Major G. D. Riddell, proceeded on furlough, or until further orders.

No. 495 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor J. Beauchamp, Commissariat Department, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year and ninety days, from date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Ootacamund, 12*th July* 1881.

No. 496 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Henry Frederick Vardon Gaitskell, having completed twelve years' service, four of which have been in the Staff Corps, to be Captain, from the 7th July 1881.

No. 497 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 10th and 14th June 1881, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 10*th June* 1881.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Joseph McMahon, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Colonel. Dated 27th April 1881.

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India Office, 10*th June* 1881.

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The appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel G. Briggs, Madras Staff Corps, to be Deputy Judge Advocate in Madras, dates from 16th January 1880, and not 1881, as stated in the *London Gazette* of the 10th May 1881.

Whitehall, 11*th June* 1881.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Major-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, G.C.B., C.I.E., V.C., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

India Office, 14*th June* 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Richard Collyer Andrée Marshall, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 21st March 1881.

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BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-General.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Richard Collyer Andrée Marshall, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 21st March 1881.

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No. 498 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th June 1881, is republished:—

SPECIAL.

No. 352.—The Most Honorable the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following despatch from the Secretary of State for India, and Minute by His Excellency:—

MILITARY,
No. 152.

INDIA OFFICE;
London, 19*th May* 1881.

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

MY LORD MARQUIS,

PARA. 1.—I desire to acknowledge Your Lordship's despatch No. 28 of 19th February 1881, forwarding, for the consideration of Her Majesty's Government, a Minute recorded by yourself upon the services of Lieutenant-General Sir D. M. Stewart and Major-General Sir F. S. Roberts during the war in Afghanistan.

2. Her Majesty's Government have had the satisfaction of testifying from time to time to the high estimation in which they hold the valuable services rendered during the past two years by these very distinguished Officers; and Her Majesty the Queen-Empress has been graciously pleased, in recognition of those services, to confer on Lieutenant-Generals Stewart and Roberts the Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath and the honor of a Baronetcy.

3. It was my pleasing duty to lay before Her Majesty Your Lordship's Minute, with an expression of my full concurrence in its views.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) HARTINGTON.

MINUTE BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

The Commander-in-Chief has submitted to the Government of India the report of Lieutenant-General Sir D. M. Stewart on the withdrawal of the army under his command from Kabul in August last.

Action on this report has been unavoidably postponed. The acknowledgments of the Government of India should now be conveyed, through His Excellency, to Sir Donald Stewart and the General and other Officers serving under him for the admirable way in which this important and difficult operation was performed; but the opportunity may also be taken to signify the high estimation in which the very important services rendered by Sir Donald Stewart throughout the war are held by the Governor-General in Council.

A list of the officers recommended for the honors of the Bath and for Brevet promotion, on account of their services during the second campaign in Afghanistan, has lately been submitted to Her Majesty's Government. In the despatch forwarding that list, no reference was made to the two distinguished officers to whom the successful issue of that campaign was in the largest degree due, in consequence of their having already been appointed by Her Majesty the Queen-Empress to the Grand Cross of the Bath in recognition of their eminent services. But I desire, nevertheless, to place formally on record my opinion of the great services rendered to their country by the two officers in question, Lieutenant-General Sir D. M. Stewart and Major-General Sir F. S. Roberts.

Commanding at Kandahar on the outbreak of the second campaign, where his firm but equable administration had secured in a remarkable degree the confidence of the district, Lieutenant-General Stewart was ordered to advance from Kandahar to Kabul with a portion of his force as soon as the season was sufficiently advanced for such an operation. This movement was carried out in April of last year, the march being signalized by the brilliant action of Ahmed Khel, where, owing to the excellent leading of the General and the gallant behaviour of his troops, the enemy was routed with great slaughter at a comparatively small loss to the British. With the victory of Ahmed Khel all serious opposition ceased in Northern Afghanistan, and thenceforward Sir Donald Stewart commanded the united forces in that part of the country. I have in another place endeavoured to do justice to the sagacity, temper, and discretion with which the political functions devolving on the chief commander were fulfilled. The perfect discipline and efficiency which distinguished the army of Northern Afghanistan—one of the largest armies, if not the largest army, ever assembled under a British General in the East—is evidence of the high capacity of its leader for command. The final withdrawal of that army from Kabul and the Upper Khyber was an operation conducted with equal skill and judgment, and deserves all the praise accorded to it by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

I desire also to remark that, while maintaining his transport establishment in a thoroughly efficient state, of which the equipment and immediate despatch of the force detached under Lieutenant-General Roberts to the relief of Kandahar are sufficient evidence, Lieutenant-General Stewart's administration of the armies in Afghanistan, first at Kandahar, and afterwards at Kabul, was distinguished throughout by a strict attention to economy, which cannot be too highly commended.

The force which marched from Kandahar to Kabul under Sir Donald Stewart presented the spectacle, never before I believe seen in the East, of an army in which the fighting men exceeded the camp-followers in number,—a result brought about by the strict discipline maintained by the General, his unwearied attention to administrative details, and the example of self-denial and simplicity set to all ranks by their commander.

That a war which from the nature of the case was necessarily very costly, was not very much more so, must be attributed, I think, in a great measure, to the vigilance and forethought of the General; and on this account also, as well as for the other eminent qualities displayed by him, I consider that the services of Lieutenant-General Stewart are entitled to the particular acknowledgments of the Governor-General in Council and Her Majesty's Government.

The eminent services of Sir Frederick Roberts are already known to Her Majesty's Government, while the reception given to the gallant General in England shows how cordially they are appreciated by all classes of his countrymen. That high appreciation is well deserved. The rapid movement over the Shutargardan in October 1879, under circumstances of extreme difficulty, followed by the decisive action of Charasia and the capture of the city of Kabul,

constituted a brilliant military exploit reflecting the highest credit on the General, who brought to the task a degree of courage, energy and ability fitly responded to by all ranks serving under him. The services of the General and his gallant brigades culminated in the splendid march from Kabul to Kandahar last August, and the victory of the 1st September, which brought the campaign to an end with an admirable completeness. General and troops were worthy of each other; but a good leader makes good followers; and the spirit displayed by the force which served under Sir Frederick Roberts, especially in the arduous march to the relief of Kandahar, is the strongest testimony to his merits.

(Signed) RIPON.

Fort William, the 12th January 1881.

No. 499 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st July 1881, is republished:—

No. 356.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Captain J. F. D. Fordyce, a probationer for the Military Accounts Department, is confirmed in his appointment as Assistant Military Accountant, with effect from the 24th May 1880.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting 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 a 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.		1881.	
1	Alfred Edmund Dobson.	Military.	Royal Engineers.	Lieutenant.	Safed Sang, Afghanistan.	20th July 1880.	*1,830 0 2	....	Deposited 5th April.	1

*The Account Department was requested to pay this sum to Messrs. Binny, and Co., Agents of Colonel W. A. Gib, Executor—18th April 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Department.

Ootacamund, 4th May 1881.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 13*th July* 1881.

No. 500 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant M. E. H. O. Welch, of the Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Political Department.

No. 501 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant George Arthur Carruthers, 31st Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 9th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, from the 15th March 1880, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 502 *of* 1881.—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.
13th Regt. N.I.	Subadar Lutchmiah	Subadar-Major	16th May 1881.
	Jemadar Ramasawmy	Subadar	
	Do. Gholam Moideen	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 539, Seeshachellum	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 353, Mahomed Cader	Do.	
14th Regt. N.I.	Subadar Shaik Dawood	Subadar-Major	11th May 1881.
	Jemadar Govindoorajooloo	Subadar	10th March 1881.
	Do. Mahomed Sillamon	Do.	11th May 1881.
	Havildar, No. 1914, Rungasawmy	Jemadar	16th December 1880.
	Do. No. 2117, Ramasawmy	Do.	10th March 1881.
	Do. No. 2051, Syed Hoossain	Do.	16th ,, ,,
	Do. No. 2867, Abdul Cawder	Do.	11th May 1881.
15th Regt. N. I	Jemadar Jemaul Khan	Subadar	11th June 1881.
	Havildar, No. 216, Abdool Curreem	Jemadar	19th March 1881.
	Do. No. 399, Syed Hyder	Do.	11th June 1881.
19th Regt. N.I.	Do. No. 1983, Venkiah	Do.	20th April ,,
23rd Regt. L.I.	Do. No. 460, Sheikh Massoon	Jemadar	11th May ,,
40th Regt. N.I.	Subadar Maduramootoo	Subadar-Major	16th June ,,
	Jemadar Runganaikloo	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 2118, Mahomed Vazeer	Jemadar	
41st Regt. N.I.	Subadar Laul Homed	Subadar-Major	11th June 1881.
	Jemadar Venkatasoo	Subadar	11th ,, ,,
	Havildar, No. 1819, Yelliah	Jemadar	10th April ,,
	Do. No. 1910, Venket Gooroo	Do.	11th June ,,

Ootacamund, 14*th July* 1881.

No. 503 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have sanctioned the following appointment in the Hyderabad Contingent :—

No. 4 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant A. H. P. Turner, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 3 Field Battery, to officiate as Commandant, *vice* Captain S. G. F. Selfe, Royal Artillery, on furlough, and during the absence of Lieutenant A. P. Penton, or until further orders.

Ootacamund, 18*th July* 1881.

No. 504 *of* 1881.—The abolition of the Northern District Brigade Command, notified in G.O.G. No. 373, dated 19th May 1881, will have effect from the 31st July 1881.

No. 505 *of* 1881.—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.
30th Regiment N.I...	Havildar, No. 2419, Venketsawmy	Jemadar	1st June 1880.

Ootacamund, 19*th July* 1881.

No. 506 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major R. P. Taylor, F.S.A., A.I.C.E., Infantry General List, Wing Officer, 14th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 16th July 1881.

No. 507 *of* 1881.—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.
1st Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Venkatasawmy	Subadar	1st May 1881.
	Do. Sheikh Hoossain	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 162, Baupniah	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 125, Syed Guffoor	Do.	
	Do. No. 142, Kassim Khan	Do.	6th ,, ,,

No. 508 *of* 1881.—**Brigade Surgeons, A. M. D.—Relative Rank.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th July 1881, is republished :—

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 374.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following Royal Warrant, dated 5th February 1881, relative to the precedence of Surgeon-Majors of the Army Medical Department on promotion to the rank of Brigade Surgeon :—

FINANCE.

I.—REGULAR FORCES.

Royal Warrant—Precedence of Surgeon-Majors on Promotion to the rank of Brigade Surgeon.

VICTORIA R.

Whereas by Article 4 of Our Warrant of the 27th November 1879, prescribing the terms and conditions of service of officers of the Medical Department of Our Regular Forces, we did, amongst other things, direct that Brigade Surgeons and Surgeon-Majors, after 20 years' service, should have the relative rank of Lieutenant-Colonel ;

Our Will and Pleasure is and We do hereby direct that a Surgeon-Major of the Army Medical Department who, on promotion to the rank of Brigade Surgeon, is granted, under the provisions of Our said Warrant, the relative rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, shall take precedence of all Surgeon-Majors who may be holding such relative rank.

Given at Our Court at Osborne, this fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, in the forty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

HUGH C. E. CHILDERS.

No. 509 *of* 1881.—**Brigade Surgeons, I. M. S.—Relative Rank.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th July 1881, is republished :—

No. 375.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following Royal Warrant, dated 20th May 1881, relative to the precedence of Surgeon-Majors of the Indian Medical Service on promotion to the rank of Brigade Surgeon :—

Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

Whereas, by Article 2 of Our Warrant of the 16th November 1880, revising the rules for the promotion and relative rank and allowances of our Indian Medical Service, We did, amongst other things, direct that Brigade Surgeons and Surgeon-Majors after twenty years' service should have the relative rank of Lieutenant-Colonel ;

Our Will and Pleasure is and We do hereby direct that a Surgeon-Major of Our Indian Medical Service who, on promotion to the rank of Brigade Surgeon, is granted under the provisions of Our said Warrant the relative rank of Lieutenant-Colonel ; shall take precedence of all Surgeon-Majors who may be holding such relative rank.

Given at Our Court at Windsor, this twentieth day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and in the forty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

HARTINGTON.

No. 510 *of* 1881.—**Brigade Surgeons—Precedence.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th July 1881, is republished :—

No. 376.—With reference to the Royal Warrants published in G.G.Os. Nos. 374 and 375 of this date, it has been laid down by Her Majesty's Government that the precedence of Brigade Surgeons over Surgeon-Majors established by those Warrants is intended to take effect only amongst themselves, and that the precedence of Brigade Surgeons with respect to combatant officers will continue to be governed by the rules laid down in the Royal Warrants of the 27th November 1879 and 16th November 1880, respectively.

No. 511 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th July 1881, is republished :—

SPECIAL.

No. 384.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following appointments to the Staff of the Forces in Biluchistan, which command will in future be known as "The Quetta Division."

These appointments will severally have effect from the dates on which the Officers named took up the duties of each, as noted opposite their names :—

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Lieutenant R. C. Sherard, Madras S. C. .. To be Commissariat Officers, 23rd May 1881.

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No. 512 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th July 1881, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 385.—With reference to paragraph 261, Volunteer Regulations, the following statement, showing the figure of merit obtained by the several Volunteer Rifle Corps in India in the annual course of musketry, 1879-80, is published for general information :—

Corps.	Figure of merit.	Percentage of extra efficients.	Remarks.
		Cent.	
Northern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps	123·28	80·28	
1st Punjab Volunteer Rifle Corps	115·44	85·09	
Calcutta " " "	114·64	93·61	
Cawnpore " " "	111·21	75·00	
2nd Punjab " " "	110·41	94·59	
Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps	105·52	61·62	
Agra Volunteer Rifle Corps	103·60	80·00	
Thomason College Volunteer Rifle Corps	94·26	64·84	
East Indian Railway " " "	93·13	63·57	
Allahabad Volunteer Rifle Corps	84·25	51·16	
Lucknow " " "	79·62	48·88	
Nagpur " " "	69·55	33·86	
Bangalore " " "	69·16	40·00	
Tirhoot State Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps	63·31	43·52	
Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps	56·36	83·78	
Rangoon and Irrawaddy State Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps	105·58	73·33	
Ghazipur Volunteer Rifle Corps	99·83	66·23	
Rangoon " " "	96·15	14·43	
Do. (Cadet) Volunteer Rifle Corps	42·35	50·00	
Berar Volunteer Rifle Corps	79·41	66·07	
Naini Tal " " "	96·32	94·39	
Mussoorie " " "	81·46	..	Not exercised.
Behar Mounted Volunteer Rifle Corps	..	..	Not exercised.
Akyab Volunteer Rifle Corps	..	..	No returns received.
Darjeeling " " "	..	..	
Madras.			
Duke's Own Volunteer Artillery	57·43	..	
Madras Volunteer Guards	72·12	72·03	
Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles	62·96	44·53	
Bombay.			
Great Indian Peninsula Railway Volunteer Corps	95·57	68·95	
Bombay Volunteer Rifle Corps	113·69	82·85	
Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Volunteer Corps	111·45	62·50	
Sind Volunteer Rifle Corps	..	..	Corps recently organized.

No. 513 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 9th July 1881, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 6th July 1881.

No. 941.—

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Lieutenant-Colonel Tredway G. Clarke, Madras Staff Corps, is appointed to be Superintendent and District and Sessions Judge of Coorg, with effect from the 29th March 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Hill, Madras Staff Corps, is appointed to be Superintendent and District and Sessions Judge of Coorg *substantive pro tempore*, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. Clarke, employed on other duty.

The 8th July 1881.

No. 948.—Referring to the notification by this Department, No. 946 of this day's date, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Street, Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, British Burmah, and Officiating Commissioner of the Pegu Division, to be Commissioner of the Irrawaddy Division. Lieutenant-Colonel Street will continue to officiate as Commissioner of Pegu until further orders.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 20*th July* 1881.

No. 514 *of* 1881.—The following Officers of the Indian Medical Service to be Brigade-Surgeons, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

From the 27th November 1879.

Surgeon-Major Joseph Marcus Joseph, M.D., LL.D., F.R.C.P.E., and M.R.C.P.L. (since promoted to Deputy Surgeon-General).
Surgeon-Major Edward Somerset Cleveland, M.D.
Do. William Henry Harris, M.D.
Do. William Henry Rean, M.D. (since promoted to Deputy Surgeon-General).
Do. Alfred Sanderson, M.D., M.A.
Do. Clarence Cooper, M.D., F.R.C.S.
Do. Samuel Jardine Wyndowe, M.D. (since retired).
Do. William Robert Cornish, F.R.C.S., C.I.E. (since promoted to Surgeon-General).
Do. Ardern Hulme Beaman.
Do. George Stewart Watson Ogg, M.B., M.A.
Do. William Pearl.
Do. Edmund Eyre Lloyd, from the 1st April 1880, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon Cornish, promoted.
Do. Michael Cudmore Furnell, M.D., F.R.C.S., from the 16th May 1880, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon Joseph, promoted.
Do. George Alexander Burn, M.A., M.D., from the 7th February 1881, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon Furnell, promoted.
Do. Robert Dempster, from the 28th March 1881, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon Rean, promoted.

No. 515 *of* 1881.—The services of Major H. B. Nangle, Staff Corps, are, at his own request, replaced at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the date on which he is relieved by Colonel Magrath of the charge of the Amrut Mahal Depôt.

No. 516 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

List No. 25, *dated* 24*th June* 1881.

Surgeon-Major C. A. Harvey .. .. 6 months, m. c.

No. 517 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant C. C. Ellis, R.E., are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Public Works Department.

No. 518 *of* 1881.—Surgeon G. F. Bevan, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge, 24th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Ootacamund, 21*st July* 1881.

No. 519 *of* 1881.—The sixty days' privilege leave granted to Colonel R. A. Moore, Staff Corps, Acting Commissary-General, in G.O.G. No. 417, dated 8th June 1881, is converted into ninety days' accumulated privilege leave.

No. 520 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon D. F. Dymott, M.B., Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 521 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant H. F. S. Ramsden, 67th Foot, Wing Officer, 10th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 9th September 1879, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 522 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant J. C. W. D. Nicol, 58th (late 48th) Foot, Officiating Wing Officer, 25th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 31st May 1880, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 523 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

GENERAL LIST, CAVALRY.

Captain Donald James Sim McLeod, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major, from the 20th July 1881.

Ootacamund, 22nd July 1881.

No. 524 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Brigade-Surgeon G. S. W. Ogg, M.B., M.A., Indian Medical Department, Zillah Surgeon, Coimbatore. } Arrived at Madras on the 10th July 1881.

No. 525 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major William John Seaton, having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, from the 20th July 1881.

Ootacamund, 23rd July 1881.

No. 526 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Lance Corporal Charles Miller, 2nd Battalion, 16th Regiment .. Ballarat, Australia.

No. 527 *of* 1881.—The Honorable 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 1880 to 31st March 1881, be published:—

Distribution Details.

Four Regiments of Light Cavalry, at one share each				4	shares	
Body Guard				¼	„	
				4¼	„	
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Amount of contract allowance, from 1st April 1880 to 31st March 1881, as per computation statement	27,366	4	0			
Amount of sales of articles of saddlery, from 1st April 1880 to 31st March 1881	32	3	9			
Deduct the amount of expenses incurred, from 1st April 1880 to 31st March 1881				27,398	7	9
				22,084	4	0
Amount for final distribution				5,314	3	9

Names of Officers and Periods.	Amount of Share to each Officer.	Total.
1st Regiment Light Cavalry.	RS A. P.	RS. A. P.
Lieutenant-Colonel E. M. Cherry, for the whole year	1,250 6 6	1,250 6 6
2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.		
Colonel R. S. J. Prendergast, for the whole year	1,250 6 6	1,250 6 6
3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.		
Colonel G. A. Arbuthnot, for the whole year	1,250 6 6	1,250 6 6
4th Regiment Light Cavalry.		
Colonel E. M. Lawford, for the whole year	1,250 6 6	1,250 6 6
Body Guard.		
Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. C. Galloway, for the whole year	312 9 8	312 9 8
	Total ..	5,314 3 8
	Lost by fraction..	0 0 1
	Total ..	5,314 3 9

The Honorable 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.

Ootacamund, 25*th July* 1881.

No. 528 *of* 1881.—Assistant Apothecary Christopher D'Rose, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" on Rupees 30 per mensem, from the 1st August 1881.

No. 529 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Commissariat Department:—

Serjeant Henry Carey to be Acting Sub-Conductor, from the 12th July 1881, *vice* Beauchamp, on furlough.

Ootacamund, 26*th July* 1881.

No. 530 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 24th and 28th June 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 24*th June* 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Robert Vernor Handyside, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th June 1881.

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BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-Generals.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Robert Vernor Handyside, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th June 1881.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 28th June 1881.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:—

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Lieutenant-Colonel William Arbuthnot, 14th Hussars. Dated 15th June 1881.

No. 531 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th July 1881, is republished:—

No. 393.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) E. W. Dun, Madras S. C., Commandant, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is allowed leave to sea, (p. a.) for 91 days, under Rule XXVII of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 532 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th July 1881, is republished:—

SPECIAL.

No. 399.—The Most Honorable the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to notify that he has received from the Right Honorable the Lord High Chancellor of England the following letter, dated the 6th May 1881, transmitting certain resolutions passed by the House of Lords on the 5th of the same month:—

London, May 6th, 1881.

To His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

MY LORD,

I have been ordered by the House of Lords to transmit to Your Excellency the accompanying resolutions, and to request Your Excellency to communicate the same to the several officers referred to therein.

I cannot discharge this duty without at the same time expressing the high gratification I feel in making this communication to Your Excellency.

I have, &c.,
(Sd.) SELBORNE, C.

Die Jovis, 5° *Maii*, 1881.

Resolved—Nemine Dissentiente, by the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, that the thanks of this House be given to General Sir Frederick Paul Haines, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Companion of the Order of the Indian Empire, Commander-in-Chief in India, for the ability and judgment with which he directed the recent operations from September 1879 to September 1880 in Afghanistan.

Resolved.—Nemine Dissentiente, that the thanks of this House be given to—

Lieutenant-General Sir Donald Martin Stewart, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;

Lieutenant-General (local) Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Order of the Indian Empire, Victoria Cross;

Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Onesiphorus Bright, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;

Major-General Sir John Ross, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;

Major-General Sir James Hills, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Victoria Cross;

Major-General Sir Robert Phayre, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;

Major-General (local) John Watson, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Victoria Cross;

and the other officers of the Army, both European and Native,

for the intrepidity, skill, and perseverance displayed by them in the military operations in Afghanistan, and for their indefatigable zeal and exertions during the late campaign.

Resolved—Nemine Dissentiente, that this House doth highly approve and acknowledge the valour and perseverance displayed by the non-commissioned officers and private soldiers, both European and Native, employed in Afghanistan during the late campaign, and that the same be signified to them by the commanders of the several corps, who are desired to thank them for their gallant behaviour.

(Sd.) WILLIAM ROSE.
Cler. Parliamentary.

No. 533 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th July 1881, is republished :—

No. 400.—The Most Honorable the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to notify that he has received from the Right Honorable the Speaker of the House of Commons the following letter, dated the 2nd June 1881, conveying a vote of thanks of the House to the officers of the Army who served in the second phase of the Afghan war :—

June 2nd, 1881.

The Speaker presents his compliments to the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, and has the honor to forward to him the vote of thanks passed by the House of Commons on Thursday, May 5th.

The Speaker requests His Excellency to communicate the thanks of the House to—

General Sir Frederick Paul Haines, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Lieutenant-General Sir Donald Martin Stewart, G.C.B.,
Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, G.C.B., C.I.E., V.C.,
Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Onesiphorus Bright, K.C.B.,
Major-General Sir John Ross, K.C.B.,
Major-General Sir James Hills, K.C.B., V.C.,
Major-General Sir Robert Phayre, K.C.B.,
Major-General John Watson, C.B., V.C.,

and the other officers of the Army, both European and Native, who served in the campaign.

To the Most Honorable the Marquis of Ripon, K.G.,
&c., *&c.*, *&c.*

HOUSE OF COMMONS;
Thursday, May 5th, 1881.

Resolved—That the thanks of this House be given to General Sir Frederick Paul Haines, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Companion of the Order of the Indian Empire, Commander-in-Chief in India, for the ability and judgment with which he directed the recent operations from September 1879 to September 1880 in Afghanistan.

Resolved—That the thanks of this House be given to—

Lieutenant-General Sir Donald Martin Stewart, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;
Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Order of the Indian Empire, Victoria Cross;
Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Onesiphorus Bright, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;
Major-General Sir John Ross, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;
Major-General Sir James Hills, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Victoria Cross.
Major-General Sir Robert Phayre, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath;
Major-General (local) John Watson, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Victoria Cross;

and the other officers of the Army, both European and Native,
for the intrepidity, skill, and perseverance displayed by them in the military operations in Afghanistan, and for their indefatigable zeal and exertions during the late campaign.

Resolved—That this House doth highly approve and acknowledge the valour and perseverance displayed by the non-commissioned officers and private soldiers, both European and Native, employed in Afghanistan during the late campaign, and that the same be signified to them by the commanders of the several corps, who are desired to thank them for their gallant behaviour.

Ordered—That the said Resolutions be transmitted by Mr. Speaker to the Viceroy and Governor-General of India, and that His Lordship be requested to communicate the same to the several officers referred to therein.

(Signed) T. ERSKINE MAY,
Cl. Ho. Com.

No. 534 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 16th July 1881, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 15*th July* 1881.

No. 237.—*Appointments.*

* * * *

Major M. M. Bowie, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class, to officiate as Inspector-General of Police and Jails in the Central Provinces, *vice* Colonel J. L. Loch.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 27th July 1881.

No. 535 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Major Evelyn Swinton Skinner, Staff Corps, to be Deputy Judge Advocate, *vice* Colonel Power, retired. Dated 27th May 1881.

No. 536 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India:—

List No. 26, *dated* 1*st July* 1881.

Major C. S. Blair, Staff Corps .. .. 4 months, m.c.

No. 537 *of* 1881.—G.O.G. No. 245, dated 30th March 1881, specifying the date of commencement of the furlough granted to Sub-Conductor R. A. Bragg, of the Public Works Department, is cancelled. G.O.G. No. 156 of 1881 will stand good.

Ootacamund, 28th July 1881.

No. 538 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Major Frederick Hope Mathias, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 38th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Adjutant of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteer Corps, *vice* Captain W. N. Carey, who vacates on completion of five years' tenure of appointment.

Ootacamund, 29th July 1881.

No. 539 *of* 1881.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary James Charles Brindley, of the Commissariat Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 1st August 1881, on the invalid pension of Rupees 240 per mensem.

No. 540 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India:—

List No. 27, *dated* 8*th July* 1881.

Conductor J. Nicholson, Public Works Department .. .. 2 months, m.c.

Ootacamund, 30th July 1881.

No. 541 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Gunner Frederick Ansley, No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery .. Madras.

No. 542 *of* 1881.—G.O.G. No. 387, dated 3rd June 1880, permitting Private George Knowles, European Infantry Veteran Company (late of the 105th Foot), to reside and draw pay at Jubbulpore, pending decision as to the amount of his pension, is cancelled.

No. 543 *of* 1881.—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.
24th Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Mahboob Khan .. .. Havildar, No. 157, Mahomed Cassim	Subadar .. .. Jemadar	1st August 1881.

Ootacamund, 2nd August 1881.

No. 544 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Burton, Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade. — Arrived at Bombay on the 25th July 1881.

No. 545 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside 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 English, K. Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery .. .. Mysore.

No. 546 *of* 1881.—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.
28th Regiment N.I...	Havildar, No. 315, Hossain Sheriff	Jemadar	1st August 1881.

No. 547 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 1st and 5th July 1881, are republished :—

India Office, 18th June 1881.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, V.C., Bart, G.C.B., R.A., to be a Member of the Council of the Governor of Fort St. George, at Madras, in the East Indies.

India Office, 1st July 1881.

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 Lieutenant.

Lieutenant John George Downing, from the 72nd Foot. Dated 17th October 1878, but to rank from 20th November 1875.

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India Office, 5th July 1881.

Her Majesty has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Services made by the Governments in India :—

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Henry Charles Wright. Dated 4th April 1881.
Major Thomas Henry Barstow Brooke. Dated 4th April 1881.
Major John MacDonald Smith. Dated 20th April 1881.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant and Brevet Captain George Simpson. Dated 14th April 1881.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Surgeons-Major. Dated 1st April 1881 :—

Surgeon William Price, M.D.
Surgeon Samuel Matthias Tyrrell.
Surgeon William Hope Boalth.
Surgeon Joseph Backhouse.

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No. 548 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd July 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 398 of 1881 :—

No. 403.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

The dates of appointment of Lieutenants H. Melville and J. G. Downing, as Assistant Military Accountants, on probation, are respectively the 2nd and 11th April 1881, and not as stated in G.G.O. No. 274 of 1881.

No. 549 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd July 1881, is republished :—

No. 404.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

4th Infantry.

Surgeon D. F. Dymott, Madras Establishment, to be Officiating Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon-Major H. Crocker, M.D., transferred to the 1st Cavalry.

No. 550 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 23rd July 1881, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

SANITARY.

Simla, the 19th July 1881.

No. 135.—Surgeon C. Little, M.D., Civil Surgeon, Amraoti, and Officiating Sanitary Commissioner in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, is confirmed in the latter appointment, *vice* Surgeon-Major R. T. Abbott, M.D., deceased.

No. 136.—Surgeon T. Hume, M.B., Civil Surgeon of Akola, to be Civil Surgeon of Amraoti, *vice* Surgeon Little.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

The 21st July 1881.

No. 159*I.-J.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 6 of Act XXI of 1879 (The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act, 1879), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Justices of the Peace within the State of Mysore :—

* * * *

(3) Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Hay, Madras Staff Corps.
(4) Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. Clarke, Madras Staff Corps.
(5) Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Cole, Madras Staff Corps.
(6) Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. Pearse, Madras Staff Corps.
(7) Major E. P. Maltby, Madras Staff Corps.

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GENERAL.

The 21st July 1881.

No. 1365 *G.-G.*—The following promotions and appointments are made, with effect from this date:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Berkeley, Political Agent, 1st Class, substantive *pro tempore*, is confirmed in that grade, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Cadell, whose services have been transferred to the Home Department.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 3rd August 1881.

No. 551 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation by Major J. D. Sandford, of his commission in the Bangalore Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 552 *of* 1881.—The Silver Medal for the best shot amongst the Volunteers in the Madras Presidency has been awarded to Color Serjeant A. James, of the Madras Volunteer Guards.

Ootacamund, 4th August 1881.

No. 553 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. E. H. Beauchamp, Infantry, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Trichinopoly.

No. 554 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 2175, Gunner Patrick Creaton, I Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery (late Madras Artillery). } St. Thomas' Mount.

Ootacamund, 5th August 1881.

No. 555 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major H. T. Harris, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 22nd Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 2nd August 1881.

No. 556 *of* 1881.—Major S. L. Hunt, Staff Corps, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year and ninety-one days—one year under Rules IX and XV, and the remainder under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 557 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

Passed Hospital Apprentice Mathew Vherghese, to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary, from 1st August 1881, *vice* D'Rose, pensioned.

No. 558 *of* 1881.—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.
4th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Mohdeen Sheriff	Subadar	11th December 1880.
	Do. Gopalsamy	Do.	1st May 1881.
	Havildar, No. 311, Mahomed Yacoob	Jemadar	11th December 1880.
	Do. No. 327, Appow	Do.	1st May 1881.

Ootacamund, 8th August 1881.

No. 559 *of* 1881.—Surgeon-Major J. Ross, M.B., Indian Medical Department, in medical charge of the "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 560 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Trumpeter Henry James Goodger, No. 3 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery . . Rangoon.

Ootacamund, 9th August 1881.

No. 561 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant R. E. Hamilton, Royal Engineers, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Note I, Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 562 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Commissariat Department:—

Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary J. Tims to be Deputy Commissary; Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Greatorex to be Assistant Commissary; Conductor B. Prichard to be Deputy Assistant Commissary; Sub-Conductor C. Stone to be Conductor and Acting Sub-Conductor R. Mucklow to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 1st August 1881, *vice* Brindley, pensioned.

Serjeant James Bailey to be Acting Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 1st August 1881, *vice* Hann, on furlough.

No. 563 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Native Army:—

Corps.	Present Rank and Names.	To what Rank promoted.	In whose room.
Body Guard ..	Subadar Syed Khader	Subadar-Major ..	*vice* Subadar-Major and "Sirdar Bahadoor," Oossmon Khan, seconded.
	Jemadar Syed Booran	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 231, Mahomed Cassim	Jemadar	

No. 564 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th July 1881, is republished:—

India Office, 12th July 1881.

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The following appointments to His Personal Staff were made by the late Governor of Madras. Dated 24th May 1881:—

Major A. R. Kenny-Herbert, Madras Cavalry, to be Military Secretary.
Captain J. H. N. G. H. Viscount Dalrymple, Royal Horse Guards, to be Aide-de-Camp.
Captain J. Gordon, 89th Foot, to be Aide-de-Camp.

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The following appointment to the Staff has been made by the Government of Madras:—

Captain W. A. Yule, 21st Foot, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, *vice* Major Kenny-Herbert, whose tour of service has expired. Dated 26th April 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

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

Secondly.—That there has been received by me, as the surplus of their respective properties, the amount set opposite their 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 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 OFFICER.				Rs. A. P.		1881.	
1	Henry Arthur Fletcher.	Military.	8th Foot, Pro., S.C.	Lieutenant.	Madras ..	26th April 1881.	870 3 5	Not known.	Deposited 14th July.	1
			SOLDIER.							
2	Samuel Hines.	Do.	E.A.V.Co.	Bugler.	Pallávaram.	30th April 1881.	94 10 0	Testate.	Do. 9th do.	2
3							One sealed packet.	Do.	Do. 19th do.	3

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Department.

Ootacamund, 3rd August 1881.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 10*th August* 1881.

No. 565 *of* 1881.—Conductor Thomas Jones, of the "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, is promoted to the rank of Deputy Assistant Commissary. Dated 5th March 1880.

No. 566 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Serjeant-Major Patrick Fahy, Unattached List (48th Regiment) .. .. Madras.

Ootacamund, 11*th August* 1881.

No. 567 *of* 1881.—Major T. H. B. Young, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 17th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years—one year and fourteen days under Rules IX and XV, and the remainder under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 568 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India:—

List No. 29, *dated* 22*nd July* 1881.

Surgeon B. H. Williams .. .. 6 months, m.c.

Ootacamund, 12*th August* 1881.

No. 569 *of* 1881.—The services of Assistant Apothecary R. C. D'Sena, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

Ootacamund, 15*th August* 1881.

No. 570 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor Thomas Wynn, of the Remount Depôt, is promoted to the rank of Conductor, from the 1st August 1881.

Ootacamund, 16*th August* 1881.

No. 571 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 1st and 19th July 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 1*st July* 1881.

ERRATUM.

Lieutenant R. S. Burn, whose admission to the Bengal Staff Corps was notified in the *London Gazette* of the 8th April 1881, belonged to the 16th Foot, and not to the 19th, as stated in the Gazette.

India Office, 19th July 1881.

Her Majesty has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Services made by the Governments in India :—

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Francis James Rivers. Dated 4th May 1881.

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No. 572 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th July 1881, is republished :—

HONORARY DISTINCTIONS.

No. 418.—The Most Honorable the Governor-General in Council announces that Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, has been graciously pleased to permit the following corps to bear upon their standards, colors or appointments the words specified below, in commemoration of their gallant conduct during the recent campaigns in Afghanistan :—

"AFGHANISTAN, 1878-79,"—for the operations in Afghanistan, generally, during the first campaign of the late war.

"AFGHANISTAN, 1879-80,"—for the operations in Afghanistan, generally, during the second campaign of the late war.

"AFGHANISTAN, 1878-80,"—for the operations in Afghanistan, generally, during both campaigns.

"ALI MUSJID,"—for the capture of the Fort of Ali Musjid, on the 21st and 22nd November 1878.

"PEIWAR KOTAL,"—for the forcing of the Peiwar Kotal, on the 2nd December 1878.

"CHARASIA,"—for the action of Charasia, on the 6th October 1879.

"KABUL, 1879,"—for the operations at, and in the vicinity of, Kabul, from the 10th to the 24th December 1879, inclusive of the operations of the force which arrived at Kabul under the command of Brigadier-General C. J. S. Gough, C.B., V.C., on the 24th December 1879.

"AHMED KHEL,"—for the battle of Ahmed Khel, on the 19th April 1880.

"KANDAHAR, 1880,"—for the battle of Kandahar on the 1st September 1880.

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The "Queen's Own" Madras Sappers and Miners	"Afghanistan, 1878-80."
1st Madras Light Cavalry	"Afghanistan, 1879-80."
1st Madras Native Infantry	"Afghanistan, 1879-80."
4th Madras Native Infantry	"Afghanistan, 1879-80."
15th Madras Native Infantry	"Afghanistan, 1879-80."
21st Madras Native Infantry	"Afghanistan, 1878-80."
30th Madras Native Infantry	"Afghanistan, 1878-80."

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No. 573 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 30th July 1881, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 27th July 1881.

No. 379.—Surgeon T. Hume, M.B., Civil Surgeon of Akola, to be Civil Surgeon of Amraoti, *vice* Surgeon Little.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 17*th August* 1881.

No. 574 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Deputy Surgeon-General, with temporary rank, William Pearl, to have permanent rank, *vice* Oswald, whose tour has expired. Dated 15th August 1881.

No. 575 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Ordnance Department:—

Conductor J. R. Forsyth, Mechanical Engineer, Gun Carriage Factory, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary. Dated 27th July 1881.

Ootacamund, 18*th August* 1881.

No. 576 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant H. F. Cadell, Staff Corps, Assistant Military Accountant, is permitted to proceed out of India on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Government of India.

No. 577 *of* 1881.—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.
1st Regiment N. I...	Havildar, No. 187, Veeragoo	Jemadar	16th August 1881.
15th do. do. ..	Do. No. 221, Ram Sing	Do.	11th ,, ,,

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Ootacamund, 19*th August* 1881.

No. 578 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Isaac Ketchen, Royal Artillery, to be Superintendent of the Gun Powder Factory.

Captain Richard Walter O'Grady, Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 1st Class.

Major Vincent Carne Fisher, Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class.

Major Charles William Brereton, Royal Artillery, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class.

Ootacamund, 20*th August* 1881.

No. 579 *of* 1881.—The furlough (p.a.) to Europe granted to Surgeon-Major (now Brigade-Surgeon) C. Cooper, M.D., F.R.C.S., Indian Medical Department, Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras, in G.O.G., No. 361, dated 25th May 1880, should have been for one year, five months, and nine days, and not for one year, four months, and four days as therein notified.

The above is balance of furlough due to Brigade-Surgeon Cooper, consequent on his having been recalled from Europe in 1877 for famine duty.

No. 580 *of* 1881.—The name of Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Bean Smith, C.S.I., Infantry General List, will be hereafter entered on the returns of the Army as Charles Bean Euan-Smith.

No. 581 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

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

Majors { John William Hindle .. .. } From the 20th August 1881.
Majors { Charles Francis Moore .. .. }

Ootacamund, 22*nd August* 1881.

No. 582 *of* 1881.—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.
10th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Sheik Dawood	Subadar	27th June 1881.
	Havildar, No. 206, Shaik Nuthod	Jemadar	11th August ,,
	Do. No. 2139, Narrainsawmy	Do.	

Ootacamund, 23*rd August* 1881.

No. 583 *of* 1881.—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.
8th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Seeva Soobarmoonien	Subadar	18th July 1881.
	Havildar, No. 189, Moonesawmy	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 390, Lutchme Nursiah	Do.	1st August ,,
	Do. No. 163, Appasawmy	Do.	
12th do. N.I.	Subadar Hoossein Khan	Subadar-Major ..	16th ,, ,,
26th do. N.I.	Jemadar Shekh Imaum	Subadar	1st Sept. ,,
	Havildar, No. 429, Kistnamah	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 414, Kishtnasawmy	Do.	
41st do. N.I.	Jemadar Venketsawmy (2nd)	Subadar	1st August ,,
	Do. Russool Beg	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 2535, Shekh Davood	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 2294, Sunkeriah	Do.	

No. 584 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 26th July 1881, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 26*th July* 1881.

The undermentioned General Officers are placed upon the Retired List from 1st July 1881, with a step of honorary rank, under the provisions of Articles 106, 107, and 124 of the Royal Warrant of 25th June 1881 :—

Lieutenant-Generals.

* * * *

George Selby, Royal (late Madras) Artillery.

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The undermentioned General Officers are placed upon the Unemployed Supernumerary List from 1st July 1881, under the provisions of Articles 106, 111 and 107 of the Royal Warrant of 25th June 1881 :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-General Francis Hornblow Rundall, C.S.I., Colonel-Commandant, Royal (late Madras) Engineers.

Major-General Andrew William Macintire, C.B., Royal (late Madras) Artillery.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels, dated 1st July 1881, under the provisions of Article 12 of the Royal Warrant of the 25th June 1881 :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel Harry McLeod, Royal (late Madras) Artillery.

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel Hew Lindsay Prendergast, Royal (late Madras) Engineers.

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Deputy Assistant Commissary Nathaniel Spencer, Madras Establishment, to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 25th April 1881.

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No. 585 *of* 1881.—**Admissions to Staff Corps.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th August 1881, is republished:—

No. 422.—STAFF CORPS—

Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is notified that admissions to the Staff Corps on probation, on and after the 1st July 1881, will be held to be subject to any regulations which may be made applicable to the Staff Corps in consequence of the issue of the Royal Warrant for the Pay, Promotion, and Non-effective Pay of the Army, dated 25th June 1881, and taking effect from the 1st July 1881.

No. 586 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th August 1881, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 297 of 1881:—

No. 426.—The appointment of Lieutenant F. B. Deane, Madras Staff Corps, to the 1st Punjab Infantry, notified in G.G.O. No. 204 of 1881, is cancelled.

No. 587 *of* 1881.—**Paymasters, Volunteer Corps—Honorary Rank.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th August 1881, is republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 439.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, it is notified that the honorary rank of Captain will be granted to the Paymaster of a Volunteer Corps on appointment, and that of Major after fifteen years' service as a Commissioned Officer, with not less than ten as Paymaster.

No. 588 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 6th August 1881, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 5th August 1881.

No. 258.—*Appointments*—

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Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Plowden, Commissioner of Excise, Inspector-General of Registration, and Superintendent of Stamps in the Central Provinces, to be Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class, *vice* Major Bloomfield.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

The 5th August 1881.

No. 1504*G.-G.*—The following promotions and changes of rank are made in the Graded List of the Political Service, with effect from the dates noted:—

Major G. H. Trevor, Secretary for Berar to the Resident, Hyderabad, to be a Political Agent of the 1st Class,—21st July 1881.

* * * *

The undermentioned officers to officiate as Political Agents of the 2nd Class, with effect from the 21st July 1881:—

* * * *

Major V. E. Law, Political Assistant, 1st Class.

Captain E. A. Fraser, Political Agent, 3rd Class, substantive *pro tempore*, to officiate as a Political Agent, 3rd Class, from the 21st July 1881.

Captain J. H. Newill, Political Assistant, 2nd Class, to officiate as Political Agent, 3rd Class, from the 13th July 1881, *vice* Captain N. C. Martelli, on special duty.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The 3rd August 1881.

No. 263.—The following officiating promotions are made from the dates specified until further orders:—

Colonel J. O. Mayne, R.E., Chief Engineer, Class III, to officiate in Class II, from 18th July 1881.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 24th August 1881.

No. 589 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Brigade-Surgeon William Henry Harris, M.D., Indian Medical Department, from the 1st July 1881.

No. 590 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

List No. 30, *dated 29th July* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Surgeon-Major D. C. McAllum, M.D.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant K. M. Foss, Staff Corps .. .. 3 months, m.c.

No. 591 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 263, dated 5th April 1881, the services of 1st-Class Veterinary Surgeon J. Hammond are replaced at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

No. 592 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon J. J. Moran, M.D., Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

No. 593 *of* 1881.—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.
2nd Regt. L.C.	Subadar Ally Khan	Subadar-Major	*Vice* Subadar-Major and Honorary Captain Mahomed Abdoolah, Aide-de-Camp to the Provincial Commander-in-Chief, seconded.
	Jemadar Mahomed Dawood	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 1123, Gholam Hoossain	Jemadar	
5th Regt. N.I.	Jemadar Anthony Pereira	Subadar	1st August 1881.
	Havildar, No. 2021, Naganah	Jemadar	
12th Regt. N.I.	Jemadar Ghoollam Hoossain	Subadar	16th " "
	Havildar, No. 2226, Runganaikloo	Jemadar	

Ootacamund, 25th August 1881.

No. 594 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant G. T. Kelaart, Royal Artillery, Assistant Superintendent of Factories, officiated as Superintendent of the Gunpowder Factory from the 16th November 1880 to the 4th January 1881, inclusive, during the absence, on special duty, of Colonel E. W. Childers, Royal Artillery.

No. 595 *of* 1881.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary Henry Briggs, of the Ordnance Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 1st September 1881, on the invalid pension of Rupees 175 per mensem.

Ootacamund, 26th August 1881.

No. 596 *of* 1881.—Colonel W. D'O. Kerrich, R.A., commanded the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from the 18th June to the 17th August 1881.

No. 597 *of* 1881.—With the sanction of the Government of India, Brigadier-General E. F. Burton, Commanding the Ceded Districts, is appointed to the command of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, as a temporary arrangement. Dated 17th August 1881.

No. 598 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India:—

List No. 31, *dated 5th August* 1881.

Major H. R. Hope, Cavalry .. .. 6 months, m.c.

Ootacamund, 27th August 1881.

No. 599 *of* 1881.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India:—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Thomson, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant E. E. M. Lawford, Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 1st Light Cavalry.

No. 600 *of* 1881.—The name of Surgeon-Major Brockman, of the Indian Medical Department, will be hereafter entered on the returns of the Army as Edward Forster Drake-Brockman.

Ootacamund, 30th August 1881.

No. 601 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private Patrick Driscoll, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.. ..Ballarat, Australia.

No. 602 *of* 1881.—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.
7th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar, Abdool Kawder	Subadar	21st July 1881.
	Havildar, No. 229, Venketasawmy	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 132, Ramasawmy	Do.	1st September 1881.
28th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar, Chunderbund	Subadar	21st August 1881.
	Havildar, No. 473, Moonaswamy	Jemadar	16th " "
	Do. No. 424, Suttiapah	Do.	21st " "

No. 603 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 29th July 1881, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 29th July 1881.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel William Christie, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. Dated 11th July 1881.

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No. 604 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th August 1881, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 448.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 28th January 1878, the names of the undermentioned Officers are placed on the Indian Gradation List, as specified :—

* * * *

Major H. C. Wright, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Colonels, in consequence of the death of Major-General E. T. Dalton, C.S.I., Bengal Staff Corps, on the 30th December 1880.

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Major-General H. Man, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals.

—Colonel M. T. Ffrench, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals.

Major W. S. Macleod, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Colonels,—in consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General H. J. Barr, Bombay Staff Corps, on the 17th May 1881.

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Colonel A. F. Place, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals,—in consequence of the retirement from the service of Lieutenant-General J. C. Innes, Bengal Infantry, on the 30th May 1881.

* G.G. Orders Nos. 189 and 191 of 1881, are cancelled.

* Madras G.O.G. Nos. 279 and 280 of 1881.

No. 605 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th August 1881, is republished :—

No. 449.—BREVET.—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

BREVET.

* * * *

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Arthur Farrer, Madras Cavalry.

* * * *

From the 30th May 1881, in succession to Lieutenant-General J. C. Innes, Bengal Infantry, retired.

No. 606 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 20th August 1881, is republished :—

No. 525.—The undermentioned First-Class Assistant Apothecary (Madras Presidency), has been granted temporary rank as Acting Second-Class Apothecary from 11th January to 14th April 1881, both days inclusive, during which period he held Subordinate Medical charge of No. 4 Field Hospital, Kandahar :—

J. John.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 31*st August* 1881.

No. 607 *of* 1881.—**Mountain Battery, Thayetmyo—Organization.** The Most Honorable the Governor-General in Council having decided that the Mountain Battery at Thayetmyo shall be organized as a Mountain Battery of six 7-pounder R.M.L. guns, the following scale of establishments and transport, which will admit of the battery proceeding on service, with a light equipment, at the shortest notice, is sanctioned provisionally, and pending experience of its suitability:—

British Establishment.

		Pay and Allowances.
1	Major.	As with a Field Battery.
1	Captain.	
3	Lieutenants.	
1	Serjeant-Major.	
1	Quartermaster-Serjeant.	
1	Farrier-Serjeant.	
6	Serjeants.	
6	Corporals.	
6	Bombardiers.	
2	Trumpeters.	
70	Gunners.	
1	Collar-maker.	

Driver's Establishments, &c.

1	Havildar-Major	Rs. 17
3	Havildars	„ 12 each.
3	Naicks	„ 10 „
3	Acting Naicks	„ 9 „
109	Drivers	„ 7 „
1	Native Farrier	„ 9
1	Salustri	„ 9

Command and Staff Allowance.

Battery Command allowance, when claimable under Clause 50, Army Circulars, India, 1880.
Hospital Serjeant.
Pay Serjeant and Savings Bank Clerk.
Assistant to the Quartermaster-Serjeant.
Horse allowance.
Mess allowance.
—As with a Field Battery.

Educational Establishment.

1 Moonshee (if required) .. .. — As at present drawn by Moonshee in Burmah.

Subordinate Medical and fixed Hospital Establishment.

According to local regulations .. .. .. — As at present drawn by similar establishments in Burmah.

Native Artificers, Followers, &c.

1	Tindal	As at present drawn by similar establishments in Burmah.
8	Store Lascars.	
22	Muleteers (for baggage mules or ponies)	Rs. 7 each.
5	Syces.	For Battery mules (or ponies) and yaboos.
81	Grass Cutters (single bundles).	
1	Maistry Smith.	As at present drawn by similar establishments in Burmah.
2	Filemen.	
1	Fireman.	
2	Hammermen.	
1	Maistry Carpenter.	
2	Carpenters.	
2	Moochies.	
3	Puckallies.	
1	Bheasty.	
3	Sweepers.	

Conservancy Establishment.

	Pay and Allowances.
According to local regulations	As at present drawn by similar establishments in Burmah.

Contract Allowances (monthly).

Stationery and repair of arms	Rs. 50
Fuel, &c., for carriage work (payable to the Farrier Serjeant)	„ 5
Preparing food (gram, barley or other grain) for the ponies or mules	1½ annas per maund.
Shoeing ponies or mules	No fixed allowance, — the amount expended to be recovered in a contingent bill.

SCALE of MULE (or Pony) CARRIAGE—to be permanently maintained for the Battery, and to be under the charge of the Commanding Officer.

Cattle.	Purpose for which employed.	Saddled.	Spare.	Total.
Horses or Yaboos ..	Outriders	5	..	5
Ordnance Mules ..	Ordnance	12	6	18
	Carriages	12	6	18
	Wheels	12	6	18
	Ammunition	42	6	48
	Spare carriage	2	..	2
	Wheels of spare carriage	2	..	2
	Entrenching tools	2	..	2
	Artificers' tools	3	1	4
	Total ..	87	25	112
Baggage Mules or Ponies).	To battery stores, half wroughts, &c.	6	..	6
	Treasure-chest and ghurry	1	..	1
	Veterinary medicines	2	..	2
	Hospital trunks	3	..	3
	Messing or cooking pots for Natives	3	..	3
	Men's kits*	36	..	36
	Tents†	15	..	15
	Total ..	66	..	66

* On ordinary occasions one animal to four Europeans or six Native fighting-men, or for every eight camp-followers.
† Three to two tents, or, if the special light tent referred to at page 164, Regulations for the Equipment of the Army in India, is used, three to four tents.

No. 608 *of* 1881.—Major R. C. Evanson, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, British Burmah, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the regulated subsidiary leave, embarking from Rangoon, Calcutta or Madras.

Ootacamund, 1st September 1881.

No. 609 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain S. R. Rawlinson, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, *vice* Captain W. Cooke, Acting Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class. Dated 29th April 1881.

Ootacamund, 2nd September 1881.

No. 610 *of* 1881.—Captain A. M. Hooper, of the Madras Volunteer Guards, is granted leave of absence to proceed to Europe for four months, from the 7th September 1881.

No. 611 *of* 1881.—In G.O.G. No. 314, dated 23rd April 1881, transferring 2nd-Class Apothecary J. McDiarmid, of the Subordinate Medical Department, to the Pension Establishment in India, *for* 15th April 1881, *read* 29th April 1881.

Ootacamund, 3rd September 1881.

No. 612 *of* 1881.—Major A. G. Hutchins, General List, Infantry, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Ceded Districts, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India, for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 613 *of* 1881.—The following appointment is made in the Bangalore Volunteer Rifle Corps :—

Mr. J. J. O'Connell to be Lieutenant, No. 5 Company.

Ootacamund, 5th September 1881.

No. 614 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

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

Majors { Hugh Patrick Rolston Francis Crawfurd .. .. From the 1st September 1881.
Majors { Robert Stephens Jago .. .. From the 4th „ „

No. 615 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Lieutenant and Officiating Assistant Commissary F. Clark to be Assistant Commissary; Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Glen to be Deputy Assistant Commissary; Officiating Conductor T. Evans to be Conductor, and Officiating Sub-Conductor H. Rourke to be Sub-Conductor, from the 1st September 1881, *vice* Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary H. Briggs, pensioned

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No. 616 *of* 1881.—First-Class Apothecary Richard James Ramsbottom, of the Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India," from the 15th September 1881, on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem.

No. 617 *of* 1881.—Conductor C. McQuire, Ordnance Department, is allowed leave in India (m.c.) until the 18th February 1882, under the Regulations of 1875.

Ootacamund, 6th September 1881.

No. 618 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 9th August 1881, is republished :—

India Office, 9th August 1881.

Her Majesty has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Services made by the Governments in India :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Charles Lewis Raikes. Dated 8th June 1881.
Major George Baillie Farrington. Dated 9th June 1881.
Major William Charles Plant. Dated 9th June 1881.
Major Peter Arding VanHomrigh. Dated 12th June 1881.
Major Horace Francis deLousada. Dated 20th June 1881.
Major William Chisholm. Dated 25th June 1881.

To be Major.

Captain Thomas Price. Dated 7th June 1881.

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BREVET.

To be Major.

Captain James Turner Cummins, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th June 1881.

No. 619 *of* 1881.—**Indian Medical Service Candidates—Rank.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th August 1881, is republished :—

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 459.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following Royal Warrant, dated 6th July 1881, conferring the title of Surgeon on Probation and the relative rank of Lieutenant on candidates for the Indian Medical Service on their joining the Army Medical School :—

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

Whereas We deem it expedient, with a view to the assimilation of the grades of Our Indian Medical Service to those of Our Army Medical Department, to provide for the appointments to Our Indian Medical Service being, in the first instance, made on probation.

Our Will and Pleasure is that, from and after the date of this Our Warrant,—

1. The grades of Medical Officers in Our Indian Military Forces shall be six in number, the undermentioned grade being added to those enumerated in Article One of Our Warrant of the 16th November 1880, viz. :—

6. Surgeon on Probation.

2. A Surgeon on Probation shall have the relative rank of Lieutenant.

Given at Our Court at Windsor, this sixth day of July, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one in the forty-fifth year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,
HARTINGTON.

No. 620 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 20th August 1881, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 18th August 1881.

No. 1577 *G.-G.*—Lieutenant J. M. Clements, Officiating Wing Officer and Adjutant of the Erinpura Irregular Force, is appointed to officiate temporarily as Political Assistant, 3rd Class, and is posted as an Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent in Rajputana, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting 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 portion of 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.	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.		1881.	
1	Henry Arthur Fletcher.	Military.	8th Foot, Pro., S.C.	Lieutenant.	Madras ..	26th April 1881.	266 1 5	Not known.	Deposited 8th Aug.	1

Ootacamund, 3rd September 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Department.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 7th September 1881.

No. 621 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

List No. 32, *dated* 12*th August* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c., &c.:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Houghton, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. E. Evans-Gordon, Staff Corps.
Colonel T. S. Hawks, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant S. W. Jervis, Staff Corps .. .. 2 months, m.c.

The extension of leave to Major H. R. Hope, reported in list* No. 31 of 5th August, was for six *weeks*, not six *months*.

TRANSFERRED TO HALF PAY LIST, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Major G. Thomas, Staff Corps, 16th September 1881.

* G.O.G. No. 598, dated 26th August 1881.

No. 622 *of* 1881.—With reference to the Public Department Notification, dated 7th September 1881, the services of Surgeon A. F. Dobson, M.B., of the Indian Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

Ootacamund, 8th September 1881.

No. 623 *of* 1881.—Major R. C. Evanson, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, British Burmah, is permitted to embark from Bombay, on the furlough (p.a.) granted to him in G.O.G. No. 608, dated 31st August 1881.

No. 624 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private William Wiseman, 2nd Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers (late 2nd Battalion, 7th Foot). } Lahore.

Ootacamund, 9th September 1881.

No. 625 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

List No. 33, *dated* 19*th August* 1881.

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.

Major M. Protheroe, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major J. H. M. Barnett, Staff Corps .. .. 2 months, m.c.
Conductor J. Chatham, Ordnance Department .. .. 3 months, m.c.

RETIREMENT, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Deputy Surgeon-General H. R. Oswald, M.D., 15th August 1881.

No. 626 *of* 1881.—Major E. H. Eyre, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Centre District, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 627 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 259, dated 4th April 1881, Mr. Francis Joseph Doyle is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment from the 14th April 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 628 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department:—

Sub-Conductor J. J. Harrington to be Officiating Conductor, and Store Serjeant Frederick Bradbury to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, from the 17th August 1881, *vice* McQuire, on leave (m.c.) in India.

Ootacamund, 10*th September* 1881.

No. 629 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Colonel) G. H. M. Aynsley, Staff Corps, will be entitled to the Colonel's allowance from the 13th September 1881, under the provisions of paragraph 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808* of 1866.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 374, dated 12th October 1866.

Ootacamund, 13*th September* 1881.

No. 630 *of* 1881.—G.O.G. No. 334, dated 2nd May 1881, permitting Lieutenant W. T. H. Holmes to resign his Commission in the "Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery, is cancelled.

No. 631 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant W. T. H. Holmes, "Duke's Own" Volunteer Artillery, is granted leave of absence (p.a.), retrospectively, from the 2nd May 1881 to this date.

No. 632 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private George Deller, 2nd Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers (late 2nd Battalion, 7th Foot). } Ballarat, Australia.

No. 633 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th August 1881, is republished:—

India Office, 12*th August* 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Edward Henry Power, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 27th May 1881.

* * * *

Surgeon-Major William Henry Harris, M.D., of the Madras Army. Dated 1st July 1881.

Surgeon-Major Samuel Jardine Wyndowe, M.D., of the Madras Army. Dated 15th June 1881.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-Generals.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Edward Henry Power, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 27th May 1881.

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No. 634 *of* 1881.—**Medals—Afghanistan.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th August 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 899 of 1880:—

MEDALS.

No. 472.—With reference to paragraph 2 of G.G.O. No. 673 of 1880, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the extension of the grant of the bronze decoration given in commemoration of the march from Kabul to Kandahar in August 1880, to the troops which then composed the garrison of Khelat-i-Ghilzai and accompanied the force under the command of Lieutenant-General Sir F. S. Roberts, G.C.B., V.C., from that place to Kandahar.

No. 635 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th August 1881, is republished:—

REWARDS.

No. 477.—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:—

From the 30th January 1881, in room of Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) A. Drury, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

BREVET-COLONEL (BRIGADIER-GENERAL) HARRY NORTH DALRYMPLE PRENDERGAST, C.B., V.C., ROYAL (LATE MADRAS) ENGINEERS.

Dates of Commissions.

Second-Lieutenant	8th June 1854.
Lieutenant	27th April 1858
Second-Captain	7th ,, 1863.
Brevet-Major	8th ,, ,,
Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel	15th August 1868.
Captain	24th March 1871.
Major	5th July 1872.
Brevet-Colonel	30th January 1875.
Lieutenant-Colonel	17th April 1878.

Appointments.

Officiating Adjutant, Madras Sappers	7th October 1856.
Second Assistant Engineer, Public Works Department	29th ,, ,,
Second Assistant District Engineer, Public Works Department	20th September 1859.
Assistant Field Engineer in Malwa and Central India	20th November ,,
Acting First Assistant District Engineer, Public Works Department	11th March 1863.
Assistant Engineer, 2nd Class, Public Works Department	23rd June 1863.
Acting Assistant Engineer, 1st Class, Public Works Department	30th ,, ,,
Assistant Engineer, 1st Class, Public Works Department	24th May 1864.
Acting Executive Engineer, 3rd Class	13th September 1864.
Executive Engineer, 4th Grade	28th April 1865.
Deputy Consulting Engineer for Railways	1st September 1865.
Field Engineer, Abyssinia	12th December 1867.
Acting Consulting Engineer for Railways	22nd July 1868.
Officiating Commandant, Sappers and Miners	7th January 1869.
Commandant, Sappers and Miners	15th October 1870.
Commanding Sappers, Indian Expeditionary Force, Malta	27th May 1878.
Commanding troops, Cyprus	16th July ,,
Brigadier-General Commanding Malabar and Canara	9th September 1880.

War Services.

Served with the Madras Sappers and Miners in Persia in 1857, and was present at the bombardment of Mohumrah (medal with clasp); served as Assistant Field Engineer with the Malwa Field Force in 1857, and with the Central India Field Force under Sir Hugh Rose in 1858; took part in the sieges of Dhar (thanked by Commander-in-Chief of Bombay), Ratghur, Gorakota and Jhansi; was present at nearly all the battles and minor affairs of the above forces, till the capture of Calpee (medal with clasp, and brevet majority); received the Victoria Cross for distinguished bravery, first, at the battle of Mundesore (thanked in despatches); severely wounded; secondly, at the battle of the Bena near Ratghur (specially mentioned in despatches), horse shot; thirdly, at the battle of Betwa (mentioned by Sir Hugh Rose for his merit and gallantry as devoted as they were unostentatious), severely wounded. Commanded the detachment of three companies, Madras Sappers and Miners, in Abyssinia, was Field Engineer during the advance, and was present at the action before Magdala (mentioned in despatches as having rendered singularly valuable and important services) (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel and medal).

From the 4th April 1881, in room of Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) W. A. Gib, C.B., succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL (BREVET-COLONEL) FRANCIS DAWSON, C.B., MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Dates of Commissions.

Ensign	26th July 1844.
Lieutenant	7th June 1847.
Captain	23rd March 1855.
Brevet-Major	26th July 1864.
Major	26th ,, ,,
Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel	1st March 1870.
Lieutenant-Colonel	26th July ,,
Brevet-Colonel	1st March 1875.

Appointments.

Assistant Executive Camel-Officer, Lower Sind	1846.
Executive in charge of hill road to Dalhousie, in the Himalayas	Not known.
Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Southern Division	22nd June 1858.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate-General, Southern Division	7th March 1864.
Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate-General, Central Division	8th May 1867.
Acting Assistant Quartermaster-General, Pegu Division	14th January 1868.
Acting Deputy Judge Advocate-General, Ceded Districts	14th July ,,
Officiating Assistant Quartermaster-General, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force	16th September 1869.
Assistant Quartermaster-General, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force	27th January 1870.
Wing Officer, 1st Native Infantry	17th December 1874.
Officiating 2nd-in-Command, 1st Native Infantry	18th ,, ,,
Second-in-Command, 1st Native Infantry	15th February 1875.
Officiating Commandant, 1st Native Infantry	3rd May ,,
Officiating Commandant, 13th Native Infantry	11th September 1876.
Commandant, 13th Native Infantry	10th November ,,
Do. 1st ,,	22nd June 1877.
Do. 9th ,,	11th October 1880.

War Services.

Served in the Afghan Campaign, 1879-80.

From the 4th April 1881, in room of Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Sir C. P. Keyes, K.C.B., succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL (BREVET-COLONEL) ANDREW ROBERT CLEPHANE, MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Dates of Commissions.

Ensign	29th December 1844.
Lieutenant	14th June 1847.
Brevet-Captain	29th December 1859.
Captain	18th February 1861.
Major	29th December 1864.
Lieutenant-Colonel	29th ,, 1870.
Colonel	29th ,, 1875.

Appointments.

Acting Adjutant, 24th Regiment Native Infantry	6th July 1852.
Adjutant, 24th Regiment Native Infantry	24th August 1853.
Brigade-Major, 1st Brigade, 1st Division, Turkish Contingent	29th June 1855.
Adjutant, No. 1 Native Infantry Recruiting Depôt	3rd December 1857.
Adjutant, Madras Infantry Volunteer Guards	20th May 1859.
Brigade-Major, Bellary	24th January 1860.
Acting Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Northern Division	14th ,, 1862.
Brigade-Major, Thayetmyo	11th April ,,
Wing Officer, 34th Infantry	1st ,, 1867.
Officiating 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, 34th Infantry	7th February 1868.
Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General	16th December ,,
Officiating Brigade-Major, Bellary	12th October ,,
Officiating Deputy Adjutant-General	1st November 1870.
Assistant Adjutant-General at Head-quarters	29th September 1871.
Officiating Deputy Adjutant-General	12th February 1875.
Deputy Adjutant-General	3rd December 1876.
Officiating Adjutant-General	24th February 1880.
Deputy Adjutant-General	30th August ,,

War Services.

Served in Turkey and the Crimea as Brigade-Major of the Turkish Contingent, 1855-56 (medal).

No. 636 *of* 1881.—**Complimentary Order—Evacuation of Kabul.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th August 1881, is republished :—

SPECIAL.

No. 479.—The Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

MILITARY,
No. 245.

INDIA OFFICE ;
London, 21*st July* 1881.

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

MY LORD MARQUIS,

Para. 1. I have received and considered in Council your Military letter No. 52, dated 7th February 1881, forwarding reports describing the arrangements made for the withdrawal of the British troops from Kabul and the upper portion of the Khyber in August 1880, and expressing the high estimation in which you hold the services of Lieutenant-General Sir D. M. Stewart, G.C.B., under whose orders the retirement took place.

2. I have perused these papers with great interest, and have noticed with satisfaction the testimony borne to the excellent conduct of the troops during the evacuation. The arrangements for the passage of the different columns appear to have been carried out most successfully by all to whom the duties of directing the movement were entrusted, and I fully concur in the opinion you have expressed that the mode in which the retirement was effected reflects the highest credit on Lieutenant-General Sir Donald Stewart and the officers and men under him.

3. A copy of this correspondence will be transmitted for the information of the Secretary of State for War and His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief.

I have, &c.,
HARTINGTON.

No. 637 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 27th August 1881, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 26*th August* 1881.

No. 404.—Surgeon J. J. Moran, M.D., Madras Army, is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Akola in Berar, *vice* Surgeon T. Hume, transferred to Amraoti.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 15th September 1881.

No. 638 *of* 1881.—Captain R. E. C. Jarvis, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment, is permitted, at his own request, to resign the appointment of Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Ceded Districts, from the 30th September 1881.

Ootacamund, 16th September 1881.

No. 639 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Surgeon-Major J. Houston, M.D., Indian Medical Department, to be Brigade-Surgeon, *vice* Wyndowe, retired. Dated 15th June 1881.

No. 640 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

List No. 34, *dated* 26*th August* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c., &c.:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major J. W. Macdougall, Staff Corps.
Captain A. Awdry, Royal Engineers.
Sub-Conductor W. Hyde, Public Works Department.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant H. W. E. Georges, Staff Corps .. .. .. 3 months, m.c.

RETIREMENT, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Surgeon-Major H. J. Beach, 31st August 1881.

No. 641 *of* 1881.—The following extract from a Military despatch from the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is published:—

Despatch No. 47, *dated* 25*th August* 1881.

Para. 1. The undermentioned candidates, having completed a 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 bearing date the 2nd April 1881:—

Arthur George Edward Newland.
Arthur Theophilus Lodge Patch.
Ronald Ross.
Charles Adams.
Edward Ronald Da Costa.
Jamshedji Karshedji Kanga.
Alfred James O'Hara.

2. They will be entitled to count as service for full pay pension the period of their residence at the Army Medical School, from the 2nd April to the 1st August 1881, inclusive.

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Ootacamund, 17th September 1881.

No. 642 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Major Montague Protheroe, C.S.I., Deputy Superintendent, Port Blair and the Nicobars. } Arrived at Bombay on the 12th September 1881.

No. 643 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 259, dated 4th April 1881, Mr. Gerard Macklin Eccles McKee is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment, from the 14th April 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 644 *of* 1881.—Captain J. Haddock, Bangalore Rifle Volunteer Corps, is granted leave of absence (p.a.) for six months, from the 26th August 1881, in extension of furlough for two years.

No. 645 *of* 1881.—The following alterations of rank and promotions are made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

Second-Class Apothecary H. Wells to take rank, *vice* McDiarmid, pensioned. Dated 29th April 1881.

Second-Class Apothecary E. Gillson to take rank, *vice* Wells, seconded. Dated 29th April 1881.

First-Class Assistant Apothecary I. McDermott to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, *vice* Thomas, deceased. Dated 2nd September 1881.

First-Class Assistant Apothecary S. E. Carrapeitt to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, *vice* McDermott, seconded. Dated 2nd September 1881.

First-Class Assistant Apothecary F. Green to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, and Passed Hospital Apprentice R. H. Nailer to be 2nd-Class Assistant Apothecary, *vice* Ramsbottom, pensioned. Dated 15th September 1881.

No. 646 *of* 1881.—Conductor J. McGowan, of the Barrack Department, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

Ootacamund, 20th September 1881.

No. 647 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Colonel S. H. E. Chamier, Royal Artillery, to be Inspector-General of Ordnance, *vice* Major-General R. Cadell, C.B., whose tour of office expires on the 23rd September 1881.

Colonel H McLeod, Royal Artillery, to be Superintendent of the Gun Carriage Factory, *vice* Colonel Chamier, promoted.

These appointments are subject to any future changes in organization.

No. 648 *of* 1881.—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.
3rd Regt. L.I. ..	Jemadar Govindoo .. .. .. Havildar, No. 246, Mahomed Hoosman ..	Subadar .. .. Jemadar	1st August 1881.

No. 649 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 23rd August 1881, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd August 1881.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Gordon Thomson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 14th June 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Ross Church, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 14th June 1881.

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No. 650 *of* 1881.—**Pensions—Officers—Staff Corps and Indian Forces.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd September 1881, is republished:—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 489.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following revised scales of pensions for Officers of the Indian Staff Corps and the Indian Forces, to take effect from the 1st July 1881.

2. For the purposes of these pension rules, which will be known as those of 1881, Officers will be divided into four classes, viz.,—

I. Officers who entered the Staff Corps prior to or on the 12th September 1866.

II. Officers of the late Indian Cavalry and Infantry who have not joined the Staff Corps, commonly known as Officers of the Local Service.

III. Officers on the General List, who entered the service under "new conditions of appointment," and who have not subsequently joined the Staff Corps.

IV. Officers who have entered the Staff Corps since the 12th September 1866.

3. The pensions for Classes I and II will be—

	Pension. £
After 20 years' service	288
,, 24 ,, ,, ...	420
,, 28 ,, ,, ...	571
,, 32 ,, ,, ...	783

4. The existing regulation which gives to these classes certain rates of pension after 35 years' and 38 years' service will thus become inoperative.

5. The conditions of retirement offered in G.G.O. No. 1 of 1st January 1881, will not be renewed.

6. The pensions for Officers in Classes III and IV will be—

	Pension. £
After 20 years' service	250
,, 24 ,, ,, ...	365
,, 28 ,, ,, ...	500
,, 32 ,, ,, ...	700
,, 38 ,, ,, (as now)	750

7. Furlough service for pension will continue to be governed by the furlough regulations under which each officer may be serving.

8. The senior officers of Classes III and IV will succeed to Colonel's allowances as soon as they have completed 12 years as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, until the number of officers in receipt of the allowances is equal to one-thirtieth of the whole of the officers in their respective lists in each Presidency, and thenceforward the number of Colonel's allowances then enjoyed by officers of that class shall be considered as the fixed establishment to which officers are to succeed by seniority as vacancies arise. For the purposes of this scheme, all the officers of Class III of all three Presidencies will be placed on one list. The establishment will be ascertained by the number of officers remaining on that amalgamated list on the day the senior officer completes 12 years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel.

9. No Colonel's allowances will be granted to any officer joining the Staff Corps as a probationer after the 1st of July 1881.

10. Pension regulations for officers entering the Staff Corps henceforward will be notified hereafter.

11. Officers will be allowed to commute a portion, not exceeding one-third, of their pensions, and this commutation may take place at any time and not merely on retirement.

12. In every case the capitalized sum will be payable in rupees in India, the sterling sum being converted at the official rate of exchange for the year in which the payment is made.

13. Full power is reserved to the Secretary of State for India to temporarily suspend or limit retirement, whenever it may appear to him necessary in the interests of the public service to do so.

No. 651 *of* 1881.—**Pensions—Officers—Veterinary Department.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd August 1881, is republished :—

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 492.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that the following will be the scale of pensions for the officers of the Indian Veterinary Department :—

	£
After 25 years' service, including 3 years' furlough or leave of absence ..	350
After 30 years' service, including 4 years' furlough or leave of absence ..	450

2. The commutation of a portion of the pension not exceeding one-third, as sanctioned for combatant officers, will be allowed under the same conditions to officers of the Veterinary Department, such commutation being allowed to take place at any time and not merely on retirement.

3. In every case the capitalized sum will be payable in rupees in India, the sterling sum being converted at the official rate of exchange for the year in which the payment is made.

4. The new scale of pensions will have effect from the 1st July 1881.

No. 652 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 3rd September 1881, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 1st September 1881.

No. 1644*G.-G.*—Lieutenant-Colonel P. D. Henderson, C.S.I., General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thuggee and Dacoity, is granted privilege leave of absence for two months and twenty-seven days, with effect from the 6th October 1881.

The 2nd September 1881.

No. 1651*G.-G.*—Lieutenant E. E. M. Lawford, of the 1st Regiment Madras Light Cavalry, is appointed to officiate as Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, and is posted to the Central India Agency as an Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

No. 1654*G.-G.*—Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Thomson, Madras Staff Corps, is appointed to officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge of the civil and military stations of Bangalore, with effect from the 30th August, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Cole, on furlough.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 22nd September 1881.

No. 653 *of* 1881.—With reference to Public Department Notification, dated 22nd September 1881, the services of Surgeon-Major D. C. McAllum, M.D., Indian Medical Department, are re-placed at the disposal of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief.

No. 654 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

GENERAL LIST, CAVALRY.

Captain Charles May Allen Morant having completed twenty years' service, to be Major. Dated 20th September 1881.

No. 655 *of* 1881.—The following movements are ordered, in substitution of those published in G.O.G. No. 484, dated 7th July 1881:—

Royal Artillery.

	From	To
No. 4 Battery 8th Brigade	Thayetmyo	Fort St. George.
No. 7 do. 8th do.	Toungoo	St. Thomas' Mount.
No. 12 do. 8th do.	Fort St. George	England.
No. 4 do. 9th do.	Rangoon	Toungoo.
No. 7 do. 9th do.	England	Thayetmyo.
No. 9 do. 9th do.	Do.	Rangoon.
No. 19 do. 9th do.	St. Thomas' Mount	Aden.

British Infantry.

Half of 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).	Fort St. George	Bellary.
2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.	Cannanore	Thayetmyo and Toungoo.
1st do. Royal Scots Fusiliers	Secunderabad	England.
2nd do. do. do.	Natal	Secunderabad.
2nd do. Hampshire Regiment	Bangalore	Cannanore.
1st do. Oxfordshire Light Infy.	Thayetmyo and Toungoo	Bangalore.
1st do. Essex Regiment	Thayetmyo	Fort St. George.

Native Cavalry.

2nd Regiment	Kamptee	Bellary.
4th do.	Bellary	Kamptee.

Sappers and Miners.

B Company	Bangalore	Secunderabad.
F do.	Rangoon	Bangalore.
G do.	Bangalore	Secunderabad.
H do.	Secunderabad	Rangoon.

Native Infantry.

6th Regiment	Trichinopoly	Cannanore.
10th do.	Madras	Mercara and French Rocks.
19th do.	Pallávaram	Cannanore.
22nd do.	Rangoon	Madras.
28th do.	Secunderabad	Thayetmyo.
31st do.	Thayetmyo	Secunderabad.
34th do.	Cannanore	Trichinopoly.
40th do.	Mercara and French Rocks	Rangoon.

No. 656 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant C. Robbins, of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteer Corps, is permitted to resign his commission, at his own request.

No. 657 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Private William Wingfield, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment .. .. Madras.

Ootacamund, 23rd September 1881.

No. 658 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Surgeon-Major D. C. McAllum, M.D., Indian Medical Department, Zillah Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Tinnevelly. } Arrived at Madras on the 11th September 1881.

Ootacamund, 24th September 1881.

No. 659 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. W. Bruce, Infantry, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Secunderabad. Dated 31st August 1881.

No. 660 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

List No. 35, *dated 2nd September* 1881.

Surgeon-Major D. F. Bateman.
Major J. T. Cummins, Staff Corps.
Sub-Conductor H. Hann, Commissariat Department.
Surgeon C. Mallins.

Ootacamund, 26th September 1881.

No. 661 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

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

Majors { Charles Dyneley Baynes .. .. .. From the 21st September 1881.
Majors { Francis Weldon .. .. } From the 26th " "
Majors { Herbert Augustus Tierney Nepean .. .. }

No. 662 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Driver Matthew Skey, B Battery B. Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery .. .. Coonoor.

Ootacamund, 27th September 1881.

No. 663 *of* 1881.—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 Regt. N.I. ..	{ Jemadar Sheik Chand .. .. Havildar, No. 288, Mahomed Ghulub	Subadar .. .. Jemadar	11th August 1881.

No. 664 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 30th August 1881, is republished :—

India Office, 30th August 1881.

The following admissions to the Indian Medical Service have been approved by Her Majesty :—

To be Surgeons. Dated 2nd April 1881 :—

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MADRAS.

Arthur George Edward Newland.
Arthur Theophilus Lodge Patch.
Ronald Ross.
Charles Adams.
Edward Ronald Da Costa.
Jamshedji Karshedji Kanga.
Alfred James O'Hara.

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No. 665 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th September 1881, is republished :—

No. 494.—PERSONAL STAFF—

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to make the following appointments on His Excellency's Personal Staff :—

To be Honorary Surgeons.

Surgeon-General W. R. Cornish, C.I.E., Indian Medical Service, Madras Establishment.

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No. 666 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th September 1881, is republished :—

No. 496.—MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT—

Major C. G. Cautley, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, to be Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade.

Major M. A. Rowlandson, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade.

Major H. F. Woodcock, Military Accountant, 3rd Class, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade.

Lieutenant H. F. Cadell, Assistant Military Accountant, to be Military Accountant, 3rd Class.

Major J. S. F. Mackenzie, Assistant Military Accountant, to be Military Accountant, 3rd Class.

With effect from the 3rd July 1881, *vice* Colonel C. L. Brown, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade, retired, and to fill an existing vacancy in the 3rd Class.

No. 667 *of* 1881.—**Pensions—Indian Medical Service.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th September 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 400 of 1881 :—

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 512.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct, with reference to paragraph 5 of G.G.O. No. 279 of 1881, that furlough service for pension in the Indian Medical Service will continue to be governed by the furlough regulations under which each officer may be serving.

No. 668 *of* 1881.—**Pensions—Warrant Officers.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th September 1881, is republished :—

No. 514.—WARRANT OFFICERS—

Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following revised scale of pensions for warrant officers of Her Majesty's Indian Army, to take effect from the 1st September 1881.

2. The distinction between the invalid pension, which can be drawn only in India, and the retiring pension, will be abolished.

3. The periods of service entitling warrant officers to retiring pensions will be as follows :—

24 years' total service in Europe and India, including 16 years in the department.
26 years' total service in Europe and India, including 14 years in the department.
28 years' total service in Europe and India, including 12 years in the department.

4. The retiring pensions will be—

	England or the Colonies. Per annum.	India. Per mensem.
	£	Rs.
Deputy Commissary	216	200
Assistant Commissary	144	140
Deputy Assistant Commissary	108	100
Conductor	90	85
Sub-Conductor	72	70

5. A warrant officer of any grade, wishing to retire after 21 years' total service, will receive a pension of £54 per annum in England or the Colonies, or Rupees 50 per mensem in India.

6. A warrant officer declared by a Medical Board to be unfit for further service in India, after completion of half the periods of service, army and departmental, laid down in paragraph 3, will receive—

	England or the Colonies. Per annum.	India. Per mensem.
	£	Rs.
Deputy Commissary	172	160
Assistant Commissary	115	110
Deputy Assistant Commissary	86	80
Conductor	72	68
Sub-Conductor	58	56

If he has served less than half the prescribed periods, but more than 14 years altogether, he will receive—

	England or the Colonies. Per annum.	India. Per mensem.
	£	Rs.
Deputy Commissary	115	110
Assistant Commissary	86	80
Deputy Assistant Commissary	72	68
Conductor	58	56
Sub-Conductor	43	40

If he has not served 14 years altogether, his case will be specially considered.

7. A warrant officer, whose disqualification for further service in India has been caused by intemperance or irregular habits, will, if he has served half the periods of service, army and departmental, laid down in paragraph 3, receive—

	England or the Colonies. Per annum.	India. Per mensem.
	£	Rs.
Deputy Commissary	130	120
Assistant Commissary	86	85
Deputy Assistant Commissary	65	60
Conductor	54	50
Sub-Conductor	43	42

If he has served less than half the prescribed periods, but more than 14 years altogether, he will receive—

	England or the Colonies. Per annum.	India. Per mensem.
	£	Rs.
Deputy Commissary	86	85
Assistant Commissary	65	60
Deputy Assistant Commissary	54	50
Conductor	43	42
Sub-Conductor	32	30

If he has not served 14 years altogether, his case will be specially considered.

8. Retirement will be compulsory at the age of 55 years: and all warrant officers of that age now in the service will be required to retire at the expiration of one year from the date of this order.

9. All warrant officers at present on the establishment will be allowed the option of electing the old or the new scale of pensions at any time previous to retirement.

10. Pension, according to the present scale and conditions, is admissible to the widow of a warrant officer who may die, either while in the service or on the Pension establishment, provided, in the latter case, that she married the deceased warrant officer previous to his retiring from the army or being invalided.

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No. 669 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th September 1881, is republished:—

No. 516.—Military Accounts Department—

Major H. G. Pritchard, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade, to be Military Accountant, 1st Class, 1st Grade.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Hunt, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, to be Military Accountant, 1st Class, 2nd Grade.

Captain G. W. Sawyer, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 1st Grade.

Major C. T. P. Luxmoore, Military Accountant, 3rd Class, to be Military Accountant, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade.

Captain R. T. Hawkes, Assistant Military Accountant, to be Military Accountant, 3rd Class.

With effect from the 31st August 1881, *vice* Colonel G. J. D. Hay, Military Accountant, 1st Class, 1st Grade, deceased.

No. 670 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th and 17th September 1881, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Establishments.

Simla, the 9th September 1881.

No. 284.—In consequence of Colonel H. A. Browne, Commissioner of Pegu, having vacated his appointment on the 29th June 1881, on succeeding to Colonel's allowances, the following promotions are made in the British Burmah Commission :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Street, Secretary to the Chief Commissioner and Officiating Commissioner of Pegu, to be confirmed in his appointment, *vice* Colonel H. A. Browne.

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No. 285.—In consequence of the creation of the Commissionership of the Irrawaddy Division, the following promotions are made in the British Burmah Commission, with effect from the 6th July 1881 :—

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Major G. A. Strover, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 1st Grade, to be confirmed in his appointment.

Major W. G. Hughes, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, to be confirmed in his appointment.

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Captain B. A. N. Parrott, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Grade, to be Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

General.

The 16th September 1881.

No. 1745*G.-G.*—

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Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Bell, Judicial Commissioner, to officiate as Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, *vice* Mr. W. B. Jones.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 29th September 1881.

No. 671 *of* 1881.—Colonel H. McLeod, Royal Artillery, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance until further orders, without prejudice to his appointment as Superintendent of the Gun Carriage Factory.

No. 672 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) R. Q. Mainwaring, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 673 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor R. A. Norris, of the Commissariat Department, is allowed leave in India (m.c.) for six months, under the Regulations of 1875.

Ootacamund, 1st October 1881.

No. 674 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Surgeons-Major, having completed 12 *years' service.*

Surgeons	David Sinclair, M.B.	Dated 1st October 1881.
	John North	
	Edward Fawcett, F.R.C.S.I.	
	W. Joseph Hastings, M.D., M.CH.	
	Thomas Charles Howell Spencer	
	Henry George Hall	

Ootacamund, 3rd October 1881.

No. 675 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Lieutenant-Colonel I. Ketchen, R.A., Superintendent of the Gun Powder Factory, to officiate as Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Lane, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 1st Class, to officiate as Superintendent of the Gun Powder Factory.

Major V. C. Fisher, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class, to officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, 1st Class.

Major C. W. Brereton, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, to officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class.

No. 676 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY.

Captain Frederick Thomas Powis, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major. Dated 2nd October 1881.

Ootacamund, 4th October 1881.

No. 677 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Charles Aylmer Liardet, having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th October 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 5th October 1881.

No. 678 *of* 1881.—The following movements are ordered, in addition to those notified in G.O.G. No. 655, dated 22nd September 1881:—

British Cavalry.

	From	To
12th Lancers	Secunderabad	Bangalore.
14th Hussars	Bangalore	Secunderabad.

Native Infantry.

35th Regiment	Banda and Nowgong.	Madras.

No. 679 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 36, *dated 9th September* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major H. Smalley, Royal Engineers.
Surgeon-Major J. J. L. Ratton.
Colonel C. E. Bates.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major J. S. Blaxland, Infantry .. .. 6 months, m.c.

No. 680 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 7419, Gunner John Edward Dowling, O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery, late Madras Artillery. } Hurdah, Central Provinces.

Ootacamund, 6th October 1881.

No. 681 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Colonel C. E. Bates, Staff Corps, Commandant, 16th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Bombay on the 2nd October 1881.

No. 682 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 6th October 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
3	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Charles Metcalfe Hailes.	Staff Corps.	456 5 0	....	4,969 0 0	England.

Ootacamund, 7th October 1881.

No. 683 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 37, *dated* 16*th September* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major Campbell Walker, Staff Corps.
Conductor John Nicholson, Public Works Department.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. N. Hunter, R.E., special leave extended.
Colonel A. C. Hay, Staff Corps .. .. 1 month, p.a.
Major Campbell Walker, Staff Corps .. .. 1 month, m.c.
Major A. T. Rolland, Staff Corps .. .. 6 months, m.c.

Ootacamund, 8th October 1881.

No. 684 *of* 1881.—Surgeon J. Maitland, M.B., M.C., Indian Medical Department, 6th Regiment Native Infantry, is appointed to act as Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras, during the absence and on the responsibility of Surgeon-Major Pearse, who is granted ninety days' privilege leave from date of departure.

Ootacamund, 10th October 1881.

No. 685 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor H. Rourke, of the Ordnance Department, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for two years, from the date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

Ootacamund, 11th October 1881.

No. 686 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor J. Ascott, of the Commissariat Department, to be Acting Conductor, *vice* Norris on leave (m.c.) in India. Dated 28th July 1881.

No. 687 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the place specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

Corporal Herbert Archer, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment .. .. } Bombay.
Private John Fitzgerald, 2nd do. do. .. .. }

No. 688 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 13th September 1881, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 13th September 1881.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:—

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Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Knowles, C.B., the Hampshire Regiment. Dated 29th August 1881.

India Office, 13th September 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces:—

* * * * *

Major Albert Dawson Phelps, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st July 1881.
Deputy Surgeon-General Henry Robert Oswald, M.D., of the Madras Army. Dated 15th August 1881.
Surgeon-Major Henry John Beach, of the Madras Army. Dated 31st August 1881.

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BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

* * * *

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Albert Dawson Phelps, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st July 1881.

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No. 689 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd. September 1881, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 525.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

* * * *

Lieutenant H. F. Cadell, Madras Staff Corps, Assistant Military Accountant, (m.c.) for one year, under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 690 *of* 1881.—**Pensions—Officers—Staff Corps and Indian Forces.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd September 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 650 of 1881 :—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 528.—In G.G.O. No. 489 of 1881, paragraph 3, *for* "After 24 years' service, £420," *read* "After 24 years' service, £430."

No. 691 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd September 1881, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 529.—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 of the Order of British India, from the dates specified :—

MADRAS.

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

Subadar-Major Audapah, "Bahadur," 21st Native Infantry, *vice* Pensioned Subadar Shaikh Emaum, "Sirdar Bahadur," deceased,—22nd March 1881.
Subadar Narrainsawmy, "Bahadur," 13th Native Infantry, *vice* Pensioned Subadar-Major Khadir Hoossain, "Sirdar Bahadur," deceased,—17th April 1881.

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

Subadar Moonesawmy, 1st Native Infantry, *vice* Subadar-Major Audapah, "Bahadur," promoted,—22nd March 1881.
Subadar-Major Ramasawmy, 26th Native Infantry, *vice* Pensioned Subadar Mahomed Moideen, "Bahadur," deceased,—7th April 1881.
Subadar-Major Abdoolah Khan, 35th Native Infantry, *vice* Narrainsawmy, "Bahadur," promoted,—17th April 1881.
Subadar-Major Mohdeen Khan, 4th Native Infantry, *vice* Pensioned Subadar Syed Guffoor, "Bahadur," deceased,—20th June 1881.

No. 692 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 24th September 1881, is republished :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 19th September 1881.

No. 305.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

* * * *

Major A. J. Filgate, R.E., Deputy Accountant-General and *ex-officio* Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department, to be Accountant-General and Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department, *vice* Colonel Innes, appointed Deputy Inspector-General of Military Works.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 12*th October* 1881.

No. 693 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

No. 2918, Private George Knowles, European Infantry Veteran Company, (late of the 105th Foot). } Vizagapatam.

No. 6939, Gunner Edward King, O Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery, (late 2nd Battalion Artillery). } Coonoor.

Ootacamund, 13*th October* 1881.

No. 694 *of* 1881.—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to re-appoint Brigadier-General H. H. O'Connell, Staff Corps, to be Quartermaster-General from the 5th November to the 31st December 1881, inclusive.

No. 695 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant George Steuart Kerrich, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Squadron Officer, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 8th May 1880, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 696 *of* 1881.—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.
5th Regt. N.I. ..	Havildar, No. 2405, Sied Audum	Jemadar	11th September 1881.
24th Regt. N.I. ..	Subadar Shaik Muctoom	Subadar-Major ..	1st October 1881.
	Jemadar Gunny Sing	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 209, Coondiah	Jemadar	

Ootacamund, 14*th October* 1881.

No. 697 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant Frederick Herbert Yate, 1st Battalion Royal Sussex Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 11th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 24th March 1880, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 698 *of* 1881.—Conductor John Grieveson, of the Remount Department, is transferred to the "Pension Establishment in India" from the 20th October 1881, on the invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem.

No. 699 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private Patrick Connally, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment .. .. Rajahmundry.

No. 700 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following scale of Mule and Pony Carriage for the Mountain Battery at Thayetmyo be substituted for that given in G.O.G. No. 607, dated 31st August 1881 :—

Cattle.	Purpose for which employed.	Saddled.	Spare.	Total.
Horses or Yaboos	Outriders	5	..	5
Ordnance Mules and Ponies	Ordnance (Mules)	12	6	18
	Carriages (Mules)	12	6	18
	Wheels (Mules)	12	6	18
	Ammunition (Ponies)	42	6	48
	Spare Carriage (Mules)	2	..	2
	Wheels of spare-carriage (Mules)	2	..	2
	Entrenching tools (Ponies)	2	..	2
	Artificers' tools (Ponies)	3	1	4
	Total ..	87	25	112
Baggage Ponies	To Battery Stores, half-wroughts, &c.	6	..	6
	Treasure Chest and ghurry	1	..	1
	Veterinary medicines	2	..	2
	Hospital trunks	3	..	3
	Messing or cooking pots for Natives	3	..	3
	Men's kits*	36	..	36
	Tents†	15	..	15
	Total ..	66	..	66

* On ordinary occasions one animal to four Europeans or six Native fighting men, or for every eight camp-followers.
† Three to two tents, or, if the special light tent referred to at page 164, Regulations for the Equipment of the Army in India, is used, three to four tents.

Ootacamund, 15th October 1881.

No. 701 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 38, *dated 23rd September* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major J. H. M. Barnett, Staff Corps.
Major C. J. Smith, Royal Engineers.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. Stoddart, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Brigade-Surgeon A. Sanderson, M.D. .. .. 2 months, m.c.
Major C. J. Smith, Royal Engineers .. .. 1 month, p.a.
Major R. T. Chapman, Infantry .. .. 3 months, m.c.

No. 702 *of* 1881.—Captain S. R. Rawlinson, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department in G.O.G.G. No. 531 of 1864, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 276, dated 22nd July 1864.

No. 703 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department :—

First-Class Assistant Apothecary C. R. Meneaud to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, *vice* Green, seconded. Dated 15th September 1881.

No. 704 *of* 1881.—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.
39th Regt. N.I. ..	Subadar Iyah Cunnay	Subadar-Major ..	1st October 1881.
	Jemadar Venkatsawmy	Subadar	
	Havildar, No. 61, Cawder Khawn	Jemadar	

Ootacamund, 17*th October* 1881.

No. 705 *of* 1881.—The services of Lieutenant H. F. S. Ramsden, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 10th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 706 *of* 1881.—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.
4th Regt. (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry.	Havildar, No. 1202, Mahomed Surwer	Jemadar	1st October 1881.

Ootacamund, 18*th October* 1881.

No. 707 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Private John Foren, 2nd Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers .. .. Melbourne, Australia.

No. 708 *of* 1881.—**Pay Code.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th October 1881, is republished :—

FUNDS.

No. 545.—With reference to notification of the Department of Finance and Commerce, No. 3339, dated the 30th September 1881, increasing the rates of contributions payable in India on account of Indian Service Family Pensions, the following corrections are made in the Pay Code for India, Volume I.

The revised rates will have effect from the 1st October 1881.

Article 2368.—After the words "Lieutenant-Colonels" in "Class II" *insert* the words "(see Article 2372)."

Article 2376, page 461, "Table III."—In the column headed "in India," *for* the figures—

RS.		RS.
4,000	*Substitute*	4,320
2,000	,,	2,160
1,000	,,	1,080
500	,,	540
250	,,	270

and *for* the figures—

RS.		RS.
750	*Substitute*	810
375	,,	405
250	,,	270
125	,,	135

Article 2377, page 463, "Table V."—In the column headed "In India," *for* the figures—

RS.		RS.
156	*Substitute*	168
250	,,	270

In "Table VI," in the column headed "In India," *for* the figures—

RS.		RS.	A.
50	*Substitute*	54	0
40	,,	43	3
30	,,	32	6
20	,,	21	10
10	,,	10	13

and *for* the figures—

RS.		RS.	A.
25	*Substitute*	27	0
16	,,	17	4
12	,,	12	15
7	,,	7	9
4	,,	4	5

In "Table VII," after the words "For a son" *add* "until 21,"; and after the words "For a daughter" *add* "until marriageable." In the column "In India" *for* the figures—

RS.	A.		RS.	A.
1	0	*Substitute*	1	1
2	8	,,	2	11

Article 2379.—Expunge the word "Military" in the last line.
Article 2388, Table VIII.—In the fourth column *for* "79" *substitute* "75."
Article 2400.—Expunge the word "Military" in the second line.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 19*th October* 1881.

No. 709 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. E. West, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 39th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under the Regulations of 1854, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 21*st October* 1881.

No. 710 *of* 1881.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Major A. F. Laughton, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class; Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Wright, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class; Captain W. H. M. Francklyn, General List, Infantry, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class; and Lieutenant L. J. Torrie, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to act as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, *vice* Colonel R. Q. Mainwaring, on furlough (m.c.) to Europe, or until further orders. Dated 9th October 1881.

No. 711 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Officer Commanding Malabar and Canara is confirmed:—

Dated 1*st October* 1881.—Appointing Captain W. A. Yule, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Malabar and Canara, to the charge of the Commissariat Office at Cannanore, without prejudice to his other duties, during the absence of Lieutenant L. J. Torrie, on inspection duty.

No. 712 *of* 1881.—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.
4th Regiment N. I...	Havildar, No. 800, Abdul Khader	Jemadar	11th September 1881.

Fort St. George, 22*nd October* 1881.

No. 713 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. W. Laughton, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, Hyderabad Assigned Districts. } Arrived at Bombay on the 17th October 1881.

Surgeon-Major D. F. Bateman, Indian Medical Department, 3rd Regiment Light Cavalry. } Arrived at Bombay on the 15th October 1881.

No. 714 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

No. 1006, Serjeant John Hamilton (Unattached List) Royal Artillery .. .. .. Madras.

Gunner Robert Langley, No. 4 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery, (late 4th Battalion Madras Artillery). } India.

Fort St. George, 25th October 1881.

No. 715 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 39, *dated 30th September* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Beeching, Infantry.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Euan-Smith, C.S.I., Infantry .. 6 months, M.C.

No. 716 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Commandant, Wellington Depôt, is confirmed :—

Dated 3rd October 1881.—Appointing Captain H. F. Hill, 1st Battalion Essex Regiment, to the charge of the Commissariat Office, Wellington, without prejudice to his other duties, during the absence (from 5th to 13th October, inclusive), of Captain Clark-Kennedy on inspection duty.

No. 717 *of* 1881.—G.O.G. No. 93, dated 5th February 1881, permitting Gunner James McManus, No. 7 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery, to reside and draw pay at St. Thomas' Mount, pending decision as to the amount of his pension, is cancelled.

No. 718 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 23rd September 1881, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd September 1881.

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MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Edgcome, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. Dated 17th August 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel Grenville Pulteney de Palezieux-Falconnet, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. Dated 17th August 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Norris Hunter, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. Dated 22nd August 1881.

India Office, 23rd September 1881.

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The following appointment to the Staff has been made by the Government of Madras :—

Major E. S. Skinner, Madras Staff Corps, to be Deputy Judge Advocate, *vice* Colonel Power, retired. Dated 27th May 1881.

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No. 719 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th October 1881, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 561.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officer to the 1st Class of the Order of British India from the date specified :—

MADRAS.

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

Subadar-Major Em Sing, "Bahadur," 28th Native Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Mahomed Cassim Syud, "Sirdar Bahadur," deceased,—20th August 1881.

No. 720 *of* 1881.—**Volunteer Corps—Rank.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th October 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 108 of 1878:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 563.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 121 of 1878, and in conformity with War Office Army Circular of 1881, Clause 209, it is notified that the rank of 2nd Lieutenant in the Volunteer Force in India is abolished from this date.

Officers serving in that rank on this date will be styled Lieutenants, but will continue to hold their appointments subject to passing the prescribed examinations under existing regulations.

First appointments to the rank of Subaltern Officer will, in future, be made to that of Lieutenant.

The present establishment of 2nd Lieutenants will, in future, form part of the establishment of Lieutenants, which will be increased by the previous authorised number of 2nd Lieutenants now added to it.

The tables of establishments in the Volunteer Regulations will be amended accordingly.

No. 721 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 15th October 1881, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

FORESTS.

Simla, the 11*th October* 1881.

No. 927*F.*—

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Major G. J. vanSomeren, Supernumerary Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade, in the Punjab, is appointed, as a temporary arrangement, to officiate as Conservator of Forests of the School Circle in the North-Western Provinces, and as Director of the Forest School, during the absence of Major Bailey, or until further orders.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The 10*th October* 1881.

No. 324.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in the Superior Account Establishment, with effect from the 20th September 1881:—

Names.	From	To	Nature of Promotion.
Major D. H. Trail, R.E.	Examiner, 3rd Class ..	Examiner, 2nd Class ..	Permanent.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. M. Moberly, Madras Staff Corps	Do. 3rd ,, ..	Do. 2nd ,, ..	Temporary.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 26th October 1881.

No. 722 *of* 1881.—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.
19th Regt. N.I.	Subadar Shaik Booden	Subadar-Major	1st September 1881.
	Jemadar Meer Allawoodeen	Subadar	1st September 1881.
	Do. Narrainsawmy	Do.	1st October 1881.
	Havildar, No. 1946, Unwar Ally	Jemadar	1st September 1881.
	Do. No. 2096, Venketachellum	Do.	1st October 1881.

Fort St. George, 27th October 1881.

No. 723 *of* 1881.—Colonel R. Farrer, Staff Corps, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Chicacole, is granted privilege leave for sixty days, from the 30th October 1881, or date of departure, Honorary Surgeon P. Kinsley performing the duties of the appointment on Colonel Farrer's responsibility.

No. 724 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Surgeon Clement Mallins, M.B., Indian Medical Department. — Arrived at Bombay on the 21st October 1881.

No. 725 *of* 1881.—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.
23rd Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Veerabudrah	Subadar	1st September 1881.
	Havildar, No. 423, Perryasawmy	Jemadar	1st September 1881.
	Do. No. 631, Shumsherdeen	Do.	2nd October „

Fort St. George, 28th October 1881.

No. 726 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 40, *dated 7th October* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Surgeon-Major J. F. Fitzpatrick, M.D.
Lieutenant S. W. Jervis, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant R. D. MacDonnell, Staff Corps .. .. .. 6 months, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. St. M. Wynch, Staff Corps .. .. 6 months, p.a.

No. 727 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major J. W. Macdougall, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, Central Provinces. — Arrived at Bombay on the 22nd October 1881.

No. 728 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor Edward Jackson, in charge of the Military Prison at Bangalore, is promoted to the rank of Conductor.

No. 729 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Serjeants of the Quartermaster-General's Department are promoted to the rank of Sub-Conductor :—

First-Class Barrack Serjeant		P. Kilcoin.
Do.	do.	J. Kirkwood.
Road Serjeant		J. Rowe.
First-Class Barrack Serjeant		C. Illingsworth.
Do.	do.	S. Ormsby.
Do.	do.	A. McGuinness.
Road Serjeant		G. Kennedy.

Fort St. George, 29th October 1881.

No. 730 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major Campbell Walker, Staff Corps, Deputy Conservator of Forests. — Arrived at Madras on the 27th October 1881.

No. 731 *of* 1881.—Conductor H. M. Harris of the Ordnance Department, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year from the date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 732 *of* 1881.—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.
15th Regt. N.I.	Jemadar Letchmiah	Subadar	1st October 1881.
	Havildar, No. 193, Rungasawmy	Jemadar	
25th ,, ,,	Jemadar Ghalib Khan	Subadar	11th August ,,
33rd ,, ,,	Havildar, No. 158, Gooroosawmy	Jemadar	
	Jemadar Atsut Khan	Subadar	20th June ,,

Fort St. George, 31st October 1881.

No. 733 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant Jenico E. Preston, 1st Battalion South Yorkshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 36th Regiment Native Infantry, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps from the 20th September 1880, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

Fort St. George, 1st November 1881.

No. 734 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 1st November 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
4	Lieutenant-Colonel Wheatley Robertson.	Staff Corps.	365 0 0	257 8 0	....	England.

No. 735 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 22nd November 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
5	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Oliver Swanston.	Staff Corps.	456 5 0	473 4 0	....	England.

No. 736 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

Corps.	Present Rank and Name.	To what Rank promoted.	Dates of Commission.
31st Regiment L.I.	Subadar Gunnaputty	Subadar-Major ..	11th September 1881.
	Jemadar Hoossain Sherriff	Subadar	21st July 1881.
	Do. Iyannah	Do.	11th September 1881.
	Havildar, No. 297, Manickum	Jemadar	21st July 1881.
	Do. No. 332, Syed Modeen	Do.	11th September 1881.
34th do. L.I.	Do. No. 1767, Kistiah	Do.	21st " "
38th do. N.I.	Subadar Shekh Emaum	Subadar-Major ..	11th September 1881.
	Jemadar Nundasawmy	Subadar	
	Do. Degumberoydoo	Do.	
	Do. Shekh Muckun	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 1901, Shekh Lalah	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 1915, Kumrodeen	Do.	
	Do. No. 2511, Pauncalsawmy	Do.	
41st do. N.I.	Do. No. 1984, Lutchiah	Do.	1st October 1881.

No. 737 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 30th September and 4th October 1881, are republished :—

India Office, 30th September 1881.

Her Majesty has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Services made by the Governments in India :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William John Seaton. Dated 20th July 1881.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Henry Frederick Vardon Gaitskell. Dated 7th July 1881.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Majors.

Captain William Bannatyne Warner. Dated 1st July 1881.
Captain Donald James Sim McLeod. Dated 20th July 1881.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade-Surgeons. Dated 27th November 1879 :—

Surgeon-Major Joseph Marcus Joseph, M.D.
Do. Edward Somerset Cleveland, M.D.
Do. William Henry Harris, M.D. (since retired).
Do. William Henry Rean, M.D.
Do. Alfred Sanderson, M.D.
Do. Clarence Cooper, M.D.
Do. Samuel Jardine Wyndowe, M.D. (since retired).
Do. William Robert Cornish, C.I.E.
Do. Ardern Hulme Beaman.
Do. George Stewart Watson Ogg.
Do. William Pearl.
Do. Edmond Eyre Lloyd. Dated 1st April 1880.
Do. Michael Cudmore Furnell, M.D. Dated 16th May 1880.
Do. George Alexander Burn, M.D. Dated 7th February 1881.
Do. Robert Dempster. Dated 28th March 1881.

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Her Majesty has approved of the following admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India :—

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Herbert Frecheville Smyth Ramsden, from the 67th Foot. Dated 9th September 1879, but to rank from 10th September 1875.
Lieutenant John Charles William Douglas Nicol, from the 58th Foot. Dated 31st May 1880, but to rank from 10th April 1880.

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th October 1881.

BREVET.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the following promotions being conferred upon the undermentioned Officers in recognition of their services during the Afghan Campaign, 1879-80. Dated 2nd March 1881 :—

* * * *

To be Majors.

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Captain James Turner Cummins, Madras Staff Corps.

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No. 738 *of* 1881.—**Pensions—Officers of the Indian Staff Corps.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st October 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 650 of 1881 :—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 570.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India and with reference to paragraph 10, G.G.O. No. 489 of 1881, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following scale of pensions for officers joining the Indian Staff Corps on probation on or after the 1st July 1881 :—

Years' Indian Service.	Yearly Pension.
	£
20	250
24	365
28	500
32	700

No Colonel's allowances will be granted to any officer coming under the provisions of this General Order.

The furlough service for the above pensions will be governed by the furlough rules of 1875.

2. Officers will be allowed to commute a portion, not exceeding one-third of their pensions, and the commutation may take place at any time and not merely on retirement.

3. In every case the capitalized sum will be payable in rupees in India, the sterling sum being converted at the official rate of exchange for the year in which the payment is made.

4. Officers joining the Indian Staff Corps on or after the 1st July 1881 will be subject to such further conditions of retirement in the rank of Colonel and General Officer as may be hereafter laid down.

5. An officer in receipt of a good service annuity will not retain it after retirement on pension.

6. Full power is reserved to the Secretary of State for India to temporarily suspend or limit retirement, whenever it may appear to him necessary to do so in the interests of the public service.

No. 739 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st October 1881, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 683 of 1880 :—

REWARDS.

No. 571.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

In recognition of their services during the late war in Afghanistan, and with reference to G.G.O. No. 534 of 1880, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officers to the 1st and 2nd Classes of the Order of British India, with effect from the 21st October 1881 :—

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

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Subadar-Major Shaik Homed, 1st Madras Light Cavalry.

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2. Of the above, the eleven Native Officers appointed to the 1st Class and the last twenty-four of those appointed to the 2nd Class will be borne as supernumerary to the establishment, until absorbed by the lapse of one appointment in every three vacancies.

No. 740 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 22nd October 1881, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 21st October 1881.

No. 1888*G.-G.*—The following officiating promotions are made in the Political Department, with effect from the date of the departure of Sir J. Kirk, K.C.M.G., on furlough :—

Captain C. B. Cooke, Officiating Political Agent, 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 1st Class.

Captain E. A. Fraser, Officiating Political Agent, 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent, 2nd Class.

No. 1891*G.-G.*—The following posting is made, with effect from the date of assuming charge :—

* * * *

Major R. G. E. Dalrymple, Cantonment Magistrate at Nowgong, to officiate as Cantonment Magistrate at Neemuch, *vice* Major C. Grant.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 1st November 1881.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act 1863, it is notified that reports of the Deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers, on the dates specified, were received in the Military Estate Department, during the month of October 1881.

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Madras Staff Corps...	Colonel Francis Jeffrey Millar ..	11th September 1881.	Guzranwala (Bengal Presidency).	..
Do. ..	Do. John William Willoughby Osborne, C.B.	4th October ,,	Mussoorie	..
Army Medical Department.	Surgeon Thomas P. Walsh ..	13th September ,,	Thayetmyo	..
Indian Medical Department.	Do. Henry Martin Leckler, M.B.	3rd October ,,	Pachmachi (Central Provinces).	..
Madras Staff Corps, Commandant, 11th Regiment N.I.	Colonel James Robert S. Henderson.	6th October ,,	Kurseong, near Darjeeling.	..
Indian Medical Department.	Surgeon-Major Edward Alfred Trimnell.	20th ,, ,,	Madras	..

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secy. to Govt., Mily. Department.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 5th November 1881.

No. 741 *of* 1881.—The following Notification, Proclamation, &c., from the *Fort St. George Gazette* Extraordinary, of this date, are republished in General Orders :—

NOTIFICATION.

FORT ST. GEORGE, NOVEMBER 5, 1881.

The Right Honorable MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF, Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George and its Dependencies, having arrived at Madras by Special Train at 8 A.M. on the 5th instant, was received with the usual honors at the Central Railway Station by the principal Civil and Military Officers at the Presidency, and proceeded to the Council Chamber, Government Office, Fort St. George, where, his Warrant of appointment having been read by the Chief Secretary, His Excellency took his seat accordingly.

The following Proclamation was ordered to be published :—

PROCLAMATION.

"Whereas the Right Honorable MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF has been appointed by the Queen to be Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George at Madras and its Dependencies, it is hereby proclaimed that His Excellency has, on the day of the date hereof, received charge of the said office of Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George and its Dependencies, and has taken his seat accordingly."

(By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.)

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

VICTORIA by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India,

To

Our Right Trusty and Well Beloved Councillor, MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF,

GREETING :

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second years of Our Reign, intituled "An Act for the better Government of India," It is enacted that the appointments of Governor-General of India, Fourth Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India, and Governors of Our Presidencies in India shall be made by Us by Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual. Now know you, that We, reposing especial trust and confidence in the fidelity, prudence, justice, and circumspection of you the said MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF, have nominated, made, constituted, and appointed and by these Presents do nominate,

make, constitute, and appoint you the said MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF to be Governor of Our said Presidency of Fort St. George at Madras in the East Indies, and for all Our affairs in that Presidency and at all other places and for all such affairs as are now subject to the Government of, or are managed at or in Our said Presidency of Madras and of all and singular the Forts, Factories, Settlements, Lands, Territories, Countries, Places, and Provinces thereunto belonging, or which now are or shall from time to time be subject to Our said Presidency and to execute all and every the Powers and Authorities committed or given to the Governor of Our said Presidency of Madras, by or under or in virtue of a certain Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session held in the Third and Fourth years of the Reign of His late Majesty, King WILLIAM THE FOURTH, intituled "An Act for effecting an arrangement with the East India Company, and for the better Government of His Majesty's Indian Territories till the Thirtieth day of April One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four," or under any other Act of Parliament now in force. And we do hereby authorize and empower you the said MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF to take upon You, hold, and enjoy the said Office upon your arrival in Our said Presidency and to continue in the exercise of the said Office during Our Will and Pleasure, subject nevertheless to the superintending and controlling power vested in Our Governor-General of India in Council as by the said Act of Parliament of His said late Majesty or any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in force is provided, and also subject to such instructions and directions as you the said MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF shall as the Governor or Governor in Council of Our said Presidency from time to time receive under the hand of one of Our Principal Secretaries of State, and We do hereby order and require all Our Servants, Officers, and Soldiers within the limits of Our said Presidency, and all the People and Inhabitants of Our said Fort St. George and City of Madraspatnam to recognize you the said MOUNTSTUART ELPHINSTONE GRANT DUFF as Governor of Our said Presidency, and to submit themselves accordingly in conformity with Law.

Given at Our Court at Windsor the Eighth day of July, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and in the Forty-fifth year of Our Reign.

(By Her Majesty's Command.)

(Signed) HARTINGTON.

Ordered that the above Proclamation and the Warrant of appointment be formally read at the head of the Troops in Fort St. George under a salute of seventeen guns and three volleys of small arms.

Ordered that the above-mentioned Proclamation and Warrant be read with the usual ceremonies at the head of the Troops in the different Garrisons and at the several Stations of the Army.

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

FORT ST. GEORGE, MADRAS, NOVEMBER 5, 1881.

His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor is pleased to make the following appointments to His Personal Staff:—

Captain Ambrose Awdry, Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Madras Public Works Department, to be Private Secretary.

Major Almeric George Spencer, "The Essex Regiment," to be Military Secretary.

Lieutenant Cecil Charles Cavendish, "The Highland Light Infantry," to be Aide-de-Camp.

Lieutenant Arthur Henry Louis Bagot, "Prince Albert's Light Infantry (Somersetshire) Regiment," to be Aide-de-Camp.

Lieutenant William E. Evans-Gordon, of the Madras Staff Corps, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp.

Surgeon-Major John Mackenzie, M.D., Army Medical Department, to be Surgeon.

Sirdar Bahadur Oossman Khan, Subadar-Major, Seconded, of the Body Guard, to be Native Aide-de-Camp.

With reference to the above, Major A. R. Kenney-Herbert, Cavalry General List, to officiate as Military Secretary until relieved by Major Spencer, or until further orders.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 5th November 1881.

No. 742 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 41, *dated* 14*th October* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment granted extensions of leave, or allowed to retire from the service:—

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Major J. A. Richmond, Staff Corps .. .. 2 months, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Coningham, Staff Corps .. .. 6 months, p.a.

RETIREMENT, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Captain T. J. McGoun, Half Pay List of the Staff Corps, 8th September 1881.

No. 743 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 641, dated 16th September 1881, Mr. Arthur Theophilus Lodge Patch is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment, from the 19th October 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 744 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Sub-Conductor H. Hann, Commissariat Department .. .. { Arrived at Bombay on the 24th October 1881.

No. 745 *of* 1881.—Riding Master H. Hynes, of the 1st Madras Light Cavalry, is promoted to the rank of Deputy Assistant Commissary.

No. 746 *of* 1881.—The date of Commission of Jemadar Letchmiah and Havildar No. 193, Rungasawmy, 15th Regiment Native Infantry, is the 21*st* and not the 1*st* October 1881, as notified in G.O.G. No. 732, dated 29th October 1881.

No. 747 *of* 1881.—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.
1st Regiment N. I.	Jemadar Baupniah	Subadar	1st June 1881.
	Havildar, No. 182, Shekh Abdul Rhymon ..	Jemadar	
7th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Shaik Nuttah	Subadar	28th August 1881.

Fort St. George, 7th November 1881.

No. 748 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe :—

Surgeon-Major J. J. L. Ratton, M.D., M.C., Indian Medical Department, Zillah Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Chittoor. } Arrived at Madras on the 27th October 1881.

Lieutenant W. E. Evans-Gordon, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant 41st Regiment Native Infantry, and Extra Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honorable the Governor. } Arrived at Bombay on the 31st October 1881.

No. 749 *of* 1881.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY.

Captain William Stainforth, having completed twenty years' service, to be Major. Dated 4th November 1881.

No. 750 *of* 1881.—Captain P. W. Watts, The Royal Irish Regiment, Garrison Instructor, Bangalore, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for 180 days, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 813* of 1876, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 499, dated 15th August 1876.

No. 751 *of* 1881.—The date of Commission of Jemadar Ramasawmy, of the 7th Regiment Native Infantry, is the 28th August 1881, and not the 1st September 1881 as notified in G.O.G. No. 602, dated 30th August 1881.

Fort St. George, 8th November 1881.

No. 752 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Captain Ambrose Awdry, A.I.C.E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Department Public Works. } Arrived at Bombay on the 31st October 1881.

No. 753 *of* 1881.—The unexpired portion of the furlough granted to Captain A. Awdry, Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, in G.O.G. No. 172, dated 4th March 1881, is cancelled at his own request.

No. 754 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have sanctioned the following special appointment in the Hyderabad Contingent :—

2ND CAVALRY.

Lieutenant H. M. Mason, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 4th Infantry, now on furlough, to officiate as Squadron Officer, during the absence of Lieutenant W. J. B. Bird.

No. 755 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductor H. Hann, of the Commissariat Department, to be Acting Conductor, *vice* Norris on leave (m.c.) in India. Dated 29th October 1881.

No. 756 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions :—

No. 4627, Gunner Thomas Delaney, No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery.
No. 4753, Gunner John J. Rodgers, No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery. } India.

Gunner Frederick Horrocks Joseph Cock, No. 12 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery. } Saint Thomas' Mount.

Fort St. George, 9th November 1881.

No. 757 *of* 1881.—The Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted Major Albert Dawson Phelps, Staff Corps, to retire from the service from the 1st July 1881, on a pension of £288 per annum. This cancels G.O.G. No. 473, dated 30th June 1881.

No. 758 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Officer Commanding Nagpore Force, is confirmed :—

Dated 11*th October* 1881.—Appointing Captain N. J. Nugent, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Executive Commissariat Officer, Nagpore Force, from the 8th October 1881, without prejudice to his other duties, in room of Colonel R. Q. Mainwaring proceeded on furlough, or until further orders.

No. 759 *of* 1881.—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.
14th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Venketsawmy	Subadar	1st September 1881.
	Havildar, No. 2118, Anthony Cruize	Jemadar	16th August „
	Do. No. 2530, Mootoocoomarah	Do.	1st September „

No. 760 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 7th October 1881, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th October 1881.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Sir Charles Patton Keyes, K.C.B., Madras Staff Corps, to have the local rank of Major-General in the East Indies, in consequence of his appointment to the Divisional Staff of the Army in the Madras Presidency. Dated 8th October 1881.

No. 761 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 29th October 1881, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 28*th October* 1881.

No. 337.—The following temporary promotions are made in the British Burma Commission during the absence on leave of Major R. C. Evanson, Deputy Commissioner, 4th (Officiating 3rd) Grade, or until further orders :—

Major M. C. Poole, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade.

Captain C. H. E. Adamson, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd (Officiating 1st) Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade.

Captain T. M. Jenkins, Assistant Commissioner, 4th (Officiating 2nd) Grade, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, 1st Grade.

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PORT BLAIR.

The 28*th October* 1881.

No. 292.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Major M. Protheroe, C.S.I., Deputy Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, to officiate as Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel T. Cadell, V.C., or until further orders.

Lieutenant-Colonel Cadell and Major Protheroe respectively made over and received charge of the office of Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars on the afternoon of the 17th instant.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 10*th November* 1881.

No. 762 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Colonel T. S. Hawks, Staff Corps, Commandant, 26th Regiment Native Infantry. — Arrived at Madras on the 7th November 1881.

No. 763 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 2887, Private Michael Sullivan, European Infantry Veteran Company .. Trichinopoly.

Fort St. George, 11*th November* 1881.

No. 764 *of* 1881.—Sub-Conductors J. Daly and J. Fearn, of the Quartermaster-General's Department, are promoted to the rank of Conductor.

Fort St. George, 12*th November* 1881.

No. 765 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 641, dated 16th September 1881, Mr. Charles Adams is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment from the 24th October 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

Fort St. George, 14*th November* 1881.

No. 766 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 42, *dated* 21*st October* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave, or allowed to retire from the service :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major H. R. Hope, Cavalry.
Lieutenant H. H. H. Aspinall, Staff Corps.
Surgeon-Major W. J. Busteed, M.D.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant K. M. Foss, Staff Corps .. .. 3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel A. A. Davidson, Staff Corps, three months and twenty-nine days, m.c.

RETIREMENT.

Surgeon-Major J. Murray, M.D., 1st December 1881.

No. 767 *of* 1881.—The date of arrival at Bombay of Surgeon A. P. Adams, of the Indian Medical Department, was the 12th September 1880, and not the 19th September 1880 as notified in G.O.G. No. 669, dated 6th October 1880.

No. 768 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 4464, Gunner Alexander McIsaac, No. 2 Battery, 8th Brigade, Royal (late Madras) Artillery. — Madras.

No. 769 *of* 1881.—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.
3rd Regiment L.C.	Jemadar Homed Hoossain	Subadar	1st October 1881.
	Havildar, No. 65, Shaik Saib	Jemadar	

Fort St. George, 16*th November* 1881.

No. 770 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major John McMullin having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 16th November 1881.

INFANTRY GENERAL LIST.

Captain Dempster Heming having completed twenty years' service, to be Major. Dated 16th November 1881.

No. 771 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Conductor John Nicholson, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Public Works Department. } Arrived at Madras on the 31st October 1881.

No. 772 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Private James Simpson, 1st Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers .. .. Ballarat, Australia.

No. 773 *of* 1881.—*Erratum.*—In G O.G. No. 461, dated 28th June 1881, notifying certain promotions in the Subordinate Medical Department, *for* Johnson *read* Johnston.

No. 774 *of* 1881.—**Retirements—Officers—Royal Artillery and Engineers.** The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th November 1881, is republished :—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 596.—The Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

MILITARY,
No. 323.

INDIA OFFICE ;
London, 6*th October* 1881.

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

MY LORD MARQUIS,

Para. 1. I have had under my consideration the question of extending to Officers of the Royal Artillery and Royal Engineers, under Indian Retiring Regulations, the recently revised scale of pensions for Officers who entered the Staff Corps subsequently to September 1866.

2. Under the very favorable terms of retirement given to Officers of the Ordnance Corps in Articles 92-111 of the Royal Warrant of 25th June 1881, it is probable that the revised Indian pensions would be rarely taken advantage of by them. As, however, the extra annuity granted under the Royal Warrant is given under certain restrictions, an Officer may find himself unable to retire, except under those Indian Pension Rules in force up to the 1st July 1881, which have recently been revised on the ground that they had become unsuitable to present circumstances. I consider therefore that the benefits of the revised scale should not be withheld from the Officers of the old Indian Army, not of the local service or Staff Corps, who are still serving for Indian pensions.

3. I have accordingly intimated to the Secretary of State for War that these revised rates will be extended to Officers of the Indian cadres of Royal Artillery and Royal Engineers; but that the increased rates* will not be given to Officers availing themselves of the extra annuity specified in Article 978—XI of the Royal Warrant of the 25th June 1881, Officers retiring on those terms being restricted to the Indian retiring pensions hitherto in force.

* Years.	£
20	.. 250
24	.. 365
28	.. 500
32	.. 700
38 as now	.. 750

4. I request that your Lordship will cause this to be notified in General Orders.

I have, &c.,
HARTINGTON.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 17th November 1881.

No. 775 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Officer Commanding Ceded Districts is confirmed :—

Dated 12th October 1881.—Appointing Major H. B. Nangle, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 24th Regiment Native Infantry, to officiate as Executive Commissariat Officer, Bellary, without prejudice to his own duties, during the absence, on inspection duty, of Lieutenant-Colonel Wright.

No. 776 *of* 1881.—Captain D. D. Pryce, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 41st Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

Fort St. George, 18th November 1881.

No. 777 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made in the Ordnance Department :—

Sub-Conductor J. J. Harrington to be Officiating Conductor and Store Serjeant Frederick Bradbury to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, *vice* Harris on furlough. Dated 10th November 1881.

Laboratory Serjeant John Delany to be Officiating Sub-Conductor, *vice* Rourke on furlough. Dated 10th November 1881.

No. 778 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Gunner Patrick Connor, L Battery, 6th Brigade, Royal Artillery ... .. Kamptee.

Fort St. George, 19th November 1881.

No. 779 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 43, *dated 28th October* 1881.

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.

Conductor J. Chatham, Ordnance Department.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. Howes, Royal Engineers .. .. 3 months, m.c.

RETIREMENT, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Major A. F. Wilkinson, Infantry, 30th October 1881.

No. 780 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Sub-Conductor W. Hyde, Public Works Department, Civil Engineering College. } Arrived at Bombay on the 4th November 1881.

No. 781 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Private John Walsh, 1st Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry . . . . Poonamallee.

Fort St. George, 22nd November 1881.

No. 782 *of* 1881.—The 1st Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 4th November 1881.

No. 783 *of* 1881.—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.
37th Regt., Grenadiers.	Jemadar Mahomed Yacoob	Subadar	11th September 1881.
	Do. Ramdeen	Do.	15th October ,,
	Havildar, No. 790, Mahomed Jamaloodeen	Jemadar	11th September ,,
	Do. No. 866, Appoodoo	Do.	15th October ,,

Fort St. George, 23rd November 1881.

No. 784 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant F. M. Drury, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 17th Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed out of India on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Government of India.

No. 785 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Lieutenant S. W. Jervis, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 29th Regiment Native Infantry. — Arrived at Bombay on the 15th November 1881.

No. 786 *of* 1881.—Nos. 7 and 9 Batteries, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery, are brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 4th November 1881.

No. 787 *of* 1881.—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.
16th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Ismail Khan	Subadar	1st October 1881.
	Do. Venketsawmy	Do.	11th ,, ,,
	Havildar, No. 675, Veeragaloo	Jemadar	1st ,, ,,
	Do. No. 384, Mooneapah	Do.	11th ,, ,,
33rd do. N.I.	Jemadar Sied Hoossain	Subadar	20th June ,,
	Do. Mahomed Secunder	Do.	
	Havildar, No. 1828, Sied Modeen	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 2197, Mohun Sing	Do.	
	Do. No. 1852, Chelmiah	Do.	
	Do. No. 2516, Ramasawmy	Do.	21st October 1881.
	Do. No. 2558, Droogiah	Do.	

No. 788 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 21st and 25th October 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 21st October 1881.

Her Majesty has approved of the following promotions among the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John William Hindle. Dated 20th August 1881.
Major Charles Francis Moore. Dated 20th August 1881.

* * * *

BREVET.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

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Major Arthur Farrer, Madras Cavalry, in succession to Lieutenant-General J. C. Innes, Bengal Infantry, retired. Dated 30th May 1881.

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India Office, 25th October 1881.

Her Majesty has approved of the transfer of the undermentioned Officers to the Half Pay List of the Staff Corps :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant-Colonel John William Hindle. Dated 21st August 1881.
Major George Thomas. Dated 16th September 1881.

No. 789 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 12th November 1881, is republished :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 10th November 1881.

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No. 359.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 95, dated 10th March 1881, Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Lindsay, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Class I, is retransferred to the Railway Branch, and is placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, Public Works Department, and appointed Engineer-in-Chief of the "Southern Mahratta Railway." This system includes the lines hitherto known as the Bellary-Hubli Railway, and the Bombay Eastern Deccan Railway.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 24th November 1881.

No. 790 *of* 1881.—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.
25th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Mootooveeroo	Subadar	21st October 1881.
	Havildar, No. 128, Vyapoory	Jemadar	

Fort St. George, 25th November 1881.

No. 791 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 44, *dated 4th November* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave, or allowed to retire from the service :—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Colonel A. C. Hay, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Surgeon T. C. H. Spencer .. .. 6 months, m.c.

RETIREMENT, SUBJECT TO HER MAJESTY'S APPROVAL.

Major C. S. Blair, Staff Corps, 14th November 1881.

Fort St. George, 28th November 1881.

No. 792 *of* 1881.—His Excellency Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, V.C., G.C.B., C.I.E., R.A., *Bart.*, appointed by Her Majesty to be Commander of all the Forces serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George, having arrived from England per P. & O. Steamer *Australia* on Sunday the 27th November 1881, assumed the office of Commander-in-Chief under the usual salute from the ramparts of Fort St. George, on the morning of Monday the 28th idem.

All Officers and Soldiers on the Establishment of Fort St. George will obey Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, V.C., G.C.B., C.I.E., R.A., *Bart.*, as Commander-in-Chief, and all returns are henceforth to be made to His Excellency accordingly.

No. 793 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is promoted to the rank of Major by Brevet, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain George Simpson. Dated 27th November 1881.

No. 794 *of* 1881.—Surgeon C. L. Swaine, M.B., Indian Medical Department, in medical charge of the 2nd Infantry Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year from the date of embarkation, under Rule 1 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 795 *of* 1881.—Surgeon M. H. Smith, Indian Medical Department, in medical charge of the 3rd Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year from the date of embarkation, under Rule 1 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay or Madras.

No. 796 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon C. Mallins, M.B., Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 797 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Warrant Officers of the Commissariat Department are promoted to the rank specified below, in recognition of the services rendered by them during the second phase of the Afghan War:—

To be Deputy Commissary.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant James Greatorex. Dated 22nd September 1881.

To be Sub-Conductor.

Serjeant Joseph Kelly. Dated 6th October 1881.

These promotions are to be regarded as supernumerary, until the Warrant Officers are absorbed by the vacancies which would have promoted them in ordinary course.

Fort St. George, 29th November 1881.

No. 798 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable Mountstuart Elphinstone Grant Duff has been pleased to accept the office of Honorary Colonel-in-Chief of the Madras Volunteer Guards, and also of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles, with effect from the 5th November 1881, the date of His Excellency's arrival at Madras.

No. 799 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 641, dated 16th September 1881, Mr. Alfred James O'Hara is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment, from the 4th November 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 800 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

Gunner William Aymes, B Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.. .. Madras.

No. 801 *of* 1881.—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.
27th Regt. N.I.	Subadar Syed Emaum "(Bahadoor)"	Subadar-Major	15th October 1881.
	Jemadar Ramasawmy	Subadar	15th October 1881.
	Do. Mahomed Hoossain	Do.	1st November ,,
	Havildar, No. 141, Venkettachellem	Jemadar	4th October ,,
	Do. No. 381, Narrain Sing..	Do.	15th ,, ,,
	Do. No. 302, Sheik Ebram..	Do.	1st November ,,

Fort St. George, 30th November 1881.

No. 802 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 30th November 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
6	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) James Limond Benwell.	Staff Corps.	456 5 0	375 7 0	....	England.

No. 803 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. P. deP. Falconnet, Royal (Madras) Engineers, Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with subsidiary leave for 11 days (exclusive of intermediate Sundays not spent in travelling), embarking from Bombay or Calcutta.

No. 804 *of* 1881.—Major W. Anderson, Staff Corps, Wing Commander 13th Regiment N.I., is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 805 *of* 1881.—The Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India has granted one year's extension of special leave to the undermentioned Officers:—

Colonel J. N. Hunter, Royal (late Madras) Engineers.
Colonel W. Chrystie, Royal (late Madras) Engineers.
Major H. Smalley, Royal (late Madras) Engineers.

No. 806 *of* 1881.—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.
4th Regiment N.I.	Jemadar Abdul Nubbee	Subadar	1st November 1881.
	Havildar, No. 447, Gassi Ram	Jemadar	21st October ,,
	Do. No. 497, Tiroovengadum	Do.	1st November ,,
21st do. do.	Subadar Croopasindoo	Subadar-Major	
	Jemadar Mulkajee	Subadar	16th ,, ,,
	Havildar, No. 512, Kistiah	Jemadar	
30th do. do.	Jemadar Venketchellum	Subadar	
	Do. Shaik Hyder	Do.	
	Do. Syed Sillamon	Do.	
	Do. Solomon	Do.	
	Do. Venketreddy	Do.	11th September ,,
	Havildar, No. 2536, Shaik Homed	Jemadar	
	Do. No. 2537, Mahomed Oosman	Do.	
	Do. No. 2070, Abdoolla Khan	Do.	
	Do. No. 2033, Ramasawmy	Do.	
	Do. No. 1944, Dustaghir Saib	Do.	
	Do. No. 2421, Chinna Baupniah	Do.	21st October ,,
36th do. do...	Do. No. 2067, Appiah	Do.	16th November ,,
38th do. do.	Jemadar Mungiah	Subadar	16th October ,,
	Havildar, No. 2012, Shekh Hyder	Jemadar	

No. 807 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th October and 1st November 1881, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th October 1881.

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary James Tims, Madras Establishment, to be Honorary Captain. Dated 1st August 1881.

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Deputy Assistant Commissary Benjamin Prichard, Madras Establishment, to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 1st August 1881.

India Office, 1st November 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces:—

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Captain John Tod McGoun, of the Half Pay List, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th September 1881.

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BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

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To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Brigade-Surgeon Samuel Jardine Wyndowe, M.D., of the Madras Army. Dated 15th June 1881.

No. 808 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th November 1881, is republished:—

REWARDS.

No. 625.—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 date specified:—

From the 17th March 1881, in room of Major-General R. Cadell, C.B., succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

MAJOR-GENERAL GEORGE GODFREY PEARSE, C.B., ROYAL (LATE MADRAS) ARTILLERY.

Dates of Commissions.

Second-Lieutenant	14th June 1845.
Lieutenant	2nd July 1851.
Captain	27th August 1858.
Major	26th April 1859.
Lieutenant-Colonel	4th June 1870.
Colonel	1st August 1877.
Major-General	26th February 1880.

Appointments.

Assistant to the Durbar Chief Engineer, Punjab	19th September 1848.
Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab	1st April 1849.
In command 3rd Sikh Irregular Cavalry	14th July 1860.
In command No. 2nd Battery, 17th Brigade, Royal Artillery.	
In command No. 3rd Battery, 17th Brigade, Royal Artillery	23rd April 1862.
In command F. Battery, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery	1st March 1863.
Posted to 17th Brigade, Royal Artillery	5th September 1872.

War Services.

Served as Assistant Field Engineer under Sir W. S. Whish, K.C.B., during the first operations of the siege of Mooltan, September 1848, the action of Sooruj Khoond, 7th November 1848, as commanding the artillery of the Nawab of Bhawulpore under Major H. B. Edwardes; at the second operation of the siege and capture of the town of Mooltan, 2nd January 1849; mentioned in despatches for conspicuous gallantry when repelling a sortie from the fortress on the 30th December 1848. Served under Major R. G. Taylor with the irregular troops in the Derajat, who in 1849 drove the Dooranees from Bunnoo; Punjab medal and one clasp. On the 2nd January 1850, at the Goombuttee pass, at the head of border levies, defeated the tribe of Oomurzai Wazeerees, who made a descent on Bunnoo. In November 1852, at the head of 4,000 Cashmere regular troops and British irregular levies, brought into subjection the valley of Khagan in the Northern Punjab, which had broken out into rebellion. Served throughout the Indian mutiny Campaign; commanded the cavalry of the Hariana Irregular Field Force at the battle of Aodah, 17th June 1857, and at the action of Khaireeka, 19th June 1857; at the head of 400 Bikaneer Rajput cavalry, on the 26th June 1857, made a forced march by which he relieved and took possession of Hissar; on the 6th September 1857, commanded a force which took the fortified village of Bhatoul: on the 11th September 1857, commanded a force which took the fortified village and position of Mungalee. Commanded the cavalry of the Hariana Irregular Field Force at the action of Jamalpur, 13th September 1857. Was with Brigadier Shower's column at the occupation of the forts of Dadree, Jhujjur and Kanound. Commanded a body of cavalry at the battle of Narnoul, 16th November 1857, where he was severely wounded. Com-

manded the 3rd Sikh Cavalry at the siege and capture of Lucknow, March 1858. Served with the Azimghur Field Force under Sir E. Lugard at the actions of Munnehar, 11th April 1858, Azimgarh, 15th April 1858, and in the pursuit of Koor Sing, including the actions of Azmatghur, 17th April 1858, Munnehar, 19th April 1858, and Sheeapur 20th April 1858, and in the final and trying expedition of that force in the Jugdespore jungles, during June and July 1858. (Medal, clasp and Brevet of Major).

No. 809 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 19th November 1881, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

The 12th November 1881.

No. 1478.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments under Section 4 of Regulation II of 1881 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Tredway G. Clarke, Madras Staff Corps, Superintendent of Coorg, is appointed Commissioner of Coorg.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Hill, Madras Staff Corps, Superintendent of Coorg, *substantive pro tempore*, is appointed Commissioner of Coorg, *substantive pro tempore*.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 1st December 1881.

No. 810 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe :—

Major J. H. M. Barnett, Staff Corps, Wing Commander and 2nd-in-Command, 4th Regiment Native Infantry. } Arrived at Bombay on the 23rd November 1881.

Fort St. George, 3rd December 1881.

No. 811 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 45, *dated 11th November* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Howes, Infantry.
Major R. Wilson, Infantry.
Major C. J. Watson, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. Coningham, Infantry.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. Thompson, Cavalry.
Major E. A. Bruce, Staff Corps.
Sub-Conductor J. Beauchamp, Commissariat Department.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major W. G. Sharp, Staff Corps .. .. 29 days, p.a.

Fort St. George, 5th December 1881.

No. 812 *of* 1881.—Colonel E. W. Dun, Staff Corps, will be entitled to the Colonel's allowance from the 8th December 1881, under the provisions of paragraph 61 of G.O.G.G. No. 808* of 1866.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 374, dated 12th October 1866.

No. 813 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 641, dated 16th September 1881, Mr. Arthur George Edward Newland is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment, from the 4th November 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 814 *of* 1881.—The following promotion and alterations of rank are made in the Subordinate Medical Department :—

Promotion.

First-Class Assistant Apothecary C. S. Aitkins to be 2nd-Class Apothecary, *vice* Ramsbottom, pensioned. Dated 15th September 1881.

Alterations of Rank.

Second-Class Apothecary W. Johnston to take rank *vice* O'Leary, seconded. Dated 20th May 1881.
Second-Class Apothecary I. McDermott to take rank *vice* Stephenson, pensioned. Dated 1st July 1881.
Second-Class Apothecary S. E. Carrapeitt to take rank *vice* McDermott, seconded. Dated 1st July 1881.
Second-Class Apothecary F. Green to take rank *vice* Thomas, deceased. Dated 2nd September 1881.
Second-Class Apothecary C. R. Meneaud to take rank *vice* Green, seconded. Dated 2nd September 1881.

Fort St. George, 6th December 1881.

No. 815 *of* 1881.—The services of Major A. R. Kenney-Herbert, General List, Cavalry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

Fort St. George, 7th December 1881.

No. 816 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major J. Ewing having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th December 1881.

GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY.

Captain W. H. M. Francklyn having completed twenty years' service, to be Major. Dated 4th December 1881.

No. 817 *of* 1881.—Major V. E. Law, General List, Cavalry, Political Agent in Ulwar, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year and forty-one days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 818 *of* 1881.—The following appointment has been made on the Personal Staff of Major-General *Sir* Charles P. Keyes, K.C.B., Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, with effect from the 15th November 1881 :—

Lieutenant E. B. Anderson, Royal Artillery, to be Acting Aide-de-Camp.

No. 819 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, from the dates specified, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant Thomas Hall Plumer, 2nd Battalion Northamptonshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer 25th Regiment Native Infantry.	25th October 1880.
Lieutenant Alexander Hugh Dobbs, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Wing Officer 32nd Regiment Native Infantry.	20th May „

No. 820 *of* 1881.—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.
7th Regiment N. I.	Havildar, No. 127, Syed Oomer	Jemadar	1st September 1881.
	Do. No. 395, Kistnasawmy	Do.	20th October „
14th do. „	Do. No. 1987, Khader Shereef	Do.	21st September „
27th do. „	Jemadar Shaik Madar	Subadar	22nd Nov. „
	Havildar, No. 405, Venketsawmy	Jemadar	

No. 821 *of* 1881.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 4th November 1881, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th November 1881.

Staff, Major-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, *Bart.*, V.C., G.C.B., Royal Artillery, to command the Troops in the Madras Presidency, with the local rank of Lieutenant-General in the East Indies whilst holding that appointment, *vice* General Sir Neville Bowles Chamberlain, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., who has vacated that appointment. Dated 16th November 1881.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The following Officers of the Staff Corps to be transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List, from 1st July 1881 :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Generals.

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J. Wilson, Madras.

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Major-Generals.

F. H. Scott, Madras.

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G. W. Russell, Madras.
M. C. Spottiswoode, Madras.
H. Man, Madras.

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W. C. R. Macdonald, C.B., Madras.

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A. R. Thornhill, Madras.

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R. Woolley, Madras.

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T. Thompson, Madras.

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H. D. Abbott, C.B., Madras.
E. W. Boudier, Madras.

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S. J. Batten, Madras.
J. H. M. Babington, Madras.

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F. Young, Madras.

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Colonels.

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C. P. Molony, Madras.

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M. T. Ffrench, Madras.
A. F. Place, Madras.
W. S. Simpson, Madras.

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J. M. Macgregor, Madras.

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F. J. B. Priestley, Madras.

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A. Cooper, Madras.
A. Howlett, C.B., Madras.

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S. Mainwaring, Madras.

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E. J. Lawder, Madras.

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G. R. Phillips, Madras.

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R. Benson, Madras.

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G. Baldock, Madras.

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E. T. Fasken, Madras.

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T. Gillilan, Madras.

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J. P. Watts, Madras.
C. Hight, Madras.
G. Pringle, Madras.

Promotions to take place from the 1st July 1881, in consequence of the above-named General Officers being placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List, and in order to complete the establishment of General Officers for the Indian Staff Corps under Article 18 of the Royal Warrant of the 25th June 1881 :—

* * * *

Colonels to be Major-Generals.

Local Major-General F. G. Kempster, Madras.

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Local Major-General Sir C. P. Keyes, K.C.B., Madras.

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E. F. Burton, Madras.

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F. Mardall, Madras.

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Promotions to take place from the 1st July 1881, upon the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

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Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals.

F. H. Scott, Madras.

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G. W. Russell, Madras.
M. C. Spottiswoode, Madras.
H. Man, Madras.

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W. C. R. Macdonald, C.B., Madras.

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A. R. Thornhill, Madras.

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R. Woolley, Madras.

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T. Thompson, Madras.

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H. D. Abbott, C.B., Madras.
E. W. Boudier, Madras.

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S. J. Batten, Madras.

Colonels to be Major-Generals.

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C. P. Molony, Madras.

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M. T. Ffrench, Madras.
A. F. Place, Madras.
W. S. Simpson, Madras.

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J. M. Macgregor, Madras.

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F. J. B. Priestley, Madras.

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A. Cooper, Madras.
A. Howlett, C.B., Madras.

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S. Mainwaring, Madras.

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E. J. Lawder, Madras.

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G. R. Phillips, Madras.

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R. Benson, Madras.

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G. Baldock, Madras.

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E. T. Fasken, Madras.

No. 822 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th November 1881, is republished:—

No. 627.—DIVISIONAL STAFF—

Major-General *Sir* C. P. Keyes, K.C.B., Madras Staff Corps, to command the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, in succession to Major-General A. W. Macintire, C.B., whose tour of service has expired. Dated 8th November 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, the 3rd December 1881.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the Deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers and Soldiers, on the dates specified, were received in the Military (Estate) Department, during the month of November 1881.

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Madras Staff Corps ..	Lieut.-Colonel P. A. VanHomrigh. *a*	31st October 1881.	Pallávaram	Testate.
2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment.	Staff Paymaster, Honorary Major William Banbury.	14th Nov. ,, ..	Cannanore	Do.
European Artillery, Veteran Company.	Corporal James Farrell	12th do. ,, ..	Pallávaram	Do.
Do. ..	Bombardier Thomas Harris *b* ..	21st do. ,, ..	Madras	Do.

a Estate taken charge of by the widow, under Section VIII of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863.
b Do. do. do.

Fort St. George, 5th December 1881.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is hereby notified:—

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

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.			1881.	Rs. A. P.		1881.	
1	George Chamberlain Cooper.	Military.	31st Regt., L. I.	Major.	Ercaud, Shevaroys.	15th June	8,560 15 9	Testate.	Deposited 11th Nov.	1
2	Henry Arthur Fletcher.	Do.	37th Regt., N. I.	Lieutenant.	Madras ..	26th April	*145 0 0	Not known.	Do. 21st ,,	2

* Transferred to the Administrator-General, Madras, who is administering.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secy. to Govt. Mily. Department.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 8th December 1881.

No. 823 *of* 1881.—The following appointment has been made on the Personal Staff of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) G. T. Pretyman, Royal Artillery, to be Military Secretary. Dated 28th November 1881.

Fort St. George, 9th December 1881.

No. 824 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

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

Majors { Horatio Samuel Court .. .. / Acton Chaplin Havelock .. .. / Duncan McNeill .. .. } Dated 8th December 1881.

Fort St. George, 10*th December* 1881.

No. 825 *of* 1881.—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 Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Chinnasawmy .. .. / Havildar, No. 470, Audiah	Subadar .. .. / Jemadar	6th November 1881.

Fort St. George, 12*th December* 1881.

No. 826 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published :—

No. 46, *dated* 18*th November* 1881.

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

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Lieutenant T. W. J. M. Georges, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Major H. R. Hope, Cavalry .. .. .. 3 weeks, u.p.a., without pay.
Major Hope's permission* to return holds good.

* G.O.G. No. 766, dated 14th November 1881.

No. 827 *of* 1881.—Major G. H. Tillard, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 36th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras.

No. 828 *of* 1881.—Major T. H. Stoton, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 7th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 829 *of* 1881.—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.
28th Regt. N.I. ..	Jemadar Sheikh Buddrooddeen .. .. .. / Havildar, No. 371, Syed Kadir	Subadar .. .. / Jemadar	20th November 1881.

Fort St. George, 13th December 1881.

No. 830 *of* 1881.—Conductor J. W. Borthistle, of the Ordnance Department, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, from the date of embarkation, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 14th December 1881.

No. 831 *of* 1881.—Colonel E. W. Dun, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside and draw pay in Europe.

No. 832 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

No.	Rank and Names.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Dates of Retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	1881.	
7	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Richard Henry Beddome.	Staff Corps.	456 5 0	417 1 0	15th Dec. ..	England.
8	Lieutenant-Colonel James Lidderdale.	Do. ..	365 0 0	229 8 0	15th ,, ..	Do.
9	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Charles Shuckburgh Hearn, C.I.E.	Do. ..	456 5 0	528 7 0	20th ,, ..	Do.

No. 833 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Colonel T. Dyer, Staff Corps, to be Deputy Adjutant-General, *vice* Colonel Clephane, whose tour has expired. Dated 3rd December 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Faunce, Staff Corps, to be Assistant Adjutant-General at Head Quarters, *vice* Colonel Dyer. Dated 3rd December 1881.

No. 834 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Colonel A. C. Hay, Staff Corps, District and Sessions Judge, Ashtagram Division, Mysore. } Arrived at Bombay on the 7th December 1881.

No. 835 *of* 1881.—Major T. R. Tabuteau, Staff Corps, Wing Commander 28th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 836 *of* 1881.—Major J. W. Macdougall, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, Central Provinces, arrived at Bombay from Europe on the 18th October 1881,—not on the 22nd idem as notified in G.O.G. No. 727, dated 28th October 1881.

No. 837 *of* 1881.—Paragraph 2 of G.O.G. No. 892, dated 21st December 1880, notifying that the furlough (p.a.) granted to Major A. T. Rolland, Staff Corps, in paragraph 1, includes the balance of furlough due to that Officer, is cancelled.

No. 838 *of* 1881.—Captain H. C. Hamilton, Infantry General List, Squadron Officer, 2nd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

No. 839 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant C. E. Poynder, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant 5th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, from the date of embarkation, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 840 *of* 1881.—The following promotion and appointment are made:—

MADRAS VOLUNTEER GUARDS.

Lieutenant E. T. Anthony to be Captain.
Mr. Donald Calder to be Lieutenant.

No. 841 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions :—

Serjeant Charles Kennedy, No. 4 Battery, 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery ..	Calcutta.
Private Thomas Chambers, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Regiment	Bhusaval.

No. 842 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th November 1881, are republished :—

India Office, 15*th November* 1881.

ROYAL WARRANT for the Formation of an Unemployed Supernumerary List for the Indian Forces.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

Whereas it has been represented to Us that it is expedient to provide for the transfer to an Unemployed Supernumerary List of General Officers and Colonels of Our Indian Forces who have attained certain limits of age or who have been continuously unemployed for certain periods ;

Our will and pleasure is that, with effect from and after the 1st day of July 1881, the following rules shall be established for that purpose :—

1. Transfer to the retired list under Our Warrant of the 31st December 1877, shall cease.

2. A Major-General shall be placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List on attaining the age of sixty-two years, and a Lieutenant-General or General on attaining the age of 67 years.

3. A General Officer shall be placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List after being unemployed for five years continuously since his promotion to Major-General, or after being unemployed for seven years continuously from the time of his last employment as Colonel.

4. A Colonel of the "local service," that is, an Officer whose appointment was not made subject to the conditions prescribed in the General Order of Our Governor-General of India in Council, dated the 9th December 1859, No. 1637, shall be placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List, provided he is in receipt of Colonel's allowance and not in military employ,—

If he attained the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel before the 1st October 1877,—at the age of fifty-nine years until the 1st July 1885, and after that date at the age of fifty-eight years.

If he attained the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel on or after the 1st October 1877,—at the age of fifty-five years.

5. A Colonel of the "general list," that is, an Officer whose appointment was made subject to the abovementioned General Order, shall be placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List on attaining the age of fifty-five years.

6. In the event of an Officer being called to, or engaged on, active service in the field, at or about the time when, under any article of this Our Warrant, he would be liable to be transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List, Our Secretary of State for India in Council may, on the recommendation of Our Governor-General in Council, extend his term of service during the continuance of the emergency as a supernumerary to the establishment.

7. If in any special case, not under the terms of the preceding article, it appears desirable to postpone the transfer of an Officer to the Unemployed Supernumerary List, Our Secretary of State for India in Council may, upon the recommendation of Our Governor-General in Council, so postpone it.

8. Our Secretary of State for India in Council, upon the recommendation of Our Governor-General in Council, may also bring back an Officer from the Unemployed Supernumerary List to the effective list, should it appear essential to the interests of Our Service to do so.

9. An Officer whose case has been specially treated under Articles 6, 7, or 8 shall, so long as he remains on the effective list, be supernumerary thereon.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, this twenty-fourth day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and in the forty-fifth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's command,

HARTINGTON.

ROYAL WARRANT for the promotion of Indian Officers so far as relates to Rank in the Army.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India.

Whereas it has been represented to Us that it is expedient to make further Regulations for governing the Promotion in the Army of the Officers of Our Indian Forces, Our will and pleasure is, that the following Regulations be established, and be the sole Regulations under which the Promotion in the Army of such Officers shall be effected.

1. A Captain may attain the rank of Major,—

(*a*) By regimental seniority.
(*b*) By twenty years' service in the army in the case of Officers whose appointment to Our Indian Forces was made subject to the conditions prescribed in the General Order of Our Governor-General of India in Council, dated the 9th of December 1859, No. 1637.
(*c*) By brevet, in succession to a vacancy on the establishment of General Officers, provided such vacancy occur before 1st October 1881.
(*d*) By brevet, for distinguished service in the field.
(*e*) By brevet, for distinguished service of an exceptional nature other than in the field.

2. A Major may attain the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel,—

(*a*) By regimental seniority.
(*b*) By twenty-six years' service in the army in the case of Officers whose appointment to Our Indian Forces was made subject to the conditions prescribed in the General Order of Our Governor-General of India in Council, dated the 9th of December 1859, No. 1637.
(*c*) By brevet, after twenty-six years' service in the army, so long as there remain any Majors on the list of Cavalry and Infantry on Our Indian Forces.
(*d*) By brevet, in succession to a vacancy on the establishment of General Officers, provided such vacancy occur before 1st October 1881, or thereafter, for so long as there remain any Majors on the list of Cavalry and Infantry who are not subject to the conditions prescribed in the General Order of Our Governor-General of India in Council, dated the 9th December 1859, No. 1637.
(*e*) By brevet, for distinguished service in the field.
(*f*) By brevet, for distinguished service of an exceptional nature other than in the field.

3. A Lieutenant-Colonel may attain the rank of Colonel,—

(*a*) By twelve years' service in the substantive grade of Lieutenant-Colonel.
(*b*) By brevet after thirty years' service in the army, four of which shall have been in the grade of Lieutenant-Colonel.
(*c*) By brevet, on appointment to be one of Our Aides-de-Camp.
(*d*) By brevet, as a reward for distinguished service in the field.
(*e*) By brevet, for distinguished service of an exceptional nature other than in the field.
(*f*) By brevet, after four years' satisfactory service with the rank, whether substantive or brevet, of Lieutenant-Colonel,
(1) In any military appointment, except the command of a troop or company by an Officer with the substantive rank of Captain; and except also any appointment which Our Secretary of State in Council may exclude from qualifying.
(2) In any civil situation approved by Our Secretary of State for India in Council upon the recommendation of Our Governor-General in Council and Commander-in-Chief in India, provided it be of a nature to afford practical experience likely to be after wards of advantage in military service.
(*g*) By brevet, after five years' service, in any appointment, with the substantive rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.
(*h*) By brevet, after seven years' satisfactory service, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, as equerry or extra equerry to the Sovereign or the Prince of Wales.

No period of acting staff service of less than six months' duration shall reckon towards the rank of Colonel, unless it be converted into actual staff service by subsequent confirmation.

4. The rank of Brigadier-General shall be local or temporary only.

5. The names of General Officers shall be borne upon four separate lists. The first shall contain the names of those on the fixed establishment, and of those who having been promoted out of their regular turn shall be supernumerary to the fixed establishment; the second, those of Officers retired under Our Royal Warrant of the 31st December 1877; the third, those of Officers placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List under Our Royal Warrant of the 24th October 1881; and the fourth, those who shall have retired from the service with the honorary rank of Major-General, Lieutenant-General, or General.

6. The names of the Colonels and General Officers of the Staff Corps now borne on the Indian List to regulate promotion shall remain on that list, and the names of the Officers of the Staff Corps henceforth promoted to the rank of Colonel shall be placed on that list, to be thereon retained in *italics*, until their death, retirement or transfer to the Unemployed Supernumerary List, for the purpose of regulating the promotion of the Officers below them.

7. The fixed establishment of General Officers (including the names of Officers of the Staff Corps) shall be the following:—

Generals	4
Lieutenant-Generals	13
Major-Generals	38
Total ..	55

8. Every vacancy on the establishment of General Officers shall be filled by the promotion of the senior Colonel of the Indian Army; or by the moving up of the name of the senior Officer of the Staff Corps borne on the list to regulate promotion; or by the transfer of a General Officer from the supernumerary list as provided in Art. 14.

9. Every vacancy on the establishment in the rank of Lieutenant-General or in that of General shall be filled up in like manner by the promotion of the senior Officer of the Indian Army in the grade next below, or by the moving up of the name of the senior Officer of the Staff Corps borne on the list of that grade.

10. Temporary or local rank and command as Major-General, Lieutenant-General, or General may, for the convenience of Our Service, be conferred on an Officer of the next lower rank (whether he hold such rank permanently or temporarily), without regard to seniority.

11. A Colonel who shall vacate an appointment as temporary Major-General may, upon the recommendation of Our Governor-General in Council, be made an honorary Major-General.

12. Promotion may be conferred upon a Colonel, Major-General, or Lieutenant-General without regard to vacancies in the establishment, for distinguished service in the field, and in such case the recommendation of Our Governor-General in Council, detailing the services for which the Officer is promoted, shall be published in the General Orders of Our Indian Military Forces, and in the *London Gazette*.

13. Promotion may be conferred upon a Colonel, Major-General, or Lieutenant-General without regard to vacancies in the establishment, for distinguished service of an exceptional nature other than in the field.

14. An Officer not below the rank of Colonel, promoted for distinguished service, shall be borne as supernumerary, and shall not be placed on the establishment in his new rank until the time when he would have attained such rank by seniority, that is to say, when the surviving Officer who stood next senior on the list to the Officer promoted under Art. 12 or 13 shall have attained the same rank on the establishment, the next vacancy shall be filled by the transfer of the supernumerary General Officer to the establishment.

15. A supernumerary General Officer promoted for distinguished service, and absorbed under Art. 14, shall take his seniority from the date of his promotion as published in the *London Gazette*.

16. Field-Marshals shall be appointed at the will of the Sovereign, and the rank shall be conferred without reference to seniority. A General Officer, retired under Our Warrant of the 31st December 1877, or placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List under Our Warrant of the 24th October 1881, shall remain eligible for promotion to the rank of Field-Marshal.

17. A Major-General or a Lieutenant-General retired under Our Warrant of the 31st December 1877, and a Colonel, a Major-General, or a Lieutenant-General placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List under Our Warrant of the 24th October 1881, shall be promoted to higher rank when the Officer on the establishment who was next junior to him as a Colonel shall obtain such promotion.

18. Every Officer permitted to retire on full-pay may be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, this tenth day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and in the forty-fifth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's command,

HARTINGTON.

No. 843 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd December 1881, is republished:—

No. 647.—Military Accounts Department—

The undermentioned Officers are appointed to the Military Accounts Department as Assistant Military Accountants, on probation, and will rank as follows:—

	Date of passing preliminary examination.
Lieutenant W. H. Young, Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 21st Native Infantry	15th October 1881.
Lieutenant G. B. Renny, Bengal Staff Corps, Squadron Officer and Adjutant, 1st Bengal Cavalry	28th October 1881.
Lieutenant H. F. S. Ramsden, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 10th Madras Native Infantry	24th October 1881.

No. 844 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd December 1881, is republished :—

No. 619.—PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE—

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1st Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant W. G. Carter, Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, to be Wing Officer, on probation, *vice* Lieutenant T. C. Pears, seconded.

No. 845 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd December 1881, is republished :—

No. 650.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

No. 4 *Field Battery.*

Lieutenant R. M. B. F. Kelly, R.A., Officiating Subaltern, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant A. P. Penton, resigned.

2nd Infantry.

Surgeon C. Mallins, M.B., Madras Establishment, to officiate as Medical Officer during the absence on furlough of Surgeon C. L. Swaine, M.B., or until further orders.

No. 846 *of* 1881.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 3rd December 1881, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 30th November 1881.

No. 384.—APPOINTMENT.—Lieutenant John Marcus Clements, Madras Staff Corps, to be a Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner in British Burma.

MEDICAL.

The 2nd December 1881.

No. 612.—The services of Surgeon H. Armstrong, in medical charge of the 5th Madras Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 15*th December* 1881.

No. 847 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Ewing, Staff Corps, Deputy Quartermaster-General, to officiate as Quartermaster-General, as a temporary arrangement. Dated 1st January 1882.

Fort St. George, 17*th December* 1881.

No. 848 *of* 1881.—The following list received from the India Office is published:—

No. 47, *dated* 25*th November* 1881.

List of Military Officers of the Madras Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave:—

PERMITTED TO RETURN.

Major W. H. Hallett, Staff Corps.
Major J. A. Richmond, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant H. W. E. Georges, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant J. S. G. Manera, Staff Corps.

GRANTED EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Surgeon-Major C. A. Harvey	6 months, m.c.
Major F. Smalley, Infantry	2 months, m.c.

Fort St. George, 19*th December* 1881.

No. 849 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Howes, Infantry, Wing Commander and 2nd in Command, 16th Regiment Native Infantry.
Lieutenant H. H. H. Aspinall, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 16th Regiment Native Infantry.
} Arrived at Bombay on the 13th December 1881.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Beeching, Infantry, Commandant, 10th Regiment Native Infantry.
} Arrived at Madras on the 14th December 1881.

No. 850 *of* 1881.—The Government of India have sanctioned the following appointment:—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. C. Bird, Staff Corps, Squadron Commander and 2nd in Command, 1st Punjab Cavalry, to officiate as Commandant, 4th Punjab Cavalry, during the absence on furlough of Colonel C. J. Godby, Honorary Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy, or until further orders.

Fort St. George, 20*th December* 1881.

No. 851 *of* 1881.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Richard Fraser Litchfield having completed twenty-six years' service, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th December 1881.

GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY.

Captain Henry Charles Hamilton having completed twenty years' service, to be Major. Dated 20th December 1881.

Fort St. George, 21st December 1881.

No. 852 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 27th December 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
10	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Edward Nugent Norton.	Staff Corps.	365 0 0	594 17 0	....	England.

No. 853 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Stoddart, Staff Corps, Wing Commander 37th Grenadiers. } Arrived at Bombay on the 13th December 1881.

No. 854 *of* 1881.—With reference to the Public Department Notification, dated 21st December 1881, the services of Surgeon W. A. Quayle, M.D., Indian Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 855 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 18th and 22nd November 1881, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 18th November 1881.

MEMORANDA.

* * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary Thomas Jones, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 5th March 1880.

India Office, 22nd November 1881.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel Wheatley Robertson, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st November 1881.

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BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers are granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

* * * *

To be Colonels.

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel Wheatley Robertson, of the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st November 1881.

* * * *

To be Surgeons-General.

Deputy Surgeon-General John Wilson, of the Madras Army. Dated 28th March 1881.
Deputy Surgeon-General Henry Robert Oswald, M.D., of the Madras Army. Dated 15th August 1881.

To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Brigade Surgeon William Henry Harris, M.D., of the Madras Army. Dated 1st July 1881.

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No. 856 *of* 1881.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th December 1881, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 667.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

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BREVET.

To be Colonels.

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel William Peyton, Madras Staff Corps,—9th December 1881.

No. 857 *of* 1881.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th December 1881, is republished :—

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 3rd December 1881.

No. 382.—The following reversions are ordered, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel J. O. Mayne, R.E., Officiating Chief Engineer, Class II, to Chief Engineer, Class III, from the 16th October 1881.

* * * *

Colonel Mayne, R.E., is again promoted to officiate in Class II, from 16th November 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 22nd December 1881.

No. 858 *of* 1881.—Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon F. G. Shaw is granted furlough (m.c.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 859 *of* 1881.—The services of Surgeon S. L. Dobie, Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

Fort St. George, 23rd December 1881.

No. 860 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. G. Bell, Staff Corps, Judicial Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, four months and twenty-one days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Bombay.

Fort St. George, 24th December 1881.

No. 861 *of* 1881.—The following order by the Officer Commanding Ceded Districts is confirmed:—

Dated 7th December 1881.—Appointing Major H. B. Nangle, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 24th Regiment Native Infantry, to officiate as Executive Commissariat Officer, Bellary, without prejudice to his own duties, during the absence, on inspection duty, of Lieutenant-Colonel Wright.

Fort St. George, 27th December 1881.

No. 862 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. Weldon, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 6th Regiment Native Infantry, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 863 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 641, dated 16th September 1881, Mr. Jamshedji Karshedji Kanga is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment from the 4th November 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 864 *of* 1881.—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.) L.C.	Subadar Syed Abdool Rhymon	Subadar-Major ..	11th December 1881.
	Jemadar Yacoob Khan	Subadar	
	Havildar-Major No. 912, Bram Khan	Jemadar	

Fort St. George, 28th December 1881.

No. 865 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Coningham, Infantry, Commandant 24th Regiment Native Infantry. — Arrived at Bombay on the 22nd December 1881.

Major H. R. Hope, Cavalry General List, 1st Regiment Light Cavalry. — Arrived at Madras on the 24th December 1881.

No. 866 *of* 1881.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Havelock, Staff Corps, Commandant, 1st Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted furlough (p.a.) out of India for twenty months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with the necessary subsidiary leave, embarking from Madras or Bombay.

No. 867 *of* 1881.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 641, dated 16th September 1881, Mr. Edward Ronald DaCosta is admitted as a Surgeon on the Madras Establishment from the 4th November 1881, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 868 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

Rough Riding Serjeant-Major John Pickard, 12th Royal Lancers .. Secunderabad.
Private John McAulay, 1st Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry .. Ballarat, Australia.

No. 869 *of* 1881.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 25th and 29th November 1881, are republished:—

India Office, 25th November 1881.

Her Majesty has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:—

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Hugh Patrick Rolston Francis Crawfurd. Dated 1st September 1881.
Major Robert Stevens Jago. Dated 4th September 1881.
Major Charles Dyneley Baynes. Dated 21st September 1881.
Major Francis Weldon. Dated 26th September 1881.
Major Herbert Augustus Tierney Nepean. Dated 26th September 1881.

MADRAS ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Majors.

Captain Charles May Allen Morant. Dated 20th September 1881.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major John Houston, M.D. Dated 15th June 1881.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 29th November 1881.

The undermentioned Deputy Assistant Commissaries to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant:—

John Robert Forsyth, Madras Establishment. Dated 27th July 1881.

* * * *

John Glen, Madras Establishment. Dated 1st September 1881.

The following Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces (Local Service) have been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List, under the terms of the Royal Warrant of the 24th October 1881, dated 1st July 1881:—

Generals.

* * * *

Richard Shubrick, Madras Infantry.

* * * *

George de Sausmarez, Madras Infantry.
Henry William Blake, Madras Infantry.

* * * *

Lieutenant-Generals.

* * *

William Vine, Madras Cavalry.

Major-Generals.

William George Owen, Madras Infantry.

* * *

Richard Andrew Doria, Madras Infantry.

* * *

Francis Faithful Warden, Madras Infantry.
William Henry Freese, Madras Infantry.
John Penrose Coode, Madras Infantry.

* * *

Douglas Hamilton, Madras Infantry.
George Staple Dobbie, Madras Infantry.
Arthur Newbolt Rich, Madras Infantry.

* * *

William Thomas Williams, Madras Infantry.

* * * *

Colonels.

* * * *

Græme Auchmuty Fulton, Madras Infantry.
James Gathorne Cookson, Madras Cavalry.

* * * *

The following promotions to take place from 1st July 1881, in consequence of the above-named General Officers having been placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List, and in order to complete the establishment of General Officers for the Indian Army under the terms of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881.

Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals.

* * * *

Alexander Crombie Silver, Madras Infantry.

* * *

Colonels to be Major-Generals.

* * *

James Buchanan, Madras Cavalry.
William Henry Watts, Madras Infantry.
George Travis Radcliffe, Madras Cavalry.
Charles Raper Stainforth, Madras Cavalry.

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The following General Officers and Colonels on the Unemployed Supernumerary List have been promoted from the 1st July 1881 :—

Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals.

William George Owen, Madras Infantry.

* * * *

Richard Andrew Doria, Madras Infantry.

* * * *

Francis Faithful Warden, Madras Infantry.
William Henry Freese, Madras Infantry.
John Penrose Coode, Madras Infantry.

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(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Fort St. George, 30th December 1881.

No. 870 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the 29th December 1881, under the provisions of G.O.G.G. No. 1 of 1881, republished in Madras G.O.G. No. 33, dated 12th January 1881, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary Pension.	Extra Annuity.	Capitalized value of Annuity.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
11	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Charles Harry Wilson.	Staff Corps.	456 5 0	....	5,680 0 0	India.

No. 871 *of* 1881.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Major D. J. S. McLeod, General List, Cavalry, Assistant Quartermaster-General, Mysore Division, to officiate as Deputy Quartermaster-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Ewing, appointed Officiating Quartermaster-General. Dated 2nd January 1882.

No. 872 *of* 1881.—With the sanction of the Government of India, the services of Surgeon D. Elcum, Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Resident at Hyderabad, for employment under His Highness the Nizam's Government.

No. 873 *of* 1881.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

Private Samuel Brian, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment .. Melbourne, Australia.
Private James McTague, 2nd Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers .. Ballarat, Australia.

No. 874 *of* 1881.—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.
21st Regiment N.I...	Havildar-Major, No. 279, Shekh Homed ..	Jemadar	4th December 1881.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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