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GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS,
CAMP KRISTNARAJAPURAM,
3rd January 1884.

No. 1.—With the sanction of Government, the Commander-in-Chief directs, in supersession of all former orders on the subject, that contingent bills * for authorized passages by sea, canal, river, rail and dâk, of officers and troops, be in future submitted direct to the Examiners of Accounts concerned, instead of through the Quartermaster-General's Department.

No. 2.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant C. E. Baynes has been transferred from H Battery 2nd Brigade, Royal Artillery, to S Battery 1st Brigade.

No. 3.—Intimation has been received from the Director-General of Military Education that Army Schoolmistress Miss M. A. Lindsay has been transferred from the 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers at Malta, to the 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers; and that Army Schoolmistress Miss A. F. Wilton has been transferred from the Garrison Infant School at Woolwich to the 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers. On arrival of these schoolmistresses at Bombay, they will proceed, the former to Madras, and the latter to Bellary, to take up their respective appointments.

No. 4.—Intimation has been received from the Director-General of Military Education that Third-class Army School-

mistress Mrs. Jane Meehan, attached to the 1st Battalion Essex Regiment, has been promoted to the second class with effect from the 1st December 1883.

No. 5.—The name of Captain W. M. Duckett, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, is added to the list of officers detailed in G.O.C.C. No. 398 of 1883 for duty at their regimental depôts during the present trooping season.

No. 6.—To the list of officers named in the margin of G.O.C.C. No. 663 of 1883, add the name of Captain W. M. Duckett, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

No. 7.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

29th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. Brereton, Staff Corps, to officiate as Wing Commander with effect from the date of Colonel Dickey's departure on furlough.

No. 8.—Surgeon-Major W. C. Grant, M.B., Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Toungoo, to be Senior Medical Officer, Station Hospital, Poonamallee. Expeditionally at the public expense, under para. 213 (e), Part I, and para. 514 (j), Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 9.—The following extract from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, is republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 6th December 1883.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.—Lieutenant F. A. Wilkinson, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

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No. 10.—The following extract from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 21st December 1883.

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500. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, viz. :—

* * *

HINDUSTANI—Higher Standard.

* * *

Lieutenant R. de H. Barton, Middlesex Regiment (attached to 8th Bengal N.I.)

* * *

Lieutenant J. C. Swete, Essex Regiment (attached to 5th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent).

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HINDUSTANI—Lower Standard.

* * *

Surgeon W. H. Neilson, Indian Medical Department (attached to the Erinpoora Irregular Force).

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS,
CAMP KRISTNARAJAPURAM,
10th January 1884.

No. 11.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

25th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant S. G. Radcliff, supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be Wing Officer (on probation), *vice* Cotton promoted.

28th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant A. Y. Ansell, supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be Wing Officer (on probation), *vice* Stevenson promoted.

No. 12.—Private No. 771, Ramasawmy of the 26th Regiment N.I. is, at his own request, transferred to the 9th Regiment N.I., with effect from the date of embarkation of the 9th Regiment N.I. for Burma.

No. 13.—The undermentioned officer is reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Persian :—

Bangalore, 24th December 1883.

Lieutenant H. L. Hutchins, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 14.—In G.O.C.C. No. 523 of 1883, under head "Umpires" erase "Colonel Hughes, Dorsetshire Regiment," and at page 343, for "Colonel Tayler" substitute "Major Sandham."

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS,
CAMP KRISTNARAJAPURAM,
17th January 1884.

No. 15.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant H. E. Stanton, No. 9 Battery 1st Brigade, Eastern Division, Royal Artillery, has been transferred to A Battery 2nd Brigade.

No. 16.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following postings, &c., of Royal Artillery Officers:—

Major B. F. Domvile, just promoted to that rank from M Battery B Brigade, has been posted to No. 1 Battery 1st Brigade, Welsh Division.

Captain J. Leach, Depôt, South Irish Division, has been appointed to M Battery B Brigade, *vice* Domvile, promoted.

Captain W. B. Hoggan, from the Seconded List, has been posted to D Battery 1st Brigade, *vice* E. A. Smith, placed upon the Seconded List.

No. 17.—Surgeon-Major J. H. Hunt, Army Medical Department, Senior Medical Officer, Station Hospital, Madras, will do general duty at Bangalore. Expeditiously at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

The posting of Surgeon-Major Hunt, published in G.O.C.C. No. 621 of 1883, is cancelled.

No. 18.—Surgeon M. E. FitzGerald, Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Cannanore, will do duty Station Hospital, Maliapuram, temporarily. Expeditiously at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 19.—Surgeon C. Henderson to accompany Wing, 2nd Regiment N.I., to Moulmein, and thence to report himself for general duty under the Deputy Surgeon-General, Madras.

No. 20.—Surgeon J. Heath, Army Medical Department, will, on arrival from England, do duty Station Hospital, Madras. Expeditionally at the public expense, under para. 512 (b), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 21.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

9th Regiment N.I.—Surgeon W. A. Quayle to proceed in charge of Wing to Port Blair and to remain in medical charge.

11th Regiment N.I.—Surgeon T. Mayne to the permanent medical charge of the regiment, *vice* Surgeon-Major C. A. Andrews.

21st Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant B. A. Johnstone, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 2nd January 1884.

22nd Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant T. B. Hawks, 1st Battalion Essex Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer (on probation), and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 24th December 1883.

No. 22.—The following extract from Bengal G.O.C.C. dated Simla, 27th November 1883, regarding the movements of Her Majesty's Indian Troopships during the season of 1883-84, is published for general information:—

Outward, via the Canal.

Ships.	Troops.	Arrive at Bombay.
"Malabar"	... 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers.	23rd April 1884.

Homeward, via the Canal.

Ships.	Troops.	Leave Bombay.
"Serapis"	* 1st Battalion Essex Regiment, to Aden.	17th February 1884.

* *N.B.*—Except the Company at Seetabuldee which will embark at Bombay in the "Malabar" on the 3rd April 1884 to Aden.

No. 23.—The undermentioned Third-class Native Army Schoolmasters are promoted to the Second Class from the 1st January 1884 :—

Private No. 878, T. C. Veerabudra Pillay, 15th Regiment N.I.
 " " 908, Mahomed Ghouse, 15th
 Lance Naigue No. 527, Mahomed Faziludeen, 24th " "
 Private No. 1468, Sied Abdul Azeem, 1st Regiment L.C.
 Lance Naigue No. 933, A. V. Soobroya Moodaliar, 26th Regiment N.I.

No. 24.—The following transfers are ordered :—

	From	To	
Army Schoolmaster H. J. Pope and Army Schoolmistress J. L. Pope.	Depôt, Wel- lington.	{ 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.	{ To leave Welling- ton on the 1st February 1884.
Army Schoolmaster W. Collier and Army Schoolmistress E. Collier.	2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.	{ Garrison School, Toungoo.	{ To proceed to join on being relieved by Schoolmaster and Schoolmis- tress Pope.
Army Schoolmaster J. Morrison.	{ 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.	Depôt, Wel- lington.	{ To join on the de- parture of School- master Pope.
Army Schoolmaster H. J. Seed.	{ Garrison School, Toungoo.	{ 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.	{ To proceed and join at once.
Army Schoolmistress L. Barringer.	{ Depôt, Poona- mallee.	{ Depôt, Wel- lington.	{ To join on the 1st February 1884.

No. 25.—Miss A. E. Hopkins is appointed an Army Schoolmistress, provisionally, under para. 127 of the Regulations for British Army Schools in India, and posted to the Depôt School, Poonamallee. To join on the 10th February 1884.

No. 26.—Private No. 749, Narrainsawmy, of the 26th Regiment N.I., is, at his own request, transferred to the 5th Regiment N.I. To join on arrival of the 5th Regiment N.I. at Madras.

No. 27.—The undermentioned candidates are reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Persian :—

Secunderabad, 29th December 1883.

Lieutenant D. W. Purdon, Staff Corps, Officiating Wing
Officer, 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent.
" E. C. Thwaytes, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Staff Corps.
" H. Walker, West York Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 28.—The undermentioned candidate has passed the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Madras, 7th January 1884.

Gunner R. O'Neil, Q/1st Royal Artillery.

No. 29.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinates have been passed by a Board of Examiners :—

AT CANNANORE.

First-class Assistant Apothecary T. W. Watts, as Second-class Apothecary.

Second-class Hospital Assistant M. Lingasen, No. 108, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant C. P. Nagappa Pillay, No. 1139, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT BOMBAY.

Second-class Hospital Assistant A. B. Cornelius, No. 965, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant P. Manickum Moodelly, No. 1144, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT RAJAHMUNDRY.

Second-class Hospital Assistant T. Pauperoyadu Naick, No. 110, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant P. Venketaramiah, No. 172, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT MADRAS.

Second-class Hospital Assistant C. Ramakistna Naidu, No. 101, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Second-class Hospital Assistant T. Veeraragavaloo Naidu, No. 112, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant P. Narainsawmy Naidu, No. 170, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT VELLORE.

Third-class Hospital Assistant V. P. Moorogasa Moodelly, No. 171, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant V. Chengleroya Moodelly, No. 1145, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant V. L. Ramasawmy Moodelly, No. 1129, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT VIZIANAGRUM.

Second-class Hospital Assistant D. Venketaswamy, No. 92, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Second-class Hospital Assistant P. Runganaikaloo Naidu, No. 105, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

AT BELLARY.

Third-class Hospital Assistant S. Jesudasen, No. 1146, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT TRICHINOPOLY.

Second-class Hospital Assistant J. Soveriappen, No. 104, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Second-class Hospital Assistant C. V. Narainsawmy, No. 106, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant V. Appavoo Pillay, No. 172, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT RANGOON.

Third-class Hospital Assistant Muhammed Jaffer, No. 1143, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant S. P. Cornelius, No. 1118, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

No. 30.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 4th and 11th December 1883, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th December 1883.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant Ellis Cunliffe Foster, from the 4th Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. A. Staniland, transferred to the 8th Hussars. Dated 5th December 1883.

The Suffolk Regiment.—The undermentioned officers have been appointed Probationers for the Indian Staff Corps:—

Lieutenant Charles James William Grant. Dated 14th September 1883.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant George Elliott Brisco Graham, from the 3rd Battalion the Border Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* A. W. A. Pollock, seconded. Dated 5th December 1883.

The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Thomas Ernle Fowle, from the 3rd Battalion the Hampshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. G. W. E. Edwardes, promoted into the Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 5th December 1883.

The Cheshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Frederick D. Maxwell has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 18th September 1883.

The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant Henry M. Graham is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 5th December 1883.

The Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Herbert Graham Westmorland, from the 3rd Battalion the Hampshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* E. H. Le Marchant promoted. Dated 5th December 1883.

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th December 1883.

Royal Artillery.—Captain Francis Barry Domvile to be Major, *vice* G. A. French, C.M.G., placed upon the Seconded List, on appointment as Commandant of the Colonial Forces in Queensland. Dated 16th November 1883.

Captain William Brooke Hoggan, from the Seconded List, to be Captain, *vice* E. A. Smith, seconded for service with the Punjab Frontier Force. Dated 1st December 1883.

In consequence of Major G. A. French, C.M.G., being seconded from 1st September 1883, the dates of promotion and absorption from the Seconded List of the undermentioned officers are altered as stated against their names:—

Major P. F. M. Baddeley. Dated 2nd September 1883.

Captain W. A. Urquhart. Dated 7th October 1883.

Captain H. G. H. Galton. Dated 4th November 1883.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant C. du P. Richardson-Griffiths to be Adjutant, *vice* Lieutenant W. O. Cavenagh, who resigns the appointment. Dated 5th October 1883.

BREVET.

Major John Pennycuick, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of Article 11 (*ff*) of the Royal Warrant of 11th March 1882. Dated 8th December 1883.

MEMORANDA.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Alexander Sim, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Colonel. Dated 22nd November 1883.

No. 31.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 17th December 1883.

At the examinations held on the 16th October 1883 and following days, the undermentioned officers passed the examinations noted opposite their names:—

Capt. E. Lake, (3) ... Royal Artillery.

„ (Bt. Major) A. Broadfoot... „

„ (Bt. Lt.-Col.) G. T. Pretyman... „

Capt. F. F. Johnstone ... Bedfordshire Regt.

Capt. R. F. Atkinson, (3) ... Hampshire Regt.

„ W. E. Briggs ... „

„ J. A. Strachan, (1) (3) ... Oxfordshire L.I.

„ E. Morrell, (1) ... Essex Regt.

„ F. H. M. Dawson ... Middlesex Regt.

Lieut. A. G. Churchill, (3) ... 12th Lancers.

Lieut. H. H. Smythe, (1) ... R. Scots Fuslrs.

„ Hon. A. S. Hardinge, (1). „

„ F. P. Smyly, (1) ... S. Wales Borderers.

Lieut. C. E. Orman, (1) (2) ... Essex Regt.

Exmn. in (c) and (d), sec. 4, para. 39 (IV), Queen's Regulations, 1883. Qualified for the rank of Major.

Exmn. in (c) and (d), sec. IV, para. 39 (III), Queen's Regulations, 1883. Qualified for the rank of Captain.

Lieut. A. H. P. Turner, (3)	... Royal Artillery.
" C. A. Anderson ...	... "
*	*
Lieut. R. H. Mahon ...	... Royal Artillery.
" H. Guise, (1) (2)...	... "
" C. V. Hume, (3)	... "
" A. R. Stuart ...	... "
" A. L. M. Turner, (3)	... "
*	*
Lieut. A. B. N. Churchill	... Royal Artillery.

} Exmn. in (c) and (d), sec. IV, para. 39, (III), Queen's Regulations, 1883.

- (1) "Distinguished" in Military Law.
 (2) " Field Fortification.
 (3) " Military Topography.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 22nd December 1883.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

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1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant H. R. S. Cotton, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.—Major D. T. Persse, for fifteen months, on urgent private affairs.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 24th December 1883.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

14th Hussars.—Lieutenant (Adjutant) C. D. V. Tathill, for twelve months, on private affairs.

Royal Artillery.—Captain L. A. McClintock, (R Battery 1st Brigade), for twelve months, on urgent private affairs.

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No. 32.—The following extract from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 21st December 1883.

499. The undermentioned troops are expected to arrive at Bombay on the 26th January 1884 in H.M.'s Indian Troopship *Junna* :—

Corps or Batteries.	Troops, Batteries, or Companies.		Field Officers.		Captains.		Subalterns.		Staff.		Sergeants.		Trumpeters or Drummers.		Rank and File.		Wives.		Children.		Male Servants.		Female Servants.		Wives.		Children.		Destination.	Remarks.
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12th Lancers	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bangalore.	*
14th Hussars	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	151	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Secunderabad.	*

The troops will be despatched to their destinations under the orders of the Brigadier-General Commanding Bombay District.

No. 33.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. F. Moore, 2nd in command *sub. pro tem.*, 14th Regiment N.I., for three months, from the 24th December 1883, or date of departure. Under Rule XXV, Furlough Regulations, 1868—Bangalore, medical certificate.

The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant J. W. FitzGerald, for forty days, from the 20th January 1884, or date of arrival at Bombay--Berar, private affairs.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G.O.C.C. No. 643 of 1883, for "Lance-Corporal Woolvett, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry," read "Lance-Corporal Woolvett, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment."

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS,
CAMP KRISTNARAJAPURAM,
17th January 1884.

No. 34.—At a General Court Martial assembled at Bellary, on the 22nd December 1883, No. $\frac{R.F.}{144}$, Private Samuel Ingledew, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

First Charge.—Wilfully injuring his clothing,

in that

he, at Bellary, on or about the 25th November 1883, when a prisoner in the Garrison Provost Prison, wilfully injured the following articles of his clothing, viz., one serge coat and one pair of cloth trowsers by tearing them up.

Second Charge.—Striking his superior officer, being in the execution of his office,

in that

he, at Bellary, on the 25th November 1883, when a prisoner in the Garrison Provost Prison, struck with his clenched fist Provost Serjeant John Potts, the said Provost Serjeant John Potts being his superior officer and being in the execution of his office.

FINDING.

The Court find that the prisoner No. $\frac{R.F.}{144}$, Private Samuel Ingledew, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, is guilty of all the charges :—

SENTENCE.

The Court sentence the prisoner No. $\frac{R.F.}{144}$, Private Samuel Ingledew, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, to suffer penal servitude

for the term of five years, to be discharged with ignominy from Her Majesty's Service, and to be put under stoppages of pay until he has made good the value of the following articles, viz., one serge coat and one pair of cloth trowsers.

(Signed) H. C. B. BARNETT, Colonel,
President.

BELLARY,
22nd December 1883.

Confirmed.

(Signed) FRED. ROBERTS, Lieut.-General,
*Commander-in-Chief,
Madras Army.*

CAMP OF EXERCISE,
BANGALORE,
2nd January 1884.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS,
CAMP KRISTNARAJAPURAM,
24th January 1884.

No. 35.—Brigade-Surgeon G. M. Slaughter, Army Medical Department, will, on completion of duty at the Camp of Exercise, do general duty, Eastern District. To travel expeditiously at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

The posting of Brigade-Surgeon Slaughter published in G.O.C.C. No. 621 of 1883 is cancelled.

No. 36.—Lieutenant-Colonel Vanderzee, Staff Corps, will do general duty at Madras on being relieved from his officiating appointment in the 24th Regiment N.I. On duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

This cancels G.O.C.C. No. 651 of 1883.

No. 37.—Intimation having been received from the Horse Guards that an exchange of batteries has been sanctioned between Majors E. H. Holley, Q Battery 1st Brigade, and D. V. Shortland, M Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, the former officer is directed to proceed to join his new battery.

No. 38.—Surgeon W. G. King, M.B., whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Military Department, will do duty with the 31st Regiment L.I. at Secunderabad.

No. 39.—Surgeon F. C. Smith will, on relief at Tranquebar, report himself to the Deputy Surgeon-General, H.M.'s Forces, Eastern District, for general duty.

No. 40.—With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 525 of 1883, the Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery, will accompany His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief as far as Secunderabad.

No. 41.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

25th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant F. A. Loudon, 2nd Battalion Liverpool Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 7th January 1884.

30th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant M. E. O'Donoghue, supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be Wing Officer (on probation) *sub. pro tem.*, vice Mackenzie removed.

No. 42.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinates have been passed by a Board of Examiners :—

AT CANNANORE.

Third-class Hospital Assistant A. Aroolanandam, No. 1132, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant G. P. D'Cruz, No. 1152, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant P. Markalingum Pillay, No. 1135, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT SECUNDERABAD.

Third-class Hospital Assistant M. Baupaniah, No. 1156, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant V. Sooremoothan, No. 1131, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

Third-class Hospital Assistant P. Venketasawmy, No. 1142, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT BOMBAY.

Third-class Hospital Assistant D. Phillip, No. 1121, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

No. 43.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 18th December 1883, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 18th December 1883.

12th Lancers.—Captain Philip Paston Mack, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 19th December 1883.

Royal Engineers.—The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains, under the provisions of Article 7 (b) of the Royal Warrant of 11th March 1882. Dated 15th December 1883:—

William Lewis Clinton Baddeley.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Fusiliers (*City of London Regiment*).—Lieutenant Henry B. M. Mansell-Pleydell to be Captain, *vice* C. G. Donald, seconded. Dated 31st May 1883.

The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant Claude Hamilton, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant, *vice* H. M. Graham, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 19th December 1883.

The Duke of Wellington's (*West Riding Regiment*).—Lieutenant Percy T. Rivett-Carnac, from the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be Captain, *vice* C. A. Brett, promoted. Dated 19th December 1883.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant Charles M. Hutton to be Captain, *vice* W. H. Cunliffe, seconded. Dated 15th November 1883.

The Essex Regiment.—Captain Edward Nash to be Major, *vice* D. A. Blest, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 20th October 1883.

The York and Lancaster Regiment.—Lieutenant W. N. Macdonald Cooke has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 21st September 1883.

MEMORANDA.

Captain Philip Paston Mack, half-pay, is placed on the Retired List, subject to the limitations of Article 87 of the Royal Warrant of 11th March 1882. Dated 19th December 1883.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels. Dated 29th November 1883 :—

William Knox Leet, V.C., the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).

Harcourt Mortimer Bengough, half-pay, Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras.

No. 44.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 27th December 1883.

It is notified that the 4-inch to a mile scales, at the end of the "Instructions in Scouting Duty," recently issued, are inaccurate, as they were printed on wet paper which has shrunk in drying.

If the scales, however, are soaked in water and pasted on pieces of wood before they dry again, as directed at page 12 of the English edition of the Manual, they will regain the proper length.

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Addendum.—To G.O.C.C.† dated 20th October 1883, page 428, appointing Lieutenant A. B. Fenton, 4th Madras Light Cavalry, Paid Attaché, Intelligence Branch, Quartermaster-General's Department, *add the words*—"and will proceed to take up his appointment at Simla, travelling at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part II, para. 514, clause (j)."

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No. 45.—The following orders are confirmed :—

16th November 1883.—By the General Officer commanding Bangalore Division, appointing Colonel W. G. Andrewes, Royal Horse Artillery, to assume command of the station of Bangalore during the absence of Lieutenant-General W. Payn, C.B., on a tour of inspection.

12th December 1883.—By the Officer commanding Berhampore, appointing Lieutenant C. F. Stevens, 29th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer, Berhampore, and to assume charge of the Pensioners, *vice* Lieutenant G. Rippon proceeded with his regiment to Kamptee.

14th December 1883.—By the Officer commanding 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, appointing Lieutenant E. D. Pickard-Cambridge a member of the Committee of Paymastership referred to in G.O.C.C. No. 565 of 1883, *vice* Lieutenant and Adjutant C. du P. Richardson-Griffiths relieved.

31st December 1883.—By the Officer commanding British Burmah Division, appointing Major W. E. Lockhart, Royal Artillery, to command the Royal Artillery, British Burmah Division, from the 1st January 1884, *vice* Colonel McCausland relieved.

No. 46.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant W. W. V. Pakenham, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 19th Regiment N.I., for ninety days from the 27th December 1883—India, medical certificate, under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, MADRAS,
31st January 1884.

No. 47.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain P. T. Rivett-Carnac, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, is directed to proceed to England to join the 2nd Battalion of the West Riding Regiment, into which he has been promoted. Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (i), and Part II, para. 513, clause (c).

No. 48.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant Lord A. F. Compton, 10th Hussars, is directed to rejoin his regiment, on his recent regazettement, for embarkation with it when relieved from his present duties of Extra Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. On duty at the public expense.

No. 49.—Colonel R. C. Lavie, Staff Corps, will do general duty at Bangalore.

No. 50.—The undermentioned candidates are reported as qualified according to the tests specified opposite their respective names:—

Hingoli, 3rd December 1883.

Lieutenant F. J. Winter, Royal Artillery, attached to No. 1 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, Higher Standard in Hindustani.

Bangalore, 2nd January 1884.

Lieutenant E. E. M. Lawford, Staff Corps, Lower Standard in Persian.

Cannanore, 7th January 1884.

Lieutenant T. G. Hopkins, 1st Battalion Essex Regiment,
Lower Standard in Hindustani.

Wellington.

Sub-Conductor W. C. Austin, Barrack Department, Lower
Standard in Hindustani.

Secunderabad.

Lieutenant A. F. Montanaro, D/1st Royal Artillery, Lower
Standard in Hindustani.

" G. H. Arbutnot, 2nd Battalion South Wales
Borderers, Lower Standard in Hindustani.

Private L. E. Carter, 14th Hussars, "

" J. Gardner, " "

" J. Lucking, " "

" W. J. Page, 2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fuslrs., "

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Major H. T. T. Sandes, 9/1st Eastern Division Royal Artillery,
Lower Standard in Hindustani.

Madras, 21st January 1884.

Passed Hospital Apprentice W. R. Small, Subordinate Medical
Department, High Proficiency in Tamil.

No. 51.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that an exchange of stations has been sanctioned between Lieutenant-Colonels J. B. Richardson and J. Haughton, Royal Artillery, and that the former officer should be struck off the strength of the Royal Artillery in India.

No. 52.—Intimation has also been received from the Horse Guards that Captain M. Wynell-Mayow has been posted to No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade, North Irish Division, Royal Artillery, on completing the Long Course of Instruction at Shoeburyness, *vice* A. G. S. Wade detailed for next year's course, and that Lieute-

nant R. C. Carr, No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade, Eastern Division, has been transferred to D Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery.

No. 53.—In continuation of G.O.C.C. No. 662, dated 27th December 1883, Lieutenant A. B. N. Churchill, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed to rejoin his battery at St. Thomas' Mount, his services with S Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery being no longer required.

On duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (*l*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 54.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that an exchange of batteries has been sanctioned between Captain H. G. H. Galton, No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade Welsh Division, and Captain T. F. T. Fowle, H Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery.

No. 55.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

3rd Regiment L.I.—Colonel W. P. Dicken, 2nd in Command, to be Commandant, with effect from the 7th January 1884, *vice* Lavie removed.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Rowlandson, Officiating 2nd in Command, from 2nd in Command, 23rd Regiment L.I., to be 2nd in Command, *vice* Dicken promoted.

20th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant H. W. Laing, 2nd Battalion Royal Irish Fusiliers, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 11th January 1884.

23rd Regiment L.I.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Gordon, Wing Commander, to be 2nd in Command, *vice* Rowlandson transferred.

Major W. MacD. Robinson, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander, *vice* Gordon promoted.

Lieutenant F. M. Turner, supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be Wing Officer (on probation), *vice* Robinson promoted.

No. 56.—Surgeons R. J. Fayle, T. A. P. Marsh, and A. A. Pechell, M.B., Army Medical Department, will, on arrival from England, do duty Station Hospitals, St. Thomas' Mount, Ran-

goon and Secunderabad, respectively. Expeditionally at the public expense, under para. 512 (b), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 57.—Surgeon-Major G. J. Gibson, M.D., Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to be Senior Medical Officer, South Station Hospital, Secunderabad.

No. 58.—Veterinary Surgeon Going is directed to do duty with the Royal Artillery at Secunderabad.

No. 59.—On the return of Veterinary Surgeon Fenton from the Camp of Exercise (marching with the I/3rd Royal Artillery) to Secunderabad he will revert to his former duties with the 3rd Regiment L.C., and Veterinary Surgeon F. J. Short, doing duty with the 3rd Regiment L.C., will, on relief by Veterinary Surgeon Fenton, be attached to the Royal Artillery at Trimulgherry.

No. 60.—A Class (No. 48) for instruction in Army Signalling will assemble at Bangalore on the 1st February 1884, and will be composed of British officers and of Non-commissioned officers and soldiers from *European Corps* as follows :—

						N.-C. Officers and Soldiers.
12th Lancers	...	...	...	...	...	3
The Royal Fusiliers	...	...	...	...	...	3
South Wales Borderers	...	...	...	...	...	3
Oxfordshire Light Infantry	...	...	...	...	...	3
The Middlesex Regiment	...	...	...	...	...	3
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Total ...						15
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2. Applications from officers wishing to attend this class to be submitted to the Quartermaster-General.

3. Commanding officers are requested to detail for the above class only men of good character and sight and who can write a clear hand and spell fairly.

4. Such men of the 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, and 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers

as may be selected should be left behind on those regiments proceeding to their several stations from the Camp of Exercise.

No. 61.—The following drafts of the Queen's Own Sappers and Miners proceed to India in Her Majesty's Troopship "Jumna," which left Portsmouth on the 29th December 1883, and is expected to arrive at Bombay on the 26th January 1884 :—

For Rangoon 8 men, 5 women, 4 children.

No. 62.—Second-class Hospital Assistant D. Venkatsawmy, No. 92, is promoted to the first class of his grade with effect from 15th December 1883, the date of his passing the prescribed examination.

No. 63.—Second-class Hospital Assistant C. Cundasawmy Moodelly, No. 98, who was reduced from first to second class having been well reported on by his medical officer is again promoted to the first class of his grade with effect from 1st January 1884, the date of the report.

No. 64.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinates have been passed by the Board of Examiners :—

AT MADRAS, 19TH JANUARY 1884.

Third-class Hospital Assistant A. Gooroonatha Moodelly, No. 1134, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT THAYETMYO.

Second-class Hospital Assistant S. Coopoosawmy Pillay, No. 955, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

AT VIZIANAGRUM.

Third-class Hospital Assistant Mahomed Ghaus, No. 1158, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

AT BERRHAMPORE.

Third-class Hospital Assistant N. Seevanunthan, No. 1136, as Second-class Hospital Assistant.

No. 65.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 4th January 1884.

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With reference to G.O.C.C.,† dated 15th October 1883, page 416, the term "Sergeant Farriers" is to be substituted for "Artificers" in the left hand column of Army Form B 139 (Annual Return of Certificates of Education), and all other non-commissioned officer artificers are to be included in their respective ranks, and the artificers without non-commissioned rank under the head of privates.

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Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain A. E. C. Kaye, Leinster Regiment, who was temporarily attached to the 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, on resigning his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is attached to the 1st Battalion Leinster Regiment. To travel at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part II, para. 514 (k).

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 15th January 1884.

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The undermentioned officers will attend the next course of Garrison Instruction at the centres noted, and will report themselves on the 31st January 1884 :—

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Lieutenant E. Carbonaro, Hampshire Regiment, Probationer, Bengal Staff Corps.

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† G.O.C.C. No. 587 of 1883.

No. 66.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 11th January 1884.

18. The undermentioned officer, non-commissioned officers, and men are reported to have completed a special course of instruction at the Central Gymnasium, Poona, and to have obtained certificates as follows:—

Corps.	Regtl. No.	Rank and Names.			Certificates.
*		*			*
2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.	395	Lce. Corpl.	H. Bailey ...		1st Class.
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1st Battalion Essex Regiment.	707	Lce. Corpl.	J. Bowe ...		2nd Class.
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1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.	932	Lce. Corpl.	W. Evans ...		1st Class.
Do. do. ...	1361	Do. ...	W. Norman ...		1st do.
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Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 18th January 1884.

24. The undermentioned Medical Officers, Army Medical Department, are appointed to do duty with the troops proceeding to England in Her Majesty's Troopships as stated opposite to their names:—

Names.	Troopships.	Date of sailing.
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Sur.-Maj. H. Jagoe, Madras ...	"Euphrates" ...	22nd January 1884.
Surgeon R. T. Beamish, Madras.	" " ...	" "
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Surgeon-Major T. M. Kirkwood, Madras.	"Malabar" ...	27th January 1884.
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Names.	Troopships.	Date of sailing.
Surgeon A. A. Lyle, Madras ...	"Malabar" ...	27th January 1884.
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Sur.-Maj. J. Wallace, Madras ...	"Jumna" ...	6th February 1884.
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Surgeon J. Pedlow, Madras ...	"Jumna" ...	6th February 1884.
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Sur.-Maj. R. Waters, Madras ...	"Euphrates" ...	3rd April 1884.
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Sur. H. J. McLaughlin, Madras...	"Malabar" ...	12th April 1884.

25. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay on the 7th February 1884, in H.M.'s Indian Troopship *Serapis* :—

Corps or Batteries.	Troops, Batteries, or Companies.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Serjeants.	Trumpeters or Drummers.	Rank and File.	Officers' Families.				Soldiers' Families.		Destination.	Remarks.
									Wives.	Children.	Male Servants.	Female Servants.	Wives.	Children.		
Royal Artillery.																
" B " Brigade Royal Horse Artillery.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	Madras Presidency.	To Poona, for distribution.
1st " " Royal Artillery	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	52	..	..	..	..	..	..		
2nd " " "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..		
3rd " " "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..		
North Irish Division ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..		
South " " "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Welsh " " "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..		

The troops will be despatched to their destinations under the orders of the Brigadier-General Commanding Bombay District.

23. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, viz. :—

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HINDUSTANI—*Higher Standard.*

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Lieutenant S. C. Gough, Hampshire Regiment, (attached to 5th Bengal Cavalry).

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No. 67.—The following orders are confirmed :—

20th December 1883.—By the Officer Commanding Troops, Port Blair and Nicobars, appointing Lieutenant J. C. Allen, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, Station Staff Officer, Port Blair, *vice* Lieutenant J. J. Cronin, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, relieved.

28th December 1883.—By the General Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Lieutenant-Colonel Rawlins, Royal Artillery, to assume command of the Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, from the 26th instant, during the absence of Colonel P. W. L'Estrange, on duty.

7th January 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Raipur, appointing Lieutenant C. W. W. Burton, 8th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer, Raipur, from the 7th January 1884, *vice* Lieutenant J. F. Greenwood, relieved.

8th January 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Vizianagram, appointing Lieutenant H. H. Aspinall, 16th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer, Vizianagram, *vice* Lieutenant L. C. Peters, 17th Regiment N.I., relieved.

No. 68.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Army Medical Department.—Deputy Surgeon-General R. A. Chapple, Eastern District, ninety days' accumulated privilege leave from the 25th January 1884, or subsequent date of departure.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Major St. V. A. Hammick, Garrison Instructor, Bangalore, ninety days' accumulated privilege leave from the 12th March 1884, or subsequent date of departure.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon G. L. Walker, M.D., 29th Regiment N.I., for six months, from the 15th February 1884, or subsequent date of departure, India, private affairs, under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875, the first sixty days on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, MADRAS,

31st January 1884.

No. 69.—The following transfer is ordered of a man pronounced to be unfit for further service:—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Regimental No.	Decision of Government.	From what date to be struck off.	From what date to be received upon the Pension Establishment.	Where stationed at present.	Station or Corps selected to reside.	Remarks.
Ordnance Artificer Company.	Ordnance Artificer.	Robert Plettell ... 317	Pensioned on two-thirds of his pay.	Rs. A. P. 16 10 8	31st January 1884.	1st February 1884.	Madras ... Madras.	

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 7th February 1884.

No. 70.—Surgeon-Major R. D. Bennett, Army Medical Department, on arrival from England, to be Senior Medical Officer of the Trimulgherry Station Hospital, Secunderabad, and Surgeon R. Kirkpatrick, M.B., Army Medical Department, will, on arrival from England, do duty Station Hospital, Madras. Expeditiously at the public expense, under para. 512 (b), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 71.—Surgeon-Major W. J. Fawcett, M.B., Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to be Senior Medical Officer of the Station Hospital, Kamptee. Expeditiously at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 72.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant F. Glanville, Royal Engineers, is brought on the strength of the Indian Establishment from the 28th December 1883, the date of his embarkation for India.

No. 73.—Surgeon R. Jennings, M.D., Army Medical Department, will, on completion of duty at the Camp of Exercise, Bangalore, do duty Station Hospital, Bangalore.

No. 74.—So much of G.O.C.C. No. 453 of 1883, as relates to Private No. 1098, Ramasawmy, of the 11th Regiment N.I., is cancelled.

No. 75.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

27th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant A. C. Way, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 28th January 1884.

No. 76.—The following transfers of men at their own request are ordered :—

No.	Rank and Name.	From	To
1189	Private Abd-ul-quádir	15th Regt. N.I.	6th Regt. N.I.
1193	" Jamál-ud-dín	15th " "	12th " "
3188	" Appalsawmy	19th " "	17th " "
1219	" Dastgír Khán	25th " "	20th " "

No. 77.—The undermentioned candidates are reported as having passed the Higher Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Kamptee, 20th January 1884.

Lieutenant F. M. Turner, King's Own Borderers, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Serjeant R. H. Prescott, Commissariat Department.

Army Schoolmaster T. Simms, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

No. 78.—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Higher Standard Test in Tamil :—

Madras, 21st January 1884.

Surgeon T. H. Pope, M.B., C.M., Indian Medical Department.

No. 79.—The undermentioned officer has passed the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Madras, 30th January 1884.

Lieutenant L. R. Carleton, Essex Regiment.

No. 80.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 4th January 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th January 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Lieutenant Harry S. Richardson to be Captain, vice P. P. Mack, retired. Dated 19th December 1883.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant John William Henry West resigns his Commission. Dated 5th January 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant Francis A. B. Talbot, Adjutant, to be Captain, to complete Establishment. Dated 15th November 1883.

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Medical Department.—Surgeon-Major John Henry Hunt to be Brigade-Surgeon, vice E. F. O'Leary, M.D., granted retired pay. Dated 12th December 1883.

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No. 81.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 10th December 1883.

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Officers commanding regiments of British Cavalry and batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery, are requested to report *direct* to the Inspector-General of Ordnance, Calcutta,† the number of

† Madras.

swords of the 1864 pattern in possession, showing the periods they have been in use, as well as their condition, *i.e.*, whether fit or unfit for the alteration required by clause 369, India List of Changes in War Material.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 4th January 1884.

Army Form B 194, (Annual Confidential Report on officers of the British Army) has been revised and copies can be obtained free on application to the Contractor ‡ for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 16th January 1884.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated the 1st November 1883:—

“Corrections to the Queen's Regulations, and Orders for the Army :

G.O. 149, “War Games on Models.”

G.O. 150, “Barracks.”

• *G.O. 151, “Cavalry Artificers.”*

G.O. 153, “Applications for Medals.”

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct that officers of the Army Veterinary Department, serving in India, shall provide themselves with the uniform laid down at pages 112 to 114 of the Horse Guards' Dress Regulations, 1883, the change being effected by the 1st October 1884.

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No. 82.—The following orders are confirmed:—

17th November 1883.—By the General Officer Commanding Eastern District, appointing Colonel T. S. Hawks, 26th Regi-

‡ Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

ment N.I., to assume command of the garrison of Madras during the absence on inspection duty at Vellore of the Brigadier-General Commanding Eastern District.

29th January 1884.—By the General Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, notifying that Lieutenant-Colonel A. M. Rawlins, Royal Artillery, having returned on the 28th idem from on duty at Bangalore, assumed command of the Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, from Lieutenant-Colonel Russell.

No. 83.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon M. P. Kharegat, for thirty-one days, from the 8th February 1884, or subsequent date of departure, Bombay, private affairs, under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875, and on full pay and allowances under clause (2), to Subsidiary Rule III.

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

• GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 8th February 1884.

No. 84.—The Camp of Exercise having been brought to a close, the Commander-in-Chief desires to record his approbation of the workman-like appearance of the troops, and of the soldierly manner in which they conducted themselves.

Sir Frederick Roberts was much pleased to observe the keenness and interest displayed by all ranks during the manœuvres, and to note that not one single instance of serious misconduct was brought to His Excellency's notice.

The Commander-in-Chief feels much indebted to the officers commanding divisions and brigades for the intelligent way in which they carried out the various duties of their respective commands; and to the officers, non-commissioned officers and men His Excellency's best thanks are due for having so well maintained the good name of Her Majesty's Army.

The work of the several administrative departments was ably performed and every credit is due to the staff of those departments for the satisfactory manner in which all requisitions were speedily met.

It was a great gratification to Sir Frederick Roberts that the Commander-in-Chief in India and the Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay Army were able to attend the Camp of Exercise.

Both these distinguished officers expressed themselves much pleased with the turn out and general appearance of the troops, and His Excellency General Sir Donald Stewart has authorized Sir Frederick Roberts to let those serving under him know how favorably His Excellency has been impressed with what he has seen of the Madras Army.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 14th February 1884.

No. 85.—The services of Lieutenants T. J. Atherton, 12th Lancers, and J. Hanbury Williams, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, having been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Right Honorable the Governor for duty as Extra Aides-de-Camp during the stay of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General at Madras, they are directed to proceed forthwith to Madras. On duty at the public expense, under para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 86.—Instructions having been received from the Horse Guards that Brigadier-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., Commanding the Eastern District, will be placed on retired pay from the 15th March 1884, he is permitted to proceed to England on or after that date, travelling at the public expense, under article 256, Transport Regulations, Part I.

No. 87.—Surgeon M. E. FitzGerald, Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Maliapuram temporarily, will do duty Station Hospital, Cannanore. Expeditionally at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 88.—Veterinary Surgeon Waddel is directed to do duty with the Royal Artillery at Bangalore.

No. 89.—Army Schoolmistress J. L. Pope is placed on the Unemployed List, from the 1st February 1884, under the provisions of para. 130 of the Regulations for British Army Schools in India.

No. 90.—The undermentioned candidates are reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Thayetmyo, 21st January 1884.

Lieutenant J. F. Campbell, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

Lieutenant A. Y. Ansell, the Welsh Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 91.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th January 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 8th January 1884.

Royal Artillery.—Captain Charles Brenton Wickham to be Major, *vice* Colonel the Honorable A. Stewart, retired. Dated 29th December 1883.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-General William Clarke Francis Gosling, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, has been placed on the Unemployed Supernumerary List, with the honorary rank of General. Dated 31st December 1883.

No. 92.—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards Major C. B. Wickham, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed to England to join No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade, Scottish Division, into which he has been promoted.

Under para. 256 (i), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 513 (c), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 93.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 29th January 1884.

Intimation having been received from the War Office that the undermentioned officers of the Army Pay Department have been

ordered to India, and will arrive at Bombay during January and February 1884, they are posted as Paymasters to the battalions and regiment noted opposite their names :—

Captain G. F. Thunder ... 2nd Bn. Royal Fusiliers.

Major G. H. Turner ... 2nd Bn. Hampshire Regt.

Captain C. R. Taaffe ... 2nd Bn. Somersetshire L.I.

Major J. T. O'Brien ... 1st „ Oxfordshire „

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant H. H. Smythe, for nine months, on private affairs.

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 30th January 1884.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st December 1883 :—

“Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army :

G.O. 155, “Army Schools.”

G.O. 157, “Army Signalling.”

G.O. 158, “Barracks.”

G.O. 160, “Mess and Band Funds.”

G.O. 164, “Names of soldiers.”

G.O. 165, “Regimental Badges.”

G.O. 166, “Regimental Books.”

G.O. 168, “Parchment Certificate to be given to Army Reserve men on transfer.”

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

Attention is directed to Army Circulars, clause 198 of 1883, "Gratuities for Long Service and Good Conduct;" and Horse Guards' G.O. 152, "Good Conduct Medals," dated 1st November 1883.

2. Commanding officers will take steps to adjust the gratuities of such non-commissioned officers and men as may be serving in India, in accordance with para. 431 of the "Instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882."

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The undermentioned officer is qualified for promotion to the rank of Captain :—

Lieutenant C. A. Anderson Royal Artillery.

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No. 94.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to sanction the formation of the following Committee of Paymaster-ship in the 1st Battalion Essex Regiment consequent on Staff Paymaster (Honorary Major) R. B. Farwell having been directed to proceed to England with effect from the date Major Farwell hands over duties :—

President :

Major E. C. P. Pigott.

Members :

Major H. F. Hill.

Lieutenant H. C. Copeman.

Major E. C. P. Pigott will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee.

No. 95.—The following order is confirmed :—

1st January 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Major E. Austin, Staff Corps, to continue to officiate as Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, No. 2 Circle, on completion of tour of service until relieved or until further orders.

No. 96.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant G. S. Kerrich, Squadron Officer, 1st Regiment L.C., for 181 days, from the 21st December 1883. Under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875. Nilgiris, medical certificate.

Colonel D. Standen, Commandant 28th Regiment N.I., for 182 days, from the 3rd March 1884, or subsequent date of departure. Under Rule XXV, Furlough Regulations, 1868. Nilgiris, private affairs.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon-Major James Ross, M.B., in medical charge Queen's Own Sappers and Miners, for 182 days, from the 10th February 1884, or subsequent date of departure. Under Rule XXV, Furlough Regulations, 1868. Nilgiris, private affairs.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Errata.—In so much of G.O.C.C. No. 33 of 1884, as refers to Lieutenant FitzGerald, Bedfordshire Regiment, for “*forty days from the 20th January 1884,*” read “*seventy days from the 14th January 1884.*”

In so much of G.O.C.C. No. 68 of 1884 as refers to Surgeon G. L. Walker for “*from the 15th February 1884,*” read “*from 11th February 1884.*”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 21st February 1884.

No. 97.—Colonel Swanston, 7th Regiment N.I., Officiating Assistant Quartermaster-General, is directed, on public grounds, to rejoin his regiment.

No. 98.—Surgeon C. M. Thompson, M.B., whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, will do general duty under the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern District.

No. 99.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Divisional Staff.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. Rowlandson, 3rd Regiment L.I., to officiate as Assistant Adjutant-General, British Burmah Division, during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel Coningham on furlough.

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.—Brigade-Surgeon C. A. Andrews, doing duty Eastern District, to officiate as Medical Officer of the corps. To travel at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 100.—In accordance with the confirmed sentence of a District Court-martial, Passed Hospital Apprentice John Edward Smith Michel, Subordinate Medical Department, will be suspended from rank, pay, and allowances for six (6) months with effect from the 8th January 1884.

The period of suspension awarded will expire on the 23rd June 1884, and Passed Hospital Apprentice Michel will return to duty on the following day.

No. 101.—With reference to para. 5 of S.G.O. No. 12 of 1884, the Descriptive Rolls therein referred to are to be furnished with

the least possible delay by the undermentioned regiments, from each of which one man will be detailed to join the class for instruction as Master Tailors to be formed on 1st April next :—

1st Regiment L.C.	15th Regiment N.I.
2nd " "	21st " "
4th Regiment Pioneers.	22nd " "
10th Regiment N.I.	25th " "
12th " "	26th " "
14th " "	27th " "

No. 102.—Surgeon H. St. C. Carruthers, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, will do general duty under the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Bangalore Division and Ceded Districts.

No. 103.—Surgeon E. M. Damla, on return from leave, will do general duty under the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.

No. 104.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th January 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 15th January 1884.

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14th Hussars.—Captain William Henry Burn resigns his Commission. Dated 16th January 1884.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—The surname of the officer promoted to the rank of Captain in the Gazette of 18th December 1883, is Mansel-Pleydell, and not as therein stated.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant Charles E. Curll to be Captain, *vice* E. W. Curteis, retired. Dated 5th January 1884.

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The Essex Regiment.—Lieutenant Aubrey A. Jones has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 1st November 1883.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Captain Smith Byrom Royds to be Major, *vice* H. J. Jervis-White, retired. Dated 29th December 1883.

Lieutenant Charles Wallace Warden to be Captain, *vice* S. B. Royds. Dated 29th December 1883.

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No. 105.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain C. E. Curll, South Wales Borderers, is directed to proceed to England to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment, into which he has been promoted. Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (i), and Part II, para. 513, clause (c).

No. 106.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 16th January 1884.

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A revised form of "Visitors' Book" for British Army Schools has been printed, and is to be taken into immediate use.

The new book will be supplied gratis by the Contractor † for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta, on application.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 31st January 1884.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.—Major D. M. Potter, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 6th February 1884.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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1st Battalion Essex Regiment.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. Maguire, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Captain F. R. H. Lambart, for six months, on private affairs.

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No. 107.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

2nd Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers.—Lieutenant G. W. S. Hawks, Officiating Wing Officer (on probation) 26th Regiment N.I., for forty-four days, from 11th February 1884, or subsequent date of departure. Bellary, medical certificate.

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant R. C. Andrews, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 19th Regiment N.I., for 182 days, from the 10th February 1884, or subsequent date of departure. Under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875. Australia, medical certificate.

The first sixty days on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon J. A. Burton, for 182 days, with effect from the 12th December 1883. Under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875. India, medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

12th Royal Lancers.—Lieutenant G. H. Johnston, for six months on medical certificate.

14th Hussars.—Lieutenant A. C. King, for twelve months on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 26th February 1884.

No. 108.—Under the authority of Government Army Headquarters will be removed from Madras to Ootacamund with effect from the 6th March 1884.

All correspondence for the Adjutant-General, Quartermaster-General, Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery, and Judge Advocate-General that cannot reach Madras on or before the 4th March 1884, should be addressed to Ootacamund.

In all books of Regulation, General Orders, &c., in which Madras is indicated as the Head-quarters of the Army or in which correspondence for any of the Head-quarter Departments is directed to be sent to Madras, read "Ootacamund" for "Madras."

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 28th February 1884.

No. 109.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards Brigade-Surgeon G. M. Slaughter, Army Medical Department, serving in this Presidency, will proceed to Bengal and report himself to the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, for orders.

No. 110.—G.O.C.C. No. 89 of 1884 is cancelled. Army Schoolmistress J. L. Pope is directed to take up her appointment in the 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, with the least possible delay.

No. 111.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Colonel) W. W. Woodward, Royal Horse Artillery, having, under instructions received from the Horse Guards Authorities, been removed from employment, having completed 5 years' service in the rank of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is permitted to proceed to England at his own request.

No. 112.—Under the provisions of para. 3 of S.G.O. No. 80 of 1882, page 108, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to grant Major D. T. Persse, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, an extension till the 16th February 1884, of the subsidiary leave preparatory to embarkation granted to him in G.O.C.C. No. 31 of 1884.

No. 113.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

5th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Vanderzee, Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd in Command with effect from the date of Colonel Whitlock's availing himself of the furlough granted him in G.O.G. No. 98 of 1884.

Major F. J. Wroughton from Officiating Wing Commander, 9th Regiment N.I., to be Officiating Wing Commander. To join at Rangoon, on duty at the public expense, under para. 213 (e), Transport Regulations, Part I.

Bangalore.—Surgeon J. Leonard to be Garrison Surgeon with effect from 30th March 1884, *vice* Surgeon A. F. Dobson, M.B., about to be promoted.

No. 114.—The undermentioned officers are detailed for duty at the Wellington Depôt during the present year. Particular attention is invited to paras. II and VI of G.O.C.C. dated 3rd August 1874, page 236.

These officers to travel on duty at the public expense:—

Lieut. P. Malcolm ...	...	2nd Bn. Royal Fusiliers.
„ F. V. S. Churchill ...	...	2nd Bn. Roy. Scots Fusiliers.
Major S. B. Royds ...	...	} 2nd Bn. D.C.O. Middlesex Regiment.
Lieut. F. D. Lumley ...	...	

The undermentioned officers at present at the Depôt will rejoin their regiments, their services being utilized, if practicable, with details from the Depôt. These officers will also travel on duty at the public expense.

Lieut. F. A. L. Davidson	...	2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers.
„ J. P. De La P. Beresford.	2nd Bn. South Wales Borderers,	to join the detachment of his battalion at Mullia-pooram.
„ L. G. Oliver	...	2nd Bn. D.C.O. Middlesex Regiment.

No. 115.—The undermentioned officer is reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Persian:—

Madras, 18th February 1884.

Surgeon G. T. Thomas, Indian Medical Department.

No. 116.—The following orders are confirmed:—

29th January 1884.—By the General Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Lieutenant H. H. Smythe, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, to act as Aide-de-Camp to Major-General Sir C. Keyes, K.C.B., Commanding

Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, *vice* Lieutenant E. G. Mansel, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, resigned at his own request.

1st February 1884.—By the General Officer Commanding Western District, making the following appointments with effect from the 26th January 1884, the date on which the Brigadier-General Commanding the District, accompanied by Major G. Simpson, Officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, arrived within the limits of the District from Camp of Exercise at Bangalore and proceeded on Inspection duty.

Colonel J. W. Orr, 19th Regiment N.I., to command the Garrison of Cannanore, and Major F. Smalley, 19th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer, without prejudice to his other duties.

No. 117.—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

12th Lancers.—Captain P. Montagu, for three months on private affairs, pending retirement.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. E. West, for six months from the 1st March 1884, or subsequent date of departure. Under the Furlough Rules, 1854, Nilgiris, private affairs.

Lieutenant R. H. C. Tufnell, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 30th Regiment N.I., from the 10th March to the 9th April 1884. Under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875, Madras, private affairs.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Royal Artillery.—Captain R. W. O'Grady, for twelve months, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G.O.C.C. No. 22 of 1884—

	Ship.	Troops.	Arrived at Bombay.
For “Malabar” ...	2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers.		23rd April 1884.
Read “Malabar” ...	2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers.		23rd March 1884.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 4th March 1884.

No. 118.—At a General Court Martial held at Toungoo on the 9th day of January 1884, No. $\frac{33}{2178}$, Private George Barr, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, was arraigned on the following charge:—

CHARGE.

In some place not in the United Kingdom or Gibraltar and more than one hundred miles, as measured in a straight line, from any city or town in which he can be tried by a competent Civil Court for the offence, committing the offence of murder,
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at Toungoo, British Burmah, on or about the 30th day of September 1883, he did feloniously, wilfully and of malice aforethought, kill and murder Corporal Edgar Butcher, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

FINDING.

The Court find that the prisoner No. $\frac{33}{2178}$, Private George Barr, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, is guilty of the charge.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentence the prisoner No. $\frac{33}{2178}$, Private George Barr, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, to suffer death by being hanged.

(Signed) G. ROWLANDSON, Lieut.-Colonel,
President.

TOUNGOO,
14th January 1884.

Confirmed. But in accordance with the provision laid down in Section 54-(8) of the Army Act, 1881, the sentence is not to be carried into execution unless approved of by the Governor-General of India.

(Signed) FRED. ROBERTS, Lieut.-General,
Commander-in-Chief,
Madras Army.

JUBBULPORE,
 15th February 1884.

His Excellency the Governor-General approves of the confirmation by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army, of the sentence of death passed upon Private George Barr, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, and of the said sentence being carried into execution.

By Order,

(Signed) O. R. NEWMARCH, Lt.-Col.,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Mily. Dept.

CALCUTTA,
 23rd February 1884.

The sentence will be carried into effect under instructions which will be conveyed to Major-General H. N. D. Prendergast, V.C., C.B., Commanding British Burmah Division.

The foregoing extract to be read to all European troops in the Madras Army.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
MADRAS, 5th March 1884.

No. 119.—With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 108 of 1884, it is notified for general information that under the provisions of para. 209, Transport Regulations, Part I, in future, passages for officers proceeding at the public expense to England from the port of Madras will be granted under the orders of the Brigadier-General commanding Eastern District, instead of as heretofore by the Quartermaster-General.

No. 120.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalions of their regiment specified against their names, provided the public be put to no expense by the arrangement.

Middlesex Regiment.

Captain S. E. Bellingham	...	...	2nd Battalion.
„ C. W. Warden	...	...	1st „

No. 121.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

22nd Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant F. W. Dawson, 12th Regiment N.I., to be Wing Officer and to continue to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Watson confirmed in the Commissariat Department.

No. 122.—To G.O.C.C. No. 114 of 1884, detailing officers for duty at the Depôt, Wellington, add the name of Captain E. E. Carr, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

No. 123.—The attention of Officers Commanding Regiments is invited to para. 10 of G.O.C.C. No. 381 of 1883, calling for a return showing the number of expended rounds of blank ammunition.

No. 124.—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Higher Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Rangoon, 8th February 1884.

Lieutenant C. H. M. Hitchins, 1st West India Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 125.—No. 3127, Private Kamarajoo, of the 12th Regiment N.I., is at his own request transferred to the 5th Regiment N.I. To join at Madras.

No. 126.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 25th and 29th January 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th January 1884.

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Royal Artillery.—Captain Edward Lake to be Major, *vice* Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel E. G. Battiscombe (late Bombay), promoted. Dated 31st December 1883.

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* The undermentioned Captains, from the Seconded List, to be Captains. Dated 1st January 1884 :—

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The undermentioned Officers, on the Indian Establishment, have been placed upon the Seconded List, for the purpose of going through the Long Course of Instruction in Gunnery at Shoeburyness. Dated 1st January 1884 :—

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Captain John Temple.

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Lieutenant Francis Edwin Sinclair.

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Lieutenant Frederic John Winter to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, for service with the Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 26th January 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant Richard H. D. Thring has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th October 1883.

The Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment).—Lieutenant Sherard Frederick Smith has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th October 1883.

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The Royal Dublin Fusiliers.—The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant, dated 12th January 1881, of Second Lieutenant H. T. King is cancelled, that Officer having been subsequently transferred to the Indian Staff Corps with an anterior date.

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Army Pay Department.—Paymaster and Honorary Captain Joseph Napier Tew to have the honorary rank of Major in the Army. Dated 24th January 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 29th January 1884.

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14th Hussars.—Lieutenant George Hoste Seymour, from the 3rd Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* W. H. Burn, promoted. Dated 30th January 1884.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant John Ewart Waterfield, from the 1st Regiment, Royal Guernsey Militia, to be Lieutenant, *vice* G. N. Caulfeild, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 30th January 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Lieutenant James Eyre Drummond Ward, from the 7th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, to be Lieutenant, *vice* K. J. Mackenzie, transferred to the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own). Dated 30th January 1884.

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No. 127.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 15th February 1884.

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The following letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, No. 295 E, dated the 30th January 1884, is published for information :—

“I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 4607-D, *Necessaries*, of the 26th December 1883, and in reply to state, for the information of the Commander-in-Chief, that the Government of India sanction His Excellency's recommendation that the flannel and worsted stockings to which women and children are entitled for use on the voyage to England should be issued to them before they leave their regiments, instead of on boardship.

“2. This concession is sanctioned on the understanding that the cost of conveying the articles to the regiment is borne by the regiment, and that in the event of casualties the surplus stockings and flannel (or garments made up from the latter) are returned into clothing store at Bombay or paid for regimentally.”

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.—Lieutenant C. R. Dyer, for twelve months, on private affairs.

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No. 128.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Roberts, Wing Commander, 7th Regiment N.I., for six months, from the 15th April 1884, or date of departure. Under Rule XXV, Furlough Regulations, 1868—Bangalore and Nilgiris, private affairs.

Lieutenant C. E. Poynder, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 5th Regiment N.I., from the 10th March 1884 or date of departure to the 31st August 1884. Under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875—Bangalore and Nilgiris, private affairs. The first sixty days on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

Station Staff.—Major R. T. Chapman, Station Staff Officer, Trichinopoly, privilege leave for sixty days, from the 5th March 1884 or date of departure.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.—Lieutenant C. Chamier, Officiating Wing Officer (on probation) 6th Regiment N.I., for six months, from the 1st April 1884, or date of departure. Madras, to study the Native Languages.

Royal Irish Rifles.—Lieutenant W. Browne, Wing Officer (on probation) *sub. pro tem.*, 6th Regiment N.I., for six months, from the 1st April 1884, or date of departure. Madras, to study the Native Languages.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

12th Lancers.—Lieutenant A. G. Churchill, for twelve months, on medical certificate.

2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.—Major W. E. Roberts, for twelve months, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
13th March 1884.

No. 129.—At a General Court Martial held at Secunderabad on the 15th day of February 1884, No. $\frac{50 \text{ Bde.}}{1262}$ Private Thomas Carleton, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

First Charge.—Absenting himself without leave, in that he, at Secunderabad, on the 28th January 1884, absented himself without leave from the 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, and remained so absent from about 9-15 P.M. of that date until about 6 P.M. on the 29th January 1884. .

Second Charge.—Losing by neglect articles of his Regimental necessities, in that he, at Secunderabad, between the 21st and 29th January 1884, lost by neglect the following articles of his Regimental necessities, viz., 1 pair of cotton socks, 1 polishing brush, 1 blacking brush, 1 pair of boots, 3 flannel shirts, and 1 tin of blacking.

Third Charge.—Using disloyal words regarding the Sovereign, in that he, at Secunderabad, on the 30th January 1884, on being remanded for trial by Court Martial by Captain Dawson, Commanding Detachment 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, made use of the following language, viz., "To * * * * * put that against me if you like," or words to that effect.

Fourth Charge.—Disobeying in such a manner as to show a wilful defiance of authority, a lawful command given personally by his superior officer in the execution of his office, in that he, at Secunderabad, on the 1st February 1884, when ordered by Lieutenant L. W. Bode, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, his

superior officer, to stand to attention did not do so, but walked about with his hands in his pockets.

Fifth Charge.—Using insubordinate language to his superior officer,

in that he,
at Secunderabad, on the 2nd February 1884, said to Colonel H. M. L. Colquhoun, Commanding 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, his superior officer, on being remanded by him for trial
“ * * * * *,” or words to that effect.

FINDING.

The Court find that the prisoner No. $\frac{50 \text{ Bde.}}{1262}$ Private Thomas Carleton, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, is guilty of all the charges.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentence the prisoner No. $\frac{50 \text{ Bde.}}{1262}$ Private Thomas Carleton, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, to suffer penal servitude for the term of five years and to be discharged with ignominy from Her Majesty's service.

(Signed) G. A. STEPHENS, Colonel,

SECUNDERABAD,

President.

15th February 1884.

Confirmed. I commute the five years penal servitude awarded by the Court Martial to two years' imprisonment with hard labour, which is to be undergone not in the United Kingdom.

(Signed) FRED. ROBERTS, Lieut.-General,

Commander-in-Chief,

CALCUTTA,

Madras Army.

28th February 1884.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
20th March 1884.

No. 130.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant-Colonel A. M. Rawlins, Royal Artillery, has been appointed to the Royal Horse Artillery, *vice* W. W. Woodward, removed to the Unemployed List.

No. 131.—Brigade-Surgeon J. H. Hunt, Army Medical Department, doing General duty, Bangalore, to be Senior Medical Officer, North Station Hospital, Bangalore.

No. 132.—Surgeon A. E. J. Croly, Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Bellary, will do duty Station Hospital, Wellington.

Surgeon F. B. Maclean, Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Bangalore, will do duty Station Hospital, Bellary.

Surgeon R. Kirkpatrick, M.B., Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Madras, will do duty Station Hospital, Bangalore.

The above officers will travel expeditiously at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 133.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

8th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant J. C. Erck, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, to be officiating Wing Officer, and with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 5th March 1884.

20th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant E. P. Wood, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 21st Regiment N.I., to be Wing

Officer (on probation) to fill an existing vacancy. On duty at the public expense, under para. 530, Transport Regulations, Part II.

District Staff.—Captain Hornsby, 1st Light Cavalry, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Quarter Master-General, Nagpore Force, during the absence of Major MacNeill, on furlough.

Major Simpson, Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, is transferred from the Western District to the Ceded District, with effect from the date of Major Wratislaw's departure on leave. On duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 134.—*Divisional Staff.*—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following temporary arrangements during the absence of Major Hallett, Deputy Judge Advocate, No. 3 Circle, on furlough (medical certificate):—

Colonel Briggs, Deputy Judge Advocate, No. 1 Circle, to officiate in No. 3 Circle and to have charge of the Ceded District.

Lieutenant-Colonel Shaw, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate, No. 2 Circle, to have charge, in addition to his own duties, of No. 1 Circle.

No. 135.—To G.O.C.C. No. 114 of 1884, directing officers at the dépôt, Wellington, to rejoin their regiments, add the name of Captain N. J. Nugent, Royal Artillery.

No. 136.—G.O.C.C. No. 507 of 1883 is cancelled, Lieutenant P. E. Dixon, Royal Engineers, having been posted to the Public Works Department of the Bombay Presidency.

No. 137.—The Director-General of Military Education having notified that Miss Alice Austin has passed a qualifying examination for the post of Army Schoolmistress, she is, under para. 128 of the Regulations for British Army Schools in India, provisionally appointed a 3rd-class Army Schoolmistress, and temporarily posted to the Royal Artillery, Bangalore, *vice* Army Schoolmistress A. L. Rees, invalided. To join on Mrs. Rees vacating the appointment.

No. 138.—The undermentioned candidates are reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Bellary, 3rd March 1884.

Lieutenant P. Malcolm, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.

Cannanore.

Lieutenant R. H. Gill, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

Lance-Corporal J. Radford, " "

" C. Redcliff, " "

Private E. Lingwood, " "

Secunderabad.

Surgeon A. O. Evans, Indian Medical Department.

1622. Lance-Serjeant T. Southerwood, 14th Hussars.

1938. Lance-Corporal W. H. Butler, "

1761. " A. Eldred, "

1764. Trumpeter J. Coleman, "

2012. Private F. Walton, "

1811. Gunner F. Brown, M-B Royal Horse Artillery.

4561. " G. Brownless, "

14201. Bombardier R. Kerwick, D-1st Royal Artillery.

990. Corporal J. Masson, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusrs.

1752. Private C. Daly, " "

1054. Serjeant J. Robertson, " "

Kamptee, 3rd March 1884.

Lieutenant G. F. Power, 2nd Battalion Essex Regiment.

" J. Berkley, Royal Artillery.

Wellington.

Passed Hospital Apprentice P. A. Winckler, Subordinate Medical Department.

Bangalore, 8th March 1884.

Lieutenant H. G. C. Swayne, " Queen's Own " Sappers and Miners.

Saugor, 3rd March 1884.

Lieutenant E. H. Bennett, Royal Munster Fusiliers, Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 139.—The undermentioned officers have passed the tests in Hindustani set opposite their respective names :—

Madras, 3rd March 1884.

Surgeon R. E. S. Davis, Indian Medical Department, Higher Standard.

Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, Bedfordshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps, Lower Standard.

No. 140.—3rd-class Hospital Assistant F. S. A. Appasawmy, No. 1125, has been found qualified for promotion to the Second Class by a Board of Medical Officers assembled at Tounghoo.

No. 141.—The following table shows the color of the puggris, &c., sanctioned for regiments of Native Cavalry, Infantry, and Sappers and Miners.

These colours are not to be altered without the orders of the Commander-in-Chief.

Corps.	Color of Pugгри, &c.	Corps.	Color of Pugгри, &c.
1st L.C....	Blue ; with khaki kula.	2nd N.I. ...	Khaki ; green band khaki fringe.
2nd „ ...	Dark blue with bands of light blue and white, Dark blue kula.	3rd „ ...	„ „ „
3rd „ ...	Dark blue, red ends with French grey kula.	4th Pio- neers.	Khaki ; red band, white fringe.
4th „ ...	Indigo blue ; bars and stripes of indigo blue and light grey with fringe of indigo blue behind—scarlet kula.	5th N.I....	Khaki ; yellow band, white fringe.
Sappers & Miners.	Black.	6th „ ...	Khaki ; white band, khaki fringe.
1st Pioneers	Blue ; with scarlet kula.	7th „ ...	Khaki ; yellow band, khaki fringe.
		8th „ ...	Khaki ; white band, khaki fringe.
		9th „ ...	Ash ; green fringe, scarlet kula.

Corps.	Color of Puggri, &c.	Corps.	Color of Puggri, &c.
10th N.I.	Khaki ; yellow band, khaki fringe.	23rd N.I.	Khaki ; green band, khaki fringe.
11th "	Khaki ; green band, khaki fringe.	24th "	" " " "
12th "	Khaki ; blue border, white fringe.	25th "	Khaki ; dark green edge and fringe.
13th "	Khaki ; white band, khaki fringe.	26th "	Khaki ; green fringe.
14th "	Khaki ; white band, khaki fringe.	27th "	Dark blue ; narrow red border with red, yellow, and blue fringe, Red kula.
15th "	Khaki ; yellow band, khaki fringe.	28th "	Khaki ; red band, yellow fringe.
16th "	" " "	29th "	Khaki ; white band, khaki fringe.
17th "	Khaki ; white band, khaki fringe.	30th "	Khaki ; white fringe and band ; red kula.
19th "	Khaki ; yellow band, khaki fringe, khaki kula.	31st "	Khaki ; green band, khaki fringe.
20th "	Khaki ; green band, khaki fringe.	32nd "	Khaki ; yellow band, khaki fringe.
21st "	Khaki ; white band, khaki fringe.	33rd "	" " "
22nd "	" " " " black kula.		

No. 142.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 25th January, and 1st, 5th, 12th, and 19th February 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th January 1884.

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Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant Charles Napier Simpson to be Captain, *vice* E. Lake, promoted. Dated 31st December 1883.

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Lieutenant Reginald Pemberton Leach to be Captain, *vice* W. E. Blewitt, placed upon the Seconded List. Dated 1st January 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 1st February 1884.

14th Hussars.—Lieutenant Augustus John English to be Captain, *vice* W. H. Burn, resigned. Dated 16th January 1884.

Lieutenant Christopher D. V. Tuthill, Adjutant, to be Captain, to complete Establishment. Dated 16th January 1884.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Sergeant-Major John Clisham, from the School of Gymnastics, to be Quartermaster, *vice* R. Browne, posted to the 3rd Battalion. Dated 2nd February 1884.

War Office, Pall Mall, 5th February 1884.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Gentleman Cadet Reginald John Pinney, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* H. B. M. Mansel-Pleydell, promoted. Dated 6th February 1884.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Gentleman Cadet Robert Brocklehurst, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* J. W. H. West, resigned. Dated 6th February 1884.

The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Queen's (India) Cadet Thomas Shaw Johnson, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* H. S. Hazelgrove, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th February 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Duncan Patrick, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* L. H. Hawkes, transferred to the Welsh Regiment. Dated 6th February 1884.

Gentleman Cadet William Thomas Wilson Scott, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* W. Flood, transferred to the 2nd Dragoon Guards. Dated 6th February 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Stanley Williams, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* A. R. Lloyd, promoted. Dated 6th February 1884.

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The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Gentleman Cadet Arthur Hugh Thurnburn, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* M. T. O. Travers, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 6th February 1884.

Queen's (India) Cadet William Crawford Walton, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* W. H. Lowry, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th February 1884.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Gentleman Cadet Reginald Pole Stuart, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* F. C. Grant, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th February 1884.

Queen's (India) Cadet Harry Triscott Brooking, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. E. Curll, promoted. Dated 6th February 1884.

Queen's (India) Cadet John Henegan, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* W. G. Wolrige-Gordon, transferred to the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders). Dated 6th February 1884.

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The Hampshire Regiment.—Gentleman Cadet John Kelso Tod, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* G. P. Bourcicault, seconded. Dated 6th February 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Gentleman Cadet Arthur Blyford Thruston, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. M. Hutton, promoted. Dated 6th February 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Francis William Henry Cox, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* P. T. Rivett-Carnac, promoted into the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment). Dated 6th February 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Queen's (India) Cadet Alfred Walter Warden, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* E. G. Wynyard, transferred to the King's (Liverpool Regiment). Dated 6th February 1884.

Honorary Queen's (India) Cadet Hugh North Warde, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. L. H. Cox, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th February 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 12th February 1884.

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Lieutenant-Colonel J. Cecil Russell, 12th Lancers, to be Colonel. Dated 7th February 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 19th February 1884.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Captain E. L. R. Thackwell has been seconded for service as a Probationer for the Army Pay Department. Dated 16th February 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant G. B. Hodson, from the South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* R. H. D. Thring, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th February 1884.

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Army Schools.—The undermentioned Sub-Inspectors to be Inspectors, with the honorary and relative rank of Captain. Dated 14th February 1884 :—

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Thomas C. Sherwood.

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No. 143.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following postings, &c., of Royal Artillery Officers :—

Major E. Lake just promoted to that rank from P Battery 1st Brigade, has been posted to G. Battery 1st Brigade.

Major Lake is directed to proceed to join his new Battery under para. 514 (k), Transport Regulations, Part II.

Captain C. N. Simpson, just promoted to that rank from N Battery B Brigade, has been posted to P Battery 1st Brigade, *vice* E. Lake.

Captain R. P. Leach, just promoted to that rank from M Battery A Brigade, has been posted to No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade, Welsh Division, *vice* J. Temple, sent home for the Long Course.

Lieutenant R. H. Mahon, has been transferred from No. 6 Battery 1st Brigade, Southern Division, to No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade, Welsh Division.

No. 144.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 20th February 1884.

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Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st January 1884 :—

“Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army.”

G.O. 3, “Depôts.”

G.O. 4, “Deserters.”

G.O. 6, “Farriery.”

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.—Captain E. W. Clark, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 26th February 1884.

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Attention is directed to War Office Army Circulars, clause 207, dated 1st December 1883, amending the regulations contained in article 117 of the Royal Warrant, dated 11th March 1882, in regard to the rank and precedence of officers.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant Charles Blakeway Little to be Adjutant, vice Captain F. B. Bradshaw, appointed Adjutant of the 3rd Battalion, subject to the approval of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief. Dated 16th November 1883.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

12th Lancers.—Lieutenant R. G. Broadwood, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.—Major J. J. Harvey, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Quartermaster U. F. Lapham, for six months, on private affairs.

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The undermentioned officer is granted leave to Australia, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.—Major W. W. Chard, for six months, on private affairs.

No. 145.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished:—

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Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 7th March 1884.

95. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay on the 23rd March in H.M.'s Indian Troopship *Crocodile*:—

Corps or Batteries.	Troops, Batteries, or Companies.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters or Drummers.	Rank and File.	Officers' Families.				Soldiers' Families.		Destination.	Remarks.
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(a) Bandmaster.

(b) Pensioned Conductor.

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(a) Schoolmaster.

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96. The undermentioned troops are expected to arrive at Bombay on the 2nd April next in H.M.'s Indian Troopship *Malabar* :—

Corps or Batteries.	Troops, Batteries, or Companies.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters or Drummers.	Rank and File.	Officers' Families.				Soldiers' Families.		Destination.	Remarks.
										Wives.	Children.	Male Servants.	Female Servants.	Wives.	Children.		
* 2nd South Wales Borderers ...	*	...	1	3	1	(a)	1	2	1	279	1	4	...	...	...	Madras.	
* 2nd Royal Scots Fusiliers ...	*	...	2	1	...	...	1	2	138	1	...	...	2	4	...	Secunderabad.	
* ...	*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		

(a) Bandmaster.

98. The undermentioned are reported to have completed a special course of instruction at the Central Gymnasium, Poona, and to have obtained certificates as stated :—

No. 2593, Lance-Corporal W. Moles, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment—2nd Class Certificate.

No. 2106, Lance-Corporal W. Tanner, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment—2nd Class Certificate.

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No. 146.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Cavalry.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Kerr, Squadron Commander and 2nd in Command, 3rd Regiment L.C., from 10th March 1884, or date of departure, to the 1st July 1884. Under Rule XXV, Furlough Regulations, 1868, Nilgiris, private affairs.

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant H. W. E. Georges, Squadron Officer, 3rd Regiment L.C., for six months, from 1st March 1884, or date of departure. Under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875, India and Australia, private affairs. The first sixty days on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

British Veterinary Department.—1st-class Veterinary Surgeon M. F. Healy, for six months on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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No. 147.—Lieutenant H. L. B. Acton, Officiating Squadron Officer (on probation) 1st Regiment L.C., a Probationer for the Madras Staff Corps, will proceed to Bellary for the purpose of being examined for final admission to the Staff Corps, under para. 135, Madras Army Regulations. To travel on duty at the public expense, under para. 514, clause (h), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 148.—Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) G. Swinley, Royal Artillery, who has been brought on the Divisional Staff as an Assistant Quartermaster-General by G.O.G. No. 143 of 1884, is posted to the Bangalore Division.

No. 149.—Under instructions from Government it is notified, with reference to S.G.O. No. 70, dated 16th August 1883, that the Returns of Equipment for 1st April 1884 are not required until further orders.

No. 150.—Intimation has been received from the Director-General of Military Education that Army Schoolmaster. Albert Apps has been transferred from the 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry to the Royal Artillery, Bangalore, in place of Schoolmaster Rees, pensioned.

No. 151.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant M. W. S. Pasley, No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade London Division, has been transferred to No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade Eastern Division, Royal Artillery.

No. 152.—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards Captain J. J. Swinton, I Battery 3rd Brigade Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed forthwith to England by P & O Steamer, to join the Advanced Class.

To travel at the public expense, under clause 103, India Army Circulars, 1883.

No. 153.—The undermentioned officers of the Army Medical Department, will, on arrival from England, do duty at the Station Hospitals at the stations specified against their respective names :—

Surgeon-Major W. P. Smith	...	...	Secunderabad.
„ W. Keir, M.D.	...	...	„
„ J. N. Stock	...	...	Cannanore.
„ J. B. Kelly	...	...	Bangalore.
„ D. C. W. Heather	...	...	Rangoon.

The above officers will travel expeditiously at the public expense, under clause (b), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 154.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

13th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant A. J. Richardson, 2nd Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 10th March 1884.

29th Regiment N.I.—Surgeon J. C. Marsden, doing general duty, Bangalore, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment.

To travel expeditiously at the public expense, under clause (j), para. 514, Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 155.—The Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to order the following removals :—

Veterinary-Surgeon A. H. Waddel, from Bangalore to Secunderabad, for duty with the Royal Artillery, at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part II, para. 514.

1st-class Veterinary-Surgeon F. W. Going, from Secunderabad to Bellary, for duty with the 2nd Light Cavalry and Royal Artillery, at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part II, para. 514.

No. 156.—Surgeon E. W. Reilly, doing duty, Secunderabad, will report himself for general duty to the Deputy Surgeon-General, H.M.'s Forces, at Madras. To travel at the public expense, under clause (j), para. 514, Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 157.—The attention of Examining Committees in Hindustani is invited to clause 194 of India Army Circulars of 1882.

No candidate is eligible for examination by the Lower Standard in Persian, until he has passed either the Higher Standard or Old Staff Tests in Hindustani. In applying for permission to be examined, candidates should quote the G.O.C.C. notifying their having passed the prescribed examination in Hindustani.

No. 158.—The undermentioned officer is reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Persian :—

Bangalore.

Lieutenant F. R. Thackeray, Royal Horse Artillery.

No. 159.—The undermentioned candidates are reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Rangoon, 3rd March 1884.

Lieutenant E. Maconchy, East Yorkshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

„ E. B. Lang, Royal Artillery.

„ R. E. Sullivan, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.

Sub-Conductor W. G. Madeley, Ordnance Department.

No. 160.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinates have been found qualified for promotion by a Board of Examiners :—

AT SAINT THOMAS' MOUNT.

2nd-class Hospital Assistant B. Mathooraprasad, No. 920, as 1st-class Hospital Assistant.

AT HOOSHUNGABAD.

3rd-class Hospital Assistant T. Narainsawmy Naidoo, No. 1124, as 2nd-class Hospital Assistant.

No. 161.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 6th March 1884.

Attention is invited to the following Horse Guards' general order, dated 1st September 1883 :—

G.O. 119, — Dress Regulations.

With reference to India Army Circulars, clause 132 of 1883, reducing the scale of Pioneer appointments and tools of British cavalry regiments, officers commanding such regiments are directed to return into the arsenals, upon which they are dependent, all Pioneer appointments and tools in their possession, surplus to the revised scale.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

* * *

Royal Artillery.—Major A. J. Shuttleworth, (No. 6 Battery 1st Brigade, South Irish Division), for fifteen months, on private affairs.

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Lieutenant H. Guise, for nine months, on private affairs.

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2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant J. J. Burnett, for 12 months, on private affairs.

2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant S. F. Chichester, for 12 months, on private affairs.

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Army Medical Department.—Surgeon A. L. Browne, for six months, on private affairs.

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No. 162.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 14th March 1884.

110. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay about the 9th April in the B.I.S.N. Co.'s steamer *Nuddea*:—

Corps or Batteries.	Troops, Batteries, or Companies.										Rank and File.	Officers' Families.				Soldiers' Families.		Children.	Destination.	Remarks.
	Troops,	Batteries,	or	Companies.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Serjeants.	Trumpeters or Drummers.		Wives.	Children.	Male Servants.	Female Servants.	Wives.	Children.			
2nd Battalion Middlesex	...	...	...	...	1	3	1	218	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Secunderabad.	
	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		

The families of the married men of the above drafts and the husbands, except such of them as are serjeants, are coming to India in the troop-ship due at Bombay on 2nd April next.

No. 163.—The following order is confirmed :—

14th March 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, notifying that Major (Lieutenant-Colonel) T. J. Jones, Royal Artillery, assumes command of the Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, *vice* Colonel L'Estrange, who has assumed command of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, in room of Major-General Sir C. P. Keyes, on sick leave.

No. 164.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 17th Regiment N.I., from the 2nd April 1884, or subsequent date of departure to 2nd August 1884 under rule 10, Furlough Regulations, 1875, Jubbulpore and Pachmari, private affairs. The first sixty days on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant H. T. Shubrick, for six months, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
27th March 1884.

No. 165.—Under instructions from Horse Guards a special report, for the information of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, is to be made by Officers Commanding British Cavalry and Infantry Corps, on each Officer who, after the final examination in Musketry referred to in G.O.C.C. No. 414, dated 23rd August 1883, remains without a certificate qualifying him to conduct the musketry training of his troop or company.

2. These reports to be furnished (in triplicate) as early as possible to the Adjutant-General, Ootacamund.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
3rd April 1884.

No. 166.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalions of their regiment specified against their names, provided the public be put to no expense by the arrangement :—

BEDFORDSHIRE REGIMENT.

Lieutenant J. M. Schreiber	...	1st Battalion.
„ L. Croasdaile	...	2nd „

ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS.

Major J. Whitton	...	...	1st Battalion.
„ H. R. C. Hewat	...	...	2nd „

No. 167.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Captain R. H. S. Baker, E Battery A Brigade Royal Horse Artillery, has been appointed to the Adjutancy of the Royal Artillery, Bangalore Division, *vice* C. B. Wickham promoted.

No. 168.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

22nd Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant Dawson, Wing Officer and Officiating Adjutant, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

No. 169.—The undermentioned candidates have been reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Toungoo, 3rd March 1884.

Lance Corporal J. Connor, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment.

Private W. Blofield,	„	„
„ J. Dillon,	„	„

No. 170.—3rd-class Hospital Assistant G. Thavathanyan, No. 1126, has been found qualified for promotion to the second class by a Board of Examiners at Bangalore.

No. 171.—Surgeon-Major J. Fraser, M.D., Army Medical Department, will, on arrival from England, do duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad. Expeditionally at the public expense under clause (b), para. 512, Transport Regulations, part II.

No. 172.—Army Schoolmaster A. C. Sherwood is transferred from the Royal Artillery, St. Thomas' Mount, to the 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, at Bellary, *vice* Army Schoolmaster A. Barton invalided to England.

No. 173.—The following order is confirmed:—

12th March 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Colonel P. W. L'Estrange, Royal Artillery, to assume command of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, *vice* Major-General Sir C. P. Keyes, K.C.B., proceeded on leave to England.

No. 174.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

Divisional Staff.—Brigadier-General L. W. Buck, Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, privilege leave for sixty days from the 1st April 1884, or date of departure. Ootacamund.

Brigade Staff.—Brigadier-General W. A. Gib, C.B., Commanding Ceded District, privilege leave for sixty days from 10th April 1884, or date of departure. Ootacamund.

Royal Horse Artillery.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to grant leave of absence in extension to Major V. Wing, E Battery B Brigade, from 3rd March to 3rd September 1884, on account of ill health.

Royal Artillery.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to grant leave of absence to Captain R. P. Leach, No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade Welsh Division, until 5th June 1884, on private affairs.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
3rd April 1884.

No. 174B.—The Commander-in-Chief directs the republication of the following notification by Government:—

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George, March 31, 1884.

Intelligence having been received of the demise of His Royal Highness Prince Leopold George Duncan Albert—son of Her Majesty the Queen, Empréss of India—Duke of Albany, Earl of Clarence, Prince of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Duke of Saxony, Prince of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, K.G., K.T., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., P.C., D.C.L. (Oxon.), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Officers of Her Majesty's Civil, Military, and Marine services do put themselves into mourning for a period of Three Weeks.

2. The Commander-in-Chief desires that the mourning prescribed by regulation be worn by all Officers under His Excellency's orders, for the above named period.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,

10th April 1884.

No. 175.—With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 114 of 1884, detailing officers for duty at the Wellington Depôt during the present year, the name of Lieutenant F. Sapte is substituted for that of Lieutenant F. D. Lumley.

No. 176.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 8th March 1884.

Attention is directed to Army Circulars, clause 5 of 1884, "Gratuities for Long Service and Good Conduct," and Horse Guards' G.O. 7, "Good Conduct Medals," dated 1st January 1884.

2. Commanding officers will take steps to adjust the gratuities of such non-commissioned officers and men as may be serving in India, in accordance with para. 431 of the "Instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882."

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments:—

39th Native Infantry.—Lieutenant J. J. Cronin, Middlesex Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated 16th February 1884.

The six months' leave to England, on private affairs, granted to Captain F. R. H. Lambart, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, by G.O.C.C. † dated 6th February 1884, page 36, is cancelled.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

12th Lancers.—Captain P. Montagu, for three months, on private affairs, pending retirement on half pay.

2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.—Major H. B. Winter, for fifteen months, on urgent private affairs.

No. 177.—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Duke of Cambridge's Own Middlesex Regiment.—Lieutenant F. D. Lumley, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

No. 178.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has leave of absence :—

Barrack Department.—Sub-Conductor C. Illingworth, Barrack Master, Second Class, Kamptee, for sixty days, from the 25th February 1884, or date of departure, under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875.—India, private affairs, on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G.O.C.C. No. 164 of 1884, granting leave to Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, Staff Corps, for "2nd April 1884," read "31st March 1884."

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
10th April 1884.

BRITISH ARMY SCHOOLS, MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

No. 179.—Return showing Results of Examinations of Candidates for School Certificates in 1882.

Regiment or Corps.	Class.			Total of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Classes.	Name of Schoolmaster.	4th-class Certif. certificates awarded.	Total of Certificates awarded in all Classes.	Total of Men who failed to obtain Certificates.	Total of Men examined for Certificates in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Classes.	Remarks.
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.							
H.M.'s 12th Lancers, Bangalore	...	3	6	9	J. Willsher	1	10	5	15	
" 14th Hussars, Secunderabad	...	9	12	21	R. W. Carnegie	...	21	2	23	
Royal Artillery, Secunderabad	...	8	9	17	W. Gibbs	1	18	13	31	
" Det. Secunderabad	...	5	4	9	Bombardier J. McNally (Acting).	...	9	8	17	
" Bangalore	...	11	19	30	J. Rees	3	33	24	57	
" St. Thomas' Mount	...	11	12	23	H. W. Smith and H. Parr.	...	23	2	25	
" Kamptee	...	6	6	12	W. Fletcher	2	14	7	21	

Regiment or Corps.	Class.			Total of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Classes.	Name of Schoolmaster.	4th-class Certificates awarded.	Total of Certificates awarded in all Classes.	Total of Men who failed to obtain Certificates.	Total of Men examined for Certificates in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Classes.	Remarks.
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.							
Royal Artillery, Rangoon	...	...	6	6	Serjeant W. Beesly (Ag.)...	3	9	5	14	
R Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, Bellary.	...	1	1	2	{ A. Barton }	...	2	...	2	
2nd Battalion The Royal Fusiliers, Bellary.	1	18	25	44	...	...	44	17	61	
2nd Battalion The Somersetshire Light Infantry, Kamptee.	2	20	19	41	W. Wheeler	2	43	15	58	
2nd Battalion The Bedfordshire Regiment, Thayetmyo.	...	3	12	15	{ J. Porter }	1	16	12	28	
Royal Artillery, Thayetmyo	...	...	1	1	...	1	2	9	11	
2nd Battalion The Royal Scots Fusiliers, Secunderabad.	...	39	38	77	J. Head	11	88	32	120	
2nd Battalion The South Wales Borderers, Secunderabad.	1	25	23	49	J. James	...	49	19	68	
1st Battalion The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Bangalore.	...	6	11	17	P. Evens	2	19	16	35	
1st Battalion The Essex Regiment, Madras.	1	16	5	22	W. H. Jupp and A. C. Sherwood.	1	23	16	39	
2nd Battalion The Hampshire Regiment, Cannanore.	1	21	30	52	W. Collier	1	53	20	73	
2nd Battalion The Middlesex Regiment, Rangoon.	...	14	20	34	J. Morrison	2	36	18	54	

Garrison School, Tonghoo, L.E.B.,	...	...	...	...	H. Seed ...			...	...	...	...
2nd Battalion The Bedfordshire Regiment.	...	...	...	...	H. Pope ...			...	...	...	...
Royal Artillery, Tonghoo	...	...	...	...	8	16	24	...	...	25	2
Dépot, Wellington	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	...	3	30
Royal Engineers, 42nd Co., Bangalore.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total ...	6	226	276	508	...	...	...	32	540	247	787
Certificates awarded to men examined in Fourth Class only											
Examined as Candidates for Fourth-class Certificates only											
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	632	632	184	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	816
Grand Total ...	6	226	276	508	...	...	...	664	1,172	431	1,603

Return of Fourth-class Certificates awarded by Sub-Inspectors.

District.	By whom awarded.		Number of 4th-class Certificates awarded.	Total of Men who failed to obtain 4th-class Certificates.	Total of Men examined for 4th-class Certificates.
Bangalore	...	Sub-Inspector T. C. Sherwood	...	97	503
Secunderabad	...	Do. J. Carroll	...	87	313

BRITISH ARMY SCHOOLS, MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

ELDER CHILDREN.

Return showing the Number of Children between the Ages of 7 and 12½ Years; their Average Age as shown by the Schedules of Examination; and the Average Standards passed by them at the Examination for the Year 1882.

Regiment.	Pupils between 7 and 12½ Years.	Average Age.	Name of Schoolmaster.	Average Standard passed.	Remarks.
H.M.'s 12th Lancers, Bangalore ...	15	10-10	J. Willsher ...	2-8	
" 14th Hussars, Secunderabad ...	9	10-24	R. W. Carnegie ...	2-4	
Royal Artillery, Secunderabad ...	27	10-15	W. Gibbs ...	2-6	
Detachment Royal Artillery, Secunderabad.	1	11-00	Bombr. J. McNally (Ag.)	4-0	
Royal Artillery, Bangalore ...	24	10-26	J. Rees ...	3-2	
" St. Thomas' Mount ...	42	9-33	H. W. Smith and H. Parr	2-3	
" Kamptee ...	9	9-73	W. Fletcher ...	2-1	
" Bellary ...	3	8-53	{ A. Barton ...	2-3	
2nd Battalion The Royal Fusiliers, Bellary.	19	10-16	... }	1-9	
2nd Battalion The Somersetshire Light Infantry, Kamptee.	26	10-22	W. Wheeler ...	1-7	
2nd Battalion The Bedfordshire Regiment and 159th Royal Artillery, Thayetmyo.	17	10-08	J. Porter ...	3-4	
2nd Battalion The Royal Scots Fusiliers, Secunderabad.	13	10-41	J. Head ...	3-1	

2nd Battalion The South Wales Borderers, Secunderabad.	4	9-83	J. James	...	...	4-0
1st Battalion The Oxfordshire Light Infan- try, Bangalore.	30	10-54	P. Evens	...	...	2-5
1st Battalion The Essex Regiment, Madras.	36	9-93	W. H. Jupp and A. C. Sherwood	...	...	2-4
2nd Battalion The Hampshire Regiment, Cannanore.	15	9-44	W. Collier	...	...	1-7
2nd Battalion The Middlesex Regiment, Bangoon.	26	9-84	J. Morrison	...	...	2-3
Garrison School, Tougloo	8	10-04	H. J. Seed	...	...	2-3
Dépt, Wellington	38	9-56	H. Pope	...	...	2-5
" Poonamallee	13	10-36	J. Houlahan	...	...	2-8
European Veteran Co., Pallavaram	25	10-40	T. Simms	...	...	2-7
" " " " " Girls "	23	10-81	Mistress M. J. Parker	...	...	2-6

OOTACAMUND,

24th March 1884.

C. J. JENNINGS, Colonel,
Superintendent of Army Schools.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
10th April 1884.

No. 180.—Return showing the Educational Condition and Progress of the Adults and Children in the British Army Schools of the Madras Presidency for the year 1883:—

Name of Regiment or Corps.		Station.	Name of the Schoolmaster.	Name of the Schoolmistress.	Strength on the 1st January 1884.							Certificates now in possession.					Certificates obtained since last Annual Return.					Elder Children's School.			Infant School.			Remarks.
					Warrant Officers.	Staff Sergeants and Sergeants.	Cornets and Bombardiers.	Artificers.	Privates, including Musicians.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Bagpipers.	Total.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	4th Class.	Total.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	4th Class.	Total.	No. of Pupils on the Books at the End of Examination.	No. presented for Examination.	No. who passed in or above the Standard of their Age.	No. of Pupils on the Books at the Date of Examination.	No. who passed in the 1st Standard.	No. remaining who have not reached the Standard of their Age.	
H.M.'s 12th Lancers	Bangalore	P. Evens	Mrs. R. Wilkinson	2	38	24	...	420	7	491	1	115	93	186	395	...	12	5	15	32	17	17	7	18	4	1		
" 14th Hussars	Secunderabad	R. Carnegie	Mrs. K. Boyd	1	28	18	313	5	380	1	100	78	160	339	...	8	5	9	20	13	13	7	11	5	...			
Royal Artillery	"	W. Gibbs	Miss A. Gibbs	1	29	35	12	383	7	417	2	76	73	179	330	...	25	16	12	53	41	38	14	40	7	1		
"	Bangalore	J. Rees	Mrs. A. Rees	...	33	43	17	537	10	640	1	112	116	289	518	...	9	15	8	32	37	33	12	37	6	2		
"	St. Thomas' Mount.	{ H. W. Smith A. G. Sherwood }	Miss E. Plowden	1	30	25	10	364	6	436	2	81	70	175	328	...	15	12	16	43	79	78	33	66	9	...		
"	Rangoon	Sergeant Beasley	Nil	...	7	9	...	94	2	112	...	16	27	34	77	...	8	11	6	25	11	11	...	6	...	...		
2nd Bn. The Royal Fusiliers	Bellary	{ A. Barton Kamptee }	Mrs. G. Franklin (Ag.)	2	46	40	9	129	2	156	...	25	34	54	113	...	3	3	3	9	3	3	2	17	...	...		
Royal Artillery	"	W. Wheeler	Mrs. F. Cowell	...	9	12	5	124	2	152	...	27	60	114	...	5	3	5	13	4	4	...	5	...	...	3		
2nd Battalion The Somersetshire Light Infantry.	"	"	"	...	47	35	...	384	14	482	3	96	59	157	315	1	7	11	21	40	35	35	8	21	...	...		
Royal Artillery	Thayemyo	"	"	...	16	21	2	171	4	214	...	44	45	90	179	...	7	10	26	43	30	29	22	45	8	5		
Head-quarters and Right Wing 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.	"	J. Porter	Mrs. C. Piper (Ag.)	...	44	40	...	898	14	998	2	159	131	547	839	...	20	24	91	135	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Garrison (Left Wing 2nd Bn. Bedfordshire Regt. School. Royal Artillery	Tonghoo	H. J. Seed	Mrs. Gaudoin (Ag.)	...	7	10	...	106	2	125	1	17	21	41	80	...	6	11	27	44	6	6	1	9	...	1		
2nd Battalion The Royal Scots Fusiliers.	Secunderabad	J. Head	Mrs. L. Head	2	47	33	...	637	11	730	1	131	119	321	572	...	30	30	68	128	7	7	4	17	5	1		
2nd Battalion The South Wales Borderers.	"	J. James	Mrs. E. Clare (Ag.)	2	47	28	...	554	15	646	5	93	90	292	480	...	9	12	80	101	7	7	5	5	...	...		
1st Battalion The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.	Bangalore	T. Simms	Mrs. M. O'Brien	2	45	41	...	984	16	1,088	3	115	123	393	634	...	22	25	71	118	40	38	7	61	10	4		
1st Battalion The Essex Regiment.	Madras	W. H. Jupp	Mrs. J. Meehan	2	36	36	...	561	14	649	6	132	100	260	498	2	17	29	53	101	48	44	13	50	7	2		
2nd Battalion The Hampshire Regiment.	Cannanore	W. Collier	Mrs. E. Collier	2	49	44	...	974	18	1,087	7	158	165	426	756	4	37	25	45	111	15	15	12	30	8	...		
2nd Battalion The Middlesex Regiment.	Rangoon	J. Morrison	Mrs. Morely (Ag.)	2	46	40	9	621	15	733	...	113	143	303	559	...	4	14	37	55	20	20	6	31	...	3		
Convalescent Depot	Wellington	H. L. Pope	Mrs. J. L. Pope	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	13	41	65	35	35	20	39	...	2		
Lepôt	Poonamallee	J. Houlahan	Mrs. L. Barringer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	28	11	19	4	...		
European Artillery Veteran Co.	Pallavaram	H. Parr	Mrs. M. J. Parker	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	17	...	...	117	112	22	40	10	5		
Royal Engineers, 32nd Co.	Bangalore	"	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Total					23	612	546	84	8,994	180	10,439	38	1,762	1,652	4,427	7,879	9	319	312	737	1,377	680	609	213	585	84	31	

OOTACAMUND,
24th March 1884.C. J. JENNINGS, Colonel,
Superintendent of Army Schools.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
17th April 1884.

No. 181.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to approve of the Committee of Paymastership, 14th Hussars, ordered in G.O.C.C. No. 670 of 1883, being reconstructed as follows, consequent on Major J. Dennis and Lieutenant A. C. King having been relieved from 1st March and 29th February 1884 respectively:—

Major R. Garth	...	...	...	President.
Captain W. N. Hill	...	...	...	} Members.
Lieutenant E. C. P. Stoughton	...	...	...	

Major Garth will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee.

No. 182.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to sanction the formation of the following Committee of Paymastership in the 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L.I., consequent on Staff Paymaster (Honorary Major) J. S. Brereton having been directed to proceed to England with effect from the date Major Brereton hands over his duties:—

Lieutenant-Colonel S. Crozier	...	...	...	President.
Major A. C. Money	...	...	...	} Members.
„ W. Clark	...	...	...	

Major Clark will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee.

No. 183.—Brigadier-General B. L. Gordon, C.B., Royal Artillery, who has been brought on the Brigade Staff by G.O.G. No. 160 of 1884, is posted to the command of the Western District temporarily.

No. 184.—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, Major (Lieutenant-Colonel) T. J. Jones, D Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed to England for duty at the dépôt.

Under para. 513 (a), Transport Regulations, part II, and para. 256 (e), Transport Regulations, part I.

No. 185.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. Haughton, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed to Rangoon to command the Royal Artillery, British Burmah Division, temporarily.

No. 186.—Lieutenant M. W. S. Pasley, Royal Artillery, is directed to do duty temporarily with No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade, Welsh Division, Royal Artillery.

No. 187.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

4th (P.W.O.) L.C.—Jemadar Bram Khan to be Native Adjutant of the corps, with effect from 1st February 1884.

6th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Syed Zinooolab-Deen to be Native Adjutant of the corps, with effect from 5th January 1884.

22nd Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Shaik Ismail to be Native Adjutant of the corps, with effect from 16th January 1884.

32nd Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Mahomed Unies to be Native Adjutant of the corps, with effect from 1st December 1883.

No. 188.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain J. M. T. Badgley, Royal Engineers, is brought on the strength of the Indian establishment from the 4th March 1884, the date of his embarkation for India.

No. 189.—Surgeons W. B. Bannerman and H. Thomson, Indian Medical Department, will, on arrival from England at Bombay, report themselves to the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, for general duty. To travel at the public expense under clause (b), para. 512, Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 190.—Surgeon G. Coutts, M.B., Army Medical Department, in medical charge, Station Hospital, Calicut, will do duty Station Hospital, Bangalore.

Surgeon M. E. Fitzgerald, Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Cannanore, to be in medical charge of the Station Hospital, Calicut.

The above officers will travel expeditiously at the public expense under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, part II.

No. 191.—With reference to reconstructed para. 529 of the Madras Army Regulations, published in S.G.O. No. 114 of 1881, page 187, the following list is published of officers, non-commissioned officers and men who have qualified as Instructors and Assistant Instructors at the School of Army Signalling, Bangalore:—

No. of Class.	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Rank and Names.	Certificates as Instructor or Assistant Instructor.	Date of Qualification Roll signed by the Committee of Examination.
Signalling Class No. 48.	2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.	...	Major T. Harris ...	Instructor	26th March 1884.
	25th Regiment N.I.	...	Lieutenant S. G. Radcliff		
	12th Lancers	1628	Sergeant R. Freeman	Assistant Instructor.	
	2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.	191	Private T. Harrington		
	1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.	2461	" J. Davies ...	Assistant Instructor.	
	2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.	2165	" J. Ives ...		
	...	1209	" C. Bosworth	Assistant Instructor.	
	...	2076	Lance-Corporal G. Gould		
	...	13	Private H. Ellerkez	Assistant Instructor.	
	24th Regiment N.I.	489	Lance-Naigue Coopooosawmy		
		604	Private Dustigheer		

No. 192.—In G.O.C.C. No. 459, dated 20th September 1883, page 297, *dele* from "Private" in line 34 to "100" in line 37.

No. 193.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 22nd and 26th February and 4th March 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd February 1884.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

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In consequence of Captain J. A. Coxhead having been seconded, with effect from the 22nd December 1883, the promotions of the undermentioned Officers are antedated, as stated against their names:—

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Captain C. N. Simpson. Dated 29th December 1883.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 26th February 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Captain Horace Amyatt Amyatt-Burney, from the 1st Dragoons, to be Captain, *vice* Brevet-Major W. A. Gough, who exchanges. Dated 27th February 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

Major-General Richard Hiram Sankey, C.B., Royal (late Madras) Engineers, has retired upon a pension and extra annuity, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 11th January 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 4th March 1884.

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Royal Engineers.—Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Henry Thomas Rogers (late Madras), to be Colonel, *vice* J. F. Fischer, promoted. Dated 11th January 1884.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Jerome Filgate (late Madras), upon the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 11th January 1884.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Meredith Vibart (late Madras), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, *vice* H. T. Rogers. Dated 11th January 1884.

LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant George Stuart Nicholson to be Captain, *vice* N. Pochin. Dated 20th January 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

Colonel John Frederick Fischer, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Major-General, *vice* R. . H. Sankey, C.B., retired. Dated 11th January 1884.

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The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels. Dated 25th February 1884 :—
John Gore Campbell, the Royal Munster Fusiliers.

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No. 194.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 6th March 1884.

It is notified for general information that Army Form B 128, "Parchment Certificate of Discharge," has been revised and supplies can be procured gratis on indent from the Contractor* for printing Government of India Stock Forms.

* Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

2. The stock of the old form now on hand should be destroyed.

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 12th March 1884.

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It is notified for information that the best shot in the Native Armies of the three presidencies, and the winner of the 1st, or army prize, of rupees one hundred, with a silver medal, is No. 578, Havildar Cunniah, 13th Madras Native Infantry.

	Points.
1st Period	53
2nd "	58
3rd "	70
Total score ...	181

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

* * *

2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. Upcher, for twelve months, on private affairs.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 18th March 1884.

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Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st February 1884 :—

Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army :—

G.O. 13, "Billeting."

G.O. 14, "Command."

G.O. 25, "Recruiting."

G.O. 26, "Retirement of Officers."

G.O. 27, "Attendance of Recruits at school."

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

14th Hussars.—Captain W. N. Hill, from 25th March to 12th July 1884, on private affairs, pending retirement from the service.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 22nd March 1884.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

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6th Native Infantry.—Lieutenant P. B. Vaughan, supernumerary on the establishment, 12th Native Infantry, to be Wing Officer, on probation, *vice* Ranken, transferred to the 24th Native Infantry.

7th Native Infantry.—Lieutenant R. de H. Burton, supernumerary on the establishment, 8th Native Infantry, to be Wing Officer, on probation, *vice* Barrow, promoted.

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Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 24th March 1884.

With reference to the orders marginally noted, commanding

† Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, No. 485, 1st April 1880. officers are informed that the service book therein referred to can be obtained from the Collector at Calcutta,§ or from district collectors on payment of one anna || per copy.

‡ G.O. 82 of 1881.

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The undermentioned candidate has been reported by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard in Persian, on the 5th November 1883.

Capt. J. H. Newill, Madras Staff Corps ... Political Dept.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Royal Artillery.—Major W. H. Sandham (S Battery 1st Brigade), for twelve months, on private affairs.

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No. 195.—The following orders are confirmed :—

31st December 1883.—By the Officer commanding Sumbulpore, appointing Lieutenant E. A. I. Pym, Wing Officer, 29th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer, Sumbulpore, and officer in charge of Pensioners and Family Certificate Holders, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel G. Murray, relieved.

9th February 1884.—By the Officer commanding Royal Artillery, Bangalore Division, appointing Lieutenant C. E. Maturin, E Battery B Brigade, to officiate as Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Bangalore Division, *vice* C. B. Wickham promoted to Major.

29th February 1884.—By the General Officer commanding Western District, appointing Colonel J. W. Orr, 19th Regiment N.I., to command the garrison of Cannanore during the absence of Brigadier-General L. W. Buck, on inspection duty at Mangalore.

1st March 1884.—By the Officer commanding British Burmah Division, appointing Colonel B. L. Gordon, C.B., Royal Artillery,

† Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, No. 822, 5th May 1880.

‡ S.G.O. No. 77 of 1881.

§ Superintendent of Stationery, Madras.

|| Two annas and ten pies.

to command the garrison of Rangoon from the 2nd instant, during the absence of the Major-General Commanding on a tour of inspection to Thayetmyo.

3rd March 1884.—By the General Officer commanding Nagpore Force, appointing Colonel F. D. Plowden, 20th Regiment N.I., to command the garrison of Kamptee during the absence of Brigadier-General W. K. Elles, C.B., A.D.C., on inspection duty at Sumbulpore.

12th March 1884.—By the General Officer commanding Western District, appointing Colonel W. Osborn, 6th Regiment N.I., to command the Western District, and Colonel J. W. Orr, 19th Regiment N.I., the garrison of Cannanore, *vice* Brigadier-General L. W. Buck proceeded to Secunderabad to assume command of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.

15th March 1884.—By the Officer commanding Royal Artillery, Eastern District, appointing Major D. V. Shortland, Q Battery 1st Brigade, to command the Royal Artillery, Eastern District, *vice* Colonel McGrigor, who assumes command of the Eastern District.

15th March 1884.—By the Officer commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Lieutenant C. T. Caulfeild, Royal Artillery, to act as Aide-de-Camp to Colonel P. W. L'Estrange, Royal Artillery, Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, from the 12th March 1884, *vice* Lieutenant H. H. Smythe, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, proceeding on leave to England.

No. 196.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

Royal Marine L.I.—Lieutenant L. C. Peters, Wing officer (on probation), *sub. pro tem.*, 17th Regiment N.I., for six months, from the 1st March 1884 or date of departure—Madras, to study the Native languages.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant S. C. F. Jackson for 8 months on urgent private affairs.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,

24th April 1884.

No. 197.—Surgeons-Major W. P. Smith and J. Fraser, M.D., Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to be Senior Medical Officers, South Station and Trimulgherry Station Hospitals, Secunderabad, respectively.

Surgeons-Major G. J. Gibson, M.D., and R. D. Bennett, Army Medical Department, Senior Medical Officers of the South Station and Trimulgherry Station Hospitals, Secunderabad, respectively, will do duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad.

No. 198.—To G.O.C.C. No. 114 of 1884, detailing officers for duty at the Wellington Depôt during the present year, add the names of Lieutenants H. C. Molesworth, Royal Artillery, and P. T. Chute, 2nd Battalion the Royal Munster Fusiliers.

No. 199.—In G.O.C.C. No. 155 of 1884, notifying the removal of First-class Veterinary-Surgeon F. W. Going, after the words "Royal Artillery," add "to be attached to 2nd Light Cavalry."

No. 200.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Head Quarters Staff.—Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. Eyre, Staff Corps, to officiate as Deputy Quartermaster-General during the absence on furlough of Major D. J. S. McLeod.

Army Veterinary Department.—Veterinary-Surgeon F. J. Short, doing duty with the Royal Artillery, Secunderabad, to do duty with the 14th Hussars and Veterinary-Surgeon Hazelton to do duty with the Royal Artillery, Secunderabad.

9th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant L. R. Tuson, supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be Wing Officer (on probation), *vice* Carruthers, permanently appointed to the Bengal Commissariat Department.

10th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant G. N. Caulfeild, supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be Wing Officer (on probation), *vice* Foss, permanently appointed to the Bengal Commissariat Department.

20th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Abdool Wahid to be Native Adjutant of the Corps.

28th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Mahomed Innis to be Native Adjutant of the Corps.

No. 201.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant H. G. Sandilands, recently commissioned, has been posted to O Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, and that he is to be shown as under instruction in England.

No. 202.—Under instructions from Government, Inspecting Veterinary-Surgeon F. G. Shaw is directed to proceed to Burma in view to investigating the causes of the outbreak of an epidemic amongst the Transport mules and ponies, and will, on arrival at Rangoon, report himself to the General Officer commanding the division. On duty at the public expense, under para. 213 (b), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 514 (a), Part II.

No. 203.—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards Captain C. N. Simpson and Lieutenant E. Guinness, P Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, are directed to proceed to England for duty at the dépôt.

Under para. 513 (a), Transport Regulations, Part II, and para. 256 (e), Transport Regulations, Part I.

No. 204.—Third-class Hospital Assistant P. C. Connell, No. 1150, has been found qualified for promotion to the Second Class by a Board of Examiners assembled at Sambulpore.

No. 205.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 11th March 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th March 1884.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

Charles Mitchell Smith, from the Seconded List, *vice* Colonel E. F. Chapman, C.B., (late Bengal), Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 1st March 1884.

Lieutenant Charles Wood to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, for service with the Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 23rd February 1884.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant George H. H. Hayhurst to be Captain, *vice* E. L. R. Thackwell, seconded. Dated 16th February 1884.

The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Captain Henry H. Napier Martin has been placed on temporary half-pay, on account of ill-health. Dated 22nd February 1884.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers).—Lieutenant John K. Tod, from the Hampshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* T. Davison, promoted into the Essex Regiment. Dated 12th March 1884.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Majors of Royal Artillery to be Lieutenant-Colonels, under the provisions of Article 11 (f.f.) of the Royal Warrant of 11th March 1882:—

Walter Elliot Lockhart (late Madras). Dated 29th January 1884.

George Bean Macdonell (late Madras). Dated 29th January 1884.

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No. 206.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Major C. M. Smith, just promoted to that rank from No. 2 Field Battery Hyderabad Contingent, has been posted to No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade Western Division Royal Artillery.

No. 207.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 28th March 1884.

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The leave to England granted to Lieutenant-Colonel E. T. Bainbridge, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, in G.O.C.C. † dated 13th April 1883, page 137, is extended to the 26th August 1884.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

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1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant H. A. Terry, for nine months, on private affairs.

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† G.O.C.C. No. 240 of 1883.

No. 208.—The following orders are confirmed :—

11th January 1884.—By the Officer commanding Moulmein, appointing Lieutenant J. Jackson, 9th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer from this date without prejudice to his other duties, *vice* Lieutenant T. H. Haughton, 2nd Regiment N.I., relieved.

11th March 1884.—By the Officer commanding Thayetmyo, appointing Colonel H. G. Puckle, 28th Regiment N.I., to command the garrison of Thayetmyo without prejudice to his other duties, *vice* Colonel D. Standen, 28th Regiment N.I., proceeded on leave.

14th March 1884.—By the General Officer commanding Eastern District, directing Colonel D. J. McGrigor, Royal Artillery, to assume command of the Eastern District and Madras from the 15th instant, *vice* Brigadier-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., vacated.

17th March 1884.—By the Officer commanding British Burma Division, appointing Colonel B. L. Gordon, Royal Artillery, to assume command of the garrison of Rangoon from the 18th instant, during the absence of the Major-General commanding the division on a tour of inspection to Toungoo.

21st March 1884.—By the Officer commanding Western District, appointing Major F. Smalley, 19th Regiment N.I., to officiate as Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Western District, without prejudice to his other duties, *vice* Major G. Simpson, transferred to Ceded District.

No. 209.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Infantry.—Colonel R. B. Kennedy, for six months, from the 21st April 1884, or date of departure, on private affairs. Under Rule XXV, Furlough Regulations, 1868. Nilgiris, West Coast, and Bangalore.

Divisional Staff.—Colonel H. M. Bengough, sixty days' privilege, from the 27th April 1884, or date of departure, Coonoor.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
24th April 1884.

No. 210.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief cannot permit Lieutenant-General Payn C.B. to leave India without offering him his best thanks for the very efficient way in which he has exercised the duties of his command.

Few officers of Her Majesty's British Service have had so long and distinguished an Indian career as Lieutenant-General Payn; he arrived in this country just 40 years ago; as a subaltern of Her Majesty's 53rd Regiment he took part in the Sutlej and Panjab Campaigns; as a Captain he was employed on the Panjab Frontier, and as a Field Officer of the same regiment (which he commanded for a portion of the time) he served with distinction during the Mutiny.

In the interval Captain Payn was employed in the Crimean War, and received the Brevet of Major.

In 1858 Colonel Payn joined the 72nd Highlanders, and after commanding the battalion for many years, both at home and in India, he was appointed to the command of a Brigade in Bengal.

On promotion to the rank of Major-General he was employed for a short time in Cyprus, but was soon afterwards selected for the command of the Bangalore Division.

From the 5th February to the 27th November 1881 Lieutenant-General Payn was the Provincial Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army.

Sir Frederick Roberts cordially acknowledges the assistance he has received from Lieutenant-General Payn, and thoroughly appreciates the benefits which the troops in the Bangalore Division have derived from that officer's presence amongst them. In the field they have been handled in a practical manner, and in quarters they have been treated with tact and judgment.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

— BY —

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,

1st May 1884.

No. 211.—Lieutenant-General W. Payn, C.B., on completing his tenure of appointment on the Divisional Staff, is directed to proceed to England, travelling at the public expense under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 224; and Part II, para. 513(g).

No. 212.—Major-General H. Rowlands, V.C., C.B., who has been brought on the Divisional Staff, with a view to his commanding a division, by G.O.G., No. 97 of 1884, is posted to the Bangalore Division in succession to Lieutenant-General W. Payn, C.B., who will vacate on the 21st instant. Dated 20th April 1884.

No. 213.—Lieutenant W. H. Lewin, Officiating Wing Officer (on probation), 14th Regiment N.I., is, under instructions received from Government, directed to join the 6th Regiment Hyderabad Contingent. To travel on duty at the public expense under para. 514(j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 214.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

2nd Regiment L.C.—Lieutenant G. H. Arbuthnot, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, to be Officiating Squadron Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 12th April 1884.

4th Regiment N.I. (Pioneers).—Lieutenant G. B. Stevens, Wing Officer and Officiating Adjutant, is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 14th April 1884.

17th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Sheikh Sillamon to be Native Adjutant of the corps, with effect from the 25th March 1884.

19th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Mahomed Ugber to be Native Adjutant of the corps, with effect from the 10th March 1884.

No. 215.—Captain M. W. Saunders, Adjutant, Royal Artillery, British Burma Division, is directed to proceed from Rangoon to Saint Thomas' Mount for duty as Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Eastern District.

Under para. 514(j), Transport Regulations, Part II, and para. 214(a), Transport Regulations, Part I.

No. 216.—Captain M. Wynell-Mayow, No. 4 Battery, 1st Brigade, North Irish Division, Royal Artillery, will officiate as Adjutant, Royal Artillery, British Burma Division, *vice* Captain Saunders doing duty at Saint Thomas' Mount.

No. 217.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 200 of 1884, Colonel J. Mullins, Royal Engineers, will do general duty at Bangalore.

No. 218.—Surgeon R. Ross, on relief of the Garrison Surgeoncy of Bangalore, will do general duty under the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Bangalore Division and Ceded District.

No. 219.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Major P. F. M. Baddeley, Depôt Scottish Division, Royal Artillery, has been posted to D Battery, 1st Brigade, *vice* Major (Lieutenant-Colonel) Jones posted to the Depôt Scottish Division.

No. 220.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Major A. D. Anderson, I Battery, 3rd Brigade, has been appointed to E Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery, *vice* V. Wing.

Intimation has also been received from the Horse Guards that Major V. Wing stands posted to I Battery, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.

No. 221.—3rd-class Army Schoolmaster Naigue Mahomed Innus, of the 23rd Regiment L.I., is removed from his appointment as Army Schoolmaster.

No. 222.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinate has been passed by a Board of Examiners:—

AT THAIPENG (STRAIT SETTLEMENTS).

2nd-class Apothecary John Legge as 2nd-class Apothecary.

No. 223.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 18th March 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 18th March 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment).—Lieutenant Francis Arthur Loudon has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 7th January 1884.

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The Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Beresford A. Johnstone has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd January 1884.

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The Essex Regiment.—Lieutenant Thomas Bate Hawks has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th December 1883.

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Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers).—Lieutenant Herbert William Laing has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 11th January 1884.

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No. 224.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 2nd April 1884.

Attention is invited to the following Horse Guards' G.O. dated 1st February 1884 :—

G.O. 16,—Dress Regulations.

Army Form D. 400, referred to in clause 24, Army Circulars, dated 1st February 1883, is introduced into India, and copies may be obtained on indent, from the Contractor for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.†

In continuation of G.O.C.C. dated 15th February 1884,‡ page 43, it is notified that indents for the articles therein referred to should be sent to the Commissariat Storekeeper-General, Bombay.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.—Major W. H. Evans, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

Army Veterinary Department.—Veterinary Surgeon D. C. Pallin, for six months, on urgent private affairs.

† Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.
‡ G.O.C.C. No. 127 of 1884.

No. 225.—The following orders are confirmed :—

11th March 1884.—By the Officer commanding British Burma Division, appointing Major C. H. Sheppard, 11th Regiment N.I., to officiate as Assistant Adjutant-General of the division without prejudice to his other duties until relieved by Lieutenant-Colonel Rowlandson.

21st March 1884.—By the Officer commanding British Burma Division, appointing Major C. H. Sheppard, 11th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer, Rangoon, from the 18th instant during the absence of the Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General on a tour of inspection with the General Officer commanding the Division at Tounghoo.

22nd March 1884.—By the Officer commanding British Burma Division, appointing Colonel W. Knox Leet, v.c., 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, to assume command of the garrison of Rangoon from the 23rd March 1884, during the absence of the General Officer commanding on a tour of inspection to Tounghoo.

26th March 1884.—By the General Officer commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Lieutenant R. D. MacDonnell, 17th Regiment N.I., Aide-de-Camp to Brigadier-General L. W. Buck, commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, without prejudice to his duties as Wing Officer from the 18th March 1884, *vice* Lieutenant C. T. Caulfeild, Royal Artillery.

1st April 1884.—By the Officer commanding Royal Artillery, Bangalore Division, appointing Lieutenant J. O. English, E Battery, B Brigade, to officiate as Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Bangalore Division, *vice* Lieutenant Maturin proceeding on leave.

No. 226.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant G. B. Stevens, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 4th N.I. Pioneers, from the 26th April or subsequent date of departure to the 1st June 1884, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875—Private affairs, Nilgiris. On full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

Major T. S. Magan, Wing Officer, 25th Regiment N.I., from 1st May 1884 or date of departure, for five months, under the Furlough Rules of 1854—Private affairs, Himalayas and Kashmir.

Royal Irish Rifles.—Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, Officiating Wing Officer, 7th Regiment N.I. (on probation), for six months—Medical certificate, Sea and Australia.

Infantry.—Colonel G. W. Cox for six months from the 25th April or date of departure, under Rule XXV of the Furlough Regulations of 1868,

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon T. H. Pope from 20th April or subsequent date of departure, for ninety-eight days, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875—Bankipore, Behar, Bengal, private affairs. The first sixty days on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Addendum.—In G.O.C.C., No. 77 of 1884, page 37, insert “Bangalore, 28th January 1884” between the names of Sergeant R. H. Prescott and Army Schoolmaster T. Simms.

No. 232.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—
 Major T. H. Pope, Surgeon, Indian Medical Department, from 20th April or subsequent date of departure, for ninety-eight days, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875—Bankipore, Behar, Bengal, private affairs. The first sixty days on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

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

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
8th May 1884.

No. 227.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to approve of the Committee of Paymastership, 14th Hussars, ordered in G.O.C.C. No. 670 of 1883, being reconstructed as follows, consequent on Captain W. N. Hill having been relieved from the 28th March 1884 :—

Major R. Garth	...	...	President.
Lieutenant U. C. P. Stoughton	...	...	} Members.
„ J. K. Fraser	...	...	

Major Garth will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the committee.

No. 228.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to sanction the formation of the following Committee of Paymastership in the 2nd Battalion, South Wales Borderers, with effect from the 1st April 1884 :—

Major G. Bromhead, v.c.	...	...	President.
Captain G. S. Banister	...	...	} Members.
„ Q. M'K. Logan	...	...	

Captain Banister will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the committee.

No. 229.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments on His Excellency's personal staff :—

Personal staff.—Captain I. Hamilton, A.D.C., the Gordon Highlanders, to officiate as Military Secretary during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel Pretyma on leave.

Lieutenant C. V. Hume, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp, *vice* Captain Hamilton. Dated 25th April 1884.

No. 230.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Divisional staff.—Major A. G. Hutchins, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Ceded District, to officiate as Assistant Quartermaster-General, during the absence on leave of Captain W. A. Yule.

10th Regiment N.I.—Surgeon T. H. Pope, M.B., to the officiating medical charge, *vice* Surgeon-Major Ross. To travel at the public expense under clause (j), para. 514, Part II, Transport Regulations.

Surgeon-Major Æ. M. Ross to do duty Hyderabad Subsidiary Force and Hyderabad Contingent, for officiating medical charge of the duties detailed in Proceedings of Madras Government, No. 3269 of the 16th September 1864, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon Ogg, M.B.

No. 231.—G.O.C.C. No. 122 of 1884 respecting Captain Carr, 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers, is cancelled.

No. 232.—With the sanction of Government the following movements in relief of British and Native troops for 1884-85 are directed to take place, as herein ordered :—

Corps.	From	To	Remarks.
ROYAL ARTILLERY.			
<i>Field Batteries.</i>			
O Battery, 1st Brigade	Kamptee ...	England ...	By rail to Bombay.
A Field Battery ...	England ...	Kamptee ...	By rail from Bombay.
<i>Garrison Batteries.</i>			
No. 5 Battery, Southern Division.	Agra ...	Thayetmyo.	By rail to Calcutta, thence by sea to Rangoon—rail and river.
No. 7 Battery, Eastern Division.	Thayetmyo.	Agra ...	By river, rail and sea to Calcutta.
No. 4 Battery, 1st Brigade, North Irish Division.	Rangoon ...	St. Thomas' Mount.	By sea to Madras.
No. 5 Battery, 1st Brigade, Welsh Division.	St. Thomas' Mount.	Allahabad...	By sea and rail.
No. 6 Battery, Southern Division.	Allahabad ...	Rangoon ...	By rail and sea.

Corps.	From	To	Remarks.
<i>British Infantry.</i>			
2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers.	Bellary ...	Cannanore...	By route march.
2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment.	Thayetmyo & Toungoo.	Bellary ...	By river, rail and sea and rail.
2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers.	Secunderabad.	Thayetmyo & Toungoo.	By rail and sea, rail and river.
2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.	Cannanore...	Secunderabad.	By route march.
<i>Native Infantry.</i>			
4th Regiment N.I....	Bangalore...	Pallaveram.	By route march.
12th " ...	Pallaveram.	Bangalore ...	"
13th " ...	Jubbulpore.	Bellary ...	By rail.
15th " ...	Bangalore ...	Madras ...	By route march.
26th " ...	Madras ...	Thayetmyo.	By sea, rail and river.
27th " ...	Bellary ...	Jubbulpore.	By rail.
28th " ...	Thayetmyo.	Bangalore ...	By river, rail, sea and rail.

No. 233.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 25th March 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th March 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant Charles B. Little to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain F. B. Bradshaw, appointed Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 16th November 1883.

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The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant Algernon W. Collings to be Captain, *vice* J. Croker, seconded. Dated 1st March 1884.

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The Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Alfred W. Warden, from the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), to be Lieutenant, *vice* B. A. Johnstone, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 26th March 1884.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Captain John S. Langlands retires on half-pay. Dated 26th March 1884.

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Captain John S. Langlands, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 26th March 1884.

No. 234.—The undermentioned officers and Warrant officer have leave of absence :—

Brigade Staff.—Major A. G. Hutchins, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, (Officiating Assistant Quartermaster-General), privilege leave for thirty days from the 5th May 1884, or date of departure.

Indian Medical Department.—Deputy Surgeon-General J. M. Joseph, M.D., LL.D., Western District, thirty days' privilege leave from 28th April 1884, or date of departure.

Surgeon D. P. Warliker from 30th April 1884 or date of departure for six months, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. India and Australia, private affairs.

Sub. Medical Department.—First-class Apothecary R. A. Leonard for six months, Eastern Coast, on medical certificate, under the Furlough Rules of 1868.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant H. W. W. Barlow, I Battery 3rd Brigade, for six months, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
8th May 1884.

No. 235.—The following transfer is ordered of a man pronounced to be unfit for further service :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Regimental No.	Amount of Pension.	From what date to be struck off.	From what date to be received upon the Pension Establishment.	Where stationed at present.	Station or Corps selected to reside.	Remarks.
Ordnance Artificer Company.	Ordnance Artificer.	Richard Holmes ...	343	Pensioned on two-thirds of his pay.	30th April 1884 1st May 1884	Madras ...	Madras.	

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
15th May 1884.

No. 236.—Lieutenant C. V. Hume, Royal Artillery, having vacated his appointment as Aide-de-Camp to Lieutenant-General W. Payn, late commanding the Bangalore Division, stands attached to S Battery, 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, pending his final posting by the Horse Guards' authorities.

No. 237.—Lieutenant G. S. Ormerod, 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers, is directed to do duty at the Dépôt, Wellington, in the room of Lieutenant Chute, of the same Battalion, who will rejoin his regiment. To travel on duty at the public expense under para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 238.—It is notified that the Inspector-General of Ordnance is prepared to sanction payment requisitions for ammunition for regimental rifle clubs to the following extent :—

Battery of Artillery or 42nd Company,

Royal Engineers ... 3,000 rounds.

Regiment of British Cavalry ... 30,000 „

Battalion of British Infantry... 50,000 „

No. 239.—With reference to para. 619, Madras Army Regulations, the undermentioned men have been selected to form the class for instruction at the Clothing Agency, Madras, from the 15th May 1884 :—

Corporal William Holden, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

Lance-Corporal Edward Charles Jones, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

Lance-Corporal Frederick Brett, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.

Lance-Corporals Jones and Brett to travel to and fro at the public expense.

No. 240.—To G.O.C.C. No. 114 of 1884, detailing officers for duty at the Depot, Wellington, add the name of Lieutenant J. K. Fraser, 14th Hussars.

No. 241.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

11th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Abdool Nubby to be Native Adjutant of the Corps, with effect from the 15th November 1883.

12th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Ramasamy to be Native Adjutant of the Corps, with effect from the 28th August 1883.

30th Regiment N.I.—Jemadar Mahomed Oosman to be Native Adjutant of the Corps.

No. 242.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Higher Standard Examination in Hindustani :—

Kamptee, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant R. F. R. Formby, Royal Irish Rifles, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant H. W. Laing, Royal Irish Fusiliers, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Bangalore, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant R. H. D. Thring, Oxfordshire L.I., Probationer, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant D. G. L. Shaw, Hampshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Private Rutter, Oxfordshire L.I.

Bellary, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant B. Holloway, Oxfordshire L.I., Probationer, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant S. G. Radcliff, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Secunderabad, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant E. G. Nicolls, Royal Artillery.

Passed Hospital Apprentice J. A. Kelly, Subordinate Medical Department.

Private No. 2003, E. Clarke, 14th Hussars.

„ No. 1802, J. Gray, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

No. 243.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette* dated 1st April 1884 are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 1st April 1884.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant Charles S. Williams, from the Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* G. S. Nicholson, promoted. Dated 2nd April 1884.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant Alfred Cotton Way has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th January 1884.

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Staff.—Major-General Hugh Rowlands, v.c., c.b., to be a Major-General on the Staff of the Army in India, to command a division in the Madras Presidency, *vice* Lieutenant-General W. Payn, c.b., whose period of service in that appointment is about to expire. Dated 21st April 1884.

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Veterinary Department.—The undermentioned Veterinary Surgeons on probation to be Veterinary-Surgeons. Dated 12th September 1883 :—

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A. H. Waddel.

E. H. Hazelton.

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Nathaniel Spencer, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 16th September 1882.

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Deputy Assistant-Commissary Fulton Henderson, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 1st November 1883.

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No. 244.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 7th April 1884.

Pending the publication of the revised Bengal* Army Regulations, it is notified that the "Syllabus of subjects for the examination of officers for promotion," in Appendix II of the Queen's Regulations, 1883, is to be followed in supersession of the syllabus in Appendices 52, to 58, published with G.O. 39† of 1883.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 16th April 1884.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant S. C. F. Jackson, for eight months, on urgent private affairs.

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2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.—Lieutenant F. D. Lumley, for fifteen months, on urgent private affairs.

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* Madras.

† Para. 398, M.A.R., as revised by S.G.O. No. 34 of 1883.

No. 245.—The following extract from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 18th April 1884.

171. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, viz. :—

HINDUSTANI—*Higher Standard.*

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Lieutenant C. L. H. Cox, Middlesex Regiment (attached to 14th Regiment Native Infantry).

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No. 246.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Colonel W. H. Whitlock, Commandant, 5th Regiment N.I., from the 13th March to the 20th May 1884, under Rule XXV of the Furlough Regulations of 1868—Madras, private affairs.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
21st May 1884.

No. 246A.—The undermentioned officers are detailed to attend the garrison class at Bangalore, commencing on the 15th June 1884.

General Officers Commanding Divisions and Districts will so arrange that the officers detailed reach Bangalore by the 7th June next.

Corps.	Rank and Names.
14th Hussars ...	Lieutenant C. C. P. Stoughton.
Royal Horse Artillery ...	Captain H. T. S. Yates.
Royal Engineers ...	„ M. C. Brackenbury.
2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.	„ E. A. Mostyn.
2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.	„ W. Heaton.
2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.	„ A. G. Schuyler.
3rd Regiment L.I. ...	Lieutenant W. E. Wimble.
9th „ N.I. ...	„ E. S. Strickland.
11th „ „ ...	„ G. V. Burrows.
14th „ „ ...	„ D. G. L. Shaw.
25th „ „ ...	„ S. G. Radcliff.

The officers named above, serving elsewhere than at Bangalore, to travel on duty at the public expense, under the provisions of para. 514, clause (i), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
23rd May 1884.

No. 247.—The Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that the next half-yearly examination in Tamil, Telugu, Canarese, &c., will be held on Monday the 21st July 1884. Officers desirous of being examined for the Higher Standard and Certificates of High Proficiency, &c., are to send in their applications so that they shall reach the Adjutant-General's Office, Ootacamund, on or before the 7th June 1884.

2. The fees for the examination as per notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 11th January 1882, Part I, page 17, should be paid by candidates at the presidency into the Bank of Madras, and by those in the mofussil into the nearest treasury, and the receipts forwarded with the candidate's application to the Adjutant-General's Office, Ootacamund.

No. 248.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps, will do general duty at Vellore on relief from his officiating appointment in the 10th Regiment N.I.

No. 249.—Lieutenant H. Walker, West York Regiment, having been granted leave to England on urgent private affairs, ceases, under para. 130, Madras Army Regulations, to be a Probationer for the Staff Corps with effect from date of embarkation.

No. 250.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

11th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant H. Thornton, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 1st May 1884.

Lieutenant W. P. Cockeram, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 1st May 1884.

21st Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant G. W. Priestley, 2nd Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 2nd May 1884.

No. 251.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

Army Veterinary Department.—Veterinary Surgeon F. J. Short, doing duty with the 14th Hussars, to do duty with the 3rd Light Cavalry, and Veterinary Surgeon A. H. Waddel to do duty with the 14th Hussars.

No. 252.—With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 332 of 1883, Colonel T. T. Turton, Staff Corps, is, under the provisions of G.O.G. No. 263 of 1882, permitted to reside at Secunderabad, and will be available for any military duty other than regimental.

No. 253.—So much of G.O.C.C. No. 226 of 1884, granting leave to Surgeon T. H. Pope, Indian Medical Department, is cancelled at that officer's own request.

No. 254.—The appointment of Executive Commissariat Officer at Vizagapatam having been abolished, all communications hitherto sent to that officer should in future be addressed to the Executive Commissariat Officer, Madras.

No. 255.—The following transfers of men, at their own request, are ordered :—

No.	Rank and Name.	From	To
2766	Private Purdassee	... 14th Regt. N.I.	... 5th Regt. N.I.
1270	" Muhammad Ismail	... 4th Pioneers.	... 27th "
1758	" Saiyid Aziz	... 4th "	... 21st "
1156	" Abd-ul-ghani	... 27th Regt. N.I.	... 4th Pioneers.
1163	" Muhammad Ali	... 27th "	... 4th "
2173	" Audeenaraideo	... 6th "	... 21st Regt. N.I.
3574	" Lutcmiah	... 19th "	... 9th "
1695	" Rungaswamy	... 28th "	... 16th "

No. 256.—The undermentioned Candidate is reported to have passed the Higher Standard Test in Hindustani:—

Raipur, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant J. C. Erck, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers,
Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 257.—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Higher Standard Examination in Persian:—

Secunderabad, 23rd April 1884.

No. $\frac{61B}{2174}$, Lance-Corporal G. Robb, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

No. 258.—The following extracts, from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th April 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 15th April 1884.

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14th Hussars.—The Christian names of Captain and Brevet Major the Honourable George Hugh Gough are as now, and not as hitherto stated.

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Royal Artillery.—Captain and Brevet Major Archibald Broadfoot to be Major, *vice* Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel G. Swinley seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 18th March 1884.

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The undermentioned officers to be Captains:—

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Captain Richard Walter O'Grady, from the Seconded List, *vice* A. H. H. Sharland, retired. Dated 23rd March 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant Edmund Peach, from the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. B. Little, appointed Adjutant. Dated 16th April 1884.

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The Royal Munster Fusiliers.—Lieutenant William Nevile Campbell, from the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* M. A. F. Taylor, resigned. Dated 16th April 1884.

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Medical Department.—The undermentioned Surgeons to be Surgeons-Major. Dated 30th March 1884:—

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Andrew Lang Browne, M.D.

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No. 259.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following postings, &c., of Royal Artillery officers:—

Major A. Broadfoot, just promoted to that rank from E Battery B Brigade, has been posted to M Battery 2nd Brigade, *vice* Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel G. Swinley, placed on the Seconded List.

Captain R. W. O'Grady, Seconded List, has been posted to N Battery 3rd Brigade.

Captain A. P. Penton, from the Seconded List, has been posted to I Battery 3rd Brigade, *vice* J. J. Swinton sent home for the Advanced Class.

Captain C. C. Rich, D Battery A Brigade, has been transferred to E Battery B Brigade, *vice* Broadfoot.

No. 260.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 18th April 1884.

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Under instructions from the Horse Guards, it is notified that Sergeant Master Tailors have been added to the list of non-com-

missioned officers exempted from executing an annual musketry course.

Army Form L 1360, referred to in clause 146, Army Circulars, 1st July 1883, is introduced into India, in supersession of Army Form L 1359 which is cancelled, and copies may be obtained, on indent, from the Contractor † for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st March 1884:—

Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army:—

G.O. 29, "Travelling."

G.O. 33, "Auxiliary Forces."

G.O. 34, "Embarkations."

G.O. 35, "Examination of officers."

G.O. 39, "Hospital Stoppages."

G.O. 41, "Non-commissioned officers."

G.O. 42, "Recruiting."

G.O. 44, "School of Cookery."

G.O. 45, "School of Military Engineering."

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

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Army Medical Department.—Surgeon-Major T. Y. Baker, for four months, on private affairs.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 21st April 1884.

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The undermentioned officer is qualified for promotion to the rank of Major:—

Captain F. R. H. Lambart ... Royal Scots Fusiliers.

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† Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

At the examinations held on the 1st February 1884 and following days, the undermentioned officers passed the examinations noted opposite their names :

Lieut. F. Wyllie	...	...	Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, probnr., M.S.C.	} Garrison Course Examination, required by Section 4, para. 3, † B. A. R.
„ J. C. B. Craster, (1) (3)	...	...	Bedfordshire Regt., probnr., B.S.C.	
„ E. M. Reed,	...	...	Royal Sussex Regt., probnr., M.S.C.	

(1) Distinguished in Military Law.

(3) „ Military Topography.

Head Quarters, Simla, 24th April 1884.

Lieutenant M. W. S. Pasley, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed from Campbellpore to St. Thomas' Mount, and join No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade Welsh Division, for duty. Under Transport Regulations, part II, para. 514, clause (k).

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Middlesex Regiment.—Lieutenant E. de S. Smart (Officiating Wing Officer on probation 40th Native Infantry), to Dalhousie on medical certificate, from the 15th April to the 15th October 1884.

† Para. 114, Madras Army Regulations.

Head Quarters, Simla, 30th April 1884.

It is notified that the rules contained in para. 243 of the Equipment Regulations for the Army in India, regarding the expenditure of ammunition that has been longest in store, have been revised, and will be published in a modified form in the new edition of the above quoted regulations.

2. Ammunition received by regiments, of earlier manufacture than that in possession, is in future to be first expended, and ammunition bearing the latest date is to be stored as service.

The candidates named below have been declared by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard Examination in Hindustani, agreeably to Section 24, Bengal Army Regulations:—

7th April 1884.

Lieutenant E. de S. Smart ... Middlesex Regt. attached
40th N.I. on probation.

No. 261.—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave, and will report himself to the Horse Guards on arrival in England:—

West York Regiment.—Lieutenant H. Walker, for one year on urgent private affairs.

No. 262.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant J. H. H. Ansley, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 33rd Regiment N.I., for thirty days from the 17th May 1884 or date of departure, under Rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875—India, private affairs. On full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

- : Lieutenant H. E. Porter, Wing Officer, 24th Regiment N.I., for sixty days from the 10th March 1884, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. On full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Buckle, to the Murree Hills, for three months from the 21st March 1884, on the recommendation of a Medical Board, in extension of six months' leave on medical certificate granted by the General Officer commanding British Burmah Division.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

12th Royal Lancers.—Major E. M. Mansel-Pleydell, for one year, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G.O.C.C. No. 141, dated 20th March 1884, *dele* "khaki fringe" opposite 15th N.I., and insert "white fringe."

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
29th May 1884.

No. 263.—With reference to G.O.G. dated the 12th May 1884, Brigade-Surgeon W. H. Morgan is directed to do duty at the office of the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Western District, Cannanore.

No. 264.—In G.O.C.C. No. 141, dated 20th March 1884, to the description of the puggri authorized for the 21st Regiment N.I. add "khaki kula."

No. 265.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Divisional Staff.—Captain W. H. Riddell, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, to officiate as a Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, *vice* Major Hutchins appointed to officiate as Assistant Quartermaster-General, and to be posted to the British Burma Division, *vice* Captain Yule on furlough (medical certificate).

5th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps, to officiate as Wing Commander, *vice* Nepean. On duty at the public expense from Madras under para. 214a, Transport Regulations, Part I.

9th Regiment N.I.—Major F. J. Wroughton from Officiating Wing Commander, 5th Regiment N.I., to officiate as Wing Commander *vice* Davies. On duty at the public expense under para. 214a, Transport Regulations, Part I.

19th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant C. H. Clements, 2nd Battalion West Yorkshire Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 12th May 1884.

No. 267.—Under instructions from Government, Lieutenant-Colonel A. M. Rawlins, Royal Horse Artillery, who has been appointed to act as Superintendent, Reserve Remount Depôt, Hosur, is directed to join *vid* Madras.

No. 268.—Attention is called to para. 2954, Madras Army Regulations, the provisions of which must be strictly complied with.

No. 269.—The undermentioned soldiers having passed the necessary examination for admission into the Civil Engineering College, they are to be directed to join the Vernacular Class at Bangalore on or about the 1st June next.

The General Officer commanding Bangalore Division will, with reference to G.O.C.C. No. 98 of 1872, make the necessary arrangements for the class, and have the candidates from other stations attached to their respective branches of the service for duty on their arrival at Bangalore :—

No. 2212	Private J. E. Worrall	...	} 12th Royal Lancers.
" 2299	" F. Bully	...	
" <u>R.A.</u> 15906	Gunner J. S. Freemantle.	O/1st Brigade Royal Artillery.	
" 16164	Lance Corporal F. J. Flinn.	" Q.O." Sappers and Miners.	
" <u>R.F.</u> 2671	Lance Corporal F. W. Cornwell.	2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.	

No. 270.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Higher Standard Examination in Hindustani :—

Toung-hoo, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant H. C. E. Cave, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.
 " W. E. Wimble. The Welsh Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Thayetmyo, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant V. E. Russell, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment.

No. 271.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani :—

Thayetmyo, 21st April 1884.

Lieutenant C. F. Minchin, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

Bangalore, 5th May 1884.

Lieutenant F. Glanville, Royal Engineers.

Trumpeter Flinders, E/B Royal Horse Artillery.

Cannanore, 5th May 1884.

Quartermaster E. Hampton, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

Secunderabad, 5th May 1884.

Lieutenant H. McAlpine Johnston, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Riding Master W. Shipman, Royal Artillery.

Private James King, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.

Gunner A. Z. Gilbert, 4/1st Welsh Division Royal Artillery.

Private Mercer, 14th Hussars.

Madras, 5th May 1884.

Gunner Stephen Powell, 5/1st Royal Artillery.

Madras, 12th May 1884.

Lieutenant F. C. K. Hunter, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

No. 272.—The following second-class Apothecaries and Assistant Apothecaries having completed five years' service and passed the qualifying examination are promoted to the first class from the dates indicated against their names :—

Second-class Apothecary	T. Todd	...	15th May 1884.
"	"	E. Trutwein	... 20th "
"	"	C. Trutwein	... 20th "
Second-class Assistant Apothecary	T. H. Govind Singh	...	... 15th "
Second-class Assistant Apothecary	D. Robertson	...	... 20th "

No. 273.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinates have been passed by a Board of Examiners :—

At Madras, on the 10th May 1884.

Second-class Assistant Apothecary R. H. Morton as first class Assistant Apothecary.

Second-class Assistant Apothecary C. T. M. Nicholas as first class Assistant Apothecary.

No. 274.—The following extract from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, is republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 6th May 1884.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

12th Lancers.—Captain William Colquhoun to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain T. A. Hill, resigned, subject to the approval of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief. Dated 24th March 1884.

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No. 275.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave of absence in anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India :—

14th Hussars.—Lieutenant H. W. Mitchell till the 17th September 1884, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C.C. No. 161 of 1883. On urgent private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

1st Battalion Essex Regiment.—Lieutenant H. T. D. Wilkinson, Wing Officer (on probation) *sub. pro tem.* 12th Regiment N.I., for six months from the 15th May 1884, or date of departure, Madras. To study the native languages.

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. Middlecoat, Commandant European Veterans, from 31st May to 29th July 1884, in extension of privilege leave, on urgent private affairs, under the rules of 1854, and paras. 1430 and 1431, Madras Army Regulations. Bangalore.

Royal Artillery.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to grant Captain and Brevet Major F. N. Innes, No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade London Division, leave of absence, on the recommendation of a Medical Board, until the 26th September 1884.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

2nd Battalion Somersetshire L.I.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. A. Cary, for six months, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
29th May 1884.

No. 276.—The following transfer is ordered :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Regimental No.	Decision of Government.	From what date to be struck off.	From what date to be received upon the Pension Establishment.	Where stationed at present.	Station or Corps selected to reside.	Remarks.
H. E. } the Gov- } ernor's } Band. }	Private and First-class Musician	46	{ Pensioned on one Shilling per diem or Rupees 14 and Annas 14 per mensem. }	15th May 1884.	16th May 1884.	Fort St. George.	Kurrachee, Bombay.	

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
5th June 1884.

No. 277.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. P. Pedler, Staff Corps, is, under the provisions of G.O.G., No. 263 of 1882, permitted to reside at Ootacamund, in the Bangalore Division, and will be available for any military duty other than regimental.

No. 278.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) A. A. Johnson, Staff Corps, is, under the provisions of G.O.G., No. 263 of 1882, permitted to reside at Coonoor, in the Bangalore Division, and will be available for any military duty other than regimental.

No. 279.—Intimation having been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) H. M. L. Colquhoun, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, will be placed on half-pay on the 20th June 1884, on completing four years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, that officer is permitted to proceed to England on or after that date, travelling at the public expense under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (j).

No. 280.—Colonel E. F. H. Armstrong, Staff Corps, will do general duty under the orders of the Officer Commanding Eastern District on his relief from his present officiating appointment.

No. 281.—To G.O.C.C., No. 246a of 1884, detailing officers for the garrison class, add the name of Lieutenant J. C. Swete, Officiating Wing Officer, 5th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent.

No. 282.—Under the provisions of the Pay Code for India, Volume I, articles 1889 to 1891, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to confer on the soldiers named below the medal for long service and good conduct with gratuity of £5 on discharge for the year ending 31st March 1884.

2. The attention of officers concerned is invited to paragraph 432 of the instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882, in view to immediate steps being taken to have the amount of the gratuity invested in the Government Savings' Bank.

Store-Serjeant John Clarke ...	} Ordnance Department.
" " Thomas Goode ...	
" " Frederick Taylor.	

No. 283.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

30th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant H. Thornton, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 11th Regiment N.I., to be Officiating Wing Officer (on probation). On duty at the public expense under para. 514 j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

Surgeon-Major J. B. Kelly, Army Medical Department, doing duty at the Station Hospital, Bangalore, to be in medical charge of the European Female General Hospital, Bangalore, as a temporary measure.

No. 284.—The undermentioned candidate has been reported qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Persian :—

Secunderabad, 23rd April 1884.

Captain G. T. Kelaart—Royal Artillery.

No. 285.—The undermentioned medical subordinate has been passed by a Board of Examiners :—

AT VIZIANAGRUM.

Second-class Hospital Assistant Cornelius Soveriappen, No. 938, as First-class Hospital Assistant.

No. 286.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 22nd April 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd April 1884.

The South Wales Borderers.—General Sir Charles Henry Ellice, G.C.B., from Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Berkshire Regiment), to be Colonel, *vice* General Pringle Taylor, K.H., deceased. Dated 6th April 1884.

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The Royal Scots' Fusiliers.—Lieutenant John E. Vaughan, from the York and Lancaster Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* A. W. Collings, promoted. Dated 23rd April 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant Robert Eccles, to be Captain, *vice* J. S. Langlands, retired. Dated 26th March 1884.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Eustace Gambier Mansel to be Lieutenant, *vice* R. Eccles. Dated 26th March 1884.

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No. 287.—The following orders are confirmed :—

5th May 1884.—By the General Officer Commanding British Burma Division, appointing Colonel Leet, V.C., 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L.I., to the command of the garrison of Rangoon from the 6th May 1884 during the absence of the Major-General Commanding on a tour of inspection to Moulmein.

Appointing Major Wroughton, 5th Regiment N.I., Station Staff Officer, Rangoon, from the 6th May 1884, during the absence of the Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General on a tour of inspection with the Major-General Commanding.

12th May 1884.—By the General Officer Commanding Bangalore Division, appointing Colonel W. G. Andrewes, Royal Horse

Artillery, to the command of the division during the absence of Major-General Rowlands, v.c., c.b., on a tour of inspection, with effect from the 14th instant.

No. 288.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Judge Advocate-General's Department.—Colonel G. Briggs, Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate, No. 1 Circle, Officiating in No. 3 Circle, privilege leave for sixty days from the 15th May 1884, or date of departure.

Indian Medical Department.—Deputy Surgeon-General J. M. Joseph, M.D., Western District, sixty days' privilege leave from the 28th April 1884 or date of departure.

This cancels so much of G.O.C.C., No. 234 of 1884, as refers to this officer.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Army Veterinary Department.—Veterinary-Surgeon G. H. Fenton, for six months, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
12th June 1884.

No. 289.—Lieutenant C. G. Matson, Royal Marine Light Infantry, whose resignation of his probationary appointment to the Staff Corps has been accepted, is, under instructions from Government, directed to proceed to England and will report himself to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Marines. To travel under the provisions of para. 513(k), Part II, and para. 261, Part I, Transport Regulations.

No. 290.—Lieutenant C. H. Stisted, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L.I., doing duty at the Depôt, Wellington, is directed to join the detachment of his battalion stationed at Port Blair. On duty at the public expense under Transport Regulations, Part II, para. 514.

No. 291.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that an exchange of batteries has been sanctioned between Captain R. P. Leach, No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade Welsh Division, and Captain E. Cassan, No. 6 Battery 1st Brigade Lancashire Division, Royal Artillery.

No. 292.—Surgeon F. R. Divecha, on relief at Tranquebar, to report himself for general duty to the Deputy Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern District.

No. 293.—Surgeon-Major T. Mayne, Indian Medical Department, from medical charge 11th Regiment N.I., will do general duty, Deputy Surgeon-General's Department, Kamptee, until further orders. To join forthwith.

No. 294.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

Army Veterinary Department.—Veterinary Surgeon W. A. Crow, doing duty Royal Artillery, Bangalore, to do duty with the 2nd Regiment L.C., Bellary, *vice* Veterinary Surgeon Going, deceased. On duty at the public expense under para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 295.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

1st Regiment N.I. (Pioneers).—Surgeon J. Hoey to the officiating medical charge during the absence on leave of Surgeon-Major Fawcett, or until further orders. To join forthwith.

14th Regiment N.I.—Major J. P. James, Wing Officer, 13th Regiment N.I., to officiate as Wing Commander with effect from the date of Major Foord's departure on furlough.

No. 296.—The following men are appointed Third-class Army Schoolmasters :—

Private No. 3475, Mahomed Ghouse, 12th Regiment N.I.

" " 662, Maduramootoo, 1st Pioneers.

" " 1002, Mahomed Ebrahim, 9th Regiment N.I.

" " 3095, Abdul Cawder, 30th Regiment N.I.

Lance Naigue No. 3001, Thumboosawmy, 17th Regiment N.I.

No. 297.—Lance Naigue Venketroydoo, of the 11th Regiment N.I., temporarily attached, in G.O.C.C. No. 268 of 1883, to the 30th Regiment N.I., is directed to rejoin his regiment.

No. 298.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 2nd and 6th May 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 2nd May 1884.

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Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant Reginald Henry Mahon to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List whilst employed in the Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 19th April 1884.

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Royal Engineers.—The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains under the provisions of Article 7(*b*) of the Royal Warrant of 11th March 1882. Dated 2nd May 1884 :—

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The undermentioned Majors of Royal Artillery to be Lieutenant-Colonels, under the provisions of Article 11.(*ff.*) of the Royal Warrant of 11th March 1882 :—

Charles Edward Reid (late Madras). Dated 10th April 1884.

Michael John Sexton. Dated 20th April 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 6th May 1884.

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Staff.—Colonel Alured Clarke Johnson, C.B., Royal Artillery, has been appointed to command a Brigade of the Madras Army, with the rank of Brigadier-General, *vice* Colonel R. C. Stewart, C.B., retired. Dated 20th March 1884.

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Cavalry Depôt.—Captain Charles Edward Beck, 12th Lancers, to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain H. A. Case Walker, 12th Lancers, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 25th April 1884.

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No. 299.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 13th May 1884.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards, it is notified for general information that, as no forfeiture of service towards pension and good conduct pay is incurred by Militiamen who, since the 25th July 1879, have enlisted into the army without first obtaining their discharge from the Auxiliary Forces, His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State, has been pleased to approve of the probationary period of 5 years, required by paras. 99 and 101, section 19, Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army, for the restoration of service, being dispensed with in the case of men who forfeited service by fraudulent enlistment from the Militia prior to the passing of the Army Discipline and Regulation Act, 1879, and to decide that they shall be restored to the benefit of their forfeited service without any further probation.

2. The service of men in this position is to be re-credited to them from the 31st March 1884, and the necessary entries are to be made in their records of service; Horse Guards' letter, No. 35-100-61, dated War Office, 31st March 1884, being quoted in each case as the authority for the restoration.

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Attention is invited to the following erratum, published in Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st March 1884 :—

Erratum.—In line 38 of G.O. 16 of 1884, for "pairs" read "bars."

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At the examinations held on the 1st March 1884, and following days, the undermentioned officers passed the examinations noted opposite their names :—

*	*	*	} Examinations (c) and (d), section 4, para. 39, (IV) Queen's Regula- tions. Qualified for the rank of Major.
Capt. C. D. M. Gall, (1) (2) ...	Royal Fusiliers.		
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Capt. J. G. C. Curtis, (1) (3) ...	Oxfordshire L.I.		
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Lieut. H. T. Shubrick, (2)	...	Somersetshire L.I.	{ Examinations (c) and (d), section 4, para. 39 (III) Queen's Regulations. Quali- fied for the rank of Captain.
" R. C. B. Haking,	...	Hampshire Regt.	
" J. R. Dyas, (3)	...	"	
" G. W. W. Savile, (1)	...	Middlesex Regt.	
Lieut. A. B. Elton	...	Yorkshire Regt., Probationer Bombay Staff Corps.	{ Garrison course examination required by section 4, para. 3, Bengal Army Regulations.
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(2)	"	"	"
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(1) "Distinguished" in Military Law.

(2) " " " ... Field Fortification.

(3) " " " ... Militray Topography.

No. 300.—The following extract from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in Bombay, is republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 17th May 1884.

220. With reference to G.O.C., dated 11th May 1883 (page 106), Lieutenant the Honorable A. S. Hardinge, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, is confirmed in the appointment of Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 15th May 1884.

No. 301.—The following order is confirmed :—

1st January 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, notifying that Major (Lieutenant-Colonel) G. A. Russell, M Battery B Brigade, assumes command of the Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, Lieutenant-Colonel A. M. Rawlins having proceeded on duty to Bangalore.

No. 302.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

2nd Battalion West Yorkshire Regiment.—Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Officiating Wing Officer, 19th Regiment N.I., (on probation), from 5th June 1884, or date of departure for six months, to Madras to study the Native languages.

Army Medical Department.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to grant Surgeon P. M. Carleton, leave of absence in extension, on the recommendation of a Medical Board, until the 8th November 1884.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G.O.C.C. No. 226 of 1884, granting leave to Lieutenant G. B. Stevens, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 4th N.I. Pioneers, for “to the 1st June 1884” read “for sixty days.”

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
19th June 1884.

No. 303.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. O. Underwood, Staff Corps, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Commander-in-Chief by G.O.G. No. 280 of 1884, will do general duty at Madras under the orders of the General Officer Commanding the Eastern District.

No. 304.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

14th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant W. H. Johnson, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, and with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated the 29th May 1884.

23rd Regiment L.I.—Lieutenant A. B. Elton, 2nd Battalion Yorkshire Regiment, who has been appointed a Probationer from the Bombay to the Madras Staff Corps, to be Wing Officer (on probation) to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 305.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

British Burmah Division.—Officiating Deputy Surgeon-General G. S. W. Ogg, M.B., Indian Medical Department, to the administrative medical charge, *vice* Deputy Surgeon-General Pearl on leave to Europe, or until further orders.

No. 306.—The undermentioned candidate has passed the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Rangoon.

Serjeant Down

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... Royal Artillery.

No. 307.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 13th May 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 13th May 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Lieutenant John Maxwell Gordon, from the 4th Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant, *vice* H. S. Richardson, promoted. Dated 14th May 1884.

14th Hussars.—Lieutenant Lionel James Richardson, from the 3rd Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, to be Lieutenant, *vice* A. J. English, promoted. Dated 14th May 1884.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant Charles John Stanton, from the 3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), to be Lieutenant, *vice* G. H. H. Hayhurst, promoted. Dated 14th May 1884.

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The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Henry Vincent Bailey, from the 4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. S. Williams, transferred to the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment). Dated 14th May 1884.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant Edward Bury Grogan, from the 2nd Brigade, Southern Division, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant, *vice* A. C. Way, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 14th May 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Lieutenant Percy Bliss Warren, from the 1st Regiment, Royal Guernsey Militia, to be Lieutenant, *vice* C. W. Warden, promoted. Dated 14th May 1884.

Lieutenant Frederick John Henry Wynch, from the 4th Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), to be Lieutenant, *vice* A. W. Warden, transferred to the Hampshire Regiment. Dated 14th May 1884.

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No. 308.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 23rd May 1884.

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Captain C. C. Rich, Royal Horse Artillery, is directed to proceed from Morar to Bangalore, and join E Battery B Brigade, to which he has been appointed. Under Transport Regulations, part II, Para. 514, clause "k."

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Head Quarters, Simla, 26th May 1884.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st April 1884:—

"Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army."

G.O. 47—"Discharges."

"50—"Army Signalling."

"51—"Coastwise Journeys."

"53—"Library accounts."

"58—"Saluting and Flag stations."

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

The following Horse Guards' general order, dated 1st April 1884, is republished for information:—

G.O. 56,—Non-Commissioned Officers.

Cases have recently occurred in which orderly-room and paymaster-sergeants with less than three years' service in those

appointments have been promoted colour-sergeants to fill existing vacancies, and immediately after such promotion reappointed orderly-room or paymaster-sergeants. They thus obtain an increase of rank in less than the three years' service required of orderly-room and paymaster-sergeants by Art. 617 of the Royal Warrant of the 11th March 1882, while at the same time they practically remain in their appointments.

Such promotions are irregular, and it is hereby notified that His Royal Highness the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief will in no case sanction the promotion of an orderly-room or paymaster-sergeant to be troop sergeant-major or colour-sergeant in less time than the three years required by the Royal Warrant—unless after such promotion the non-commissioned officer promoted be intended to do *bond fide* troop sergeant-major's or colour-sergeant's duty in the vacancy to which he has been promoted.

Attention is directed to Army Circulars, clause 65, "Gratuities for long service and good conduct;" and Horse Guards' general order 52, "Good conduct medals," dated 1st April 1884.

2. Commanding officers will take steps to adjust the gratuities of such of the non-commissioned officers and men as may be serving in India, in accordance with para. 431 of the "Instructions for the payment of British troops, India, 1882," and para. 2 of India Army Circulars of 1884, clause 9.

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No. 309.—The following order is confirmed :—

7th May 1884.—By the Officer Commanding 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, appointing Lieutenant C. M. Hamilton, Acting Interpreter to the battalion, from the 6th instant, *vice* Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, relieved.

No. 310.—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Somersetshire L.I.—Lieutenant A. H. L. Bagot for six months on urgent private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant G. J. Shaw, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 6th Regiment N.I., for sixty days from the 8th June or date of departure, under Rule X of the Furlough Rules of 1875—Trichinopoly, private affairs, on full pay and allowances, under Subsidiary Rule III.

Infantry.—Colonel F. Beeching, Commandant, 10th Regiment N.I., from 19th April to the 31st July 1884, on private affairs, under Rule XXV of the Furlough Regulations of 1868, Ootacamund.

The undermentioned Warrant Officer has leave of absence :—

Sub-Medical Department.—Second-class Apothecary H. Hawkes, for six months, on medical certificate, under the Furlough Rules of 1868, Madras.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
23rd June 1884.

No. 311.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to sanction the formation of the following Committee of Paymastership in the 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L.I., consequent on Paymaster (Honorary Captain) C. R. Taaffe having proceeded on leave on medical certificate with effect from the 22nd May 1884:—

Captain C. H. Smith	...	...	President.
Lieutenant F. Duncan	...	...	} Members.
„ F. M. Peacock	...	...	

Captain Smith will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the committee.

No. 312.—Intimation having been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) A. W. Adcock, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, will be retired on retired pay on the 1st July 1884, on completing five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, that officer is permitted to proceed to England on or after that date, travelling at the public expense under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (j).

No. 313.—With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 269 of 1883, Private W. Spicer, 14th Hussars, having satisfactorily completed his period of probation as Armourer Serjeant, is promoted to the rank of Serjeant and transferred to the corps of Armourer Serjeants with effect from the 25th May 1883.

No. 314.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to order the following posting :—

Surgeon F. H. Pedroza, Indian Medical Department, from medical charge, 23rd Regiment L.I., to general duty, Deputy Surgeon-General's Department, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force. To join forthwith.

No. 315.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

6th Regiment N.I.—Surgeon F. R. Divecha, on relief at Tranquebar, to the officiating medical charge, during the absence of Surgeon Ferrand. This cancels G.O.C.C. No. 292 of 1884.

11th Regiment N.I.—Surgeon T. J. H. Wilkins to the permanent medical charge, *vice* Surgeon-Major Mayne, transferred.

22nd Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant R. E. Sullivan, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L.I., to be officiating Wing Officer, and with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 4th June 1884.

31st Regiment L.I.—Surgeon W. G. King, M.B., to the permanent medical charge, *vice* Surgeon Wilkins.

15th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant H. J. Bremner, from the 32nd Regiment N.I., to be Wing Officer (on probation), *vice* Grove, who vacates on promotion. Dated 13th June 1884.

32nd Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, supernumerary on the establishment of the 3rd Regiment L.I., to be Wing Officer (on probation), *vice* Bremner transferred. Dated 13th June 1884.

Both officers to travel on duty at the public expense under para. 214(e), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 514(j), Part II.

No. 316.—No. 1002, Private Mahomed Ebrahim, 9th Regiment N.I., is transferred, on public grounds, to the 23rd Regiment W. L. I. To join at Hoshungabad.

No. 317.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinates having completed 14 years' service, and having passed the qualifying examination, are promoted to the first class from the 28th June 1884 :—

Second-class Hosptl. Asst. No. 968 Cornelius Soveriappen.

"	"	"	922 C. Francis.
"	"	"	965 A. B. Cornelius.
"	"	"	955 Coopooswamy Pillay.
"	"	"	920 B. Mathooraprasad.

No. 318.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinates having completed 7 years' service, and having passed the qualifying examination, are promoted to the second class from the 29th May 1884:—

Third-class Hosptl. Asst. No.	1134	A. Gooronatha Moodelly.
"	"	" 1139 C. P. Nagapah Pillay.
"	"	" 1145 V. Chengleroya Moodelly.
"	"	" 1146 S. Jesudasen.
"	"	" 1129 V. L. Ramasawmy Moodelly.
"	"	" 1121 D. Phillip.
"	"	" 1128 V. Appajee Rau.
"	"	" 1136 N. Seevanunthum.
"	"	" 1125 F. S. A. Appasawmy Pillay.
"	"	" 1132 A. Aroohanandam.
"	"	" 1152 G. P. D'Cruz.
"	"	" 1156 M. Baupaniah.
"	"	" 1143 Muhammad Jafar.
"	"	" 1126 G. Thavathunyan.
"	"	" 1131 V. Sooremoothean.
"	"	" 1144 P. Manickum Moodelly.
"	"	" 1158 Muhammad Ghaus.
"	"	" 1142 P. Venketasawmy.
"	"	" 1135 P. Markalingum Pillay.
"	"	" 1118 S. P. Cornelius.
"	"	" 1124 T. Narainsawmy Naidu.
"	"	" 1150 P. C. Connell.

No. 319.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 16th and 20th May 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 16th May 1884.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

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BREVET.

Major Thomas William Roberts, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of Article 11 (*f.f.*) of the Royal Warrant of 11th March 1882. Dated 7th May 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 20th May 1884.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The East Yorkshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Arthur J. Richardson has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 10th March 1884.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant John Caillard Erck has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th March 1884.

No. 320.—The following extracts from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 30th May 1884.

With reference to G.O.C.C.† dated 14th August 1883, page 320, a reprint of Army Form B 105 (Monthly Return for British Cavalry and Infantry) has been received, and will be taken into use from the 1st July 1884.

Supplies can be obtained from the Contractor ‡ for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

The leave to England on urgent private affairs, granted to Lieutenant H. W. Mitchell, 14th Hussars, in G.O.C.C.§ dated 28th February 1883, page 71, is extended to the 17th September 1884.

† G.O.C.C. No. 441 of 1883.

‡ Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

§ G.O.C.C. No. 161 of 1883.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

West Yorkshire Regiment.—Lieutenant H. Walker, for 12 months, on urgent private affairs.

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No. 321.—The following extract from general orders, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in Bombay, is republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 6th June 1884.

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237. With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 227 of 1882, Lieutenant A. B. Elton, 2nd Battalion Yorkshire Regiment, has been transferred to the Madras Presidency as a probationer for the Staff Corps.

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No. 322.—The following orders are confirmed :—

22nd March 1884.—By the Officer Commanding British Burmah Division, appointing Major (Lieutenant-Colonel) W. E. Lockhart, No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade, Eastern Division, to command the Royal Artillery, British Burmah Division, *vice* Colonel Gordon proceeding to Cannanore.

1st April 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Royal Artillery Eastern District, appointing Captain J. A. F. Nutt, Q Battery 1st Brigade, to act as Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Eastern District, *vice* Captain Moore, Officiating Military Secretary to the Right Honorable the Governor.

No. 323.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers.—Lieutenant A. H. B. Clough for six months on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Errata.—In G.O.C.C., dated 23rd May 1884, page 135, granting three months' leave to Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Buckle, Royal Artillery, for "21st March 1884" read "20th March 1884."

In G.O.C.C. No. 287 referring to Colonel W. G. Andrewes, for "*to the command of the division*" read "*to the command of the garrison of Bangalore.*"

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
26th June, 1884.

No. 324.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to approve of the Committee of Paymastership, 14th Hussars, ordered in G. O. C. C. No. 227 of 1884, being reconstructed as follows, with effect from 21st May 1884 :—

Captain A. J. English...	...	President.
Lieutenant C. C. P. Stoughton	}	Members.
„ H. Kirk.		

Captain English will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee.

No. 325.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes* dated 23rd and 27th May 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd May 1884.

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Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant Edmund Gustavus Nicolls to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, for service with the Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 2nd May 1884.

The undermentioned Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels Supernumerary to the Establishment :—

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Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Algernon Russell (late Bengal). Dated 1st January 1884.

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Walter Elliot Lockhart (late Madras). Dated 1st January 1884.

George Bean Macdonell (late Madras). Dated 1st January 1884.

Charles Edward Reid (late Madras). Dated 1st January 1884.

Thomas William Roberts (late Madras). Dated 1st January 1884.

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Willoughby Hamond Sandham (late Bombay). Dated 1st January 1884.

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The undermentioned Officers to be Majors :—

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Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Tindal Pretymann, on the Seconded List. Dated 1st January 1884.

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Captain George Montgomerie John Moofe, vice W. E. Lockhart (late Madras), promoted. Dated 1st January 1884.

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Captain and Brevet Major Francis Newell Innes, vice T. W. Roberts (late Madras), promoted. Dated 9th January 1884.

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Captain James Anson Francis Nutt, vice M. C. Newall (late Bombay), promoted. Dated 1st March 1884.

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The undermentioned Officers to be Captains :—

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Lieutenant Alfred Heyland Parratt Turner, on the Seconded List. Dated 16th January 1884.

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In consequence of the foregoing, the promotions of the undermentioned Officers are antedated to 1st January, 1884 :—

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Major A. Broadfoot.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 27th May 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Supernumerary Captain H. Ashton Case Walker to be Captain, vice C. E. Beck, seconded for service as Adjutant of the Cavalry Dépôt. Dated 25th April, 1884.

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No. 326.—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, the following transfers &c., of Royal Artillery Officers are notified :—

Lieutenant Colonel G. A. Russell, just promoted to that rank from M. Battery B. Brigade, is directed to proceed to England for duty with the London Division at Woolwich.

Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Sandham, just promoted to that rank from S. Battery 1st Brigade, has been posted to the Southern Division at Portsmouth for duty.

Major G. M. J. Moore, just promoted to that rank from Adjutant Royal Artillery Eastern District, has been posted to No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade Eastern Division.

Captain S. G. Smyth, P. Battery 2nd Brigade, has been promoted Major into S. Battery 1st Brigade.

Major J. A. F. Nutt, just promoted to that rank from Q. Battery 1st Brigade, is directed to proceed to England to join No. 2 Battery 1st Brigade North Irish Division.

Major F. N. Innes, just promoted to that rank from No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade London Division, has been posted to No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade Eastern Division.

Captain H. P. Hickman, just promoted to that rank from D. Battery B. Brigade, has been posted to No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade London Division.

Captain W. F. G. Moberly, just promoted to that rank, has been posted to Q. Battery 1st Brigade.

Major A. Swinton No. 6 Battery 1st Brigade Southern Division, has been appointed to M. Battery B. Brigade.

Lieutenant Colonel Russell and Major Nutt referred to above will travel at the public expense under para 513 (d) Transport Regulations Part II and para 256 (i) Transport Regulations Part I.

No. 327.—Adverting to G. O. C. C. No. 215 of 1884, it is notified that Captain M. W. Saunders has been transferred from the Adjutancy of the Royal Artillery British Burmah Division to that of the Royal Artillery Eastern District, *vice* Captain Moore promoted.

No. 328.—Surgeon Major G. J. Gibson, M. D., Army Medical Department, doing duty Station Hospital Secunderabad, to be Senior medical officer of the Station Hospital Kamptee. Expeditiously at the public expense under clause (j) para 514 Transport Regulations Part II.

No. 329.—Attention is invited to para 2993 Madras Army Regulations the provisions of which must be strictly complied with.

No. 330.—A Class (No. 49) for instruction in military Signaling will assemble at Bangalore on the 16th July 1884, and will be composed of non-commissioned officers and soldiers from Native Regiments to be detailed by General officers commanding as follows :—

Non-commissioned Officers or Soldiers.

1st Madras L.C.	2
2nd Do.	2
4th Pioneers	2
12th Regiment M.N.I.	2
14th Do.	2
15th Do.	2
21st Do.	2
22nd Do.	2
25th Do.	2
26th Do.	2
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2. The ranks and names of parties detailed are to be reported to the Officer Commanding Bangalore Division.

3. Commanding officers are required to give their attention to the following points in making their selection.

(a.) The service of selected candidates is not to exceed 15 years.

(b.) The men to be medically examined as to the fitness of their sight.

(c.) Candidates should be able to spell in English correctly and to write it legibly.

(d.) The men should be smart, intelligent, and of good character.

4. At the conclusion of the course the parties will rejoin their regiments under the orders of the Officer Commanding the Bangalore Division.

No. 331.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

3rd Regiment L. I.—Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment to be officiating Wing Officer, and with the sanction of Government a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 25th May 1884.

6th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant W. Browne, Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation), to be Wing Officer (on probation) *vice* Swanston permanently appointed to the Commissariat Department.

Lieutenant C. Chamier, Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment to be Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) *vice* Byng seconded for service on the Staff.

8th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant H. J. A. Rowe, Wing Officer *sub pro tem*, to be Wing Officer *vice* Purdon appointed to the Hyderabad Contingent.

Lieutenant H. D. M'Intyre, Supernumerary, on the establishment of the 9th Regiment, N. I. to be Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) *vice* Wyllly, seconded for service on the Staff, under para 214 (a) Transport Regulations Part I and para 530 Part II.

9th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant E. S. Strickland, Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment to be Wing Officer (on probation) *vice* Gaussen retired.

12th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant H. T. D. Wilkinson, Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) to be Wing Officer (on probation) *vice* Dawson transferred.

Lieutenant A. A. Jones, Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment to be Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) *vice* Kelly seconded for service on the Staff.

13th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant H. W. Lowry, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 7th Regiment N. I. to be Wing Officer (on probation) *vice* James vacated on promotion.

20th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant F. C. Rynd Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment, to be Wing Officer (on probation) *vice* Bradshaw retired.

21st Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant B. A. Johnstone, Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment to be Wing Officer (on probation) *vice* Hutchins, permanently appointed to the Commissariat Department.

Lieutenant G. W. Priestley, Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment to be Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) *vice* Stainforth seconded for service on the Staff.

23rd Regiment L. I.—Surgeon T. H. Pope M.B., to the permanent medical charge, *vice* Surgeon Pedroza.

24th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant E. C. Thwaytes, Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) to be Wing Officer (on probation) to fill an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 19th Regiment N. I. to be Wing Officer *sub pro tem* vice Macneill seconded for service on the Staff.

27th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant S. F. Smith Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) to be Wing Officer (on probation) vice Grover appointed to the Punjaub Cavalry.

Lieutenant A. C. Way Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment to be Wing Officer *sub pro tem* (on probation) vice Young seconded for service on the Staff :—

29th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant G. Rippon, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 7th Regiment N. I. to be Wing Officer (on probation) vice Brereton who vacated on promotion.

Lieutenant W. Honywood Supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment to be Wing Officer (on probation) vice Woodhouse who vacated on promotion.

Lieutenants Rippon, Lowry and Clements to travel at the public expense under Transport Regulations part II para. 514 (j).

No. 332.—Surgeon R. H. Cama, Indian Medical Department, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Commander-in-Chief, will do general duty under the Deputy Surgeon General Her Majesty's Forces, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.

No. 333.—Surgeon A. T. L. Patch M.B., doing duty Eastern District, will report himself for general duty to the Deputy Surgeon General Her Majesty's Forces Bangalore. To travel at the public expense under clause (j) para 514 Part II Transport Regulations.—

No. 334.—Surgeon H. Thomson, doing duty Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, will do duty at Bellary under the orders of the Deputy Surgeon General Her Majesty's Forces, Bangalore Division and Ceded District. To travel at the public expense under clause (j) para 514 Part II Transport Regulations.

No. 335.—The undermentioned candidate has passed the Lower Standard Test in Persian :—

Bangalore 7th June 1884.

Captain J. G. C. Curtis.—1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I.

No. 336.—The undermentioned Medical Subordinate has been passed by a Board of Examiners :—

At Vizianagrum on the 7th June 1884.

2nd Class Assistant Apothecary R. Butler as 1st class Assistant Apothecary.

No. 337.—No. 3475. Private Muhammad Ghaus of the 12th Regiment N. I. is, on public grounds transferred to the 19th Regiment N. I. to join.

No. 338.—Lieutenant-Colonel Woodhouse, Staff Corps, will do general duty at Madras. On duty at the public expense under Transport Regulations para 213 (e) Part I and para 514 (l) Part II.

No. 339.—The undermentioned candidates have passed the tests specified opposite their names :—

Madras 2nd June 1884.

Lance Corporal A. Paine.—2nd Battalion	} High Proficiency in
Middlesex Regiment :—		Hindustani.
Private G. Markham.—2nd Battalion	} Lower Standard Hin-
Bedfordshire Regiment :—		dustani.

No. 340.—In G. O. C. C. No 96 of 1884, granting leave to Colonel Standen for Nilgiris read "India."—

No. 341.—G.O.C.C. No. 290 of 1884 is cancelled.

No. 342.—The Commander-in-Chief will proceed to Bangalore and Trichinopoly about the 28th June 1884, His Excellency will be accompanied by the :—

Adjutant General.
 Quarter Master General.
 Military Secretary.
 Two Aides-de-Camp.

Correspondence for the Adjutant General and the Quarter Master General, except that of a *very urgent* nature, to be addressed to Ootacamund as usual.

No. 343.—Colonel Eustace Hill, Staff Corps will do general duty at Madras.

No. 344.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave of absence in anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India,

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon Major T. Y. Baker till the 16th October 1884, in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. C. No. 260 of 1884, on urgent private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant R. D. Burlton, Squadron Officer, 2nd L. C. (on probation) from 7th June to 6th September 1884, on medical certificate—Bangalore and Madras.

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant W. H. Dobbie, Wing Officer 26th Regiment N. I. for sixty days under Rule X of the furlough Regulations of 1875 on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Addendum.—To so much of G.O.C.C. No. 265 of 1884, as refers to Captain W. H. Riddell, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, add “Dated 27th May 1884.”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,

26th June, 1884.

No. 345.—Statement showing the number of pupils attending in the Schools of the Native army on the 31st December 1883, and the number of certificates of education in possession, and the number of certificates of education granted during the year.

REGIMENT.	Number Attending School.			Number Attending English School.			Certificates of education granted since last Return.				Certificates of education now in possession.				Percentage of Native commissioned and non-commissioned officers who hold certificates of education.	Percentage of Privates who hold certificates of education.	Percentage of both officers and men who hold certificates of education.	Order in which the Regiments stand with reference to the percentage of certificates in possession.
	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Adults.	Children.	Total.	Number of Candidates.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	4th Class.	Total.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	4th Class.	Total.	
1st Regt. L. Cav.	82	48	130	12	29	41	16	...	1	2	10	13	...	4	12	81	97	38.7
2nd do.	83	101	184	15	38	53	69	...	1	9	11	21	...	3	18	88	108	27.8
3rd do.	88	94	182	...	56	56	80	...	3	4	25	32	...	3	23	119	145	39.8
4th do.	61	76	137	14	30	33	33	...	1	10	19	30	...	3	35	103	141	25.7
(Q.-O.) Snp. & Min.	106	256	362	23	104	217	153	1	11	19	64	95	1	51	79	157	288	42.0
1st Pioneers.	167	92	259	31	60	91	28	...	4	4	14	22	...	1	41	131	173	63.6
2nd Regt. N. I.	49	44	93	39	17	56	63	...	2	12	19	33	...	8	31	141	180	81.0
3rd do.	32	48	80	10	15	25	63	...	3	12	26	41	...	12	74	175	261	36.5
4th Pioneers.	236	184	420	50	57	107	77	...	9	15	40	64	...	21	35	134	190	37.4
5th Regt. N. I.	208	143	351	57	52	109	62	...	4	12	13	34	...	4	42	151	212	51.2
6th do.	70	101	171	49	70	119	108	...	9	14	43	66	...	11	52	121	184	46.6
7th do.	234	81	315	30	49	79	90	...	7	14	35	56	...	12	37	86	135	46.3
8th do.	238	146	384	62	60	122	101	...	4	14	37	55	...	15	54	142	211	65.4
9th do.	110	140	250	34	80	114	70	1	5	7	24	37	3	26	45	118	192	53.2
10th do.	230	124	354	64	74	138	74	...	2	12	53	67	...	20	52	141	213	52.7
11th do.	67	2	69	22	1	23	37	...	3	2	20	25	...	9	38	125	172	47.5
12th do.	116	144	260	53	52	105	105	...	1	18	20	48	...	3	45	85	133	47.0
13th do.	193	167	360	43	72	115	63	...	6	7	39	52	...	13	31	77	121	45.1
14th do.	260	83	343	50	41	90	75	...	1	15	27	43	...	1	17	68	86	16.5
15th do.	169	145	314	37	61	98	78	...	5	11	36	52	...	10	35	119	164	43.5
16th do.	144	133	277	25	48	73	67	...	2	17	16	35	...	6	42	129	177	35.3
17th do.	177	114	291	10	50	100	66	...	4	8	16	28	...	13	61	156	230	64.4
18th do.	242	143	385	67	81	148	100	...	10	25	37	72	...	10	39	114	163	34.7
19th do.	139	172	311	57	61	118	48	...	1	10	17	28	...	5	38	120	163	51.2
20th do.	242	139	381	57	81	138	100	...	3	16	19	38	...	6	43	126	175	55.4
21st do.	218	144	362	69	93	162	68	...	12	23	35	...	...	2	44	114	160	53.7
22nd do.	272	235	507	103	99	202	219	2	13	60	119	194	2	23	77	171	273	82.0
23rd do.	127	122	249	20	34	54	46	...	3	5	29	37	...	7	36	139	182	42.5
24th do.	175	193	368	39	59	98	89	...	7	20	44	71	2	11	53	115	161	47.3
25th do.	265	142	407	61	56	117	96	...	7	7	48	62	...	12	58	120	194	62.2
26th do.	156	96	252	23	20	43	98	...	3	24	35	62	...	11	60	151	232	45.8
27th do.	90	102	192	55	62	117	39	...	2	5	8	15	...	14	67	149	230	33.3
28th do.	91	89	180	58	49	107	51	...	2	12	31	43	...	5	21	111	137	40.0
29th do.	137	115	252	19	56	75	87	...	4	19	32	55	...	2	11	54	67	35.5
30th do.	271	126	397	67	71	138	69	...	5	9	43	52	...	13	40	94	147	44.5
31st do.	273	54	327	49	54	103	114	...	5	19	51	75	...	9	32	159	200	40.5
32nd do.	201	160	361	33	103	136	79	...	8	11	22	41	...	...	...	...	...	...
33rd do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total...	5736	4518	10254	1455	2239	3694	2031	4	154	492	1219	1869	8	394	1593	4532	6527	

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
3rd July, 1884.

No. 346.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to approve of the Committee of Paymastership, 2nd Battalion, South Wales Borderers, ordered in G. O. C. C. No. 228 of 1884 being reconstructed as follows, with effect from the 11th June 1884.

Major G. Bromhead, v.c., ...	President.
Captain W. Weallens. ... }	Members.
„ Q. M’K. Logan. ... }	

Captain Logan will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee without prejudice to his other duties.

No. 347.—It is notified that the selection of officer’s chargers will take place on Saturday the 26th July, 1884.

With reference to the above and para 1114 Madras Army Regulations, officers entitled to selections are directed to submit their applications with as little delay as possible.

Officers Commanding Regiments of British and Native Cavalry are requested to submit as early as practicable returns of officers under their command who have already been granted authority to select chargers.

No. 348.—With the sanction of Government, Drummer H. E. Cooper of the 22nd Regiment N. I. is transferred to His Excellency the Governor’s Band

No. 349.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Body Guard.—Jemadar Mahomed Cassim to be Native Adjutant of the Corps.

9th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant J. Jackson, Wing Officer and officiating Adjutant, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

23rd Regiment L. I.—Lieut.-Colonel E. G. Morrogh, Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd in command, *vice* Gordon on furlough. To join at Seetabuldee.

31st Regiment L. I.—Lieutenant W. A. Oswald, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I. to be officiating Wing Officer (on probation), and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 17th June 1884.

No. 350.—Surgeon M. P. Kharegat, doing duty Western District, is directed to report himself for general duty under the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern District. To travel at the public expense under clause (j) para 514, Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 351.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

Eastern District.—Officiating Deputy Surgeon General J. Jameson, M.D., Army Medical Department, to the Administrative Medical charge, *vice* Deputy Surgeon General Chapple on leave to Europe or until further orders.

Surgeon-Major W. J. Fawcett, M. B., Army Medical Department, Senior Medical Officer of the Station Hospital Kamptee, to do duty Station Hospital Kamptee.

No. 352.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette* dated 3rd June, 1884 are re-published.

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd June 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Captain William Colquhoun to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain T. A. Hill, who resigns the appointment. Dated 24th March, 1884.

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Line Battalions.

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The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Supernumerary Lieutenant Charles Frederick Lindsell to be Lieutenant, *vice* J. C. Erek, appointed a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps Dated 4th June, 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Lieutenant John J. Cronin has been appointed a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 16th February 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

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Deputy Assistant-Commissary George Chooet, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 22nd March, 1883.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary William Paterson Carson, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 19th February 1884.

Apothecary Richard Stratheden Dawson, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Surgeon. Dated 4th June 1884.

No. 353.—The following extracts from General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are re-published:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 7th June 1884.

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Under the orders of Government, and in pursuance of instructions received from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, a special committee, composed as below, will assemble at Roorkee on the 9th instant, to consider the question of the re-organization of the Corps of Sappers and Miners:—

PRESIDENT.

Brigdr. Genl. J. Hudson, C. B., Brigade Staff.

MEMBERS.

Lieut. Colonel A. F. Hamilton, Royal Engineers.	
Lieut. Colonel W. North	do
Major L. F. Brown	do

Head Quarters, Simla, 11th June 1844.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' General Order, dated 1st April 1884:—

G. O. 57,—Recruiting.

2. Horse Guards' G. O. 25 of 1st February 1884, and section XIX, paragraph 44, of the "Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army," to be corrected accordingly.

The use of the Morris aiming tube being prohibited with the service weapons in the possession of the troops, the Government of India have been pleased to sanction the issue of condemned rifles or carbines, Martini Henry and Snider, to the extent of one per troop or company, and two per battery of Royal Artillery, to such corps and batteries as may desire to provide themselves with the apparatus to admit of the men practising.

2. Officers commanding regiments of British and Native Cavalry and Infantry, and batteries of Royal Artillery, may submit requisitions accordingly, to the several arsenals on which they are dependent.

General officers commanding will be good enough to call on commanding officers to submit the rules under which their men are to be allowed to practise with these rifles.

Care must be taken to ensure the safety of the men, and of public property.

With reference to G. O. C. C. dated 4th October 1882,* page 463, it is notified for information, that a certified copy of certificate or order, to the effect that a subaltern officer has passed in (c) and (d) for promotion to captain, will also be accepted by the Pay Department as sufficient voucher for passing increased pay.

Army Form B 273 "Return of deaths, effects and credits," (monthly), referred to in India Army Circulars of 1881, clause 87, has been revised, and supplies can be procured, gratis, on indent, from the Contractor† for printing Government of India stock forms.

2. The stock of the old form now on hand should be destroyed.

The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Captain:—

*	*	*	*
	A. H. P. Turner,		
	Royal Artillery.		
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* G. O. C. C. No. 314 of 1882 page 416.

† Superintendent Lawrence Asylum Press.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

13th Madras Native Infantry.—Colonel H. H. C. G. Warrington, Madras Infantry, to Mussoorie, and Poonah, on private affairs, from the 31st March to the 30th September 1884, under the rules of 1868.

Head Quarters, Simla, 16th June 1884.

It has been decided that under clause 14, India Army Circulars of 1884, non-commissioned officers on joining departments will receive, as a first issue, the full supply of the cloth and serge clothing, including forage cap and boots.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' General Orders, dated 1st May 1884 :—

“Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army.”

G. O. 60, “Examination for promotion.”

G. O. 63, “Recruiting.”

G. O. 69, “Army Reserve.”

G. O. 73, “Post Office Corps.”

G. O. 74, “Re-engagements.”

G. O. 75, “Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.”

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 354.—The following extracts from General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief Bombay are re-published :—

Adjutant General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 20th June 1884.

261. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, viz. :...

PERSIAN...*Lower Standard.*

Lieutenant Hon'ble A. S. Hardinge, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

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HINDUSTANI...*Lower Standard.*

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Captain G. H. Dean, Military Secretary to His Excellency
the Right Honourable the Governor.

No. 355.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to
England with the necessary subsidiary leave.

2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.—Captain G. S. Banister for one year
on Medical Certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
10th July, 1884.

No. 356.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Captain H. G. Weir has been transferred from the Depôt, Northern Division, to P. Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery; also that Lieutenant E. Guinness has been transferred from the latter Battery to Depôt 4th Brigade.

No. 357.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

9th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Wroughton Officiating Wing Commander to be Wing Commander *vice* Davies removed. Dated 15th July 1884.

10th Regiment N. I.—Surgeon P. H. W. Boon to the officiating Medical Charge.

No. 358.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings:—

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon M. W. Kerin, doing duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to the medical charge of the Station Hospital, Calicut.

Surgeon M. E. FitzGerald, in medical charge of the Station Hospital, Calicut, to do duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad.

Expeditionslly at the public expense under clause (j) pa 514 Transport Regulations Part II.

No. 359.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Davies, Staff Corps will do general duty at Madras.

(Quarter-Master General.)

No. 360.—In continuation of G. O. C. C. No. 232 of 1884, the following movements of Native Troops, are published, with the sanction of Government, to take place in 1884-85.

Corps.	From.	To.	Remarks.
<i>"Q. O." Sappers and Miners.</i>			
F. Company. ...	Bangalore ...	Secunderabad.	By rail.
G. " ...	Secunderabad.	Rangoon ...	By rail to Madras and thence by sea.
H. " ...	Rangoon ...	Bangalore ...	By sea to Madras and rail to Bangalore.

No. 361.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 10th June 1884, are re-published.

War Office, Pall Mall, 10th June 1884.

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Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant William Henry Simeon Earle to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, for service with the Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 26th May, 1884.

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BREVET.

The undermentioned Majors of the Royal Artillery to be Lieutenant-Colonels, under the provisions of Article 11 (*f.f.*) of the Royal Warrant of 11th March, 1882 :—

Charles Doyne Anderson Straker (late Madras). Dated 24th May, 1884.

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No. 362.—The following extracts from General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 20th June, 1884.

The following military operations, as illustrations of the principles of tactics, will be included in subject (*d₃*), at the examinations held during the year commencing on the 15th June 1884:—

For Captains and Lieutenants.

1. Outposts of the Prussian 10th Division before Paris, 1870-71.
2. Austrian outposts on the Mincio, 1866.
3. Action of Nachod, 1866.
4. Movements of Kellerman's Cavalry Division at the battle of Austerlitz, 1805, and Cavalry action at Nachod, 1866.
5. Action at Münchengratz, 1866.
6. Action at El-Bodon, 1811.

• For Captains only.

7. Action of Gross Beeren, 1813.
8. Action at Colombey, 1870.

It is notified for general information that, with the sanction of Government, all savings bank deposits made in the month of March 1884, though not debited in the general state of accounts till the month of April, under paras. 399-400 of the "Instructions for payment of British Troops, India, 1882," should be considered as included in the balance at credit on the 31st March 1884, and may therefore be remitted to England at 2s. 0½*d.* the rupee, as allowed by India Army Circulars, clause 27 of 1884.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

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2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant A. H. L. Bagot, for six months, on urgent private affairs.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 21st June, 1884.

An instance having occurred in which a health certificate was granted by a medical officer on the statements of a medical sub-

ordinate, medical officers are warned of the responsibility they incur by adopting the opinions of their subordinates, and by signing certificates in conformity with those opinions, without satisfying themselves by personal examination, that the facts testified to are absolutely correct.

Head Quarters, Simla, 23rd June, 1884.

Major A. Swinton, Royal Horse Artillery, is directed to proceed from Allahabad to Secunderabad and join M Battery B Brigade, to which he has been appointed. Under Transport Regulations, part II, para. 514, clause (k).

No. 363.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant W. Honeywood, Wing Officer (on probation) 29th Regiment N. I. for six months from the 1st July or date of departure—Madras to study the native languages.

Royal Marine L. I.—Lieutenant C. Chamier, Wing Officer (on probation) *sub pro tem*, 6th Regiment N. I. for four months to Australia on Medical Certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G. O. C. C. No. 355 of 1884, granting leave to Captain Banister for “one year” read “nine months.”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
17th July, 1884.

No. 364.—Intimation has been received from Army Head Quarters in India, that the undermentioned Royal Artillery Officers have been posted to this Presidency, on promotion:—

Lieutenant Colonel W. E. Lockhart,
" " C. E. Reid,

and that Lieutenant Colonel (Colonel) H. Brackenbury, C. B., Royal Artillery, has been transferred from the Home Establishment to this Presidency.

No. 365.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Captain T. H. E. Acton, recently promoted to that rank, has been posted to No. 4 Battery, 1st Brigade, North Irish Division, Royal Artillery *vice* Captain M. Wynell-Mayow appointed Adjutant.

No. 366.—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster, Lance Nalgue No. 3007, Mahomed Ally Khan of the 17th Regiment N. I., is temporarily transferred to the 7th Regiment N. I., on public grounds. To join.

No. 367.—Surgeon J. Kernan, Indian Medical Department, on relief at Madras to report himself for general duty to the Deputy Surgeon General Her Majesty's Forces Eastern District.

No. 368.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

3rd Regiment L. I.—Lieutenant H. G. Burton to be officiating Wing Officer and with the sanction of Government a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 6th July 1884.

10th Regiment N. I.—Surgeon R. Pemberton to the Medical Charge of the Regiment, *vice* Surgeon Major, Æ. M. Ross transferred.

23rd Regiment L. I.—Surgeon D. P. Warliker to the Medical Charge of the Wing, at Hoshungabad, *vice* Surgeon Pemberton transferred.

29th Regiment N. I.—Surgeon Major Æ. M. Ross to the Medical Charge of the Regiment, *vice* Surgeon G. L. Walker permanently appointed to Civil Employ.

No. 369.—The undermentioned candidates have passed the tests specified opposite their names:—

Madras, 7th July 1884.

Surgeon M. J. Kelawala, Indian Medical Department:—
Higher Standard in Persian.

Lieutenant H. Eardley-Wilmot, 2nd L. C.:—Lower Standard in Persian.

Lieutenant W. H. Lewin, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent:—Lower Standard in Hindustani.

Gunner P. Pedley, P/1st Royal Artillery:—Lower Standard in Hindustani.

No. 370.—The undermentioned candidates have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani:—

Cannanore, 7th July 1884.

Lieutenant W. E. Banbury	} 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.
„ R. H. Ewart	

Secunderabad.

Lieutenant W. C. Walton	} 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.
Private G. Cook.	

Corporal T. Walker—Royal Engineers.

„ E. R. Adkin—Royal Artillery.

Private W. Webb, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment.

No. 371.—The following orders are confirmed :—

27th May 1884.—By the Officer Commanding, Sambulpore, appointing Lieutenant Colonel J. H. Prendergast to be Station Staff Officer, and to the charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family certificates, *vice* Lieutenant E. A. I. Pym relieved.

17th June 1884.—By the Officer Commanding, Port Blair and Nicobars, appointing Lieutenant W. C. Cox, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I., to be Station Staff Officer, *vice* Lieutenant J. C. Allen, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I., relieved at his own request.

No. 372.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have leave of absence :—

Cavalry.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Cherry, 2nd in command, 4th (P. W. O.) L. C. for 60 days from the 15th July or subsequent date of departure, under rule X of the furlough rules of 1875, Bombay and sea—private affairs—on full pay and allowances under subsidiary rule III.

Barrack Department.—Sub-Conductor, G. Kennedy for sixty days from the 15th July 1884, or date of departure under rule X, Furlough Regulations 1875; India—Private affairs—on full pay and allowances under subsidiary rule III.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
24th July, 1884.

No. 373.—In continuation of G. O. C. C., No. 282 of 1884, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to confer on the soldier named below, the silver medal with gratuity of £5 for "long service and good conduct":—

Serjeant (Corporal R. E.) George Bentley Godfrey.—"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

No. 374.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

2nd Regiment, L. C.—Lieutenant R. D. Burlton, Squadron Officer *sub pro tem.* (on probation) to be Squadron Officer (on probation) *vice* Marten transferred.

Lieutenant A. A. Jones, supernumerary on the establishment of the 12th Regiment, N. I., to be Officiating Squadron Officer (on probation) *vice* Arbuthnot transferred—on duty at the public expense under para. 514 (j) Transport Regulations Part II.

So much of G. O. C. C., 331 of 1884 as refers to Lieutenant Jones is cancelled.

3rd Regiment, L. C.—Major D. J. S. McLeod, Squadron Officer to be 3rd Squadron Commander, *vice* Yates deceased, and to remain seconded.

Captain E. T. C. N. Marten, Squadron Officer *sub pro tem.* to be Squadron Officer *vice* McLeod promoted.

Captain Marten, Squadron Officer to be 3rd Squadron Commander *sub pro tem.* *vice* McLeod seconded for service on the Staff.

Lieutenant G. H. Arbuthnot, supernumerary on the establishment of the 2nd Regiment, L. C. to be Squadron Officer (on probation) *sub pro tem. vice* Marten—on duty at the public expense under para. 514. (j) Transport Regulations Part II.

No. 375.—Under instructions received from Army Head Quarters in India, Colonel J. C. Tayler is directed to proceed to Barrackpore at an early date to command the Royal Artillery Presidency District for which he has been selected.

No. 376.—Attention is invited to para. 2976, VI (S.G.O., No. 84 of 1877), Madras Army Regulations, the provisions of which must be strictly complied with.

No. 377.—The following transfers of men, on public grounds, are ordered:—

No.	Rank and Names.	From.	To.
1439	Private Madura ...	4th Pioneers.	14th N. I.
1603	„ Saiyid Ahmad ...		1st L. C.
1680	„ Qādir Sharif ...		33rd N. I.
1681	„ Muhammad Muṣa. ...		15th N. I.
1045	„ Kallee Shah ...	15th N. I. ...	4th Pioneers.

No. 378.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani:—

Kamptee, 7th July 1884.

Lieutenant B. P. Hawes—2nd Bn., Royal Munster Fusiliers.
 „ H. F. Williams—do. do. do.
 „ G. F. Whitehead—do. do. do.
 Corporal P. McGratte—do. do. do.
 Private W. J. A. Irvine—do. do. do.
 „ W. Gott—do. do. do.
 Surgeon P. J. Nealon, M.D.,—Army Medical Department.
 Corporal A. Walker—O/1st Royal Artillery.

Bangalore.

Lieutenant E. S. Brooke—Royal Artillery.
 „ P. T. Clark—1st Battalion, Oxfordshire L. I.
 „ F. G. Cardew— do. do.
 „ F. G. L. Lamotte— do. do.
 „ R. W. Falcon— do. do.
 „ G. B. Hodson— do. do.
 Serjeant Williams— do. do.
 Lance Sergeant Diver— do. do.
 Corporal Armstrong—12th Royal Lancers.
 Private Winckle— do. do.
 Gunner Lyons—S/1st Royal Artillery.
 Driver Ryan— do. do.
 Gunner Johnston—M/2nd Royal Artillery.

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Lieutenant J. Thornhill, 6th Regiment, N. I.—Probationer,
 Staff Corps.

No. 379.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*,
 dated 24th July 1884, is re-published:—

War Office, 20th June 1884.

MILITIA.

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INFANTRY.

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9th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps.—Captain Henry
 Herbert Edwards, 2nd Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, to
 be Adjutant, in succession to Major F. J. W. Davies, the Royal
 Munster Fusiliers, whose term of service as Adjutant has ex-
 pired. Dated 1st July, 1884.

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No. 380.—The following order is confirmed:—

21st March 1884.—By the General Officer Commanding, British
 Burmah Division, appointing Captain Saunders, Royal Artil-
 lery, Adjutant, Royal Artillery, British Burmah Division, to
 perform the duties of Assistant Quarter Master General of the
 Division from the 22nd March 1884, until further orders, with-
 out prejudice to his own duties, *vice* Captain Yule proceeding to
 England on Medical certificate.

No. 381.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have leave of absence:—

Infantry.—Colonel F. Beeching, Commandant, 10th Regiment N. I., from the 1st to the 18th August 1884, on private affairs, in continuation of the leave granted to him in G.O.C.C., No. 310 of 1884. Ootacamund.

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant A. Ffrench, Wing Officer and Officiating Quarter Master for 60 days from the 4th August 1884, or subsequent date of departure. Under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875—Madras, Pondicherry and Yercaud, Private affairs, on full pay and allowances.

Royal Artillery.—Lieut.-Colonel C. R. Buckle, to the Murree Hills, for three months on Medical Certificate; in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. C., dated 23rd May 1884, page 135.

1st Battalion, Oxfordshire L. I.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to grant Major G. S. Vesey, leave of absence in extension, on the recommendation of a Medical Board, from the 10th July to the 1st September 1884.

York and Lancaster Regiment.—Lieutenant W. N. M. Cooke, Officiating Wing Officer, 8th Regiment, N. I., (on probation) from 9th August 1884, or date of departure for six months—to Madras to study the Native languages.

Indian Medical Department.—Deputy Surgeon General W. H. Rean, M.D., Nagpore Force, ninety days accumulated privilege leave from the 21st July 1884, or date of departure.

Surgeon-Major C. R. G. Parker, from 4th August to 4th October 1884, in extension of privilege leave, on urgent private affairs, under the furlough rules of 1868 and paras. 1430 and 1431, Madras Army Regulations—Bangalore.

Sub-Medical Department.—Assistant Apothecary T. Gooroosawmy Pillay for six months from date of departure, Madras, Private affairs, under rules of 1868.

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant D. F. H. Logan, No. 5 Battery, 1st Brigade, Welsh Division, for six months on Medical Certificates.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G. O. C. C., No. 367 of 1884, for “Madras,” read “Madura.”

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
31st July, 1884.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 382.—With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 605 of 1883, the following list is published of non-commissioned officers and men who have qualified as Assistant Instructors at the School of Army Signalling.—Bangalore:—

Signalling Class No. 47.	Corps.	Regimental No.	Rank and Names.	Certificates as Assistant Instructors.	Date of qualification Roll signed by the Committee of examination.
	2nd L. C.	1454	Private Kristnajeo Row ...	Assistant Instructors.	18th July 1884.
	24th N. I.	265	Havildar Syed Guffoor ...		
	26th N. I. {	824	Lance Naigue Appulsawmy.		
		845	Private Syed Abdoolah ...		

N.B.—These men attended No. 47 Signalling class, but were re-examined in February 1884 at the conclusion of the Camp of Exercise.

No. 383.—The undermentioned candidates are reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani:—

Bellary, 7th July 1884.

No.	326	Private	H. Gray	} 2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers.
"	354	"	A. Vere	
"	1403	"	T. Fennelly	
"	2084	"	G. Stephens	
"	2123	"	W. Thorn	
"	2634	"	P. Ennis	
"	2789	"	A. Bresnahan	
"	2923	"	J. Marshall	

No. 384.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 27th June and 1st July 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 27th June, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Major Smith Byrom Royds, from the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), to be Major, *vice* H. M. Williams, who exchanges. Dated 28th June, 1884.

Lieutenant George Herbert Arbuthnot has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th April, 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel H. M. L. Colquhoun retires on half-pay. Dated 28th June, 1884.

Major Herbert Michael Williams, from the South Wales Borderers, to be Major, *vice* S. B. Royds, who exchanges. Dated 28th June, 1884.

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Veterinary Department.—The surname of Veterinary-Surgeon Alexander Henry Waddell is as now, and not as hitherto, stated.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 1st July 1884.

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ROYAL ARTILLERY.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Henry Montgomery Finlay (late Madras), has retired on a pension and extra annuity, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 19th June, 1884.

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Lieutenant Herbert Alexander Kaye Jennings to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, for service in the Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 31st May, 1884.

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MEMORANDUM.

Major-General Archibald Robertson Gloag, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, has retired on a pension and extra annuity with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 21st May, 1884.

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No. 385.—The following Extracts from the General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 1st July 1884.

From July 1st, 1884, the rates of subscription to the Queen's Military Widows' Fund will be as follows :—

				Married.	Single.
Officers drawing Rs. 750 and upwards per					
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Ditto	Rs. 400	...	...	3	1
Others	...	...	...	2	1

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Head Quarters, Simla, 7th July, 1884.

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The leave to England, on private affairs, granted to Surgeon Major T. Y. Baker, Army Medical Department, in G. O. C. C.,* dated 18th April 1884, page 111, is extended to the 16th October 1884.

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Adjutant General's office, Simla, 21st July 1884.

The undermentioned Officer has leave of absence :—

1st Madras Pioneers,—Lieutenant Colonel G. Tyndall (Madras Staff Corps) from the 1st to the 31st August 1884, under the rules of 1868, pending retirement from the Service.—

No. 386.—The following extract from General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief Bombay is re-published:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,

11th July, 1884.

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294. The undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers and Men are reported to have completed a special course of instruction at the Central Gymnasium, Poona, and to have obtained 1st class certificates:—

No. 1953, Lance Corporal O. Pride,	}	14th Hussars.
„ 1999, Private W. Bryant,		
„ 575, Lance Serjeant	}	2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment,
P. Callaghan,		
„ 1636, Corporal J. Green,		
„ 2330, Lance Corporal W. Moores,		1st Battalion Oxford Light Infantry

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No. 387.—Major General J. F. Fisher, Royal (late Madras) Engineers is permitted to reside in India under Article 494, Army Regulations India Volume I.

No. 388.—Lieutenant F. W. T. Attree, Royal Engineers, doing duty with the Queen's Own Sappers and Miners is permitted to proceed to England in anticipation of the leave which will be granted him by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

No. 389.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to sanction the formation of the following Committee of Paymastership in the 12th Royal Lancers, in consequence of the Paymaster having been suspended from duty, with effect from the 21st April 1884:—

President.

Captain W. Colquhoun.

Members.

Captain H. S. Richardson.

Lieutenant J. H. Ensor.

Lieutenant Ensor will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee, without prejudice to his other duties.

No. 390.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to approve of the Committee of Paymastership, 12th Royal

Lancers, ordered in G.O.C.C. No. 389 of 1884, being reconstructed as follows; with effect from the 5th July 1884, in consequence of Captain Colquhoun having been gazetted to the Adjutancy of the Regiment.—

President.

Major G. R. R. Poole.

Members.

Captain H. S. Richardson.

Lieutenant J. H. Ensor.

Lieutenant Ensor will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee, without prejudice to his other duties.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 391.—Intimation has been received from Simla that Troopships leave Bombay on homeward voyages of coming season as follows :—

On 22nd October 1884.

On 1st, 12th and 21st November 1884.

On 6th, 17th, and 27th January 1885.

On 6th February 1885.

On 25th March 1885.

On 1st, 10th and 19th April 1885.

No. 392.—The undermentioned individuals having passed the entrance Examination in the Vernacular for admission into the Civil Engineering College, the General Officer Commanding Bangalore Division will adopt the necessary steps for their joining that institution as soon after the 1st August as possible.—

No. $\frac{61 \text{ Bde}}{2216}$ Corporal W. L. Emery—2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

No. $\frac{40 \text{ Bde}}{792}$ Lance Corporal P. King—2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

No. $\frac{40 \text{ Bde}}{529}$ Lance Corporal J. W. Jones—2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

No. 2182, Lance Corporal B. Reynolds—12th Royal Lancers.

No. 3369 Acting Bombardier J. Knox—E Battery B Brigade Royal Horse Artillery.—

No. 393.—The following transfers and exchanges of men at their own request are ordered:—

No.	Rank and Name.	From.	To.
980	Private Appaulsawmy ...	7th Regt. N. I.	14th Regt. N. I.
695	" Uckiah ...	11th " "	16th " "
1218	" Pentanah ...	11th " "	30th " "
3405	" Mustafá Khán ...	12th " "	25th " "
3211	" Chinniah ...	17th " "	"Q. O." Sappers and Miners.
3262	" Muhammad Alí ...	17th " "	25th Regt. N. I.
3156	" Aurocium ...	19th " "	15th " "
3306	" Ramaswamy ...	19th " "	26th " "
3322	" Appalaswamy ...	19th " "	7th " "
1336	" Dooroovassaloo ...	21st " "	11th " "
1030	" Venketsawmy ...	23rd " "	2nd " "
478	" Nursimmusawmy.	32nd " "	5th " "
3139	" Shaikh Husain ...	33rd " "	21st " "
2772	" Abdul waháb ...	33rd " "	24th " "
2853	" Vurdiah ...	33rd " "	25th " "
227	" Ghulám. Mahmúd	3rd Regt. L. C.	Body Guard.
1079	" Mír Shamshér Alí.	25th Regt. N. I.	17th Regt. N. I.
113	Recruit Boy Shaikh Qádír.	20th " "	11th " "
334	Pension Boy Atchanah ...	20th " "	11th " "

No. 394.—Private No. 1052 Venketsawmy of the 20th Regiment N. I. is transferred on public grounds to the 3rd Regiment L. C.

No. 395.—Private (Lance Naigue) Narrain Singh of the 20th Regiment N. I., at present on the unattached list and employed as a maistry in the Public Works Department, is remanded to Military duty in view to his discharge with pension being carried out in the usual way.

2. Lance Naigue Narrain Singh will be attached to a Regiment in Bellary under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Ceded District, pending his discharge with pension.

No. 396.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

Royal Marine L. I.—Lieutenant C. Chamier, Wing Officer (on probation) *Sub pro. tem.*, 6th Regiment N. I. from the 1st April 1884, to the 30th October 1884 on Medical Certificate—Madras and Australia.

This cancels the leave granted to Lieutenant Chamier in G. O. C. C. Nos. 128 and 363 of 1884.—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant C. B. St. John-Mildmay, I Battery, 3rd Brigade, for twelve months on Medical Certificate.

2nd Battalion, Somersetshire L. I.—Lieutenant C. H. Stisted, for six months on Medical Certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum—In G. O. C. C. 279, of 1884, placing Colonel H. M. L. Colquhoun, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment on half pay for "20 June 1884" read "21st June 1884."

GENERAL ORDERS.

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
31st July 1884.

No. 397.—At a General Court Martial assembled at Raipur, Central Provinces, on the 27th June 1884, Jemadar Rungiah, 29th Regiment, N. I. was arraigned on the following charge:—

Charge.

Conduct unbecoming his position and character as a native officer in having at Sumbulpore on or about the 23rd of March 1884, been in a state of intoxication in the lines of the detachment of his regiment.

Finding.

The Court find that the prisoner Jemadar Rungiah, 29th Regiment, N. I. is guilty of the charge.

Sentence.

The Court sentence the prisoner Jemadar Rungiah, 29th Regiment, N. I. to be dismissed the service.

(Signed) ABDOOL RHYMON,
Subadar Major, 8th N. I., President.

RAIPUR,
28th June, 1884.

Confirmed.

(Sd.) FRED: ROBERTS, LIEUT.-GENERAL,
Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army.

BANGALORE,
14th July, 1884.

Remarks by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

The Commander-in-Chief would have hesitated to give effect to the sentence of dismissal from the service, had not the last received report, on Jemadar Rungiah, shewn him to be of intemperate habits.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

The foregoing extract to be read to all Native Troops in the Madras Army.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
7th August, 1884.

No. 398.—Major S. B. Royds, whose exchange from the 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment to the South Wales Borderers has been sanctioned, is, under instructions from the Horse Guards, directed to return to England at his own expense and join the 1st Battalion of the latter regiment, reporting his arrival to the Horse Guards.

No. 399.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant H. W. W. Barlow, I. Battery 3rd Brigade Royal Artillery, has been posted to the Depot Battery 3rd Brigade.

No. 400—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

5th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant E. G. S. Warren, Wing Officer (on probation) *sub pro tem* to be Wing Officer (on probation) *vice* Hamilton deceased.

Lieutenant R. B. Nedham, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 25th Regiment N. I. to be Wing Officer (on probation) *sub pro tem*, *vice* Weston seconded for service on the Staff. On duty at the public expense under para. 530 Transport Regulations part II and para. 214 (a) part I.

9th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant F. D. Maxwell, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 10th Regiment N. I. to be officiating Wing officer. On duty at the public expense under para. 214 (a) Transport Regulations part I and para. 514 (j) part II.

14th Regiment N. I.—Colonel F. H. Tyrrell, Infantry, to be Commandant, *vice* Carnegie transferred. Dated 1st August 1884.

15th Regiment N. I.—Colonel A. T. Cox, 2nd in command to be commandant, *vice* Grant vacated on succeeding to Colonel's allowances. Dated 13th June 1884.

Lieutenant-Colonel L. B. Bance, Wing commander, to be 2nd in command, *vice* Cox promoted.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Grove, Staff Corps, to be Wing commander, *vice* Bance promoted.

21st Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant H. V. Cox, Wing Officer and Officiating Adjutant, is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 26th June 1884.

25th Regiment N. I.—Colonel H. C. B. Barnett, 2nd in command to be commandant, *vice* Smithers retired. Dated 4th July 1884.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Gabbett, Wing commander to be 2nd in command, *vice* Barnett promoted.

Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Cotton, Staff Corps, to be Wing commander, *vice* Gabbett promoted.

30th Regiment N. I.—Colonel P. A. Carnegy, from the 14th Regiment N. I. to be commandant, *vice* Georges who vacated on the 14th May 1884, under clause 2 of G. O. G. 263 of 1882. Dated 1st August 1884.

No. 401.—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant P. L. Williams, M. Battery, B. Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery, is directed to proceed to England forthwith.

Under para. 513 (d) Transport Regulations, part II, and para. 256 (i) Transport Regulations part I.

No. 402.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Toungoo, 7th July 1884.

Surgeon T. A. P. Marsh—Army Medical Department.

Lieutenant A. F. Pullen—Royal Artillery.

Sergeant W. Wood—Commissariat Department.

Army Schoolmaster W. Collier.

Rangoon, 7th July 1884.

Captain E. M. Poynton—2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I.

Lieutenant E. Peach—do do.

Sub-Conductor H. Adutt—Ordnance Department.

Serjeant J. Carlile—Royal Engineers.

2nd Corporal W. Allen—do.

No. 403.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Higher Standard Test in Hindustani:—

Bellary, 21st July 1884.

Lieutenant S. F. Smith—Derbyshire Regiment—Probationer, Staff Corps.

„ R. B. Nedham—Lancashire Fusiliers,—Probationer, Staff Corps.

Lance Corporal W. Trueman—Royal Fusiliers.

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Lieutenant B. A. Johnstone—Hampshire Regiment—Probationer, Staff Corps.

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Lieutenant A. H. Kellie—Royal Marine L. I.—Probationer, Staff Corps.

Secunderabad, 22nd July 1884.

Lieutenant W. H. Bowes—2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

„ W. P. Cockeram—2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment—Probationer, Staff Corps.

„ E. D. Harvest—2nd Battalion Middlesex Regt.

Bangalore 21st July 1884.

Serjeant-Major Reader—Royal Engineers.

Cuttack.

Lieutenant H. J. Bremner—2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers—Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 404.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th July 1885, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 8th July, 1884.

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The Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Alfred William Adcock, having completed five years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, has been placed on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Major-General
Dated 2nd July, 1884.

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No. 405.—The following extract from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India is republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 14th July 1884.

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Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st June 1884 :—

“Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army :—”

G. O. 79, “Civil employment.”

„ 82, “Embarkations.”

„ 84, “Examinations for promotion.”

„ 86, “Gymnastic Instructors.”

„ 87, “Inspections and Confidential Reports.”

„ 88, “Military Mechanists.”

„ 90, “Non-commissioned officers.”

„ 91, “Postage.”

„ 92, “Prisoners.”

„ 93, “Recruiting.”

„ 94, “Regimental books.”

„ 95, “Soldier Servants.”

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

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No. 406.—The undermentioned 2nd Class Apothecary and Assistant Apothecaries having completed 5 years service, and passed the qualifying examinations, are promoted to the 1st Class from the dates indicated against their names :—

2nd Class Apothecary S. Chalke—2nd August 1884.

„ Assistant Apothecary A. F. Smith—1st Augt. 1884.

„ „ J. H. Hindley—2nd do.

No. 407.—Private No. 1296 Abd-ur-rahman of the 1st Regiment L. C. is, at his own request, transferred to His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard.

No. 408.—The following order is confirmed :—

10th May 1884.—By the officer Commanding Royal Artillery Eastern District, intimating that Major D. V. Shortland, Q. Battery 1st Brigade, will command the Royal Artillery, Eastern District, during the absence on general leave of Colonel D. J. McGrigor.

No. 409.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Royal Horse Artillery.—Lieutenant C. E. Maturin, E. Battery B. Brigade, to remain at Naini Tal for one month, on private affairs, in extension of his present leave of five months on private affairs granted by the General Officer Commanding Bangalore Division.

2nd Battalion, Royal Sussex Regiment.—Lieutenant A. T. Young, Wing Officer 12th Regiment N. I., (on probation) from 10th August 1884 to 9th February 1885—to Madras to study the Native languages.

Royal Artillery.—Major C. A. Empson, No. 5 Battery, 1st Brigade, Welsh Division, to Coonoor, from the 4th August to the 14th October 1884—on private affairs.

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, Wing Officer and Adjutant 17th Regiment N. I., for three days in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. C., No. 164 of 1884.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to Australia with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon M. E. FitzGerald for 3 months on Medical Certificate.

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Captain F. R. H. Lambart for six months on Medical Certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Addendum.—To G.O.C.C. No. 220 dated 1st May 1884, add, “Major A. D. Anderson will travel from Secunderabad to Bangalore at the public expense, under the provisions of para. 514 (k) Transport Regulations, part II.”

Erratum—In G. O. C. C. No. 391, of 1884, for “25th March 1885” read “21st March 1885.”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
14th August, 1884.

No. 410.—With reference to paragraph 1012 Army Regulations India, Volume V, it is hereby notified that the rates of compensation in lieu of bedding for the year 1884-85 have been fixed as follows:—

		RS. A. P.
Blankets ...	...	2-15-6 each.
Suttringees ...	...	2- 0-0 do.
Sheets ...	...	0-10-6 do.

2. Claims for compensation must be prepared on M. M. Form 791 and forwarded direct to the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts for pre-audit.

Bills in duplicate are not required.

The amount passed is to be charged in the Pay List supported by the Examiner's letter of advice.

3. All the requisite vouchers are embodied in the form itself, which must be carefully filled in.

No. 411.—Colonel T. B. E. Tennant, Staff Corps, is, under the provisions of G. O. G. No. 296 of 1883, permitted to reside at Ootacamund or Bangalore in the Bangalore Division, or at Madras in the Eastern District, and will be available for any Military duty, other than regimental, to which he may be posted.

No. 412.—Captain H. H. Spitta, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers, is directed to do duty at the Depôt Wellington. Expeditionally on duty at the public expense under para. 514 clause (m) Transport Regulations Part II.

No. 413.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

29th Regiment N. I.—Jemadar Shaik Tippoo to be Native Adjutant.

No. 414.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards the following officers are detailed for duty with their regimental depôts during the forthcoming trooping season :—

Regiment.	Officers to join Depôt.	To relieve.
12th Lancers	Captain T. A. Hill*	Captain Beck.
2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers.	Captain E. A. Mostyn	Captain Tottenham.
Do. do.	Lieutenant H. Porter	Lieutenant de Trafford.
2nd Battalion, Somersetshire L. I.	Lieutenant W. C. Cox	Lieutenant Corbett.
Do. Bedfordshire Regiment.	Lieutenant J. F. Campbell.	Lieutenant Cowper-Coles.
Do. S.W. Borderers.	Captain W. Heaton	Captain Trower.
Do. do.	Lieutenant P. T. Armitage.	Lieutenant Worlledge.
1st Battalion, Oxfordshire L. I.	Lieutenant H. R. S. Cotton.*	Captain Eccles.
2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment.	Captain A. G. Schuyler	Captain Westmacott.

No. 415.—The undermentioned candidates have passed the tests specified opposite their names :—

Rangoon, 21st July 1884.

Captain J. M. T. Badgley—Royal Engineers—Higher Standard Hindustani.

Madras, 5th August 1884.

Lieutenant H. A. K. Jennings—Royal Artillery—Higher Standard Hindustani.

„ T. B. Hawks—1st Battalion, Essex Regiment—Probationer, Staff Corps, Higher Standard Hindustani.

Corporal A. Paine—2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment—Lower Standard Persian.

* These officers are at present in England.

No. 416.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th July 1884, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 15th July, 1884.

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Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Stephen Henry Edward Chamier (late Madras), from the Seconded List, to be Colonel, *vice* D. J. McGrigor (late Madras), promoted Major-General. Dated 21st May, 1884.

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The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants. Dated 5th July, 1884.

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Archibald Samuel Dunlop, *vice* R. E. Boothby, promoted.

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Gardiner Humphreys, *vice* T. H. E. Acton, promoted.

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William Lamport, *vice* F. J. Winter, seconded.

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Half-Pay.—Captain William Noel Hill, from the 14th Hussars, to be Major. Dated 12th July, 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

Colonel Duncan John McGrigor, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Major-General, *vice* A. R. Gloag, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, retired. Dated 21st May, 1884.

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No. 417.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that the undermentioned officers, recently commissioned, have been posted to batteries as stated against their names, and are to be shewn in all returns &c., as under instruction:—

Lieutenant	A. S. Dunlop,	to I. Battery, 3rd Brigade.
„	G. Humphreys,	to P. Battery, 1st Brigade.
„	W. Lamport,	to No. 5 Battery, 1st Brigade, Welsh Division.

No. 418.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 18th July, 1884.

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It has been ascertained from England that the regimental colors of battalions of British infantry, whose facings have been altered, will not be changed until worn out.

2. The same rule will apply to regiments of native infantry.



The following extract from a Military letter,* from the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, No. 150, dated 22nd May 1884, is published for information:—

* Received with Military Dept. No. 906 A, "Rewards," dated the 3rd July 1884.

The following extract from a Military letter,* from the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, No. 150, dated 22nd May 1884, is published for information:—

Para. 20. "In future officers entitled to good service pensions, and widows entitled to pensions under Royal Warrant and Military Fund (late Lord Clive's Fund), should be told to instruct their agents in this country to communicate with this office as to the payment of their pensions. Pensions cannot be issued to agents, except on the production of a power-of-attorney."

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Head Quarters, Simla, 23rd July 1884.

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The accompanying copy of a letter from the Horse Guards, dated 12th June 1884, is re-published for guidance:—

"I am directed by the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, to inform you, that the non-commissioned officers recently sent home from the * * * brought with them documents giving only an insufficient indication as to how they were to be disposed of, as they bore only the word "transferred."

"Reference to this department was consequently necessary in order to ascertain their destination, and they were in the meantime sent to the depot, thus involving a second journey, to join the home battalions.

"I am accordingly to request that steps may in future be taken to ensure all non-commissioned officers sent home, being provided with documents to show clearly how they are to be disposed of."

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No. 419.—The following order is confirmed :—

2nd August 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Royal Artillery, Eastern District, appointing Major D. V. Shortland, Q. Battery, 1st Brigade, to command the Royal Artillery, Eastern District, until further orders, *vice* Colonel D. J. McGrigor on general leave.

No. 420.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant H. T. King, Wing Officer 33rd Regiment N. I., for sixty days from the 1st August 1884, or date of departure, under rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875, private affairs, on full pay and allowances under subsidiary rule III.

Lieutenant C. E. Poynder, Wing Officer and Adjutant 5th Regiment N. I. from the 31st August to the 8th September 1884, in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. C. No. 123 of 1884. Bangalore—private affairs.

2nd Battalion, South Wales Borderers.—Captain Q. M'K. Logan for one month from the 13th August or date of departure, private affairs, Bangalore.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon H. M. Hakim for 182 days from the 10th August 1884 or subsequent date of departure, under rule X Furlough Regulations 1875. Bombay—private affairs.

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

GODFREY • CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Addendum.—To so much of G. O. C. C. No. 21, of 1884, as refers to Surgeon, W. A. Quayle, *add*, " Surgeon Quayle will also take charge of the station Hospital at Port Blair."

Erratum.—In G. O. C. C. No. 393, of 1884, erase the name of Private No. 1218 Pentanah, 11th Regiment N. I.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
21st August, 1884.

No. 421.—Surgeon P. H. W. Boon on being relieved of the medical charge of the 10th Regiment N. I. to do general duty at Vellore under the orders of the Deputy Surgeon General Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern District.

No. 422.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

5th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant C. J. W. Grant, supernumerary on the establishment of the 13th Regiment N. I. to be Wing officer (on probation) *sub pro tem*, vice Weston seconded for service on the staff. On duty at the public expense under para 214 (a) Transport Regulations part I and para. 514 (j) part II.

So much of G.O.C.C. No. 400 of 1884 as relates to Lieutenant R. B. Nedham is cancelled.

12th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant J. R. Mathewes, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I. to be officiating Wing officer, and with the sanction of Government a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 11th August 1884.

No. 423.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenants L. A. C. Gordon, S. Battery 1st Brigade, and J. A. Law, D. Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, have been posted to batteries in England.

No. 424.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the tests set opposite their names :—

Thayetmyo, 21st July 1884.

Lieutenant C. F. Minchin—2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment—Higher Standard Hindustani.

„ A. L. M. Turner—6/1st South Irish Division R. A.—Higher Standard Hindustani.

Gunner James Lilley—7/1st Eastern Division R. A.—Lower Standard Hindustani.

Madras, 28th July 1884.

Surgeon A. T. L. Patch—Indian medical Department—High Proficiency in Tamil.

Sub-Assistant Apothecary H. A. Raymond—Subordinate Medical Department—Higher Standard in Tamil.

Sub-Assistant Apothecary F. Thompson—Subordinate Medical Department—Higher Standard in Tamil.

Bombardier George Hartley—5/1st Welsh Division R. A.—Higher Standard in Tamil.

Gunner William Skudder—S/1st Royal Artillery—High Proficiency in Tamil.

No. 425.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 18th and 22nd July 1884 respectively, are republished :—

War Office, 18th July, 1884.

MILITIA.

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INFANTRY.

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4th Battalion, the Royal Munster Fusiliers.—Captain Percy Stanley Druitt, 1st Battalion, to be Adjutant, in succession to Major H. J. Woodward, 2nd Battalion, whose period of service as Adjutant is about to expire. Dated 1st August, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd July, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment.)—The undermentioned Lieutenants have been appointed Probationers for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 1st May, 1884 :—

William P. Cockeram.

Hugh Thornton.

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No. 426.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 23rd July, 1884.

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With reference to the recent orders regarding codes of regulation for India, and in supersession of G. O.* 177 of 1877, it is hereby notified that the Government of India have been pleased to sanction the issue, in pamphlet form, of the rules relating to measures to be adopted on the outbreak of cholera or small-pox. This pamphlet will continue to be issued from the office of the Quarter Master General in India.†

These rules, which form Appendix‡ XXXIX to Bengal § Medical Regulations, are to be kept corrected from the India Army Circulars making alterations in that Appendix.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 24th July 1884.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the following correction will be made in the “caution,” printed in red on the face of Army Form B 264:—

For—“Penal servitude” in the fifth line, substitute—“Imprisonment with hard labor for two years.”

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At the examinations held on the 1st June 1884, and following days, the undermentioned officers passed the examinations noted opposite their names—

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Lieutenant E. Carbonaro, (1) { Hampshire Regiment,
probationer Bengal
Staff Corps.

Garrison Course
Exmn. required by
sec. 4, para. 3, B.
A. R.

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(1) Distinguished in Military Law.

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* S.G.O. No. 145 of 1877. † Ootacamund. ‡ XXXV. § Madras.

Head Quarters, Simla, 30th July 1884.

The following Army forms have been revised :—

B 186, Musketry Diary.

B 187, Regimental Annual Musketry return.

B 188, Register of Volley, Independent and Skirmishing practices.

B 192, Troop or Company Annual Musketry return.

B 193, Musketry Transfer return.

2, Copies to the following extent will be issued free on application to the Contractor * for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta :—

		Cavalry.		Infantry.
B 186	...	50	...	50
B 187	...	4	...	4
B 188	...	75	...	100
B 192	...	12	...	16
B 193	...	30	...	30
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Head Quarters, Simla, 2nd August 1884.

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The attention of officers commanding battalions of British infantry is invited to the orders marginally noted.

G. O. 150 of 1877.†

Sec. 10, para. 22, Queen's Regulations.

When the duties are not severe, monthly courses for trained soldiers, as well as the usual class for recruits, are to be established; the attendance of the trained soldier being so arranged as not to interfere with his regular duties.

2. The gymnastic returns for the past year show that instruction has been carried out very satisfactorily in many battalions, but in others very little has been done, and large numbers of men remain untrained.

3. Where instruction is regularly carried out, the quarterly report (B. F. 473) should show a certain number of men in the columns "Under instruction" and "Dismissed."

When either column is left blank the reason must be fully stated in the column for remarks.

4. The column "Under instruction" should embrace every man who has been under instruction during the quarter either as a trained soldier or recruit, the classes being shown separately as one or three months' course.

* Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press.

† S. G. O. No. 157 of 1877 page 333.

5. The column "Dismissed" should only account for men who have been finally weighed and measured.

6. When a man has worked for 12 days, but is unable to finish his course of instruction from any cause, he should be measured before dismissal, and the result recorded in the class report.

7. The quarterly reports (Bengal Forms 11, 252, 473 and 474) should be despatched on the last day of the quarter, and the class report (Bengal Form 379) with as little delay as possible after a class has been dismissed.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Army Pay Department.—Captain George Hudleston Powell, Essex Regiment, having resigned his combatant commission, to be Paymaster, with the honorary rank of captain. Dated 12th October 1883.

Captain Powell is posted to the 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

Captain Edward Loftus Roche Thackwell, Royal Fusiliers, having resigned his combatant commission, to be Paymaster, with the honorary rank of captain. Dated 16th November 1883.

Captain Thackwell is posted to the 14th Hussars.

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No. 427.—The following order is confirmed:—

21st June 1884.—By the General officer Commanding Nagpore Force, appointing Lieutenant A. W. Rendle, 7th Regiment, N. I. to act as Deputy Judge Advocate of a Native General Court Martial at Raipore.

No. 428.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

Adjutant General's Department, Musketry.—Major W. Wood, Essex Regiment, Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, privilege leave for sixty days from 6th August 1884 or subsequent date of departure.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
28th August, 1884.

No. 429.—The undermentioned officers of the Army Medical Department are directed to proceed to Deolali and report themselves to the officer commanding there not later than the 25th August 1884 for embarkation with the 1st Royal Irish Fusiliers for Egypt.

To travel expeditiously at the public expense under clause (d) para. 513 Transport Regulations Part II.

Surgeon Major G. B. Mouat, M.D.

Surgeon G. Laffan, M.D.

Surgeon F. H. S. Murphy, M.D.

No. 430.—Surgeon J. Heath, Army Medical Department, from doing duty station hospital, Madras, to the medical charge of the station hospital Malapuram—expeditiously at the public expense under clause (g) para. 514 Transport Regulations Part II.

No. 431.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

2nd Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant L. J. Andrews, 2nd Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated the 14th August 1884.

4th Regiment N. I. (Pioneers).—Jemadar Shaik Homed to be native adjutant of the Corps.

12th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant C. C. A. Sillery, 1st Battalion Suffolk Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 14th August 1884.

No. 432.—Referring to G.O.C.C. No. 200 of 1884, Lieutenant Colonel E. H. Eyre, is directed to rejoin the 1st Pioneers—expeditiously at the public expense under para. 214 (a) Transport Regulations part I, and para. 514 (e) part II.

No. 433.—Lieutenant R. H. Dawson, officiating wing officer (on probation) 23rd Regiment L. I. is, under instructions from Government, directed to join the 1st Punjab native infantry—at the public expense under para. 514 (j) Transport Regulations Part II.

No. 434.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 25th and 29th July 1884 respectively, are republished:—

Admiralty, 22nd July, 1884.

Royal Marine Forces.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Charles George Matson has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps from the 16th July, 1884, and is reposted to the Royal Marine Light Infantry, as Lieutenant.

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War Office, 25th July, 1884.

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INFANTRY.

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3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Captain Charles Henry Kelly, 1st Battalion, to be Adjutant, in succession to Major J. Stevenson, 2nd Battalion, whose period of service as Adjutant expires. Dated 15th August, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 29th July, 1884.

5th Dragoon Guards.—Major Frederick W. Hemming has been seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 21st April, 1884.

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14th Hussars.—Lieutenant Arthur Charles King to be Captain, vice W. N. Hill, promoted Major on half-pay. Dated 12th July, 1884.

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Royal Artillery.

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Lieutenant Stanley George Drew Smith to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List on appointment to the Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 26th June, 1884.

Lieutenant Rennell Percy-Smith to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, on appointment to the Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 26th June, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).

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Captain Frederick St. Leger Tottenham to be Major, vice R. H. Maude, retired. Dated 11th June, 1884.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Super-numerary Captain Arthur Close Borton to be Captain, vice E. J. Fownes, seconded. Dated 1st July, 1884.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).—Super-numerary Lieutenant Henry Walker, who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, vice O. B. S. F. Shore, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 27th April, 1884.

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The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant Robert R. Renton, from the South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable A. S. Hardinge, seconded, from 15th May, 1884, for service on the Staff. Dated 30th July, 1884.

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No. 435.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant H. V. Cox, Wing Officer and Adjutant 21st Regiment N. I. from 4th August to 31st August 1884, under rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. Pulney Hills—on full pay and allowances under subsidiary rule III.

2nd Battalion Yorkshire Regiment.—Lieutenant A. B. Elton, Wing Officer 23rd Regiment L. I. (on probation) from 21st August or date of departure for 6 months—to Madras to study the native languages.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
4th September, 1884.

No. 436.—The Commander-in-Chief directs that officers of the Madras Staff Corps and Indian Army, who have not already complied with the instructions contained in G. O. C. C., dated 5th April 1880, calling for statements of their Staff and War services, will do so without delay and that officers who have already furnished the statements in question, but whose services require revision, will forward corrected statements thereof.

2. The statements will be prepared on the form laid down in the above quoted G. O. C. C., and forwarded to the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund, as early as practicable.

No. 437.—It is notified for general information that Army Form B-264 (Parchment Certificate for men discharged with ignominy, or for being incorrigible and worthless, or on conviction for felony, or on being sentenced to Penal Servitude) has been revised, and supplies can be procured gratis on indent from the Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

2. The stock of the old form now on hand should be destroyed.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 438.—A class (No. 50) for instruction in Military Signalling will assemble at Bangalore on the 1st October 1884, composed of officers and soldiers of the British service to be detailed by general officers commanding from regiments serving under their orders as follows:—

Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers.

14th King's Hussars ...	...	9
The Somersetshire L. I.	...	3
The Hampshire Regiment	...	3

2. The General Officers Commanding Bangalore Division, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, Nagpore Force, Eastern District and Western District will be good enough to detail a British officer from their respective commands to attend the above class.

3. The ranks and names of officers and soldiers detailed to be reported to the Officer Commanding Bangalore Division.

4. Commanding officers are to select for the above course only those men who can spell correctly, write a clear hand, and are generally intelligent. None but men of steady character should be nominated. Men should be medically examined as to the fitness of their sight.

5. At the conclusion of the course the officers and men are to rejoin their corps under orders of the Officer Commanding Bangalore Division.

No. 439.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

1st Pioneers.—Lieutenant Colonel E. H. Eyre, to be 2nd in command, *vice* Tyndall retired.

2nd Regiment N. I.—Brevet Colonel J. K. Clubley, wing commander, to be 2nd in command, *vice* Williams retired. Dated 16th September 1884.

Lieutenant-Colonel, F. R. Trevor, Staff Corps, to be wing commander, *vice* Clubley promoted.

28th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant A. B. Murray, wing officer and officiating adjutant is confirmed in the latter appointment.

No. 440.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

Indian Medical Department.—Deputy Surgeon General G. S. W. Ogg, M.B., to the Administrative Medical Charge of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force and Hyderabad Contingent, *vice* Deputy Surgeon General Colvin Smith, M.D., C.B., whose tenure of appointment has expired.

No. 441.—Captain M. E. H. O. Welch, Staff Corps, has passed an examination in Military Law, qualifying for appointment in the Judge Advocate General's Department.

No. 442.—Surgeon Major Æ. M. Ross, to do duty, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force and Hyderabad Contingent, in permanent medical charge of the duties detailed in Proceeding of Madras Government No. 3269, dated 16th September 1864, *vice* Deputy Surgeon General G. S. W. Ogg.

No. 443.—With reference to G. O. C. C., dated 15th May 1884, the undermentioned soldier having completed his training as Master Tailor at the Clothing Agency, Madras, will rejoin his corps:—

Lance Corporal Edward Charles Jones, 1st Battalion, Oxfordshire L. I.

No. 444.—The undermentioned Officer has been reported as qualified by the Lower Standard Test in Persian:—

Bangalore, 22nd August 1884.

Lieutenant C. E. Poynder, Staff Corps, 5th Regiment N. I.

No. 445.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 5th August 1884 are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 5th August, 1884.

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Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant Pierson Locke Williams to be Captain, *vice* Sir G. H. W. Beaumont, Bart., retired. Dated 30th July, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Super-numerary Lieutenant Arthur Henry L. Bagot to be Lieutenant, *vice* H. W. Lovett. Dated 11th June, 1884.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).—Lieutenant Charles Henry Clements has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th May, 1884.

The East Yorkshire Regiment.—Lieutenant George William Priestley has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd May, 1884.

The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant-Colonel Robert W. M. Wetherell has been appointed to command a Battalion. Dated 2nd July, 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Lieutenant-Colonel W. F. Gatacre has been appointed to command a Battalion. Dated 28th June, 1884.

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No. 446.—With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 401, dated 7th August 1884, it is notified that intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Captain P. L. Williams, just promoted to that rank has been posted to No. 4 Battery, 1st Brigade South Irish Division.

No. 447.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant W. C. Hunter-Blair, Depôt Battery 2nd Brigade, has been appointed to M. Battery, B. Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery, *vice* Williams promoted; and that Lieutenant F. A. L. Powell, No. 3 Battery, 1st Brigade, Welsh Division, has been transferred to I. Battery, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.

No. 448.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 8th August 1884.

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In continuation of G. O. C. C.* dated 2nd April 1884, p. 95, attention is invited to the following Horse Guards' G. O., dated 1st June 1884.

G. O. 81.—Dress Regulations.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Royal Engineers.—Lieutenant F. W. T. Attree, (attached to the Madras Sappers and Miners,) to England, on urgent private affairs, for fifteen months, from 1st August 1884, or date of departure.

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* G. O. C. C. No. 224 of 1884 page 115.

Head Quarters, Simla, 9th August 1884.

Attention is directed to Army Circulars, clause 91, "Gratuities for long service and good conduct," dated 1st May 1884, (as amended by errata to Army Circulars, dated 1st June 1884); and Horse Guards' general order 85, "Good Conduct Medals," dated 1st June 1884.

2. Commanding officers will take steps to adjust the gratuities of such of the non-commissioned officers and men as may be serving in India in accordance with para. 431 of the "instructions for the payment of British troops, India, 1882," and para. 2 of India Army Circulars of 1884, clause 9.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 12th August 1884.

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The following War Office Army Circular, dated 1st June 1884, is re-published for information and guidance:—

Cl. 109,—Voluntary Retirement of Combatant Officers.

With reference to Art. 94 of the Royal Warrant relating to pay, &c., the Secretary of State for War has decided that, until further orders, the following rules shall be observed regarding the voluntary retirement of officers of the Cavalry and Infantry on the rates laid down in Arts. 972 to 978 of the above-mentioned Warrant.

1. Voluntary retirement on retired pay, or gratuity from the regimental rank of Major on full-pay, will not be allowed before the completion of 25 years' service, except in cases in which the vacancy would be filled—

- (a) By the absorption of a supernumerary Major;
- (b) By the appointment to full-pay of a Major from the Half-Pay List;
- (c) By the promotion of a Captain of the same arm of the Service who shall have completed at least 18 years' service;
- (d) By the promotion of a Captain who shall be within two years of the age fixed for his compulsory retirement;
- (e) By the promotion of a Captain who shall, in the opinion of the Commander-in-Chief and the Secretary of State, have performed exceptionally good service.

2. Voluntary retirement on retired pay or gratuity from the regimental rank of Captain on full-pay, will not be allowed except in cases in which the vacancy would be filled—

- (a) By the absorption of a supernumerary Captain ;
- (b) By the appointment to full-pay of a Captain from the Half-Pay List ;
- (c) By the promotion of a Lieutenant of the same arm of the Service who shall have completed at least nine years' service ;
- (d) By the promotion of a Lieutenant who shall, in the opinion of the Commander-in-Chief and the Secretary of State, have performed exceptionally good service.

In continuation of G. O. C. C.* dated 1st August 1883, page 310, it is notified, under instructions from the Horse Guards, that when the great coat is wet, it should be carried inside the flap of the valise.

The "Instructions for fitting the new Valise Equipment (1882 pattern)" will be corrected accordingly.

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Lieutenant R. de H. Burton, Middlesex Regiment, having been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Bengal Staff Corps, is attached to the second battalion of his regiment, pending orders from His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief as to his disposal.

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No. 449.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Brigade Staff.—Brigadier General W. K. Elles, C.B., *J.D.C.*, Commanding, Nagpore Force, privilege leave from the 15th September to the 20th October 1884, inclusive.

Brigadier General A. C. Johnson, Commanding the Eastern District, privilege leave for fifteen days from the 1st September 1884 or date of departure—Yercaud.

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. Middlecoat, Commandant, European Veterans, from 3rd September, or subsequent date of departure, to 3rd December 1884. Bangalore—private affairs—under the Furlough Rules of 1854.

* G. O. C. C. No. 414 of 1883 page 259.

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers.—Captain G. S. Nicholson for one year on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G. O. C. C. No. 306, dated 19th June 1884, for “Serjeant Down” read “Serjeant Downs.”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
8th September, 1884.

No. 450.—Officers commanding divisions and districts will be pleased to assemble invaliding medical boards, in accordance with the following instructions, at stations within their respective commands occupied by British troops, to examine all men whom it is proposed to invalid. The Deputy Surgeon-General of the division or district, or in his absence the medical officer doing his duty, will sit as President.

2. Boards will be held twice during the trooping season, and will assemble at all stations in the command including convalescent depôts, the first early in September, and the second late in February. All such men as have become permanently unfit for service and are not likely to suffer by removal to England during the winter months will be invalided by the boards assembling in September, the invaliding of the remainder being dealt with by the boards to be held about the end of February. The dates will be fixed by officers commanding divisions and districts, in communication with the Deputy Surgeon-General, and should be made to correspond with the instructions for movement and embarkation received from the Quartermaster-General.

3. Medical boards will refrain from recommending soldiers who have enlisted in India and are not desirous of leaving the country to be sent as invalids to England or the colonies, but soldiers enlisted in a particular colony, and who desire to return to the same, may be recommended by the board accordingly.

4. Regiments and batteries marching in relief before the assembly of invaliding boards will, as a general rule, take all invalids capable of travelling with them, if proceeding to stations on the line of railway nearer to the port of embarkation; but if otherwise, or moving to more distant stations, they will leave them behind.

5. Care will be taken that all documents connected with such men are completed, as far as possible, prior to the march of their

regiment or battery, and handed over, the military documents to the officer commanding, and the medical documents to the medical officer in charge. In the event of their being no regiment or battery at the same station to which the invalids can be attached, the military documents should be made over to the officer detailed to proceed to the port of embarkation with the men; or in the event of no such officer being detailed, an experienced subaltern will be left in command of the party, who will take charge of the documents in question. Arrangements will also be made in communication with the divisional authorities for the medical charge of the detachment, and the custody of the medical documents of the invalids.

6. With a view to ensure accuracy in their documents and accounts, officers commanding and in medical charge of detachments and hill and other depôts will place themselves in direct communication with the regiments of all men about to be invalided. This must be done in good time, in order that all claims and other matters may be settled before the men belonging to depôts or detachments leave their stations. The rule directing the settlement of all claims before the men leave their regiments will apply equally to invalids from depôts and detachments.

7. M. H. F. 64 "Return of Invalids," will be used for all nominal returns of invalids.

8. This return will be prepared in duplicate by the medical officer in charge, and signed by himself and the officer commanding the corps prior to its submission to the medical board. Separate returns are required for each corps. In the case of insanes separate returns are required for each individual.

9. The medical board will fill up the column for discharge or change of climate, and the two copies will be thereafter certified by the Deputy Surgeon-General, and countersigned by the officer commanding the station.

10. One copy will be handed to the medical officer proceeding in charge of the invalids to Deolali, who will enter in this nominal list any changes that have occurred during the journey. This copy will be delivered to the medical officer of the Deolali depôt, and retained by him as a record as long as it may be considered necessary.

11. The duplicate copy will be transferred by the president of the board to the regimental or depôt military authorities, for their information, and for despatch by post to Deolali as directed in the Discharge Regulations. This copy of the return of invalids will be retained by the Commandant of the Deolali depôt, until the close of the trooping season, when it will be transferred to the Surgeon-General of Her Majesty's Forces,

Bombay, for record in his office. In the case of invalids from Burmah the duplicate copy of M. H. F. 64 will be sent by post to the Commandant, Poonamallee depôt, with the other discharge documents. No other station return of invalids will be necessary.

12. The Commandant at Deolali will cause continuous nominal rolls, in *duplicate*, of the invalids embarked in *each* troopship, to be made out on the same form, one set for men of the Royal Artillery, and one set for all other troops. These will be handed to the medical officer proceeding in charge of the invalids to England, any casualty *en route* being duly recorded in the columns set apart for that purpose.

13. The Detailed Medical History of every man invalided to England (Army Form B-179) will be made out by the medical officer in charge in duplicate, and in the case of insanes a Statement of Case (M. H. F. 66) will be attached to each copy. These will be submitted to the board, who will ascertain that the information under each heading is complete; and after filling in the remarks and finding, will countersign the return. The proceedings will thereafter be approved and signed by the Deputy Surgeon-General. One copy, together with the Medical History Sheet (Army Form B-178), will be handed to the medical officer proceeding in charge of the party to Deolali, for transfer to the medical officer in charge of the depôt. These documents will be afterwards entrusted to the medical officer proceeding to England in charge of the troopship. The duplicate copy will be transferred to the officer commanding the regiment for attachment to the "proceedings on discharge"* (Army Form B-268).

14. In the case of invalids who are eligible under the regulations, and who may elect to proceed to the colonies or to remain in India, one copy only of this return will be required for each man. This copy, after being signed by the invaliding medical board, and by the Deputy Surgeon-General, will be forwarded, together with the man's Medical History Sheet, through the military authorities to officers commanding regiments, to be transmitted with the proceedings on discharge, &c., to the Adjutant-General, Ootacamund.

15. Forms for invaliding will be obtained from the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras, in the usual manner.

16. Further instructions for the guidance of divisional invaliding boards will be issued by the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces.

* It is of the greatest importance that all medical documents of invalids should be handed over to the medical officer in charge *immediately on embarkation*.

17. As soon as invaliding medical boards in September and February respectively have completed their sittings, the Deputy Surgeon-General will prepare, in duplicate, a numerical return of the invalids, which he will forward to the general officer commanding the division or district for transmission as follows—one copy to the Quartermaster-General, Ootacamund. Forms of this return will be supplied from the Surgeon-General's Office, Madras.

18. Invalids, who are so ill as to be unable to embark or bear the voyage for which they were designated, will be detained at Deolali until the sailing of the last troopship, and if the medical authorities then consider it absolutely necessary that they should proceed to England by the Cape route, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay Presidency will order passages in private vessels to be provided for them.

19. The invaliding of military insanes, will, with the approval of the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, be carried out by special boards assembled under the orders of the local military and medical authorities, at as early a date before the commencement of the cold weather as possible, to enable provision to be made for their passages. Recommendations made by boards for the removal of insanes to a Lunatic Asylum require the special sanction of the Surgeon-General before the men are allowed to leave their stations.

20. Invaliding medical documents of insanes will be endorsed with the word "Insane," in *red ink*, in the upper right hand corner, and will be disposed of as in the case of ordinary invalids, excepting the duplicate copy of the return of invalids (M. H. F. 64) which will be posted to the Commandant of the Colaba depôt, instead of the Deolali depôt, accompanied by the admission order for the Colaba Asylum by the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras.

21. The instructions contained in the Discharge Regulations are to be followed, so far as they apply to invalids; any subsidiary order necessary in furtherance of the foregoing arrangements being issued by general officers commanding divisions and districts.

22. Nominal Rolls of Military Prisoners and Insanes awaiting embarkation showing whether attendants are required for Insanes on boardship to be transmitted to the Quartermaster-General's Office, Ootacamund, and the General Officer Commanding Bombay District as soon as possible; but the men are not to be sent from their stations until instructions are received from the Quartermaster-General, Ootacamund. The documents of Insanes are, however, to be sent to the Commandant of the Colaba Depôt 15 days before embarkation to admit of their

being examined. The documents of prisoners must be made over complete to the officer or non-commissioned officer in charge of the party with which the prisoners are proceeding.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 451.—In continuation and modification of G.O.C.C. Nos. 232 and 360 of 1884, the following revised movements are published with the sanction of Government to take place in 1884-85.

Corps.	From	To	Remarks.
1st Madras Pioneers...	Quetta District.	Bangalore ...	By rail from Bombay.
4th Madras Pioneers...	Bangalore ...	Quetta District (instead of to Palaveram).	By rail to Bombay.
28th Regiment Native Infantry.	Thyetmyo ...	Palaveram (in- stead of to Bangalore).	By river and rail to Rangoon; thence by sea to Madras.

- N. B.*—1. Families of 1st Pioneers to move from Trichinopoly to Bangalore on departure of 4th Pioneers from Bangalore.
2. Families of 4th Pioneers to move to Trichinopoly after departure of the Corps from Bangalore. Both movements under arrangements to be made by the General Officer Commanding Bangalore Division.

No. 452.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief will proceed on a tour of inspection as follows:—

Arrival and Departure.	Place.	Date.	His Excellency will be accompanied by
Leave ...	Ootacamund ...	1st October 1884.	The Adjutant General. The Quarter Master General. The Military Secretary.
Arrive ...	Nedawattum ...	1st October ...	
Arrive ...	Nelambur ...	2nd October ...	
Arrive ...	Calicut ...	3rd October ...	
Arrive ...	Cannanore ...	4th October ...	
Halt ...	... ..	5th to 7th Octr.	
Leave ...	Cannanore ...	8th October ...	
Arrive ...	Mangalore ...	10th October ...	
Leave ...	Mangalore ...	11th October ...	
Arrive ...	Calicut ...	13th October ...	
Leave ...	Calicut ...	13th October ...	
Arrive ...	Malliapooram...	14th October ...	
Leave ...	Malliapooram...	14th October ...	
Arrive ...	Tiroor ...	15th October ...	
Leave ...	Tiroor ...	15th October ...	
Arrive ...	Bangalore ...	16th October ...	
Leave ...	Bangalore ...	18th October ...	
Arrive ...	Ootacamund ...	25th October ...	
Leave ...	Ootacamund ...	11th November...	
Arrive ...	Bandipore ...	11th November...	
Arrive ...	Mysore ...	12th November...	
Arrive ...	Hunsoor ...	13th November...	
Halt ...		14th November...	The Adjutant General. The Quarter Master General. The Assistant Adjutant Gene- ral, Royal Artil- lery. Personal Staff.
Leave ...	Hunsoor ...	15th November...	
Arrive ...	Mercara ...	15th November...	
Halt ...	... ..	16th & 17th Novr.	
Leave ...	Mercara ...	18th November...	
Arrive ...	Mysore ...	18th November...	
Arrive ...	Bangalore ...	19th November...	
Leave ...	Bangalore ...	20th November...	
Arrive ...	Secunderabad..	22nd November...	
Halt ...	... ..	23rd November to 12th December.	
Leave ...	Secunderabad..	13th December ...	
Arrive ...	Madras ...	15th December ...	
Halt ...	... ..	16th December to 21st December.	
Leave ...	Madras ...	22nd December ...	
Arrive ...	Ootacamund ...	23rd December ...	
Leave ...	Ootacamund ...	2nd Jany. 1885.	
Arrive ...	Madras ...	3rd January ...	
Halt ...	... ..	4th to 26th Jany.	

Arrival and Departure.	Place.	Date.	His Excellency will be accompanied by
Leave ...	Madras ...	27th January ...	The Adjutant General. The Quarter Master General. Personal Staff.
Arrive ...	Kamptee ...	30th January ...	
Halt ...	... ..	31st January to 4th February.	
Leave ...	Kamptee ...	5th February ...	
Arrive ...	Raipore ...	5th February ...	
Halt ...	... ..	6th February ...	
Leave ...	Raipore ...	7th February ...	
Arrive ...	Kamptee ...	7th February ...	
Halt ...	... ..	8th February ...	
Leave ...	Kamptee ...	9th February ...	
Arrive ...	Kareli ...	10th February ...	
Arrive ...	Saugor ...	11th February ...	
Halt ...	... ..	12th February ...	
Leave ...	Saugor ...	13th February ...	
Leave ...	Kareli ...	13th February ...	
Arrive ...	Jubbulpore ...	13th February ...	
Leave ...	Jubbulpore ...	14th February ...	
Arrive ...	Allahabad ...	15th February ...	
Halt ...	... ..	16th February ...	
Leave ...	Allahabad ...	17th February ...	
Arrive ...	Calcutta ...	18th February ...	
Halt ...	... ..	19th to 28th Feb.	
Leave ...	Calcutta ...	1st March ...	
Arrive ...	Madras ...	5th March ...	
Halt ...	... ..	6th to 16th Mar.	
Leave ...	Madras ...	17th March ...	
Arrive ...	Bellary ...	18th March ...	
Halt ...	... ..	19th to 24th Mar.	
Leave ...	Bellary ...	25th March ...	
Arrive ...	Ootacamund ...	27th March ...	

Official correspondence of a *very emergent nature only* to be addressed to Army Head Quarters.

Letters, &c., intended for His Excellency and the Officers accompanying him to be addressed as follows:—

Head Quarters, Madras Army,
Commander-in-Chief's Camp,
care of Railway Mail Service,
(*without the addition of a Post Town.*)

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

To be substituted for pages 228 and 229 G. O. C. C. of 1884.

No. 452.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief will proceed on a tour of inspection as follows :—

Arrival and Departure.	Place.	Date.	His Excellency will be accompanied by
Leave ...	Ootacamund ...	30th Sept. 1884.	} Adjutant General. Quarter Master General. Aide-de-Camp.
Arrive ...	Nedawattum ...	30th September.	
Arrive ...	Nelambur ...	1st October ...	
Arrive ...	Malliapuram ...	2nd October ...	
Arrive ...	Calicut ...	3rd October ...	
Arrive ...	Cannanore ...	4th October ...	
Halt ...	... ..	5th to 7th Octr.	
Leave ...	Cannanore ...	8th October ...	
Arrive ...	Mangalore ...	9th October ...	
Leave ...	Mangalore ...	11th October ...	
Arrive ...	Beypore ...	13th October ...	} Adjutant General Personal Staff.
Arrive ...	Bangalore ...	14th October ...	
Leave ...	Bangalore ...	18th October ...	} Quarter Master General.
Arrive ...	Ootacamund ...	25th October ...	
Leave ...	Ootacamund ...	11th November ...	
Arrive ...	Bandipore ...	11th November ...	
Arrive ...	Mysore ...	12th November ...	
Arrive ...	Hunsoor ...	13th November ...	
Halt ...	... ..	14th November ...	
Leave ...	Hunsoor ...	15th November ...	
Arrive ...	Mercara ...	15th November ...	
Halt ...	... ..	16th & 17th Novr.	
Leave ...	Mercara ...	18th November ...	
Arrive ...	Mysore ...	18th November ...	
Arrive ...	Bangalore ...	19th November ...	
Leave ...	Bangalore ...	20th November ...	
Arrive ...	Secunderabad..	22nd November...	
Halt ...		23rd November to 12th December.	} Adjutant General. Quarter Master General. Assist. Adjutant General, R.A. Personal Staff.
Leave ...	Secunderabad..	13th December ...	
Arrive ...	Madras ...	15th December ...	
Halt ...	... ..	16th December to 21st December.	
Leave ...	Madras ...	22nd December ...	
Arrive ...	Ootacamund ...	23rd December ...	
Leave ...	Ootacamund ...	2nd Jany. 1885.	
Arrive ...	Madras ...	3rd January ...	
Halt ...	... ..	4th to 26th Jany.	

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,

11th September, 1884.

No. 453.—On and after the 1st of October next, a Medical Board under the presidency of the Deputy Surgeon General, Eastern District will assemble every three months at Poona-mallee, to examine such convalescents of the Depôt as may be considered by the medical officer in charge, fit for duty with their corps or batteries.

Should there be only one medical officer stationed at Poona-mallee, the extra number necessary to complete the Board should be supplied from the garrison of Fort Saint George or Saint Thomas' Mount.

No. 454.—The undermentioned 3rd class Native Army School Masters are promoted to the 2nd class, from the 1st July 1884.

Private No. 839, Benket Lall, 27th Regiment N. I.

„ No. 507, Seetharamasawmy, 29th Regiment N. I.

Naigue No. 2110, Kistnasawmy Iyer, 6th Regiment N. I.

No. 455.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Station Staff.—Major J. W. S. Butler, 17th Regiment N. I., to be Station Staff Officer at Trichinopoly, *vice* Chapman who vacates on proceeding on furlough—on duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (j) Transport Regulations, Part II.

British Burmah Division.—Captain W. H. Riddell, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, to officiate as Assistant Quartermaster General, *vice* Captain Yule on furlough.

2nd Regiment L. C.—Lieutenant J. R. Mathewes, supernumerary on the establishment of the 12th Regiment N. I., to be officiating squadron officer (on probation)—on duty at the public expense under para. 514 (j) Transport Regulations Part II.

10th Regiment N. I.—Jemadar Gooriah to be native adjutant.

21st Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant E. A. Gayer, 2nd Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 1st September 1884.

28th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant G. B. Hodson, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., to be officiating wing officer, (but to be attached to the 14th Regiment N. I. till the arrival of the 28th Regiment N. I. from Burmah) and with the sanction of Government a probationer for the staff Corps. Dated the 1st September 1884.

No. 456.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings and removal :—

Ceded District.—Captain G. Henry, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Western District, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General.

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon Major J. N. Stock from doing duty station hospital, Cannanore, to be senior medical officer of the station hospital Madras.

Surgeon R. O. Cusack from doing duty station hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty station hospital, Cannanore.

Expeditionusly at the public expense under clause (j) para. 514 Transport Regulations, Part II.

Surgeon Major J. E. Fannin, on arrival from England to be senior medical officer of the north station hospital, Secunderabad. Expeditionusly at the public expense under clause (b) para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon M. J. Kelawala, doing duty Bangalore Division and Ceded District, is directed to report himself for general duty under the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern District. To travel at the public expense under clause (j) para. 514, Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 457.—With the sanction of Government the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to order the following postings:—

Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.—Major General H. N. D. Prendergast, **V.C.**, C.B., from the British Burmah Division, to command—to travel at the public expense under para. 514, clause (j) Transport Regulation Part II.

British Burmah Division.—Brigadier-General L. W. Buck, commanding the Western District, and in officiating command of the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, to command.

No. 458.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalions specified against their names, provided the public be put to no expense by the arrangement:—

Somersetshire L. I.

Lieutenant R. L. Payne, 2nd Battalion.

„ R. E. Corbett, 1st Battalion.

No. 459.—Lieutenant E. A. I. Pym, Worcestershire Regiment, having been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps is, under instructions from His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, directed to rejoin the first Battalion, Worcestershire Regiment at Nusseerabad.

No. 460.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in the tests specified opposite their respective names:—

Madras, 1st September 1884.

Lieutenant W. Browne, Royal Irish Rifles, Probationer, Staff Corps, Higher Standard Hindustani.

Gunner W. Gascoigne, P/1st Royal Artillery, Lower Standard Persian.

No. 461.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani:—

Madras, 1st September 1884.

Acting Bombardier R. J. Jellie, Q/1st Royal Artillery.

„ „ F. Sessions, „ „ „

Cannanore.

Lieutenant A. W. Warden, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.

Wellington Depôt.

Lieutenant G. S. Ormerod, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Lieutenant W. L. Forbes, 2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers.

Corporal Brown, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Private Toomy, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Shoeing Smith Garwood, O/1st Royal Artillery.

Private Fenn, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment.

„ Sharpley, 12th Lancers.

Jubbulpore.

Lieutenant H. W. Lowry, Royal West Kent Regiment, Probationer Staff Corps.

Kamptee.

Lieutenant H. L. Roberts, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Lieutenant W. L. Maxwell, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Lieutenant C. E. Spearman, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Serjeant J. Corbett, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Private C. Shanahan, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

No. 462.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 18th August 1884.

Attention is invited to Army Circulars, clause 135, "Gratuities for long service and good conduct;" and Horse Guards' general order No. 107, "Good Conduct Medals," dated 1st July 1884.

2. Commanding officers will take steps to adjust the gratuities of such of the non-commissioned officers and men as may be serving in India, in accordance with para. 431 of the "Instructions for the payment of British troops, India, 1882," and para. 2, of India Army Circulars of 1884, clause 9.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st July 1884:—

Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army:—

- G. O. 101. "Army Reserve."
 „ 103. "Custody of Attestations."
 „ 104. "Auxiliary Forces."
 „ 105. "Brigade of Guards."
 „ 106. "Divine Service."
 „ 110. "Re-enlistment of Pensioners."
 „ 114. "Staff College."

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The candidates named below have been declared by the board of examiners, Calcutta, to have attained the undermentioned standards, agreeably to section 24, B. A. R.*:—

7th July 1884.

* * *

Higher Standard in Sanskrit.

Surgeon N. Chatterjee, Indian Medical Service.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 20th August 1884.

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The candidates named below have been declared by the board of examiners, Calcutta, to have attained the undermentioned standards, agreeably to section 24, B. A. R.*:—

4th August 1884.

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Higher Standard in Hindustani.

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Lieutenant C. M. Eales, Royal Scots Fusiliers, attached 5th Punjab Infantry, on probation.

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No. 463.—Private [No. 1839, Abd-ur-razzag of the 6th Regiment N. I., is, at his own request, transferred to the 24th Regiment N. I.

* Section 23, Madras Army Regulations.

No. 464.—Recruit Boy No. 346, Ramaloo of the 3rd Regiment L. I., is, at his own request, transferred to the 33rd Regiment N. I.

No. 465.—With the sanction of Government, the following order is confirmed :—

On the departure of Deputy Surgeon-General Ogg., M. B., from Rangoon, Surgeon Major W. Robertson, Army Medical Department, will assume charge of the administrative medical duties of the British Burmah Division without prejudice to his present duties, until the arrival of Deputy Surgeon General Pearl.

No. 466.—The following orders are confirmed :—

29th August 1884.—By the General Officer Commanding, Ceded District, appointing Major G. Simpson, officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant General, Ceded District, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General of the District without prejudice to his other duties, *vice* Major A. G. Hutchins, appointed officiating Deputy Quarter Master General, Army Head Quarters.

1st September 1884.—By the Officer Commanding, Hoshungabad, appointing Major W. MacD. Robinson, 23rd Regiment L. I., Station Staff Officer and to the charge of Pensioners and holders of family certificates.

No. 467.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Brevet Colonel Rowland Farrer for 182 days under rule XXV of the furlough regulations of 1868, with effect from the 10th October 1884, or subsequent date of departure. India, private affairs.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
18th September, 1884.

No. 468.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant L. W. Bodé, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, and with the sanction of Government, Lieutenant C. E. Poynder, Staff Corps, wing officer and adjutant 5th Regiment, N. I., are directed to proceed to England by troopship in time to join the Staff College, Sandhurst, on the 1st February 1885.

These officers will travel on duty at the public expense under paras. 256 (e) and 312, Part I and Paras. 513 clause (i) Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 469.—The officers named in the margin will proceed to England with the time-expired men, &c., under orders for Deolali for embarkation in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 22nd October, 1884.

Lieutenant H. Porter, 2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers, under orders to join the regimental depot.	
Lieutenant A. R. Stuart, R. A., under orders to join school of gunnery, at Shoeburyness.	
Lieutenant P. T. Armitage, 2nd Battalion, S. W. Borderers, under orders to join the regimental depot.	

The General Officer Commanding Ceded District will arrange for Lieutenant Porter to meet the Details *en route* to Deolali.

Additional officers required to accompany the party will be detailed by the general officers commanding divisions and districts from which the parties are proceeding. These officers will travel to and fro on duty at the public expense. All the men's discharge documents are to be disposed of as ordered in the "Regulations for the Discharge of Soldiers of the British Forces serving in India."

No. 470.—The officers named in the margin are directed to proceed with the time-expired men, &c., from the Ceded and Western districts under orders for Deolali, for embarkation in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 11th November, 1884.

Lieutenant G. D. Baker, Royal Artillery, under orders to join the school of gunnery at Shoeburyness.
 Lieutenant L. W. Bode, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, under orders to join the Staff College, Sandhurst.

to proceed with the time-expired men, &c., from the Ceded and Western districts

under orders for Deolali, for embarkation in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 11th November, 1884.

The General Officer Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force will be good enough to arrange with the General Officer Commanding the Western District for Lieutenant Bodè to meet the party from that district.

Additional officers required to accompany the parties will be detailed by general officers concerned. These officers will travel on duty at the public expense.

The men's discharge documents are to be disposed of as ordered in the "Regulations for the discharge of soldiers of the British Forces serving in India."

No. 471.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following transfers:—

Army Medical Department.—*Surgeon Major F. Dick, senior medical officer of the station hospital, Thayetmyo, to be senior medical officer of the station hospital, Rangoon, when relieved.

*Surgeon Major W. Robertson, senior medical officer of the station hospital, Rangoon, to be senior medical officer of the station hospital, Bellary. To accompany the 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, when relieved.

*Surgeon Major P. L. Kilroy, senior medical officer of the station hospital, Toungoo, to do duty at the station hospital, Secunderabad. To accompany the 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, when relieved.

*Surgeon Major D. C. W. Heather, doing duty at the station hospital, Rangoon, to be senior medical officer of the station hospital, Toungoo.

*Surgeon Major R. D. Bennett, doing duty station hospital, Secunderabad, to be senior medical officer of the station hospital, Thayetmyo. To accompany 2nd Battalion, R. S. Fusiliers.

† Surgeon Major A. L. Browne, doing duty station hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty station hospital, Bellary, *on arrival from England*. To accompany Head Quarters, 2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers on line of march from Bellary to Cannanore.

* Surgeon E. F. Smith, doing duty station hospital, Thayetmyo, to do duty station hospital, Bangalore. To accompany 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment.

* Surgeon C. Williamson, doing duty station hospital, Tounghoo, to do duty station hospital, Madras. To accompany 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment.

* Surgeon F. M. Baker, doing duty station hospital, Rangoon, to do duty station hospital, Kamptee. To accompany 4/1st R. A., North Irish Division.

Surgeon P. M. Carleton, doing duty station hospital, Secunderabad, to the medical charge of the station hospital, Calicut, *on arrival from England*.

* Surgeon W. J. Macnamara, doing duty station hospital, Cannanore, to do duty station hospital, Bellary. To accompany 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.

* Surgeon M. W. Kerin, in medical charge of the station hospital, Calicut, to do duty station hospital, Secunderabad. To accompany 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.

* Surgeon P. J. Nealon, doing duty station hospital, Kamptee, to do duty station hospital, Rangoon.

* Surgeon F. H. M. Burton, doing duty station hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty station hospital, Thayetmyo. To accompany 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

* Surgeon A. A. Pechell, doing duty station hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty station hospital, Tounghoo. To accompany 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

* Expeditionally at the public expense under clauses (e) and (j) paras. 213 and 514, Transport Regulations Parts, I and II, respectively.

† Expeditionally at the public expense under clause (j) para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II, on his return from Cannanore.

No. 472.—With reference to G. O. C. C., dated 12th December, 1872, page 431, "Convalescent Depôts—Invaliding"—the General Officer Commanding the Bangalore Division will be good enough to assemble a Committee at Wellington on an early date with the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Bangalore Division and Ceded District, as President, to select those men who are fit to rejoin their corps and those for whom a further residence on the hills is considered desirable.

No. 473.—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant C. E. Maturin, E. Battery B. Brigade, Royal

Horse Artillery, is directed to proceed from Bangalore to Hong Kong, forthwith.

Under para. 513 (b) Transport Regulations, Part II, and para. 256 (i) Transport Regulations, Part I.

No. 474.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th and 19th August 1884, respectively, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 15th August, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant William Hotham Johnson has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 29th May, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 19th August, 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Captain Henry Ashton Case Walker resigns his Commission. Dated 20th August, 1884.

Royal Artillery.—Lieutenant-General and Honorary General Andrew William Macintire, C.B. (late Madras), on the Unemployed Supernumerary List, to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Honorary General G. Selby (late Madras), deceased. Dated 19th June, 1884.

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Major Vincent Wing, retires upon retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th August 1884.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

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Lionel Tillotson, vice G. M. J. Moore, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 2nd July, 1884.

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The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

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Edmund Augustine Burrows, vice L. Tillotson, promoted.
Dated 30th July, 1884.

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The dates of promotion of the undermentioned officers are altered as stated against their names:—

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Captain A. H. P. Turner, 9th January, 1884.

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Captain W. F. G. Moberly, 1st March, 1884.

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Captain P. L. Williams, 17th June, 1884.

The first Christian name of Lieutenant-Colonel Lockhart (late Madras) is *William*, and not as stated in the Gazette of 23rd May, 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

Major-General Elliot Minto Playfair, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, has been placed upon the Unemployed Supernumerary List under Article 107 of the Royal Warrant of 10th June, 1884. Dated 1st August, 1884.

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No. 475.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following postings, &c., of Royal Artillery officers:—

Major L. Tillotson, just promoted to that rank from F. Battery B. Brigade, has been posted to No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade, Eastern Division, *vice* G. M. J. Moore, placed upon the seconded list.

Captain H. G. Weir, P. Battery 1st Brigade, has been appointed to F. Battery B. Brigade, *vice* Tillotson.

Captain E. A. Burrows just promoted to that rank from C. Battery A. Brigade, has been posted to P. Battery 1st Brigade.

Lieutenant C. B. St. John-Mildmay, I. Battery 3rd Brigade, has been appointed to C. Battery A. Brigade.

No. 476.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

16th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant W. G. Burrows, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 31st August, 1884.

29th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant J. C. Erck, supernumerary on the establishment of the 8th Regiment N. I., to be wing officer (on probation) *vice* Pym, who has resigned his probationary appointment. To join at Sumbalpoore on duty at the public expense under para. 514 (j), Transport Regulations, part II.

No. 477.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 22nd August, 1884.

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The following Horse Guards' G. O. of 1st July, 1884, is republished for information and guidance.

G. O. 114,—Staff College.

I. Applications for permission to attend the examination for admission to the Staff College must in future reach the Adjutant General before the 1st April.

II. The following alteration will therefore be made in para. 8, Section IX, "Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army, 1883":—

For "1st May," in the last line, substitute "1st April."

2. Applications from officers serving in the Bengal* Presidency must reach the Adjutant General's Office, Simla,† complete with all certificates, not later than the 15th February.

Careful enquiry into several complaints recently made regarding the blank ammunition manufactured under the Morris system, has resulted in showing, that the defects are due either to want of sufficient care in manufacture or to the fact of the machine being worn.

2. Instructions will therefore be issued by the Director General of Ordnance, that Civil Chief Master Armorers, at

* Madras. † Ootacamund.

their annual inspections, shall pay particular attention to the state of the implements at each station, but His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief desires that officers commanding corps, in whose charge these implements are, will do everything in their power to ensure the system of supervision and examination of work as laid down in Army Regulations, India, Vol. III, Equipment, Appendix XXXII, being effectively carried out.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 23rd August, 1884.

The following abstract statement of receipts and disbursements of the Queen's Military Widow's Fund, from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1883, as also the assets of the Fund at the latter date, are published for general information.

Statement of Government Securities held in deposit in the Bank of Bengal on account of the Queen's Military Widows' Fund.

Four per cent. Note No.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
526 of 5403 of 1832-33, for Rupees ...	13,000	0	0			
2907 of 1832-33 ...	11,200	0	0			
4131 of ditto ...	8,300	0	0			
10649 of ditto ...	10,000	0	0	42,500	0	0
14150 of 12774 of 1835-36	1,000	0	0			
004776 of 004642 of ditto ...	1,000	0	0			
00555 of 2606 of ditto ...	11,400	0	0			
004223 of 003986 of ditto ...	1,000	0	0	14,400	0	0
2539 of 1842-43	1,000	0	0			
21425 of ditto ...	5,000	0	0			
2776 of ditto ...	1,000	0	0			
015280 of 008275 of 1842-43	1,900	0	0			
015959 of 24091 of ditto ...	4,100	0	0			
017722 of 010428 of ditto ...	3,400	0	0			
019002 of 1842-43	1,100	0	0			
4460 of ditto ...	900	0	0	18,400	0	0
3629 of 15711 of 1854-55	2,000	0	0			
010976 of 6991 of ditto ...	700	0	0			
1549 of 13322 of ditto ...	500	0	0			
004772 of 8571 of ditto ...	2,500	0	0			
020884 of 1854-55	6,900	0	0	12,600	0	0
3909 of 1865 ...	23,100	0	0			
003311 of 002893 of 1865	500	0	0			

Four and a half per cent.	009025 of 1878	...	...	...	10,000	0	0	10,000	0	0
Four per cent. Note No.	153842 of 1865	...	...	...	20,000	0	0			
"	151507 of 1865	...	...	...	5,000	0	0	25,000	0	0
"	125416 of 1842-43	...	...	...	10,000	0	0			
"	125417 of 1842-43	...	...	...	10,000	0	0			
"	125418 of 1842-43	...	...	...	10,000	0	0			
"	125419 of 1842-43	...	...	...	10,000	0	0	40,000	0	0
"	167505 of 1865	...	...	...	10,000	0	0	10,000	0	0
"	135548 of 1842-43	...	...	...	5,000	0	0			
"	135604 of 1842-43	...	...	...	10,000	0	0	15,000	0	0
					Total Rs. ...			4,00,000	0	0

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N. B.—The awards granted to the families of deceased officers by this institution since its establishment in 1820, to 31st December 1883, amount to Rs. 16,26,891-15-5.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

HEAD QUARTERS,

Simla, 29th April 1884.

H. I. E. Ford, 1st A. A. G.

Hony. Secy. Queen's Widows' Fund.

STATEMENT No. I.

Statement of Subscriptions received between 1st January and 31st December 1883.

From whom received.	Period.		Amount.		
	From	To	Rs.	A.	P.
Adams, R. F. Surgeon, M.B.	1st July 1883	30th September 1883...	12	8	0
Anderson, A. D. Major Royal Artillery	and enfranchised donation.				
—, J. Surgeon-Major, C.I.E.	1st June 1883	30th September 1883...	28	0	0
Andrew, G. Surgeon Major, M.B.	1st November 1882	Do.	75	0	0
Appleton, W. Veterinary Surgeon	1st January 1883	31st December 1883 ...	84	0	0
Ashfield, W. Captain Bombay Staff Corps	Do.	31st March 1883 ...	15	0	0
Ashton, W. Brigade Surgeon, M.B.	1st July 1882	30th June 1883 ...	60	0	0
Atkins, C. A. Surgeon Major	1st January 1883	31st December 1883 ...	84	0	0
Auckinleck, G. Surgeon-General	1st October 1882	30th November 1882 ...	14	0	0
Austin, E. Major, Madras Staff Corps	1st July 1882	31st December 1882 ...	42	0	0
Baddeley, P. Captain Royal Artillery	1st September 1882	30th September 1883...	91	0	0
—, W. L. C. Captain Royal Engineers	1st October 1882	30th September 1883...	60	0	0
Bailey, F. Major Royal Engineers	1st September 1882	30th November 1883...	105	0	0
—, and enfranchised donation.	1st July 1883	30th September 1883...	63	0	0
Baines, J. E. Major	1st December 1882	30th June 1883 ...	49	0	0
Baker, G. Lieutenant-Colonel Hampshire Regiment	1st July 1883	30th September 1883...	9	0	0
—, T. Y. Surgeon Major	1st October 1882	Do.	84	0	0
Barker, J. Surgeon-Major	1st January 1883	Do.	63	0	0
Bayly, A. A. Major General Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	30th June 1883 ...	84	0	0
Bell, J. L. Major Royal Artillery (the late)	1st October 1882	8th December 1883 ...	99	12	10
Bengough, H. M. Lieutenant-Colonel	1st September 1882	30th September 1883...	96	0	0

Berkeley, R. W. Surgeon Major	...	1st May 1882	...	30th September 1883...	114	0	0
Bevan, R. J. Captain Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1882	...	Do.	105	0	0
Bickford, E. Lieutenant Royal Artillery	...	1st October 1882	...	Do.	12	0	0
Birch, F. H. J. Lieutenant Royal Artillery	...	1st April 1883	...	Do.	30	0	0
Blod, R. Surgeon, M.D.	...	1st February 1883	...	31st May 1883	20	0	0
Boileau, J. P. A. Surgeon Major, M.D.	...	1st April 1883	...	30th September 1883.	42	0	0
Boulton, E. J. Surgeon Major	...	1st January 1883	...	31st December 1883 ...	84	0	0
Bradshaw, A. F. Brigade Surgeon	...	1st December 1882	...	30th June 1883	49	0	0
Bright, Sir R. O. Lieutenant General, K.C.B.	...	1st November 1882	...	30th November 1883 ...	91	0	0
Broadbent, J. E. Captain Royal Engineers	...	1st October 1882	...	30th September 1883.	84	0	0
Brookes, C. H. Captain Royal Engineers	...	1st March 1883	...	Do.	41	0	0
Brough, J. F. Major Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	63	0	0
Browne, A. W. Surgeon	...	Do.	...	30th November 1883 ...	27	8	0
—, C. M. Colonel Royal Engineers	...	Do.	...	30th September 1883.	63	0	0
—, J. Colonel C.B., C.S.I., Royal Engineers	...	Entrance donation.	...	...	42	0	0
Brunker, J. M. S. Captain Royal Artillery	...	1st March 1883	...	31st December 1883 ...	50	0	0
Burgess, H. M. Major Royal Artillery	...	1st April 1883	...	30th June 1883	21	0	0
Burnett, W. F. Surgeon Major	...	1st January 1883	...	31st December 1883 ...	84	0	0
Burton-Brown, A. Major, Royal Artillery	...	Do.	...	30th September 1883.	63	0	0
Bushe, C. J. L. Surgeon Major, M.B.	...	Do.	...	31st December 1883 ...	60	0	0
Campbell, A. C. Major Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883.	63	0	0
—, D. M.N. Captain Royal Artillery	...	1st August 1883	...	31st October 1883	63	0	0
—, J. P. Lieutenant Colonel East Lancashire Regiment.	...	and entrance donation.	...	...	...	...	...
Calrow, R. Captain Royal Engineers	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883.	63	0	0
Carew, R. H. Surgeon Major	...	1st February 1883	...	Do.	40	0	0
Carey, F. W. Major Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	63	0	0
	...	1st October 1882	...	Do.	36	0	0

From whom received.

From whom received.	Period.		Amount.		
	From	To	Rs.	A.	P.
Carey, H. R. LeM. Major Bengal Staff Corps	1st January 1883	30th September 1883.	63	0	0
Carroll, J. H. Sub-Inspector of Army Schools	1st October 1882	31st December 1882	7	8	0
Chatter, C. C. Captain Royal Engineers	1st February 1883	31st October 1883	45	0	0
Chamier, S. H. E. Colonel Royal Artillery	1st August 1882	30th September 1883	98	0	0
Cherry, H. A. Major Northumberland Fusiliers	1st July 1882	31st December 1883	126	0	0
Chesney, G. Colonel Royal Engineers, C.S.I.	Entrance	Donation.	42	0	0
Chippindall, W. H. Captain Royal Engineers	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	60	0	0
Churchill, G. F. Surgeon Major	1st July 1882	31st December 1883	126	0	0
Clerk, G. Brigadier General, Adjutant General, Madras	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	63	0	0
Climo, W. H. Brigade Surgeon M.D.	1st February 1883	31st December 1883	77	0	0
Cockburn, A. W. Captain Royal Engineers	1st August 1882	30th April 1883	45	0	0
Cole, H. H. Major Royal Engineers	1st July 1883	31st July 1883	50	0	0
Colquhoun, J. A. S. Major Royal Artillery	and entrance donation.				
Combe, B. Lieutenant Colonel Assistant Adjutant General	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	63	0	0
Corbett, R. de la C. Surgeon Major M.D.	Do.	31st December 1883	84	0	0
W. H. H. Brigade Surgeon M.D.	1st February 1882	30th April 1883	105	0	0
Otter, S. K. Surgeon Major M.D.	1st September 1882	31st December 1883	28	0	0
Craster, W. R. Lieutenant Colonel Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	31st March 1883	21	0	0
Crichton, H. McV. Major Royal Engineers	Do.	30th June 1883	42	0	0
Crofts, J. Surgeon	Do.	31st December 1883	84	0	0
Crowdy, J. H. Major Royal Engineers	Do.	Do.	30	0	0
Cunningham, A. D. Captain Royal Artillery	1st November 1882	30th June 1883	42	0	0
D'Aguiar, F. Captain Royal Engineers	1st July 1881	30th September 1883	55	0	0
Dahymple, W. L. Lieutenant Colonel Assistant Qr. Mr. Genl.	1st April 1883	28th February 1883	140	0	0
Davies, R. W. Surgeon Major	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	42	0	0
Davis, J. Brigade Surgeon	1st January 1883	30th June 1883	63	0	0
J. N. Surgeon Major M.D.	1st November 1882	31st December 1883	84	0	0
Dean, G. H. Captain 12th Lancers	1st July 1882	31st October 1883	84	0	0
DeBarry, G. F. Brigadier General	1st October 1882	30th June 1883	60	0	0
Deshon, C. J. Major Royal Artillery	Do.	31st May 1883	56	0	0
Dibmas, F. F. Captain Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	30th September 1883	84	0	0
Dickie, J. E. Lieutenant Royal Engineers	1st September 1883	31st March 1883	45	0	0
		30th November 1883	45	0	0

Domville, B. F. Captain Royal Artillery	...	1st July 1882	...	31st March 1883	...	45	0	0
Dornon, J. C. Surgeon	...	1st July 1883	...	29th February 1884	...	40	0	0
Dowell, G. C. Lieutenant Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	9	0	0
Duke, W. A. Surgeon-Major (the late)	...	1st October 1882	...	31st December 1882	...	21	0	0
Dumsterville, K. S. Lieutenant Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	37	8	0
East, C. J. Brigadier General	...	1st August 1883	...	31st October 1883	...	21	0	0
Eaton, R. C. Surgeon Major	...	1st July 1883	...	31st January 1884	...	49	0	0
Elles, E. R. Major Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th June 1883	...	30	0	0
Elliot, A. F. Surgeon Major	...	1st July 1882	...	30th September 1883	...	105	0	0
Engledue, W. T. Major, Royal Engineers	...	1st August 1882	...	31st March 1883	...	50	0	0
Evans, G. Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon	...	1st March 1883	...	31st July 1883	...	63	0	0
Exham, R. Surgeon Major	...	and entrance donation.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fairland, E. J. Surgeon Major	...	1st January 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	78	0	0
Fanin, J. E. Surgeon Major	...	1st June 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	28	0	0
Ferguson, J. Deputy Surgeon General	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	...	63	0	0
—, J. G. Surgeon Major	...	1st September 1882	...	31st October 1883	...	100	0	0
Fisher, V. C. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	63	0	0
Forbes, W. E. G. Captain, Royal Warwickshire Regiment	...	1st March 1881	...	30th June 1882	...	112	0	0
Ford, H. I. E. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	45	0	0
Fowell, N. P. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st February 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	119	0	0
	...	and entrance donation.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fulton, G. W. R. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st August 1882	...	30th June 1883	...	85	0	0
Gale, W. A. Lieutenant, Royal Artillery	...	and entrance donation.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gardiner, W. A. Surgeon Major	...	1st January 1883	...	31st March 1883	...	7	8	0
Garnault, A. E. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st October 1882	...	31st December 1883	...	75	0	0
	...	1st July 1882	...	31st August 1882	...	14	0	0
	...	1st January 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	84	0	0

From whom received.	Period.		Amount.		
	From	To	Rs.	A.	P.
Garratt, F. Veterinary Surgeon	1st January, 1883	30th September 1883...	45	0	0
Gaye, A. C. Surgeon Major	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	84	0	0
Gibbs, G. R. Major, Bengal Staff Corps	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	84	0	8
Gibson, G. J. Surgeon Major	1st April 1883	30th September 1883...	42	0	0
Goldney, W. H. Captain Royal Engineers	1st October 1882	Do.	60	0	0
Goodwyn, H. E. Lieutenant Royal Engineers	1st April 1883	Do.	30	0	0
Gordon, B. L. Colonel, c. B., Royal Artillery	1st July 1883	30th September 1883	63	0	0
Gracey, T. Major, Royal Engineer	and entrance donation.				
Graham, T. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st July 1883	31st December 1884	128	0	0
Grant, E. B. Surgeon Major, (the late)	1st March 1883	30th September 1883	63	0	0
Graves, Sir, G. R. Major General, K. C. M. G., C. B.,	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	84	0	0
Greenstreet, W. L. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st January 1882	31st December 1893	168	0	0
Greig, P. H. Major Royal Artillery	Do.	31st December 1882	36	0	0
Griffin, E. C. Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st December 1882	30th April 1883	30	0	0
Grose, D. C. Surgeon Major	1st April 1882	31st March 1883	84	0	0
Gunn, W. D. Veterinary Surgeon	1st June 1882	30th June 1883	91	0	0
Gunning, J. D. Surgeon Major	1st December 1882	31st December 1883	91	0	0
Hallowes, H. J. Lieutenant Colonel	1st October 1882	31st October 1883	32	8	0
Hammick, St. V. A. Major	1st December 1882	30th November 1883	84	0	0
Hare, R. W. Surgeon Major	1st October 1882	31st December 1883	105	0	0
Harran, J. Surgeon	1st November 1882	Do.	96	0	0
Harris, N. H. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st March 1883	30th September 1883	49	0	0
Hassard, H. B. Deputy Surgeon General, c. B.,	1st April 1882	30th June 1883	105	0	0
Henderson, W. R. Surgeon	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	22	8	0
Hendley, J. Deputy Surgeon General, c. B.	1st March 1883	30th June 1883	28	0	0
Henson, C. Riding Master Royal Artillery	1st October 1882	30th September 1883...	84	0	0
Hepburne, R. G. W. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st June 1883	31st August 1883	7	8	0
Hickson, R. C. C. Surgeon Major, M. D.	1st September 1882	31st August 1883	80	0	0
Hodgson, G. R. Captain, Bombay Staff Corps	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	30	0	0
Hodson, R. D. Surgeon	1st July 1882	Do.	36	0	0
	1st October 1883	31st March 1884	42	0	0
	1st July 1882	31st December 1882	30	0	0
	Do.	30th September 1882	7	8	0

Holmes, T. Surgeon Major	...	1st July 1882	...	30th June 1883	...	84	0	0
Home, Sir A. D. Surgeon General, K. C. B., V. C.	...	1st January 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	84	0	0
Hoskyn, C. R. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	...	1st July 1882	...	30th June 1883	...	60	0	0
Howard, T. Major, Royal Engineers	...	1st July 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	84	0	0
Hughes, R. J. Major General, C. B.	...	1st October 1882	...	and entrance donation.	...	21	0	0
—, T. E. Colonel, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th June 1883	...	42	0	0
Hume, R. Lieutenant General, C. B.	...	1st June 1883	...	31st May 1884	...	84	0	0
Humfrey, F. T. Lieutenant Colonel, Bombay Staff Corps	...	1st July 1882	...	30th June 1883	...	78	0	0
Hunter, A. S. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	...	42	0	0
Inkson, J. Brigade Surgeon M. D.	...	Do.	...	31st October 1883	...	70	0	0
Innes, J. J. McLeod, Colonel V. C., R. E.	...	Entrance donation.	...	Do.	...	42	0	0
Jameson, J. Brigade Surgeon, M. D.	...	1st September 1883	...	30th November 1883	...	21	0	0
Jerrard, F. B. J. Major	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	63	0	0
Johnson, A. C. Colonel, c. B., Royal Horse Artillery	...	1st July 1882	...	Do.	...	99	0	0
—, F. Surgeon Major	...	1st August 1882	...	31st January 1883	...	42	0	3
Jones, G. S. Lieutenant, Royal Horse Artillery	...	1st July 1883	...	30th June 1883	...	18	0	0
Kavanagh, A. M. Surgeon	...	1st July 1881	...	31st December 1883	...	75	0	0
Keith, J. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	63	0	0
Kelly, F. H. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	...	1st February 1883	...	30th November 1883	...	48	11	10
Kemp, W. H. Veterinary Surgeon	...	1st January 1882	...	31st December 1882	...	84	0	0
Kennedy, A. C. Major	...	1st August 1882	...	31st August 1883	...	91	0	0
Kenny, R. F. Sub-Inspector of Army Schools	...	1st March 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	17	8	0
—, W. W. Surgeon	...	1st January 1883	...	31st March 1883	...	7	8	0
Kensington, C. H. Captain, Royal Engineers	...	Do.	...	31st December 1883	...	84	0	0
Ketchen, I. Colonel, Royal Artillery	...	22nd January 1883	...	30th September 1883	...	58	8	0
Kidd, J. G. Sub-Inspector of Army Schools	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	...	22	8	0

From whom received.	Period.		Amount.		
	From	To	Rs.	A.	P.
Kirkwood, T. M. Surgeon Major	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	84	0	0
Kunhardt, H. G. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	72	0	0
Lamb, G. Major, Royal Artillery	1st August 1880	31st October 1880	105	0	0
Lambert, P. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Engineers	1st November 1882	31st October 1883	84	0	0
—, S. J. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	84	0	0
Lane, W. L. Surgeon	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	37	8	0
Langdon, J. Surgeon Major	1st August 1882	31st October 1883	51	0	0
Latchford, J. Surgeon Major, M. B.	1st February 1883	31st August 1883	84	0	0
Langhorne, M. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st December 1882	30th November 1883	30	0	0
Leckie, D. Surgeon Major	1st August 1882	31st January 1883	78	0	0
LeMesurier, C. B. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	120	0	0
Lindsay, C. C. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	Do.	45	0	0
Lloyd, R. O. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	84	0	0
Long, C. W. Major, Royal Artillery	1st March 1882	30th June 1883	48	0	0
Love, H. D. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	60	0	0
Luard, C. H. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Engineers	1st April 1883	31st December 1883	105	0	0
Lucas, C. Colonel, Royal Artillery	and entrance	donation	18	0	0
Lundy, A. C. J. R. Surgeon M. B.	1st January 1883	30th June 1883	30	0	0
McCreery, B. T. Surgeon, M. B.	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	30	0	0
Mackinnon, W. C. Major, A. A. G. for Musketry	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	132	0	0
Macrobain, A. A. Surgeon Major	1st July 1881	31st December 1882	42	0	0
Madden, C. D. Surgeon General	1st April 1883	30th September 1883	84	0	0
Mansel, A. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st November 1882	31st October 1883	45	0	0
Marton, J. A. Deputy Surgeon General, M. D.	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	48	0	0
Martelli, T. C. Major, Royal Artillery	1st February 1883	31st August 1883	84	0	0
Martin, W. T. Surgeon Major, M. D.	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	63	0	0
Massy, W. G. Lieutenant, Royal Artillery	Do.	30th September 1883	10	0	0
Matwin, J. Surgeon Major	1st March 1883	30th June 1883	28	0	0
Maxham, J. W. Surgeon Major, M. D.	1st June 1883	30th September 1883	84	0	0
Meadows, R. W. Deputy Surgeon General	1st July 1883	31st December 1883	66	0	0
	and entrance	donation.			
	1st October 1882	30th June 1883			

Medley, J. G. Major General, Royal Engineers	...	1st July 1882	...	31st December 1882	...	42	0
Miley, J. A. Captain, Bengal Staff Corps	...	1st January 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	60	0
Mills, J. Veterinary Surgeon	...	1st November 1882	...	31st October 1883	...	60	0
Minter, J. S. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th June 1883	...	30	0
Molloy, O. F. Surgeon Major	...	1st February 1883	...	31st October 1883	...	57	0
Monck-Mason, G. G. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st December 1881	...	30th June 1883	...	95	0
Morgan, A. B. Lieutenant Colonel, c.B.	...	1st June 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	49	0
Morton, G. de C. Lieutenant Colonel	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	...	84	0
Monat, G. B. Surgeon Major	...	1st November 1882	...	31st July 1883	...	63	0
Mullaly, H. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	...	1st July 1883	...	31st December 1883	...	30	0
Mulloy, W. G. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st July 1882	...	30th June 1883	...	126	0
	...	and entrance	...	donation.	...		
Murphy, C. W. E. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st April 1882	...	30th September 1882	...	40	0
Murray, A. H. Brigadier General, Royal Artillery	...	1st July 1882	...	31st December 1883	...	126	0
—, J. R. Surgeon Major, m.D.	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	...	84	0
Nares, H. J. Captain, D. A. A. G. for Musketry	...	1st July 1882	...	31st December 1882	...	30	0
Nicolas, F. C. Major, Royal Artillery	...	Do.	...	30th June 1883	...	84	0
Nicholl, T. Colonel, Royal Artillery	...	1st September 1882	...	31st December 1883	...	108	0
Notter, J. L. Surgeon Major, m.D.	...	1st December 1882	...	30th November 1883	...	84	0
Nuthall, W. F. Captain, D. A. A. G. for Musketry	...	1st October 1882	...	31st December 1883	...	105	0
O'Brien, T. M. Surgeon Major	...	1st September 1882	...	30th November 1883	...	105	0
O'Connell, M. D. Surgeon Major, m.D.	...	1st October 1882	...	30th September 1883	...	72	0
Oldershaw, C. E. Brigadier General	...	1st July 1882	...	31st May 1883	...	59	0
Oliphant, G. A. Principal Veterinary Surgeon	...	1st June 1883	...	30th November 1883	...	42	0
Orton, T. J. Surgeon Major	...	1st December 1882	...	30th June 1883	...	50	0
O'Sullivan, G. H. W. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	...	1st July 1882	...	31st March 1883	...	45	0
—, P. J. Surgeon	...	1st May 1882	...	31st October 1883	...	45	0

From whom received.	Period.		Amount.		
	From	To	Rs.	A.	P.
Owen, G. P. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	45	0	0
Parry, S. Lieutenant Colonel, R. H. A. (the late)	1st August 1882	30th June 1883	77	0	0
Paterson, H. F. Surgeon Major	1st November 1882	31st December 1883	98	0	0
Piele, F. B. Captain, Bomb Staff Corps	1st July 1882	30th July 1883	24	0	0
Pengree, H. H. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	30th June 1883	18	0	0
Peters, E. N. Major, Royal Engineers	1st December 1882	31st May 1883	42	0	0
Peyton, J. L. Surgeon, M.B.	1st October 1882	31st December 1882	7	8	0
Porter, G. M. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	Do.	31st July 1883	50	0	0
Porter, D. M. Major	Do.	30th September 1883	24	0	0
Potts, J. W. A. Captain, Royal Artillery	Do.	31st December 1883	75	0	0
Powell, B. A. W. Veterinary Surgeon	1st February 1883	31st October 1883	45	0	0
Poynder, G. F. Surgeon	1st December 1882	30th September 1883	25	0	0
Poyser, R. Veterinary Surgeon	1st June 1883	31st December 1883	35	0	0
Price, G. R. Captain Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	Do.	36	0	0
Protzman, G. T. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st June 1882	28th February 1883	45	0	0
Pulford, R. R. Captain Royal Artillery	Do.	30th November 1882	42	8	0
Quinton, W. W. Surgeon, Royal Engineers	1st October 1882	28th February 1883	35	0	0
Radford, A. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	31st December 1882	30	0	0
Rawson, C. C. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st October 1882	31st December 1883	129	0	0
Reade, J. B. C. Deputy Surgeon General	1st May 1883	31st October 1883	42	0	0
Rennie, S. J. Surgeon	1st February 1883	30th November 1883	25	0	0
Richardson, J. B. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st October 1882	28th February 1883	38	0	0
Riddell, W. Captain, Royal Horse Artillery	Do.	Do.	25	0	0
W. H. Captain	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	45	0	0
Riddick, J. Surgeon Major	1st November 1882	31st October 1883	84	0	0
Rigg, H. A. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	60	0	0
Ringe, R. H. Veterinary Surgeon	1st November 1883	31st December 1883	10	0	0
Roberts, E. H. Brigade Surgeon	1st April 1882	30th June 1883	105	0	0
Robinson, W. Sub-Inspector of Army School	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	30	0	0
Romilly, F. J. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st July 1882	31st August 1883	70	0	0
Rowan, T. E. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	45	0	0
Rudd, T. Brigade Surgeon	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	84	8	0
Russell, G. A. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st November 1882	31st July 1883	63	0	0

Sandes, H. T. T. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st September 1883 and entrance donation.	...	49	0	0
Sanford, G. E. L. S. Colonel, Royal Engineers	...	1st January 1883 and entrance donation.	...	105	0	0
Sawyer, G. W. Captain, Bombay Staff Corps	...	1st July 1882	...	45	0	0
Scott, C. H. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st October 1882	...	72	0	0
Selke, S. G. F. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	...	1st December 1882	...	60	0	0
Sexton, J. M. Lieutenant Colonel, Bombay Staff Corps	...	1st July 1882	...	84	0	0
Shea, H. J. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883 Do.	...	84	0	0
Shipman, W. S. Riding Master, Royal Artillery	...	1st September 1882	...	15	0	0
Shute, A. B. Lieutenant, Royal Artillery	...	1st February 1881	...	60	0	0
Shuttleworth, A. J. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	70	0	0
Sim, G. H. Lieutenant, Royal Engineers	...	1st October 1882	...	63	0	0
Simmonds, P. Lieutenant, Royal Artillery	...	Do.	...	75	0	0
Simpson, R. Riding Master, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	12	0	0
Skoulding, J. B. W. Veterinary Surgeon	...	1st October 1882	...	30	0	0
Smart, E. de S. Lieutenant, Middlesex Regiment	...	1st April 1883	...	84	0	0
Smith, C. E. Surgeon Major, M.D.	...	1st July 1882	...	15	0	0
—, F. Veterinary Surgeon	...	1st October 1882	...	101	2	0
Snodgrass, J. D. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st July 1882	...	30	0	0
Sparks, J. B. Major, Bengal Staff Corps	...	Do.	...	45	0	0
Standbridge, E. B. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st October 1882	...	84	0	0
Stannard, E. Riding Master, Royal Artillery	...	1st July 1882	...	60	0	0
Staveley, E. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	...	Do.	...	30	0	0
Steel, J. H. Veterinary Surgeon	...	1st July 1883	...	21	0	0
Stewart, R. C. Brigadier General	...	1st October 1882	...	7	8	0
	...	31st October 1883	...	91	0	0

From whom received.

From whom received.	Period.		Amount.		
	From	To	Rs.	A.	P.
Stoddart, C. H. Major, Bengal Staff Corps	1st December 1882	30th November 1883	66	0	0
Stone, J. G. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st October 1882	31st December 1883	95	0	0
Stopford, A. B. Major, Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	84	0	0
St. Quintin, T. A. Major	1st March 1883	29th February 1884	36	0	0
Straker, C. D. Major, Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	31st March 1883	21	0	0
Straubenzie, T. Von, Lieutenant Colonel, c.B. R. H. A.	Do.	30th September 1883	63	0	0
Suart, W. H. Captain, Royal Artillery	1st July 1883	31st December 1883	30	0	0
Swinhoe, G. Lieutenant Colonel, Bombay Staff Corps	1st October 1881	30th June 1883	150	0	0
Swinhoe, G. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	63	0	0
Swire, H. Lieutenant, Royal Welsh Fusiliers	1st June 1883	31st August 1883	17	8	0
Symonds, T. J. Veterinary Surgeon	1st April 1883	31st October 1883	65	0	0
	and entrance	donation.			
Tapsell, J. B. Sub-Inspector of Army Schools	16th March 1883	15th March 1884	30	0	0
Teed, T. Major, Bombay Staff Corps	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	84	0	0
Temple, W. Surgeon Major, v.C., M.B.	1st November 1882	31st October 1883	84	0	0
Thackeray, E. T. Lieutenant Colonel, v.C., R. E.	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	84	0	0
Thompson, T. G. Captain, Bengal Staff Corps	1st October 1882	Do.	75	0	0
Thornton, R. C. Captain	1st March 1883	30th April 1883	4	0	0
Tucker, F. St. G. Lieutenant, Royal Artillery	1st March 1882	Do.	14	0	0
Turner, C. S. Captain, Royal Engineers	1st November 1881	30th June 1883	100	0	0
Turnbull, G. W. M. Major, Royal Horse Artillery	1st January 1883	Do.	42	0	0
Turton, F. A. Surgeon Major	1st June 1883	31st December 1883	49	0	0
Vehour, W. Surgeon Major	1st January 1883	Do.	84	0	0
Wace, R. Major, Royal Artillery	Do.	30th June 1883	40	0	0
Walker, G. F. Brigadier General	1st July 1882	31st August 1882	84	0	0
—, P. Major, D. A. A. G. for Musketry	Do.	31st December 1883	105	0	0
	and entrance	donation.			
—, T. Major, Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	84	0	0
—, W. Veterinary Surgeon	1st February 1883	31st January 1884	60	0	0
Walkey, R. Major, Royal Artillery	1st December 1882	30th November 1883	84	0	0
Ward, F. W. Lieutenant Colonel, Royal Artillery	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	84	0	0
Wardrop, D. Surgeon	1st October 1883	31st December 1883	7	8	0

Webb, W. M. Deputy Surgeon General	...	1st January 1883	...	31st March 1884	105	0
Western, C. M. T. Lieutenant, Royal Artillery	...	Do.	...	30th September 1883...	22	0
Whitaker, C. J. Captain D. A. A. G. for musketry	...	1st April 1883	...	Do.	42	0
White, M. L. Surgeon Major	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	63	0
Wickham, W. H. Captain, Royal Engineers	...	1st October 1882	...	31st March 1883	30	0
Wightton, E. Major, Royal Artillery	...	Do.	...	30th September 1883...	60	0
Wilken, J. Riding Master, Royal Artillery	...	Do.	...	31st December 1883	103	0
Wilkes, E. Surgeon Major	...	Do.	...	31st October 1883	32	8
Williams, T. J. Major, Royal Engineers	...	1st January 1883	...	31st December 1883	84	0
Williams, R. F. Major, Royal Artillery	...	1st November 1882	...	30th June 1883	50	0
Williamson, R. Major, Northumberland Fusiliers	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883...	45	0
Willoughby, H. P. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st October 1882	...	30th June 1883	45	0
	...	1st April 1883	...	31st December 1883	87	0
	...	and entrance	...	donation.		
Wills, C. S. Surgeon Major, C. B.	...	1st February 1883	...	31st October 1883	63	0
Wilmer, J. A. Major, Bengal Staff Corps	...	1st September 1882	...	31st May 1883	63	0
Wilson, G. F. Captain, Royal Engineers	...	1st October 1882	...	31st December 1883	75	0
Wolsley, R. Captain, Oxfordshire Light Infantry	...	1st December 1882	...	31st December 1882	8	0
Wolsley, R. Deputy Surgeon General, M. D.	...	1st November 1882	...	31st January 1884	103	0
Wyllie, W. A. P. Colonel, Royal Artillery	...	1st January 1883	...	30th September 1883...	63	0
Yates, H. T. S. Captain, Royal Artillery	...	1st April 1882	...	Do.	90	0
Yule, W. A. Captain	...	1st October 1882	...	31st December 1882	21	0
1st Dragoon Guards	...	Do.	...	31st December 1883	260	8
6th "	...	Do.	...	Do.	494	0
8th Hussars	...	1st January 1883	...	Do.	396	8
9th Lancers	...	1st April 1883	...	30th September 1883...	99	0

Rank and Names.			Period.		Amounts.		
					Rs.	A.	P.
10th Hussars	...	...	1st January 1883	...	570	8	0
12th Lancers	...	...	1st July 1882	...	279	8	0
13th Hussars	...	...	1st January 1883	...	430	0	0
14th "	...	...	1st October 1882	...	141	0	0
2nd Battalion	Royal West Surrey Regiment	...	1st January 1883	...	173	0	0
"	Royal Lancaster Regiment	...	1st July 1882	...	147	0	0
"	Northumberland Fusiliers	...	1st November 1882	...	195	0	0
"	Royal Warwickshire Regiment	...	1st January 1883	...	364	0	0
"	Liverpool Regiment	...	Do.	...	264	0	0
"	Norfolk Regiment	...	Do.	...	353	8	0
"	Lincolnshire Regiment	...	Do.	...	288	0	0
"	Devonshire Regiment	...	Do.	...	260	8	0
"	Suffolk Regiment	...	Do.	...	510	0	0
"	Somersetshire Light Infantry	...	1st October 1882	...	385	0	0
"	West Yorkshire Regiment	...	1st January 1883	...	388	0	0
"	East Yorkshire Regiment	...	1st July 1882	...	30	0	0
"	Bedfordshire Regiment	...	1st October 1882	...	192	8	0
"	Leicestershire Regiment	...	Do.	...	287	0	4
1st	Royal Irish Regiment	...	1st January 1883	...	340	0	0
2nd	Lancashire Fusiliers	...	1st July 1882	...	246	0	0
"	Royal Scots Fusiliers	...	Do.	...	286	8	0
"	Cheshire Regiment	...	1st January 1883	...	171	0	0
1st	Royal Welsh Fusiliers	...	1st October 1882	...	357	0	0
2nd	South Wales Borderers	...	Do.	...	136	8	0
1st	King's Own Borderers	...	1st January 1883	...	238	0	0
2nd	Scottish Rifles	...	Do.	...	183	8	0
"	Gloucestershire Regiment	...	1st July 1882	...	78	0	0
1st	Worcestershire Regiment	...	Do.	...	150	0	0
"	East Lancashire Regiment	...	1st January 1883	...	282	0	0
2nd	East Surrey Regiment	...	Do.	...	476	0	0
1st	West Riding Regiment	...	Do.	...	420	0	0
"	Border Regiment	...	Do.	...	295	8	0
2nd	Hampshire Regiment	...	1st October 1882	...	339	0	0

	From whom received.	Period.		Amount:		
		From	To	Rs.	As.	P.
2nd Battalion	Dorsetshire Regiment	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	529	0	0
1st	South Lancashire Regiment	Do.	Do.	289	0	0
"	Oxfordshire Light Infantry	1st October 1882	30th September 1883	571	0	0
"	Essex Regiment	Do.	Do.	175	8	0
2nd	Derbyshire Regiment	1st November 1882	31st October 1883	30	0	0
"	Loyal North Lancashire Regiment	1st January 1883	Do.	184	0	0
1st	South Yorkshire Regiment	1st July 1883	30th September 1883	21	0	0
2nd	Middlesex Regiment	1st July 1882	Do.	342	8	0
4th	King's Royal Rifle Corps	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	201	8	0
2nd	Wiltshire Regiment	Do.	Do.	170	0	0
"	Manchester Regiment	Do.	Do.	363	0	0
"	North Staffordshire Regiment	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	604	0	0
1st	York and Lancaster Regiment	1st January 1883	30th September 1883	131	8	0
"	Durham Light Infantry	Do.	31st December 1883	488	8	0
2nd	Seaforth Highlanders	1st May 1883	31st October 1883	42	0	0
"	Royal Irish Fusiliers	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	114	0	0
1st	Connaught Rangers	1st October 1882	31st December 1883	186	0	0
"	Leinster Regiment	1st January 1883	Do.	381	0	0
"	Rifle Brigade	1st July 1882	30th June 1883	199	0	0
4th	Rifle Brigade	1st January 1883	31st December 1883	130	8	0
			Grand Total	35,213	11	0

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
HEAD QUARTERS,
Simla, 24th April 1884.

H. I. E. FORD, 1st Asst, Adj't. Genl.
Hony. Secy. Queen's Military Widows' Fund.

STATEMENT No. II.

Statement of Awards paid to the families of deceased Officers between 1st January and 31st December 1883.

	Amount awarded.		
	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Widow and child of the late Captain F. J. Whalley, 2nd Battalion Liverpool Regiment, who died at Meean Meer on the 2nd January 1883.	3490	11	0
2. Widow and child of the late Surgeon Major W. A. Duke, Army Medical Department, who died at Meerut on the 13th January 1883	3961	9	0
3. Widow and child of the late Captain J. B. Carey, 2nd Battalion North Staffordshire Regiment who died at Kurrachee on the 22nd February 1883	3075	0	0
4. Widow of the late Lieutenant Colonel S. Parry, Royal Horse Artillery, who died at Murree on the 14th July 1883	3634	4	0
5. Widow of the late Surgeon Major E. B. Grant, Army Medical Department, who died at Madras on the 1st September 1883	3473	6	0
	17,634	14	0
Grand Total	...	...	...

ADJUTANT GENERALS' OFFICE,

HEAD QUARTERS,

Simla, 24th April 1884.

H. I. E. FORD 1st Asst Adj't. Genl.,

Hon'y. Secy. Queen's Mily. Widows' Fund.

Head Quarters, Simla, 25th August, 1884.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

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7th Native Infantry.—Lieutenant J. J. Cronin, supernumerary on the establishment 39th Native Infantry, to be Wing Officer on probation, vice Lieutenant R. deH. Burton, resigned.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 26th August, 1884.

The following programme of the movements of Her Majesty's Indian Troopships during the season of 1884-85, is published for general information :—

OUTWARD—VIA THE SUEZ CANAL.

Ships.	Date of arrival at Bombay.	Troops.	Destination.
	1884.		
"Malabar"	11th October	Drafts	Various stations.
"Crocodile"	21st October	T and U Batteries 1st Bde. R.A., No. 1 By. E. Dh. and No. 1 By. London Division R. A. and Drafts.	T By., Kirkee. U By., Kamptee. No. 1 Eastern Division Murree hills. No. 1 London Division, Campbellpore. Drafts, various stations.
"Serapis" ...	29th October	2d. Bn. Highland Light Infantry and Drafts	Highland Light Infantry, Dagshai. Drafts, various stations.
"Jumna" ...	7th Novr. ...	3rd Dragoon Guards and Drafts	3rd Dragoon Guards, Muttra. Drafts, various stations.
"Malabar"	25th Decr. ...	Drafts	Various stations.
	1885.		
"Crocodile"	7th January	Drafts.	Various stations.
"Serapis" ...	14th January	1st Bn. East Surrey Regiment and drafts	East Surrey Regiment, Ranikhet. Drafts, various stations.
"Jumna" ...	25th January	2nd Bn. Royal Irish Regiment and drafts	Royal Irish Regiment, Subathu and Jutogh. Drafts, various stations.
"Malabar" ...	12th March	} Drafts	} Various stations.
"Crocodile"	22nd March		
"Serapis" ...	31st March		
"Jumna" ...	9th April ...		

. HOMEWARD—VIA THE SUEZ CANAL.

Ships.	Date of sailing from Bombay.	Troops.	Destination.
	1884.		
"Malabar" ... "Crocodile"	22nd October 1st November	Time expired men, &c. I and O Batteries 1st Bde. Royal Artillery for home. No. 6 Battery Western Division and No. 5 South Irish Divn. for Aden. 1st Bn. South Lancashire Regiment for Aden. 1st Bn. Essex Regiment from Aden. No. 8 Batty. Eastern Division and No. 7 Battery London Division from Aden.	
"Serapis" ...	11th Novr.	Time expired men, &c. 13th Hussars and time expired men, &c.	
"Jumna" ...	21st Novr. ...		
	1885.		
"Malabar" ... "Crocodile" "Serapis" ... "Jumna" ... "Malabar" "Crocodile" "Serapis" ... "Jumna" ...	6th Jany. ... 17th Jany.... 27th Jany.... 6th Feby. ... 21st March 1st April ... 10th April * 19th April...	Time expired men, &c. Invalids and Time expired men.	

* The troopship of 10th April 1885 to call at Aden for time-expired men or invalids.

No. 478.—The general officers in command of divisions

O/1st Royal Artillery.

and districts in which any men of the battery specified in the margin are now serving will, in communication with the Deputy Surgeons-General of the divisions and districts concerned, at once assemble special invaliding medical boards to ascertain what men of this battery, under orders to embark this cold season from Bombay for England, will require to be discharged from the service on their arrival at home. A list of these men, showing in separate columns such as may accompany their battery, and such as are unable to bear the rapid change to the winter climate of England, will be furnished to the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras.

2. Complete invalid and discharge documents will be made out in India for all men whose discharge on arrival at home is contemplated; those of men left behind (that is, who will not accompany the battery to England), being transmitted to the officer commanding the depôt or station where the men may be quartered. The documents to be prepared for men left behind, whose discharge on arrival at home is not contemplated, will be those for an ordinary transfer, with the usual invalid documents complete.

3. A nominal roll of *all* men not embarked with their battery will be transmitted by the officer commanding the battery to the Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery, Cotacamund, shortly before sailing, the cause of detention being specified in each case. It will further be stated whether all necessary documents in the case of each man shown in the roll have been transmitted to the proper authorities.

4. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay Presidency is requested to cause any men of this battery, whose fitness for embarkation at the time intended may have become doubtful after departure from their stations, to appear before medical boards at Bombay, in view to their being detained till later in the season, when the period for arrival at home will be more suitable for men in a weakly state of health. In the case of all such men left behind, the instructions given in paragraph 2 will be observed.

5. Medical boards will communicate to the officer commanding this battery their decisions in the several cases brought before them for examination.

No. 479.—3rd class Army Schoolmaster Lance Naigue Saiyid Abd-ul-waháb of the 5th Regiment N. I., attached to

the 8th Regiment N. I., is permanently transferred to the latter corps.

No. 480.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.—Captain W. H. Riddell for three months from 1st October 1884, or subsequent date of departure—private affairs—Bombay and Bellary.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon-Major P. R. Martin, for one day in extension of the privilege leave granted him by the General Officer Commanding the Bangalore Division under the Furlough Rules of 1868 and paras. 1430 and 1431 Madras Army Regulations.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS, OOTACAMUND,
25th September, 1884.

No. 481.—The undermentioned officers of the Army Medical Department, having completed a tour of foreign service, will proceed to England during the trooping season of 1884-85, and will be detailed by the Surgeon General Her Majesty's Forces, Bengal, for duty with troops embarking in the several troopships of the season:—

Surgeon Major C. F. Churchill, M. B.
„ „ G. B. Mouat, M. D.*
„ „ W. J. Fawcett, M. B.
Surgeon G. Laffan, M. D.*
„ F. H. S. Murphy, M. D.*
„ W. L. Lane, M. B.

* These officers have already been detailed to embark with the 1st Battalion, Royal Irish Regiment, proceeding to Egypt.

No. 482.—The name of Lieutenant W. W. Blackden, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers, is added to the list of officers detailed in G.O.C.C. No. 414 of 1884, for duty with regimental depôts in the room of Lieutenant Ffennell.

No. 483.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

1st Pioneers.—Major A. G. Hutchins, wing officer, to be wing commander, *vice* Shaw, transferred, and to remain seconded.

Lieutenant E. C. W. Kennedy, wing officer (on probation) *sub. pro. tem.*, to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Hutchins, promoted.

Surgeon Ronald Ross, to the officiating medical charge, relieving Surgeon Hoey. To join forthwith.

5th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant W. E. Wimble, Supernumerary on the establishment of the 3rd Regiment L. I., to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Warren who vacates, and to be graded regimentally next below Lieutenant F. G. Bradley. On duty at the public expense under para. 514 (j) Transport Regulations, Part II.

6th Regiment N. I.—Colonel C. Mackenzie, 2nd in command, 10th Regiment N. I., to officiate as Commandant during the absence of Colonel Osborn on leave or till further orders.

20th Regiment N. I.—Major G. Lecky, wing officer, 22nd Regiment N. I., to officiate as wing commander, during the absence of Colonel Preston on furlough.

Lieutenant G. Tidy, 2nd Battalion, Liverpool Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated the 13th, September, 1884.

22nd Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant Colonel E. Shaw, from the 1st Pioneers, to be 2nd in command, *vice* Harris, deceased.

27th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant Colonel* Swifte, officiating wing commander, 5th Regiment N. I., to officiate as wing commander. On duty at the public expense under para. 514 (j) Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 484.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following transfer :—

Western District.—Major A. G. Hutchins, Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, Ceded District, to be Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General.

No. 485.—Lieutenant E. G. S. Warren, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, having been granted leave to England on medical certificate, ceases to be a probationer for the Staff Corps with effect from date of embarkation.

No. 486.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Bangalore, 1st September, 1884.

Lieutenant E. M. B. Newman, Royal Engineers.

Corporal Cawsey, Royal Engineers.

Gunner Meikle, E/B. Royal Horse Artillery.

Driver Bird, Do. do.

Gunner Tynam, M/2nd Royal Artillery.

Private Waltham, 12th Lancers.

„ Eddy, Do.

Secunderabad.

Lieutenant, E. W. M. Norie, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.

Lance Coporal A. Bramley, 14th Hussars.

„ „ A. J. Lee, do.

Sergeant H. Rodwell, Barrack Department.

Gunner J. Robertson, 1/3rd Royal Artillery.

Sergeant Instructor W. Prendergast, Hyderabad Rifle Volunteers.

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Lieutenant A. H. C. Neale, 2nd Bn., Bedfordshire Regiment.

„ R. P. Jackson, „ „ „

No. 487.—The undermentioned officers are detailed to attend the garrison class at Bangalore, commencing on the 1st November, 1884.

General officers commanding divisions and districts will so arrange that the officers detailed reach Bangalore by the 25th October, 1884.

<i>Corps.</i>	<i>Rank and Name.</i>
12th Lancers ...	Lieutenant A. S. Ralli.
E/B. Royal Horse Artillery...	Captain C. C. Rich.
R/1st Royal Artillery ...	Lieutenant H. C. Molesworth.
2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers.	„ A. W. Thorneycroft.
„ „ „	„ W. H. Bowes.
2nd Battalion „ South Wales Borderers.	„ F. C. K. Hunter.
1st Battalion, Oxfordshire L.I.	„ G. F. Mockler.
2nd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent.	Major H. C. Hamilton.
4th Regiment L. C. ...	Lieutenant R. F. R. Formby.
5th Regiment N. I. ...	„ N. Irving-Noble.
28th Regiment N. I. ...	„ W. M. Dawes.
32nd Regiment N. I. ...	„ C. C. Tennant.

The officers named above serving elsewhere than at Bangalore, to travel on duty at the public expense, under the provisions of para. 514, clause (i) Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 488.—Intimation has been received from the Director General of Military Education, that Army Schoolmistress Mrs. M. Mullins, has been transferred from the 1st Battalion, Leicestershire Regiment, to the 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment. On arrival of this Schoolmistress at Bombay, she will proceed to Secunderabad to take up her appointment.

No. 489.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 22nd and 26th August 1884, respectively, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd August, 1884.

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14th Hussars.—Gentleman Cadet Frederick Dunbar Sinclair Bentley-Innes, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice A. C. King, promoted. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

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Royal Engineers.

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Major and Brevet-Colonel Charles Alexander Sim (late Madras) to retire upon a pension and extra annuity, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 24th August, 1884.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Gentleman Cadet Charles Tyrell Shipley, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice G. Dease, promoted. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Gentleman Cadet George William Taylor, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice E. B. Grogan, transferred to the South Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

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The Hampshire Regiment.—Queen's Cadet Herbert Clifford Bernard, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice J. K. Tod, transferred to Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers). Dated 23rd August, 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Gentleman Cadet Charles Gordon Prendergast, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice H. R. L. Holden, resigned. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Rodolph Davies, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Gentleman Cadet Henry Thomas Horatio Hay, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice W. P. Cockeram, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Ernest William Rokeby Stephenson, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice D. S. A. Cosby, transferred to the Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own). Dated 23rd August, 1884.

Gentleman Cadet John Joseph Digan, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice H. Thornton, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Algernon Forbes Randolph, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice H. N. Warde, transferred to the Border Regiment. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Wallace Nelson, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice J. J. Cronin, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

Gentleman Cadet Herbet Forbes Churchill, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice E. V. Bellers, promoted. Dated 23rd August, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 26th August, 1884.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant Sydney M. Mason has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 7th June, 1884.

Lieutenant Rupert Edward Sullivan has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 4th June, 1884.

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The Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant William Hotham Johnson has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 29th May, 1884.

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No. 490.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 28th August, 1884.

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The undermentioned officers of the Royal Artillery will proceed to England during the next cold season, for the purpose of joining the School of Gunnery at Shoeburyness, viz:—

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Lieutenant A. R. Stuart, Q Battery 1st Brigade.

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Lieutenant G. D. Baker, R Battery 1st Brigade.

2. These officers are available for duty with the troops on the voyage home, and on arrival should report themselves to the Deputy Adjutant General, Royal Artillery, Horse Guards, War Office, before the 1st January next.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 1st September, 1884.

Army Pay Department.—In anticipation of the publication of a revised Royal Warrant, cancelling the Warrant of the 11th March, 1882, and under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for War, it is notified:—

- (i) That the length of service required to render an officer eligible for appointment to the Army Pay Department has been reduced from 10 to 7 years.
- (ii) That an officer will not be required to resign his combatant commission on appointment to the Army Pay Department, but will be seconded in his regiment for a period of five years, at the end of which time he may either elect to revert to regimental duty, or to be

permanently appointed to the Pay Department; in the latter case he would then be required to resign his combatant commission.

- (iii) That an officer while serving on his combatant commission in the Army Pay Department, will receive pay as an officer of that department.

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The following Horse Guards' memorandum, dated 1st December 1883, (corrected in accordance with instructions from home, dated 11th June 1884,) is published for information and guidance :—

Memorandum.

The following promotions and appointments in the Corps of Armourers have been made in accordance with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 15th May 1883, (Clause 103, Army Circulars, 1883,) and are promulgated for the information of commanding officers and others concerned. The names are in each case arranged alphabetically.

It will be distinctly understood that although *pay*, according to the rates specified in the Royal Warrant, may be drawn from the dates from which the promotion of men concerned is to take effect, no increase in allowances or other emoluments will be admitted prior to the date of this memorandum.

The promotions herein announced will not in any way effect the duties of the non-commissioned officers concerned.

Future promotions will be notified from time to time, as they occur, to commanding officers and others concerned.

I. The undermentioned armourer sergeants are promoted to be staff armourer sergeants, the names being arranged alphabetically :—

Name.	Regiment.	Promotion to take effect from
* * Harrison, B.	* * * ... 2nd Bn. R. Munster Fusiliers.	1883 1st April.
* * Roberts, F.	* * * ... Arsenal, Rangoon.	,,
* * Trevinard, W.	* * * ... 2nd Bn. Middlesex Regiment.	,,

II. The undermentioned armourer sergeants are promoted to be armourer sergeants of the 1st Class:—

Name.	Regiment.	Promotion to take effect from
* * * * *	* * * * *	1883
Duffield, J. ...	2nd Bn. S. Wales Borderers ...	1st April.
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Eccleston, J. ...	2nd Bn. Bedfordshire Regt. ...	"
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Hockaday, E. G.	14th Hussars ...	"
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Inshaw, J. P. ...	Ordee. Store Dept., Madras ...	"
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Mark, W. ...	12th Lancers ...	"
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Murray, R. H. ...	2nd Bn. Hampshire Regiment.	"
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III. The undermentioned armourer sergeants, at present ineligible for promotion to the 1st Class, are appointed armourer sergeants of the 2nd Class on their old rates of pay:—

Name.	Regiment.	Promotion to take effect from
* * * * *	* * * * *	1883
Beaumont, W. ...	Ordnance Store Dept., Madras.	1st April.
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Cleland, W. ...	2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers.	"
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Goater, J. ...	2nd Bn. Royal Fusiliers ...	"
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Hall, N. ...	Ordnance Store Dept., Madras.	"
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Head Quarters, Simla, 2nd September, 1884.

It having been brought to notice that frequent delay occurs in remitting prizes for skill at arms to soldiers who have quitted India, the attention of officers

Mily. Dept. letter No. 395 S-F,
dated 19th August, 1884.

commanding batteries and corps is directed to the matter, in view to the necessary steps being taken to prevent delay in future.

The following extract from a * letter No. 155, dated London, 29th May, 1884, from the Right

* Received with Mily. Dept. No. 447 B, dated 26th July, 1884.

Honorable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Most Honorable the Governor General in Council, is published for information and guidance :—

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3. As I consider that an officer ordered to England, should not be allowed, except on duty, to stop *en route*, I have decided that, when a longer time than necessary is taken to return to this country from India, the officer shall be deemed to be on leave without pay, so far as regards the excess time occupied.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 3rd September, 1884.

It is notified that copies of revised Army Form A 20, "Report of an Officer's Marriage," can be obtained on payment, from the contractor* for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 5th September, 1884.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

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East Yorkshire Regiment.—Lieutenant A. J. Richardson, (officiating wing officer on probation 13th Madras Native Infantry,) to Madras, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the Native languages.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 8th September, 1884.

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It is notified for general information that Army Form D. 426, "Parchment (Reserve) certificate," is introduced into India,

and that supplies can be obtained gratis on indent from the Contractor* for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

2. Army Form D. 439, "Protecting Certificate," having been cancelled, will no longer be used, and the stock now in hand should be destroyed.

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The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant K. E. Lean, for fifteen months, on private affairs.

Head Quarters, Simla, 9th September, 1884.

With the sanction of Government, the following rules are published, under which transfers will be effected and volunteering may be permitted, in the case of the regiment and battalion proceeding to England and Aden, respectively, during the ensuing trooping season.—

(I)

13th Hussars.

1. All men who have extended their service under the provisions of India Army Circulars, clauses 85 and 108 of 1883, will remain in India, but may volunteer for any one of the following regiments:—

1st Dragoon Guards. (a)	8th Hussars.
6th Dragoon Guards. (a)	12th Lancers. (a)
7th Dragoon Guards. (a)	17th Lancers. (a)

2. All others who have not entered the last year of their army service may be allowed to volunteer for further service in India with any of the regiments above named, subject only to the conditions laid down in the "General Rules." Staff Sergeants and Troop Sergeant Majors may volunteer in the rank of sergeant.

(II)

1st Battalion South Lancashire Regiment.

(See case 6 of the Instructions issued with Circular Memorandum from Adjutant General in India, No 1902 C,† dated 4th May 1882.)

* Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press.

(a) Volunteers for these regiments must be of the height prescribed for medium cavalry.

† Adjutant General's Memo. Nos. 2711 to 2728, dated 23rd May, 1882.

All men who have extended their service under the provisions of India Army Circulars of 1883, clauses 85 and 108, will remain in India, but may volunteer for any one of the following regiments:—

2nd R. West Surrey Regt.	1st King's Own Borderers.
" Royal Lancaster Regt.	2nd Scottish Rifles.
" Northumberland Fuslrs.	" Gloucestershire Regt.
" R. Warwickshire Regt.	1st Worcestershire Regiment
" Royal Fusiliers.	" East Lancashire Regt.
" Liverpool Regiment.	" West Riding Regiment.
" Norfolk Regiment.	" Border Regiment.
" Lincolnshire Regiment.	2nd Derbyshire Regiment.
" Devonshire Regiment.	1st L. N. Lancashire Regt.
1st Suffolk Regiment.	2nd Middlesex Regiment.
2nd Somersetshire Lt. Infy.	4th King's R. Rifle Corps.
" West Yorkshire Regt.	2nd Wiltshire Regiment.
" East Yorkshire Regt.	" Manchester Regiment.
" Bedfordshire Regiment.	" N. Staffordshire Regt.
" Leicestershire Regt.	" Seaforth Highlanders.
" Lancashire Fusiliers.	1st Royal Irish Fusiliers.
" Royal Scots Fusiliers.	" Connaught Rangers.
" Cheshire Regiment.	" Rifle Brigade.
1st Royal Welsh Fusiliers.	4th Rifle Brigade.
2nd South Wales Borderers.	1st Leinster Regiment.

All others who have not entered the last year of their army service may, subject to the conditions laid down in the "General Rules," be allowed to volunteer for further service in India, with any of the regiments above named, but to such extent only as will not reduce the strength of the battalion below 515 men, exclusive of invalids and time expired men. Preference will be given to married men. Staff and Color Sergeants may volunteer in the rank of sergeant.

GENERAL RULES.

I. Soldiers volunteering for further service in India must be medically fit for such service and must not be of "bad" character.

II. Volunteering into any one regiment is limited to the number (communicated by the Adjutant General,) which will increase the strength of the regiment or battalion to 8 per cent. in excess of the prescribed strength.

III. Married men are not allowed to volunteer for regiments or battalions which have already their full proportion of married men, or nearly so.

IV. Infantry soldiers must volunteer for the territorial regiment to which the battalion they select belongs, but they

will be posted for duty to the battalion in India which they wish to join.

V. Lads enlisted under special authority are not to be allowed to volunteer until they have attained the age of 18 years, unless they may wish to volunteer in order to remain in India with relatives, and sufficient proof of relationship is forthcoming.

VI. Volunteers for Highland regiments (who must be natives of North Britain) will be allowed a gratuity of 12 rupees and 8 annas to cover the cost of their necessary Highland equipments.

VII. Non-Commissioned officers transferred to other corps, whether compulsorily or voluntarily will, in all cases, take rank and precedence in their new battalions in their respective ranks, according to the date of their promotion or appointment.

VIII. Men on, or probationers for, the unattached list, borne on the rolls of the corps returning home, who may be desirous of continuing in their staff situations, can volunteer only to corps of the same arm serving in their own presidencies. Commanding officers should lose no time in ascertaining from departmental officers the wishes of those men of their corps employed under them, and in reporting the result to the Adjutant General in India, Simla, on Bengal Form No. 396.

IX. Volunteering will take place under the orders of the general officer commanding, at least one clear month before the regiment of battalion leaves its station, a medical board being convened for the examination of the volunteers of each corps.

X. Transfers and volunteers will be struck off the rolls of their corps from the end of the month in which the volunteering takes place. They will proceed under divisional arrangements to join their new regiments or battalions, but will in the mean time continue to do duty with their original corps.

XI. Nominal rolls of all volunteers and transfers will be forwarded, as soon as the volunteering is completed, by the officer commanding the regiment giving, to the officer commanding the regiment receiving, volunteers.

XII. The transfer documents (Queen's Regulations, section 19, paras. 121 and 125,) will be prepared at once, and sent by post to the regiments to which the men have volunteered; a report of the date of their despatch being made by commanding officers to the general officer in local command. Commanding officers receiving the documents will report to the Adjutant General in India, Simla,* whether they are in all respects satisfactory and complete. The company defaulter sheets and "lists

* Adjutant General, Ootacamund, in case of battalions quartered in this Presidency.

of clothing and necessaries in possession" of the volunteers, will be handed over to the officers appointed to command the parties proceeding to join the new regiments.

XIII. A report of the result of the volunteering will be made on Bengal Form 395, to the Adjutant General in India, Simla.

No. 491.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. Harris, 2nd in Command, 22nd Regiment N. I., from the 10th to the 13th September, 1884. Medical Certificate Bangalore.

Lieutenant P. G. Huggins, wing officer and Quartermaster 21st Regiment N. I., from the 31st October 1884 to 4th February 1885, under rule X of the Furlough Rules of 1875—Bangalore, private affairs. The first 60 days on full pay and allowances under subsidiary rule III.

Lieutenant H. T. King, wing officer, 33rd Regiment N. I., from 27th July to the 10th October, 1884, under rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. The first 60 days on full pay and allowances under subsidiary rule III. Bangalore, private affairs.

This cancels the leave granted to Lieutenant King in G. O. C. C. No. 420 of 1884.

East Kent Regiment.—Lieutenant G. Rippon, wing officer, 29th Regiment, N. I., for six months from 1st October 1884, Madras, to study the Native languages.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Royal Dublin Fusiliers.—Lieutenant E. G. S. Warren, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G. O. C. C. No. 463, of 1884, for Abd-ur-razzag, read Abd-ur-razzáq.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Ootacamund, 2nd October 1884.

No. 492.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

7th Regiment N. I.—Colonel W. H. G. Palmer (on furlough), from Commandant 22nd Regiment N. I., to be Commandant, *vice* Baldwin, transferred.

16th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant W. H. D. Rich, wing officer and officiating quarter master, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

20th Regiment N. I.—Major G. Lecky, wing officer 22nd Regiment N. I., to be wing officer, and to be graded regimentally next above Lieutenant Currie; this cancels so much of G. O. C. C., 483 of 1884, as refers to Major Lecky.

22nd Regiment N. I.—Colonel A. H. M. Dickey (on furlough), from Commandant 29th Regiment N. I., to be Commandant, *vice* Palmer, transferred.

Colonel H. St. M. Wynch, 2nd in Command 29th Regiment N. I., to officiate as Commandant, *vice* Dickey, on furlough.

29th Regiment N. I.—Colonel A. T. Baldwin (on furlough), from Commandant 7th Regiment N. I., to be Commandant, *vice* Dickey, transferred.

Colonel G. Murray, Staff Corps, to officiate as Commandant, *vice* Baldwin, on furlough.

32nd Regiment N. I.—Colonel F. E. West, Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd in Command, *vice* Hay, on furlough.

No. 493.—With reference to G.O.C.C. No. 40 of 1882, the Commander-in-Chief directs officers commanding regiments of British Infantry to submit requisitions to the arsenals or depôts on which they are dependent for ordnance supply for the number of butts and fore-ends required to complete their allotment, in accordance with Equipment Tables of British Infantry Regiments 1884.

No. 494.—Surgeon P. H. W. Boon, Indian Medical Department, will do general duty under the Deputy Surgeon General, Western District, *vice* Surgeon K. C. Sanjana, whose services are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Surgeon General with the Government of Madras. To travel at the public expense under para. 514, clause (j), Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 495.—Colonel D. Shaw, Staff Corps, late Commandant, 3rd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, will do general duty at Thayetmyo. On duty at the public expense from Madras to Rangoon, under para. 214 (a), Transport Regulations, Part I.

No. 496.—The officers named in the margin will proceed to England with the invalids, &c., under orders for Deolali for embarkation in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 21st November 1884.

Captain W. Heaton, 2nd Battalion, S. W. Borderers, under orders to join the regimental depot.

Lieutenant W. C. Cox, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire L. I., under orders to join the regimental depot.

„ J. F. Campbell, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, under orders to join the regimental depot.

Captain Heaton will join the party at Madras.

Additional officers required to accompany the party will be detailed by

the general officers commanding divisions and districts from which the men are proceeding. These officers will travel to and fro on duty at the public expense.

All the men's discharge documents are to be disposed of as ordered in the Regulations for the discharge of Soldiers of the British Forces serving in India.

No. 497.—The attention of officers commanding regiments, battalions and batteries, is invited to G.O.C.C. No. 142 of 1882, regarding family remittances.

2. Responsible regimental officers are directed to exercise the most searching scrutiny to ascertain that the rules which regulate the transmission of family remittances are strictly adhered to in each individual case.

No. 498.—With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 239, dated 15th May 1884, the undermentioned soldier having completed his training as Master Tailor at the Clothing Agency, Madras, will rejoin his Corps:—

Private F. Brett, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment.

No. 499.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain G. H. Lane, Royal Munster Fusiliers, is directed to proceed to England, to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment to which he has been removed.

This officer will be available for duty with troops, and will join the details returning to England in troopship leaving Bombay on the 22nd October next, under arrangements to be made by the General Officer Commanding the Nagpore Force.

No. 500.—The name of Captain S. G. F. Selfe, Royal Artillery Commandant, No. 4, Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is added to the list of officers detailed in G.O.C.C. No. 487 of 1884, to attend the garrison class at Bangalore on the 1st November next; and that of Lieutenant F. C. K. Hunter, 2nd Battalion, South Wales Borderers, is removed therefrom.

No. 501.—The undermentioned officer is reported to have passed the Higher Standard Test in Hindustani:—

Bangalore, 22nd September, 1884.

Major F. W. Hemming, 5th Dragoon Guards.

No. 502.—The following extract from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished:—

*Adjutant General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,
12th September, 1884.*

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375. The undermentioned have completed a course of Gymnastics and Fencing in the Central Gymnasium, Poona, and have been awarded 1st Class Certificates:—

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No. 2213, Private J. Walsh, 1st Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

No. 503.—In G. O. C. C. No. 452 of 1884, add—"Deputy Adjutant General" in the last column against "Bangalore 14th October" and against "Madras 3rd January."

No. 504.—In G.O.C.C. No. 491 of 1884, granting leave to Lieutenant H. T. King, wing officer 33rd Regiment N. I., for "10th October," read "31st October."

No. 505.—The following orders are confirmed:—

3rd September 1884.—By the officer commanding, Trichinopoly, appointing Major F. L. Haleman, Staff Corps, to act as Station Staff Officer, from the 7th instant, until further orders, *vice* Major R. T. Chapman, proceeding on leave.

6th September 1884.—By the officer commanding, Trichinopoly, appointing Major F. L. Haleman, Staff Corps, to act as Station Staff Officer, from the 21st March to the 10th June 1884, *vice* Major R. T. Chapman, on leave—granted him in G. O. G. No. 407 of 1884.

No. 506.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant W. H. Dobbie, wing officer 26th Regiment N. I., for one day in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C.C. No. 344 of 1884, under rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875.

2nd Battalion, South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant F. C. K. Hunter, for one month, from the 20th October or date of departure on private affairs. Madras and Shevaroy Hills.

Royal Engineers.—Colonel J. Mullins, from 1st October 1884, to the 31st March 1885, private affairs. India.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Addendum.—To G. O. C. C. No. 440 of 1884, add—"To travel at the public expense under para. 514, clause (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Ootacamund, 9th October, 1884.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 507.—With reference to reconstructed para. 529 of the Madras Army Regulations, published in S.G.O. No. 114 of 1881, the following list is published of non-commissioned officers and men who have qualified as Assistant Instructors at the School of Army Signalling, Bangalore:—

No. of Class.	Corps.	Regimental No.	Rank and Name.	Certificate as Instructor or Assistant Instructor.	Date of qualification roll signed by the Committee of Examination.
Signalling Class No. 49.	2nd Regt. L.C.	1268 Naigue	Jeyaram Sing	Assistant Instructor.	27th September 1884.
	Do.	1418 Private	Abeed Hoossain		
	12th Regt. N.I.	3089 "	Venkettasawmy		
	Do.	3445 "	Droogaprasath		
	14th Regt. N.I.	3329 Lce. Naigue	Mooniesawmy		
	Do.	3498 Private	Syed Abdul Guffoor		
	15th Regt. N.I.	940 "	Ryheman Khan		
	Do.	1235 "	Shaik Ebrahim		
	21st Regt. N.I.	1084 "	Ramasawmy		
	Do.	1415 "	Arookium		
	22nd Regt. N.I.	670 Lce. Naigue	Maduray		
	Do.	643 Private	Ramasawmy		
	25th Regt. N.I.	1296 Naigue	Hoossain Khan		
	26th Regt. N.I.	871 Lce. Naigue	Nalacuntoo		
	Do.	884 Private	Chellumbarum		

No. 508.—Major H. E. D. Bayley, 30th Regiment N.I., will command the depot formed at Trichinopoly for the families and details of the 4th Pioneers during the absence of the latter regiment in Biluchistan, without prejudice to his regimental duties.

No. 509.—The following transfers, &c., of Lieutenant Colonels of Royal Artillery are ordered :—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. M. Rawlins, from Secunderabad to Bangalore.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Haughton is posted to Thayetmyo to command the Royal Artillery at that station, but he will remain and do duty at Rangoon for the present.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Buckle, from Thayetmyo to Secunderabad.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. E. Lockhart, from Thayetmyo to Secunderabad, but he will remain and do duty at the former station for the present.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. Reid, on arrival from England, is posted to St. Thomas' Mount.

No. 510.—Lieutenant D. P. L. Birch, No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade, North Irish Division Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed to Wellington for duty at the depôt, in room of Lieutenant Molesworth. To join by the 15th October 1884.

No. 511.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that an exchange has been sanctioned between Captain W. F. G. Moberly, Q. Battery 1st Brigade, and Captain H. A. D. Curtis, No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade, Lancashire Division, Royal Artillery.

No. 512.—Surgeon J. Riordan, M. B., Army Medical Department, will, on arrival from England, do duty at the Station Hospital, Rangoon. Expeditionally at the public expense under clause (b) para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 513.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to order the following posting :—

4th Regiment Pioneers.—Surgeon M. J. Kelawala, doing duty Eastern District, to do duty. To travel at the public expense under para. 514, clause (j), Part II, Transport Regulations.

No. 514.—Armourer Sergeant W. Beaumont, of the Reserve Establishment is posted temporarily for duty to the 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, *vice* Duffield, posted temporarily for duty to the Secunderabad Arsenal.

Private W. Travers, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I., Assistant Armourer of the Depôt, Wellington, to act as Armourer Sergeant in the Reserve Establishment, *vice* Beaumont.

Corporal W. G. Weston, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, to act as Assistant Armourer at the depôt, Wellington, *vice* Travers.

No. 515.—M. M. Form 390 "Application for the transfer of a soldier to the Urattached List," has been introduced and will be taken into use at once.

Copies of this form can be obtained free from the Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

No. 516.—Private No. 111, Ghulám Alí Bég of the 4th Regiment L.C., is, at his own request, transferred to His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard.

No. 517.—It is notified for general information that Army Form B. 120 "Regimental Defaulter Book," has been revised, and supplies can be procured gratis on indent from the Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

No. 518.—The Deputy Judge Advocate No. 1 Circle will proceed to Quilon to conduct the proceedings of a General Court Martial, and during his absence the Deputy Judge Advocate No. 2 Circle will assume charge of the duties of No. 1 Circle, except the Western District.

No. 519.—Para. X of G. O. C. C., dated 22nd December 1880, page 609 is reconstructed as follows :—

"The following form of order is to be used by the General officer :—

Form D.

Extract from Division or District orders by

Commanding the Division or District

Dated at the 188

On the recommendation of a Medical Board

of the

is permitted to proceed to England on furlough, in anticipation of

the furlough which will be hereafter granted to him by Government.

(True Extract.)

Asst. (or Dy. Asst.) Adjutant General,
Division or District.

N. B.—Attention is directed to the instructions printed on the reverse."

 The following to be printed on the reverse :—

" INSTRUCTIONS.

" This order is to be given to the officer for transmission to the India office, another copy being made and handed to him, for his Agents.

" Officers proceeding on sick leave to England are to report the date of their embarkation direct to the Adjutant General at Ootacamund. They are not required to appear before the Medical Board in London on arrival in England, but they will report themselves in writing to the Military Secretary to the India office immediately they arrive, forwarding a copy of the order granting them leave; and will again report themselves to the same authority not less than two months before the expiration of their leave with a view to their being re-examined as to their fitness to resume duty."

No. 520.—The undermentioned officers have passed the tests specified opposite their names :—

Madras, 1st September, 1884.

Surgeon G. T. Thomas, Indian Medical Department. Higher Standard, Persian.

Madras, 25th September, 1884.

Lieutenant A. Ramsay Stuart, Q/1st Brigade Royal Artillery. Lower Standard, Persian.

No. 521.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 5th and 9th September 1884, respectively, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 5th September, 1884.

Royal Artillery.

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The undermentioned Captains to be Majors :—

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Archibald Edward Duthy, vice V. Wing, retired. Dated 20th August, 1884.

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The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

* * *

Charles Edward Maturin, vice A. E. Duthy, promoted. Dated 20th August, 1884.

* * *

Richard Martin Crofton, vice C. M. H. Downing, promoted. Dated 26th August, 1884.

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George Murray Boothby, vice A. P. Penton, seconded for service as an Instructor in the Royal Gun Factories. Dated 1st September, 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Stapleton Penny, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Colonel. Dated 1st September, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 9th September, 1884.

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Royal Engineers.—The following Lieutenants to be Captains, under the provisions of article 7 (b) of the Royal Warrant of the 10th of June, 1884. Dated 12th September, 1884 :—

Henry Davison Love.

* * *

Charles Henry Darling.

* * *

Henry Speed Andrews-Speed.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant Walter Gerald Gifford has been placed temporarily on the Half-Pay List on account of ill-health. Dated 22nd July, 1884.

The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Claude C. Tennant has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 25th May, 1884.

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The Hampshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Ramsay F. C. Gordon, from the 18th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice W. H. Johnson appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 10th September, 1884.

Lieutenant Mervyn de Montmorency, from the Royal Irish Regiment, to be Lieutenant on augmentation. Dated 10th September, 1884.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant William Alexander Oswald has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 17th June, 1884.

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No. 522.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following postings, &c., of Royal Artillery Officers:—

Major A. E. Duthy, just promoted to that rank from I. Battery A. Brigade, has been posted to I. Battery 3rd Brigade.

Captain C. E. Maturin, just promoted to that rank from E. Battery B. Brigade, has been ordered to Hong Kong for duty.

Lieutenant W. E. Fairholme, acting adjutant, Royal Artillery, Gibraltar, has been appointed to E. Battery B. Brigade.

Captain G. M. Boothby, just promoted to that rank from Depôt Battery 2nd Brigade, has been posted to I. Battery 3rd Brigade, vice A. P. Penton, seconded.

Lieutenant G. L. W. Grierson, F. Battery 2nd Brigade, has been appointed to M. Battery B. Brigade.

Captain R. M. Crofton, just promoted to that rank from M. Battery B. Brigade, has been posted to H. Battery 2nd

Brigade; he is accordingly directed to proceed from Secunderabad to England to join his new battery.

Under para. 513 (c) Transport Regulations, Part II and para. 256 (i) Transport Regulations, Part I.

No. 523.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 12th September, 1884.

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The undermentioned officers will attend the next course of Garrison Instruction at the centres noted, and will report themselves on the 30th September, 1884:—

* * *

Lucknow.

* * *

Lieut. E. de S. Smart, ... Middlesex Regiment (probationer, Bengal Staff Corps).

* * *

Lieut. A. H. Kellie, ... Royal Marines (probationer, Madras Staff Corps).

Agra.

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Lieut. S. C. Gough, ... Hampshire Regt., (probationer, Bengal Staff Corps).

Head Quarters, Simla, 15th September, 1884.

In continuation of G. O. C. C.,* dated 16th June 1884, it is notified that the words, "*on joining departments*," therein used, should be held to mean the date on which

the non-commissioned officer or soldier becomes permanently

attached to a department, on the expiration of his probationary term on the Unattached List.

It having been brought to notice that in many cases the great coats and cloaks taken home by invalids and time-expired men are in such a dilapidated condition

Mily. Dept. letter 2023 E, dated 23rd August 1884.

Para. 80, Clothing Regulations, British Troops.

as to be of no use to the men, the Commander-in-Chief directs that care be taken in future that the condemned great coats and cloaks, issued under para. 242 of the Clothing Regulations, are in a wearable condition.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 17th September, 1884.

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The following Horse Guards' G. O., dated 1st August 1884, is re-published for information :—

G. O. 142,—Staff College.

The following will be the scope of the examination in Military History and Geography to be held in June 1885 for admission to the Staff College :—

1. Parts I., II. and V. of the "Operations of War" (*Hamley*).
2. Franco-German War of 1870-71, generally.
3. Specially—

The operations before Le Mans from the 5th to the 18th January 1871.

The operations on the Ognon, Upper Doubs, and Lisaine from the 5th to the 28th January 1871.

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G. O. C. C.,* dated the 2nd August 1884, page 227, appointing the undermentioned officers to the Army Pay Department, is cancelled, and the following substituted :—

Subject to the approval of Her Majesty, the Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments, under the provisions of G. O. C. C.† dated 1st September 1884, page 303 :—

Army Pay Department.

Captain George Hudleston Powell, Essex Regiment, to be Paymaster. Dated 12th October 1883.

Captain Powell is posted to the 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

*G. O. C. C. No. 426 of 1884, page 211.

†G. O. C. C. No. 490 of 1884, page 271.

Captain Edward Loftus Roche Thackwell, Royal Fusiliers, to be Paymaster. Dated 16th November 1883.

Captain Thackwell is posted to the 14th Hussars.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 18th September, 1884.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st August 1884 :—

Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army.

- G. O. 117—"Garrison Instruction."
- " 120—"Army Reserve."
- " 122—"Auxiliary Forces."
- " 123—"Bandmasters."
- " 124—"Correspondence."
- " 125—"Discharges."
- " 126—"Discharges."
- " 128—"Dress of officers."
- " 131—"Farriers."
- " 132—"Horses."
- " 133—"Leave of absence for officers."
- " 134—"Marines."
- " 136—"Military Engineering."
- " 139—"Prisoners."
- " 140—"Recruiting."
- " 141—"Saluting and Flag stations."

Corrections to Section I, part 3, of the "Trumpet and Bugle Sounds."

G. O. 143, "Trumpet and Bugle Sounds."

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

In continuation of G. O. C. C.,* dated 8th August 1884, page 249, attention is invited to the following Horse Guards' G. O., dated 1st August 1884 :—

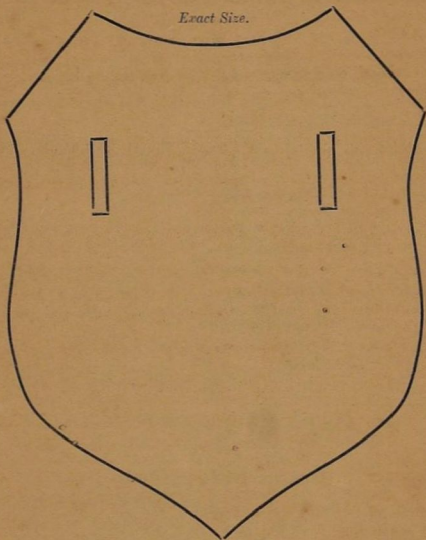
- G. O. 127. } —Dress of officers.
- " 129. }

With the sanction of Government it is notified for information, that in all future issues of

Mily. Dept. letter No. 2090 E, dated 29th August 1884. spurs for the new pattern knee boot with laced instep, the new

pattern broad strap will be supplied, but with the narrow strap now in use a sliding tab of the pattern given below, may be made up regimentally at a cost of 4 annas per pair :—

Exact Size.



Head Quarters, Simla, 20th September, 1884

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Attention is called to Horse Guards' C. O. 122, dated 1st August 1884, notifying that non-commissioned officers of Cavalry, Artillery, and Infantry serving abroad will, in future, be equally eligible with those serving at home for appointment to the permanent Staff of the Auxiliary Forces, and modifying the conditions of such appointment.

It is notified that the forms published with G. O.* 57 of 1884, have been numbered Bengal Forms† 199 and 200, and copies can be obtained gratis on application to the Contractor‡ for printing Government stock forms.

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The following officers having passed the examination laid down in sec. 5, para. 150§ Bengal Army Regulations, are qualified for appointment, on the regimental, general and personal staff of the army:—

Major J. G. Proudfoot, Madras Staff Corps.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 22nd September, 1884.

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It is notified that revised copies of Army Books 112, 113 and 114, "Registers of Births, Marriages and Deaths," can now be obtained from the Contractor¶ for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

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No. 524.—The following Extracts from General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay are republished:—

*Adjutant General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,
26th September, 1884.*

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394. The undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers and Men are reported to have completed a special course of Gymnas-

* S. G. O. No. 52 of 1884.

† M. M. Form 433, and 434.

‡ Superintendent, L. A. Press, Madras. § Para. 253, Madras Army Regulations.

¶ Superintendent, L. A. Press, Madras.

tics and Fencing at the Central Gymnasium, Poona, and to have obtained certificates as follows :—

Corps.	Regimental No.	Rank.	Names.	Cerificates.
* *	* *	* *	* *	* *
Hampshire Regiment, (2nd Battlaion).	1290	Lce. Corporal	C. Downes ...	1st Class.
	1650	Do. ...	A. Williams.	1st Class.

395. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay on the 11th October next in H. M.'s Indian Troop-ship *Malabar* :—

CORPS OR BATTERIES.	Troops, Batteries, or Companies.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Warrant Officers and Sergeants.	Trumpeters or Drummers	Rank and File.	Officers' Families.				Soldiers' Families.		Destination.	REMARKS.
									Wives.	Children.	Male Servants.	Female Servants.	Wives.	Children.		
* 2nd Bn. Bedfordshire	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 2	* ...	* 152	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 1	* ...	* Bellary.†	*
* 1st. Oxford. L. I.	* ...	* 1	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 1	* ...	++++	*
* 2nd Munster Fusiliers	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 1	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	*
* 2nd Somersetshire L. I.	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 2	* ...	* 1	* ...	* 156	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 1	* ...	Rangoon.	*
* 2nd Royal Fusiliers	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	++	*
* 2nd Royal Scots Fusiliers	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 1	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	++	J. Hartz.
* 2nd Hampshire	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* 1	* ...	* 1	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	++	Bandmaster.
* 2nd South Wales Borders.	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...		Not entitled. Intended wife of Color Serjt. Burrows.
* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	* ...	*	*

† To await arrival of Regiment. ‡ To join as ordered.

No. 525.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Royal Artillery.—Lieut.-Colonel C. R. Buckle, to Kashmir, for three months, on medical certificate; in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. C., No. 381 of 1884.

Major C. A. Empson, No. 5 Battery, 1st Brigade Welsh Division, to Coonoor, from the 15th till the 31st October 1884, on private affairs; in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. C. No. 409, of 1884.

Lieutenant C. P. Fendall, No. 6 (Mountain) Battery, 1st Brigade South Irish Division, from the 24th October to 23rd November 1884, to Rangoon and Moulmein, on private affairs.

2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I.—Captain E. M. Poynton, from 7th November 1884, or date of departure, to 6th February 1885. Private affairs, Calcutta.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Ootacamund, 16th October, 1884.

No. 526.—With reference to G.O.C.C., No. 431 of 1884, Surgeon W. L. Lane, M.B., Army Medical Department, will proceed to England by the Troopship leaving Bombay on or about 21st November 1884, and report his arrival to the Director-General, Army Medical Department.

Surgeon Lane will proceed to Deolali and report himself to the Senior medical officer there, not later than 18th November 1884, for duty on boardship at the public expense, under clause (d), para. 513, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 527.—With reference to G.O.C.C., Nos. 470 and 482 of 1884, Lieutenant W. W. Blackden, 2nd Battalion, Royal Munster Fusiliers, will also proceed with the time-expired men, &c., under orders for Deolali, for embarkation in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 11th November 1884.

The General officer commanding the Western district will be good enough to arrange for the required number of officers to accompany the party from that district.

Lieutenant Bodé will therefore accompany the party from the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, and not that from the Western district, as ordered in G.O.C.C., No. 470 of 1884.

The general officers commanding the divisions and districts from which details are under orders to proceed to England by the troopship leaving Bombay on the 11th November 1884, will be good enough to arrange for the required number of officers to accompany the parties.

The officers will travel on duty at the public expense. The men's discharge documents are to be disposed of as ordered in the "Regulations for the discharge of soldiers of the British Forces serving in India."

No. 528.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

17th Regiment N.I.—Lieutenant G. H. Kirwan, 2nd Battalion, Manchester Regiment, who has been transferred as a probationer from the Bombay to the Madras Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation).

31st Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant M. A. Tuite, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 4th October 1884.

Army Veterinary Department.—Veterinary Surgeon Davis, to do duty with the Royal Artillery at St. Thomas' Mount, on arrival from England.

Veterinary Surgeon T. J. Symonds, from St. Thomas' Mount, to do duty with the Royal Artillery at Bangalore, to join on being relieved by Veterinary Surgeon Davis.

Veterinary Surgeon Sartin, to do duty with the Royal Artillery at Bangalore, on arrival from England.

No. 529.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings:—

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon-Major W. Keir, M.D., Senior medical officer of the North Station Hospital, Secunderabad (temporarily), to be Senior medical officer of the Station Hospital, Saint Thomas' Mount. Expeditiously at the public expense, under clause (j), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon G. H. Fink, on arrival from England at Bombay, to report himself for general duty to the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern District, Madras. To travel at the public expense, under clause (b), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Surgeon G. M. E. McKee, to do duty under the orders of the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern district, on relief at Tinnevely.

4th Regiment Pioneers.—Surgeon A. T. L. Patch, Indian Medical Department, to do duty. This cancels G.O.C.C., No. 513 of 1884.

No. 530.—Lieutenant C. V. Hume, Royal Artillery, Aide-de-camp, to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, is directed to proceed to Bangalore. On duty, to and fro, at the public expense. Under para. 514 (*h*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 531.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the tests specified opposite their names :—

Madras, 6th and 7th October, 1884.

Lieutenant C. H. Clements, West Yorkshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps, Higher Standard, Hindustani.

Lieutenant G. W. Priestley, East Yorkshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps, Higher Standard, Hindustani.

Lieutenant A. F. Montanaro, Royal Artillery, Higher Standard, Hindustani.

Lieutenant R. A. T. Drury, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, Lower Standard, Hindustani.

Sergeant J. Parkinson, Royal Engineers, High Proficiency in Hindustani.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 532.—In table of movements 1884-85, published in G. O. C. C., No. 232 of 1884, for "Agra" opposite No. 7 Battery, Eastern Division, read "Campbellpore and Attock."

No. 533.—The following order is confirmed :—

6th October 1884.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, notifying that Major J. Charles, No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade Welsh Division, assumes command of the Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, *vice* Colonel P. W. L'Estrange, Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.

No. 534.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Army Veterinary Department.—1st Class Veterinary Surgeon J. Hammond, for six months, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Colonel W. Osborn, Commandant, 6th Regiment N.I., for 182 days, from the 18th September 1884, under Rule XXV of the Furlough Regulations of 1868—India—medical certificate.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon J. Hoey, for 90 days, from the 3rd September 1884, under Rule X., Furlough Regulations, 1875—Quetta and Kurachy—medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—For the words “ to Coonoor” in G. O. C. C., No. 525 of 1884, granting leave to Major Empson, Royal Artillery, read “ to Coonoor and Ootacamund.”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Ootacamund, 23rd October, 1884.

No. 535.—Colonel J. P. Pedler, Staff Corps, late Commandant, 4th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent, will do general duty at Toungoo. On duty at the public expense from Madras to Rangoon, under para. 214 (a), Transport Regulations, Part I.

No. 536.—The name of Lieutenant H. W. Mitchell, 14th Hussars, is added to the list of officers detailed in G. O. C. C., No. 487 of 1884, to attend the garrison class at Bangalore on the 1st November next, and that of Lieutenant Thorneycroft, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, is removed therefrom.

No. 537.—The name of Lieutenant G. C. G. Norton, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, is added to the list of officers detailed in G.O.C.C., No. 482 of 1884, for duty with regimental depôts in relief of Lieutenant Lempriere.

No. 538.—With reference to G. O. C. C., No. 498 of 1883, Private J. Harrison, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, having satisfactorily completed his period of probation as armourer sergeant, is promoted to the rank of sergeant and transferred to the Corps of armourer sergeants with effect from the 4th October 1883.

No. 539.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Convalescent Dépôt.—Captain H. T. S. Yates, Royal Artillery, to be Staff officer at Wellington.

"Q. O." *Sappers and Miners*.—Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) A. F. Hamilton, Royal Engineers, to be Commandant, with effect from 25th August, 1884.

5th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant E. J. E. Swayne, 2nd Battalion the Welsh Regiment, who has been appointed a probationer for the Madras Staff Corps, under the provisions of India Army Circulars, clause 61 of 1882, to be officiating wing officer (on probation).

6th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant C. E. H. Connell, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., who has been appointed a probationer for the Madras Staff Corps, under the provisions of India Army Circulars, clause 61 of 1882, to be officiating wing officer (on probation).

No. 540.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon J. Smyth, M. D., to do duty under the orders of the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern District.

Surgeon M. J. Kelawala, doing duty Eastern district, to report himself to the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Bangalore Division, and Ceded district, for general duty. To travel expeditiously at the public expense under clause (j), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Surgeon M. J. Kelawala, doing duty Bangalore division, and Ceded District, to do duty British Burmah division. To accompany the 26th Regiment N. I., from Madras to Rangoon.

Surgeon J. Scott, doing duty British Burmah division, to duty Hyderabad Subsidiary Force. To accompany the 28th Regiment N. I., from Rangoon to Madras.

These officers to travel at the public expense under clauses (a) and (j), paras. 213 and 514, Transport Regulations, Parts I and II, respectively.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 541.—With the sanction of Government, and with reference to G. O. C. C., No. 232 of 1884, the following additional movements in relief of British troops for 1884-85 are directed to take place:—

British Infantry.	From.	To.	Remarks.
One company, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.	Madras	Port Blair	By sea, in relief of one Company, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry at Port Blair, which will rejoin Regimental Head Quarters.
One company, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.	Malliapuram.	Madras	By route march and rail.
One company, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.	Bangalore	Malliapuram.	By rail and route march.

No. 542.—The Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that the next half-yearly examination in Tamil, Telugu, Canarese, &c., will be held on Monday, the 19th January 1885, and following days. Candidates desirous of being examined for the Higher Standard and certificates of High Proficiency, &c., are to send in their applications so that they shall reach the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund, on or before the 25th November, 1884.

2. The fees for the examination as per notification in the *Fort Saint George Gazette*, of the 11th January 1882, Part I, page 17, should be paid by candidates at the Presidency into the Bank of Madras, and by those in the Mofussil into the nearest treasury, and the receipts forwarded with the candidates' application to the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund.

No. 543.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to announce that, with the sanction of Government, a Soldiers' Industrial

Exhibition will be held at Bangalore about the month of October 1885, the precise date will be notified hereafter.

2. The Central committee of management will be appointed by the General officer commanding, Bangalore division, who will also nominate the Honorary Secretary.

3. Rules and regulations for the Exhibition will be drawn up by the committee and published in general orders, and two copies thereof will be sent to each regiment, battalion, and battery serving in the Madras Presidency, including Burmah.

4. On receipt of the rules, &c., Regimental committees will be at once formed in every corps, British and Native, to act in concert and direct communication with the Central committee and to aid and encourage their men in contributing to the Exhibition.

5. The names of officers serving on Regimental committees to be sent to

"The Honorary Secretary,
Soldiers' Industrial Exhibition,
Bangalore,"

on the 15th December.

6. State assistance to the extent sanctioned in articles 1513 and 1514, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, will be given.

7. Subscription lists will be circulated by the committee, and Sir Frederick Roberts hopes that the sums thus collected, together with the liberal aid afforded by Government, will amply suffice to ensure the success of the Exhibition.

8. It should be explained to the men that the Exhibition is not confined to the products of regimental workshops, but that prizes will be awarded for articles displaying skill or ingenuity in every branch of industry. The only restrictive condition is that the articles must be *bonâ fide*, the work of soldiers, or of their families; the latter should be specially encouraged to contribute.

9. Only such number of men, from each corps as may be fixed by the Central committee, will be permitted to accompany the articles sent for Exhibition.

No. 544.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that an exchange of batteries has been sanctioned between Major A. E. Duthy, I Battery 3rd Brigade, and Major W. G. Mulloy, I Battery 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.

Also that an exchange has been sanctioned between Captain G. M. Boothby, I. Battery 3rd Brigade, and Captain W. H. H. Waters, No. 3 Battery 1st Brigade, London Division, Royal Artillery.

The Horse Guards authority have also intimated that Lieutenant M. J. C. Dennis, No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade, London Division, has been transferred to No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade, Welsh Division, Royal Artillery.

No. 545.—With reference to G. O. C. C., No. 414 of 1884, Captain E. A. Mostyn, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, will also accompany the details under orders to embark for England in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 11th November, 1884.

No. 546.—Army Schoolmistress S. L. Head, attached to 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, is placed on the Unemployed List from the 26th October 1884, under the provisions of Article 1369, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I.

No. 547.—Veterinary Surgeon Steel is directed to proceed to Rangoon on special duty. On duty at the public expense under para. 213 (b), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 514 (o), Part II.

No. 548.—With the sanction of Government, Farrier Havildar Fernandez, of the 4th "P. W. O." Light Cavalry, is transferred to the Unattached List, for employment in the Revenue department, as Hospital keeper at Saidapet, under the conditions laid down in paras. 44 and 47, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part II.

No. 549.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes* dated 19th and 23rd September, 1884, respectively, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 19th September, 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Captain Philip Montagu has been seconded for service as a Probationer for the Army Pay Department. Dated 11th September, 1884.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Colour-Sergeant Stradling Louis Vaughan Crealock, from the Leicestershire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice S. M. Mason, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th September, 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Super-numerary Lieutenant Reginald de H. Burton, who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, vice P. B. Warren, transferred to the King's Own Light Infantry (South Yorkshire Regiment). Dated 20th September, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd September, 1884.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant Henry Gerard Burton has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th July, 1884.

Lieutenant William N. R. Bates, from the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), to be Lieutenant, vice R. E. Sullivan, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1884.

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Army Pay Department.

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Captain George H. Powell, the Essex Regiment, to be Paymaster. Dated 12th October, 1883.

Captain E. L. R. Thackwell, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), to be Paymaster. Dated 16th November, 1883.

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No. 550.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 25th September, 1884.

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Captain and Brevet Major F. N. Innes, No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade, London Division, Royal Artillery, is granted six months leave of absence to England, on private affairs, with the necessary subsidiary leave, from the date of availing himself of the same in November, 1883.

The following corrections are made in the list of officers detailed to attend Garrison classes in G. O. C. C., dated 12th September 1884, page 339* :—

* * *

Lieutenant E. de S. Smart, Middlesex Regiment, will attend the class at Agra instead of Lucknow.

Lieutenant S. C. Gough, Hampshire Regiment, will attend the class at Lucknow instead of Agra.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 1st October 1884.

In continuation of G. O. C. C., dated 3rd September 1884, page 321,† it is notified that Army Form A. 20, "Report of an Officer's Marriage" therein referred to, has now been cancelled. (Clause 163, Army Circulars, dated War Office, 1st August, 1884.)

In continuation of G. O. C. C., dated 29th January 1883, page 30,‡ attention is invited to the following Home Orders, dated 1st August 1884 :—

War Office Circulars, clause 146, Royal Warrant. Amending warrant relating to definition of "corps" for the purposes of the Army Act, 1881.

Horse Guards' G. O., 118, Army Organisation.

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* No. 523 of 1884.

† G. O. C. C., No. 490 of 1884.

‡ G. O. C. C., No. 89 of 1883, page 55.

Head Quarters, Simla, 2nd October, 1884.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers.—Major C. H. Gordon-Short, for three months, on private affairs.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

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13th Madras Native Infantry.—Colonel H. H. C. G. Warrington, (Madras Infantry), to remain at Mussoorie, on medical certificate, from the 1st to the 15th October 1884, under the furlough rules of 1868, in extension of the leave granted to him in G. O. C. C., dated the 11th June 1884, page 173.*

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Head Quarters, Simla, 7th October, 1884.

With reference to G. O. C. C., dated 8th September 1884,† (page 333), notifying the introduction into India of Army Form D 426, "Parchment Reserve Certificate," attention is directed to para. 1 of Horse Guards' general order 168 of 1883, in compliance with which a Parchment Reserve Certificate should invariably be included among the documents furnished for each man proceeding to England for transfer to the Reserve.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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Royal Artillery.—Captain J. S. S. Barker, (M Battery 2nd Brigade,) for six months, on urgent private affairs.

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No. 551.—The following orders are confirmed :—

13th September 1884.—By the General officer commanding Western district appointing Lieutenant R. C. Andrews, Adjutant, 19th Regiment N. I., to act as Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Western district, without prejudice to his own duties, *vice* Captain G. Henry, Royal Engineers, transferred.

* G.O.C.C., No. 353 of 1884, page 176. † G.O.C.C., No. 490 of 1884.

27th September 1884.—By the General officer commanding British Burmah division, appointing Colonel W. Knox Leet, **V.C.**, to assume command of the garrison of Rangoon, from the 29th instant, during the absence of the Major General commanding on inspection duty to Thayetmyo.

Appointing Captain R. Cooper, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry Station Staff Officer from the 29th instant, during the absence of the Officiating Assistant Adjutant General on inspection duty with the Major General Commanding.

6th October 1884.—By the Officer commanding, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Lieutenant C. A. Anderson, M/B., Royal Horse Artillery, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp to Colonel P. W. L'Estrange, Royal Artillery, Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, from the 3rd instant, *vice* Lieutenant R. D. MacDonnell, 17th Regiment N. I.

No. 552.—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

North Staffordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant E. S. Strickland, wing officer (on probation), for 6 months, from 1st November 1884, Madras, to study the native languages.

Leave of absence :—

Royal Artillery.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that His Royal Highness, the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, has been pleased to grant leave of absence to Captain H. P. Hickman, No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade, London Division, from the 11th September to the 10th November 1884, on the recommendation of a Medical Board.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G. O. C. C., No. 531 of 1884, for “Lieutenant R. A. T. Drury,” read “Lieutenant R. A. T. Dury.”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 30th October, 1884.

No. 553.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the publication of the following postal notice regarding British Postal Orders, for the sale of which arrangements have been made at all Post offices in Military cantonments and at Convalescent depôts:—

POSTAL NOTICE.

British Postal Orders.

1. With effect from 1st October 1884, British Postal Orders for fixed sums, from 1s. to £1, will be available for sale to the public at all Head Post Offices, and will be obtainable on application to any Sub-Post Office from its Head Office.

2. The following are the amounts for which British Postal Orders are issued, together with the cost of each order in Indian currency, including commission and exchange:—

Amounts of British Postal Orders.		Cost in Indian currency, including commission and exchange.			Amounts of British Postal Orders.		Cost in Indian currency, including commission and exchange.		
s.	d.	Rs.	A.	P.	s.	d.	Rs.	A.	P.
1	0	0	10	9	4	6	2	14	0
1	6	0	15	9	5	0	3	3	0
2	0	1	5	6	7	6	4	11	6
2	6	1	10	3	10	0	6	4	3
3	0	1	15	3	10	6	6	9	0
3	6	2	4	3	15	0	9	6	3
4	0	2	9	0	20	0	12	7	6

Note.—The cost of a British Postal Order is liable to vary slightly owing to fluctuations of exchange. The rate of exchange in force can be ascertained from the Post Office.

3. British Postal Orders issued from any Indian Post Office are payable at any Money Order Office in the United Kingdom (including the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man) and at Gibraltar and Constantinople.

4. The purchaser of a British Postal Order must, before parting with it, fill in the name of the person to whom the order is to be paid, and may fill in the name of the Money Order Office (in the United Kingdom, &c.) at which the amount is to be paid. If the name of a Money Order Office is not entered by the purchaser, the order will be payable at any Money Order Office named by the payee.

5. The purchaser should keep a record of the number and date and name of the Office of Issue of the order, to facilitate enquiry if the order should be lost.

6. After a British Postal Order has once been paid, to whomsoever it is paid, the British Post Office will not be liable for any further claim.

7. If any erasure or alteration be made, or if the order is cut, defaced, or mutilated, payment may be refused.

8. After the expiration of three months from the last day of the month of issue, a British Postal Order will be payable only on payment by the payee of a commission equal to the amount of the original British poundage marked on the order.

SIMEA ;	}	A. U. FANSHAWE,
<i>The 20th September 1884</i>		<i>Offg. Director General of the Post Office of India.</i>

(Quartermaster-General).

No. 554.—The undermentioned Native officers are now graded as “Instructors” in Army Signalling, they having been promoted to the commissioned ranks since gaining their certificates originally as “Assistant Instructors.”

Corps.	Regimental No.	Present Rank.	Name.	Remarks.
“Q.O.” Sappers & Miners.	266	Jemadar.	Venaigamoorthy ...	
3rd Regiment L. I.	566	Do. ...	Narrainsawmy ...	
4th Pioneers.	464	Do. ...	Gholam Hoosain ...	
10th Regiment N. I.	2513	Do. ...	Ram Sing ...	
30th Regiment N. I.	1746	Subadar.	Audeenaroydoo ...	Sirdar Bahadoor.
	2507	Jemadar.	Coopoosawmy ...	

No. 555.—M. M. Form 447 “Roll of a Departmental Warrant Officer (other than the Medical Department) recommended to be transferred to the Pension Establishment” has been introduced and will be taken into use at once.

Copies of this form can be obtained free from the Government Press, Madras.

No. 556.—M. M. Form 448 “Roll of a Warrant officer of the Subordinate Medical Department recommended to be transferred to the Pension Establishment” has been introduced and will be taken into use at once.

Copies of this form can be obtained free from the Government Press, Madras.

No. 557.—With reference to Proceedings of Government, Military Department, No. 1567, dated 28th March 1884, Brigade Surgeon C. Robertson, M.D., will, on relief of his duties in the Civil department, do duty in the office of the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Eastern district, Madras.

No. 558.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Tillard, Staff Corps, will do general duty at Bangalore. On duty at the public expense under foot-note to para. 514 (l), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 559.—With reference to G. O. C. C., No. 239 of 1884, the undermentioned soldier having completed his training as Master Tailor at the Clothing Agency, Madras, will rejoin his Corps :—

Corporal W. Holden, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

No. 560.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

25th Regiment N. I.—Lieutenant R. B. Nedham, supernumerary on the Establishment of the Regiment, to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Nicol, deceased.

No. 561.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon J. Anderson, M.B., will, on arrival from England, do duty at the Station Hospital, Madras. To travel expeditiously at the public expense under clause (b), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 562.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard Test in Hindustani :—

Port Blair, 6th October, 1884.

Private J. Shean, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I.

„ J. Turner, do. do.

No. 563.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 10th October, 1884.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st September 1884 :—

Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army.

G. O. 148—"Horses."

„ 152—"Reconnaissances."

„ 153—"Recruiting."

„ 155—"Staff College."

„ 156—"Submarine Mining."

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

In continuation of G.O.C.C.,* dated 1st September 1884, page 304, the following promotions of Armorer Sergeants, made by Horse Guards' letter No. 49—Armorer, 1042, dated 3rd September 1884, are published for information:—

To be Staff Armorer Sergeants.

* * *

1st Class Ar. Sergt. J. Duffield, 2nd Bn. S. Wales Borderers.

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The above promotions to bear date 27th August 1884.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 11th October 1884.

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Officers commanding British regiments, batteries and battalions in the three presidencies, will prepare *at once* and submit through the usual channel, to the Adjutant General, Army Head Quarters, *Simla*, a return on the annexed form, of the men serving under their command, who have, up to 1st October 1884, extended their service in India under the operations of the orders marginally noted.

India Army Circulars, Clauses 85, 108 and 109 of 1883.

2. The fortnightly return required by G. O. C. C., dated 8th September 1883 (p. 355),† should continue to be punctually rendered, as directed, so long as the offer of bounty on extension remains in force.

* G. O. C. C., No. 490 of 1884, page 272.

† G. O. C. C., No. 470 of 1883.

(Corps)

(Station)

(Date)

Return shewing the number of short service men who have, up to the 1st October 1884, extended their service in India under the operations of India Army Circulars 85, 108 and 109 of 1883, the periods for which they have extended, and the number of such whose time will expire in each coming year.

Periods for which extended.	Numbers at present serving who have extended their service.	Number of the foregoing whose service will expire before the 31st March in					Remarks.
		1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	
For 2 years further service in India.							
" 3 do.							
" 4 do.							
Totals ...	*						•

* Both Totals should correspond.

NOTE.—This return should include all men who have extended their service in India with bounty, received as transfers from other corps.

Examined

Adjutant.

Commanding.

N.B.—A duplicate of the return to be forwarded to the Adjutant General, Ootacamund.

Head Quarters, Simla, 13th October, 1884.

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With the sanction of the Government of India, the proceedings of the annual boards of survey on the arms in possession of corps and batteries will, in future, be forwarded direct to the Inspector General of Ordnance, instead of, as formerly, through the Adjutant General's Office.

Military Department letter No. 1197 S-D., dated 6th October 1884, "Equipment."

2. General officers commanding are therefore requested to see that the documents detailed in paragraphs 270 of the Indian Appendix to the British Musketry Regulations, and 547 of the Regulations for Musketry Instruction, Native troops (as amended by G. O.,* 103 of 1884), are in order and complete previous to transmission.

3. With reference to Army Regulations, India, Volume III, paras. 156 to 158, general officers will also be good enough to call on any regiment or battery which has not furnished the proceedings of the annual board by the 1st May, to do so without delay in order that the requisitions for any components required to place the arms in order may be issued.

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No. 564.—The following transfers of men, on public ground, are ordered, with effect from the 1st October 1884:—

Regtl. No.	Rank.	Name.	From	To
1269	Private.	Sadivisa Row ...	4th Pioneers.	15th Regiment N. I.
737	"	Yelliah ...		
839	"	Shaikh Alí ...		
1927	"	Ponnoosawmy ...		
1033	"	Pudamanaben ...		
1583	"	Hayát Khán ...		
905	"	Moonisawmy ...		
1629	"	Rungasawmy ...		
1301	"	Coopoosawmy ...		
1354	"	Abd-ul-rahmán ...		
862	"	Shaikh Hámid ...		
1427	"	Muhammad Haníf ...		
1742	"	Dáúd Khán ...		
1327	"	Dorasawmy ...		
1378	"	Ponnoosawmy ...		
970	"	Abd-ul-majid ...		
1398	"	Arokiam ...		
688	"	Runganaikaloo ...		
975	"	Yelliah ...		
1085	"	Rungiah ...		
1065	"	Venketsawmy ...		
1097	"	Nummiah ...		
1937	"	Baboo ...		
1748	"	Buddúh Sábib ...		
1244	"	Saiyid Husain ...		
1360	"	Saiyid Ghaus ...		
1307	"	Saiyid Jumsheed ...		
845	"	Basooviah ...		
1235	"	Ramjee Row ...		
1243	"	Kristnajee Row ...		
1366	"	Janarthen Sing ...		
1028	"	Dooroogia ...		
1070	"	Ramasawmy ...		
1519	"	Qádir Muhi-ud-din ...		
1382	"	Moothoo Kurpen... ..		
1109	"	Usmán Khán ...	25th Regt. N. I.	
1084	"	Sikandar Khán ...		
1665	"	Karoo Pillay ...		
1666	"	Muhammad Qásim ...		
1326	"	Moonisawmy ...		

Regtl. No.	Rank.	Name.	From	To
487	Private.	Ghulám Muhì-uddín	...	25th Regt. N. I.
1625	"	Veerasawmy	...	
1218	"	Abd-ul Kálé	...	
1562	"	Neelamagan	...	
1394	"	Venketachellum	...	
1514	"	Venketsawmy	...	
1723	"	Permal Pillay	...	
1691	"	Palaneandy	...	
1325	"	Madura	...	
1465	"	Shaikh Ismáíl	...	
711	"	Shaikh Latíf	...	
866	"	Jafar Khán	...	
1616	"	Saiyid Haidar	...	
1445	"	David	...	
1064	"	Ramiah	...	27th N. I.
1205	"	Chandica Persaud	...	
1245	"	Muhammad Ismáíl	...	3rd L.I.
1754	"	Kollapah	...	
2859	"	Pydeah	...	14th N. I.
3023	"	Muhammad Jafar	...	
3158	"	Sengeevee Naidoo	...	
3338	"	Rajaram	...	
3345	"	Mooroogasen	...	
3503	"	Ragooviah	...	
1144	"	Pír Khán	...	
1153	"	Venketsawmy	...	
724	"	Jugiah	...	
748	"	Yusuf Khán	...	15th N. I.
827	"	Qásim Sharíf	...	
832	"	Appulsawmy	...	
843	"	Saiyad Mir	...	
883	"	Shaikh Imám	...	
889	"	Majíd Khán	...	
100	"	Shaikh Abdulláh	...	
1107	"	Moonijah	...	
1141	"	Umar Sharíf	...	
1163	"	Shaikh Imam	...	
1169	"	Ghulám Alí Khán	...	
1179	"	Saiyid Qádir	...	
1241	"	Muhammad Amín	...	4th Pioneers.
1262	"	Chellmiah Naidoo	...	
1282	"	Venketachellum	...	

Regtl. No.	Rank.	Name.	From	To
1286	Private.	Munnajee Row ...	15th N. I.	4th Pioneers.
1292	"	Rungasawmy ...		
1300	"	Narrain Sing ...		
1301	"	Ramasawmy ...		
1302	"	Annasawmy ...		
1305	"	Abd-ur-rahim ...		
1319	"	Armoogum ...		
1320	"	Mooroogasoo ...		
1323	"	Akbar Sharif ...		
1328	"	Venketachellum ...		
1337	"	Rampersaud ...		
1341	"	Muhammad Mustan ...		
1343	"	Muhammad Usmán ...		
1349	"	Narrainsawmy ...		
1356	"	Muhammad Ghaus ...		
1357	"	Muhammad Qásim ...		
1358	"	Narrainsawmy ...		
1359	"	Muhammad Umar ...		
1364	"	Chowriappen ...		
1367	"	Moonesawmy ...		
1368	"	Poonasawmy ...		
1379	"	Moonesawmy ...		
1381	"	Siddiah... ...		
1391	"	Chendriah ...		
797	"	Permallee ...		
833	"	Lutchmanarainah ...		
914	"	Govindarajooloo ...		
1102	"	Kistnasawmy ...		
1200	"	Moonisawmy ...		
1260	"	Nabí Bakhsh Khán ...		
1306	"	Vurdarajooloo ...		
1369	"	Theromala Naidoo ...		
1409	"	Venketsawmy ...		
1421	"	Ramasawmy ...		
1438	"	Ramanah ...		
1457	"	Fakhr-ud-dín ...		
1474	"	Moothoo Naidoo ...		
1481	"	Venketsawmy ...		
1483	"	Gatharee Soobiah ...		
1057	"	Ramasawmy ...		
			27th N. I.	

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
 GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 6th November, 1884.

No. 565.—To G. O. C. C., No. 277 of 1884, after the words "Bangalore Division," add "and Cuddalore in the Eastern District."

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 566.—With the sanction of Government, British troops, marching in course of ordinary relief during the ensuing movement season, are to move with a 40 lb kit for each soldier.

The remainder of the authorized kit is to be sent from station of departure to destination by rail or country carts, as may be most convenient and economical.

No. 567.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant C. V. Hume, Royal Artillery, has been posted to S. Battery 1st Brigade.

No. 568.—* With reference to paras. 108 and 116 of Section V, of the Medical Code, a Board of Examiners will assemble at the Medical College on Saturday the 29th November 1884, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

President.

The Principal, Medical College.

Members.

A Professor of the Medical College.

Surgeon Major W. H. Roberts, M.D., Surgeon, 2nd District.

* The subjects of examination and form of report to be those prescribed in paras. 110 and 111, Section V of the Medical Code.

The undermentioned medical subordinates will appear before the Board :—

2nd Class Hospital Assistants.

- M. Veerasawmy Naidoo, No. 109, General Hospital.
 P. Suthananthum, No. 114, Sub-Collector's Establishment, Chingleput.
 E. Kalingaroyen Moodelly, No. 116, Head Assistant, Collector's Establishment, North Arcot.
 P. V. Ramasawmy Naidoo, No. 122, Head Assistant, Collector's Establishment, Nellore.

3rd Class Hospital Assistants.

- K. Ramen Numbiar, No. 173, Penitentiary, Madras.
 Khaja Hussain, No. 177, Triplicane Dispensary.
 Z. S. Sajaun Singh, No. 185, Civil Dispensary, Nellore.
 A. C. Ramanjooloo Naidu, No. 190, Nellore State Railway.
 C. Narasimooloo Naidu, No. 191, Civil Dispensary, Trivellore.
 B. Lutchmiah Naidu, No. 192, Civil Dispensary, Ponneri.
 P. V. Ramasawmy Moodelly, No. 197, doing duty Eye Infirmary.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 569.—The following departmental transfer is ordered :—

Captain W. A. Yule, Assistant Quartermaster General, British Burmah Division, is transferred to the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from the 1st December 1884, *vice*, Lieutenant Colonel (Bt.-Colonel) E. M. Norie, who vacates on completion of five years' tenure of appointment. To travel on duty at the public expense under paras. 514 (j) and 516, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 570.—The following transfers of men, at their own request, are ordered :—

No.	Rank and Name.		From.	To.
2582	Private	Rungasawmy ...	12th Regt. M.I.	26th Regt. M.I.
1420	"	Somiah ...	.....	21st " "
1437	"	Muhammad Ibráhim ...	25th " " }	27th " " }
1212	"	Soobaroyen ...		
1223	"	Venketarajoo ...		
1150	"	Rungiah ...	21st " " }	25th " " }
1096	"	Vencatasawmy ...		
1183	"	Saiyid Husain ...		
1219	"	Usmán Sharíf ...		

No. 571.—So much of the first three columns of G. O. C. C., No. 452 of 1884, as commences with the date “11th November 1884,” and ends with the date “23rd November 1884,” is cancelled and the following substituted:—

Leave or Arrive.		Place.	Date.
Leave	...	Ootacamund ...	11th November.
Arrive	...	Goondlepet ...	11th November.
Arrive	...	Mysore ...	12th November.
	Halt...	... ..	13th November.
Arrive	...	Hunsoor ...	14th November.
	Halt...	... ..	15th November.
Leave	...	Hunsoor ...	16th November.
Arrive	...	Mysore ...	16th November.
Leave	...	Mysore ...	17th November.
Arrive	...	Bangalore ...	17th November.
	Halt...	... ..	18th November.
Leave	...	Bangalore ...	19th November.
Arrive	...	Hyderabad for Secun- derabad.	21st November.
	Halt...	... ..	22nd Nov. to 12th Dec.

No. 572.—Captain W. Heaton, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, under orders for duty at his regimental depôt, will proceed to England in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 6th January 1885, and not, as ordered in G. O. C. C., No. 496 of 1884.

Captain Heaton will do duty with the time-expired men, &c., proceeding to Deolali from this Presidency for embarkation in the same vessel, under arrangements to be made by the General officer commanding the Eastern district.

No. 573.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Army Veterinary Department.—1st Class Veterinary Surgeon G. Durrant, to do duty with the Royal Artillery at Secunderabad, on arrival from England.

Veterinary Surgeon G. H. Fenton, to do duty with the 4th L.C., at Kamptee, on arrival from England.

12th Regiment Madras Infantry.—Lieutenant P. M. Carnegie, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, to be wing officer (on probation) to be graded regimentally next below Lieutenant J. F. Wilson, and, with the sanction of Government, to be a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 23rd October 1884.

33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.—Lieutenant C. F. Beville, 2nd Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 25th October 1884.

No. 574.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon E. R. DaCosta, doing duty Quetta District, to do general duty under the orders of the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force. To travel at the public expense under para. 514, clause (j), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 575.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the tests specified opposite their names :—

Bangalore, 20th October, 1884.

Lieutenant E. M. B. Newman, Royal Engineers.	} Higher Standard in Hindustani.
„ W. H. Johnson, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.	
Assistant Apothecary R. Selvey, Sub-Medical Department.	

Bolarum.

Lieutenant W. H. Lewin, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent,—Higher Standard test in Hindustani.

Kamptee.

Lieutenant F. C. Rynd, Welsh Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps, Higher Standard, Hindustani.

Secunderabad, 21st October, 1884.

Lieutenant E. C. Thwaytes, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Staff Corps.	} Higher Standard in Persian.
„ D. W. Purdon, Staff Corps, 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent.	
„ W. A. M. Wilson, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.	
Sergeant H. B. Horton, Head Quarters, Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.	

Lieutenant W. A. M. Wilson, 2nd Battalion Middlesex
Regiment.

„ F. Oswald, Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Cavalry,
Hyderabad Contingent.

Private E. Clarke, 14th Hussars.

„ J. Gray, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

} Lower Standard
in Persian.

No. 576.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 3rd and 7th October, 1884, respectively, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd October, 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Lieutenant William John Rant, from the 6th Dragoons, to be Captain, vice H. A. Case-Walker, resigned. Dated 4th October, 1884.

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Royal Artillery.

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Lieutenant Charles Darracott Scott to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, for service with the Punjab Frontier Force. Dated 11th September, 1884.

Lieutenant Arthur Forbes Montanaro to be Lieutenant upon the Seconded List, for service with the Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 12th September, 1884.

In consequence of the promotion of Majors Robinson and Adams, with effect from the 1st January, 1884, the dates of promotion of the undermentioned officers are altered as stated against their names :—

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Captain H. P. Hickman, 1st January, 1884.

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Captain W. F. G. Moberly, 9th January, 1884.

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Captain E. A. Burrows, 2nd July, 1884.

Captain C. H. Crofton, 2nd July, 1884.

Captain W. H.-H. Waters, 30th July, 1884.

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Captain C. E. Maturin, 14th August, 1884.

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Royal Engineers.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Hew Lindsay Prendergast (late Madras), to be Colonel, vice J. Mullins, removed as a General Officer. Dated 20th July, 1884.

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✓ Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Ross Thompson (late Madras), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice H. L. Prendergast Dated 20th July, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant Henry Porter, to be Captain, vice C. L. Mortimer, seconded. Dated 31st August, 1884.

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The Royal Scots Fusiliers.

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Quartermaster, with the honorary and relative rank of Captain, U. F. Lapham retires on retired pay. Dated 4th October, 1884.

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The South Staffordshire Regiment.—Major Charles H. Gordon-Short, from the Royal Munster Fusiliers, to be Major, vice L. C. Potts, who exchanges. Dated 4th October, 1884.

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The Royal Munster Fusiliers.—Major Lipton C. Potts, from the South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Major, vice C. H. Gordon-Short, who exchanges. Dated 4th October, 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

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Colonel John Mullins, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Major-General, vice J. G. Medley, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, retired. Dated 20th July, 1884.

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Quartermaster U. F. Lapham, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, to have the honorary and relative rank of Captain. Dated 30th September, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 7th October, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Oxfordshire Infantry.—Lieutenant Charles Edward H. Connell has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th September, 1884.

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BREVET.

Major James Law Lushington Morant, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of Article 11 ff. of the Royal Warrant of 10th June, 1884. Dated 22nd August, 1884.

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No. 577.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

Head Quarters, Simla, 16th October, 1884.

The following Postal Notice, dated 25th September 1884, is published for general information:—

A Postal Convention, to come into force from 1st October 1884, having been concluded with the Patiala State, correspondence of all kinds (including insured and value-payable articles), parcels, money orders, and India postal notes may be exchanged from that date between Imperial post offices in British India and post offices in that state.

2. The inland rates of postage and conditions relating to registered, insured, and value-payable articles, will apply to articles posted in British India for transmission to the Patiala state and *vice versâ*. The prepayment of parcel postage is, however, compulsory in both directions.

3. Money orders may be exchanged under the inland money order rates and conditions.

4. India postal notes sold by Patiala state post offices will be payable in British India, and notes sold by Imperial post offices will be payable in the Patiala state under the inland rates and conditions.

It is notified that copies of Army form B 138, "Scale of Fines for Drunkenness," can be procured free on application to the Contractor* for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

* * *

1st Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Major W. H. Wilson, on private affairs, pending retirement from the service.

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Head Quarters, Simla, 23rd October, 1884.

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Attention is directed to the following Horse Guards' general order, dated 1st September 1884:—

G. O. 150—Musketry.

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The undermentioned officer is qualified for promotion to the rank of Captain:—

Lieutenant A. F. Mockler-Ferryman, Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant S. L. V. Crealock, Somersetshire Light Infantry, recently promoted from the 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment, is directed to proceed to Rangoon, to join the 2nd Battalion of his regiment, to which he has been posted. Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (b); and Part II, para. 520.

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* Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

No. 578.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished:—

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Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 24th October 1884.
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444. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay on the 7th November 1884, in H. M.'s Indian Troop-ship *Junna*:—

CORPS OR BATTERIES.	Troops, Batteries or Companies.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters or Drummers.	Rank and File.	Officers' Families.				Soldiers' Families.		Destination.	REMARKS.
										Wives.	Children.	Male Servants.	Female Servants.	Wives.	Children.		
* Royal Horse Artillery "B" Brigade.	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	69	1	2	...	1	...	...	*	*
* Royal Artillery. 1st Brigade 2nd Brigade	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	2	77	...	...	...	...	(b) 5	8	{ Vide annexed distribution.	
	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	(c) 1	...		
* Madras Ordnance Dept.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
* Madras Ordnance Dept.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	(a)	...

(a) To join as ordered.

(b) Includes the wives of Gunners J. Hilling and Spencer, F/1st, R.A.

(c) Wife of Gunner Sullivan, "M" 2nd, R.A.

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Detail of Royal Artillery Drafts proceeding to India in H. M. *Jumna*, due at Bombay on 7th November 1884:—

"B" Brigade R. H. A.

To join.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Bombardiers	Gunners.	Drivers.	Wheelers.	Trumpeters.	Total.	Station.
* E Battery *	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
M " *	*	*	*	12	5	...	...	17	Bangalore.
" *	*	*	*	12	9	...	...	21	Secunderabad.
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1st Brigade R. A.

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2nd Brigade R. A.

To join.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Bombardiers	Gunners.	Drivers.	Wheelers.	Trumpeters.	Total.	Station.
* M Battery ... *	* ... *	* ... *	* ... *	* 12 *	* 8 *	* ... *	* ... *	* 20 *	* Bangalore. *

No. 579.—The following order is confirmed :—

27th October 1884.—By the Officer commanding Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Captain W. B. Hoggan, D. Battery, 1st Brigade, to act as Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, *vice* Captain Yates, appointed Staff Officer at Wellington.

No. 580.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Staff Corps.—Colonel J. W. Orr, Commandant, 19th Regiment M. I., for one day in extension of the privilege leave granted him by the General officer commanding the Western district, on private affairs, under the furlough rules of 1868 and paras. 1430 and 1431, Madras Army Regulations.

Manchester Regiment.—Lieutenant G. H. Kirwan, officiating wing officer, 17th Regiment M. I., (on probation) from 10th November 1884, or date of departure, for six months, to Madras, to study the native languages.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 13th November, 1884.

No. 581.—The Government of India having sanctioned the formation of a Camp for the purpose of carrying out combined instruction of Royal Artillery and Sappers and Miners in Siege operations and practice, No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade North Irish Division, and No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade Welsh Division, Royal Artillery, will proceed by rail from Madras to Krishnarajpuram on the 2nd January 1885.

Military Department Telegram
No. 1034 S. C., dated 6th October
1884.

2. From Krishnarajpuram the batteries will march with a Siege Equipment to the Camp prepared for them under the orders of the General officer commanding Bangalore division.

3. A Lieutenant-Colonel to command, with an Adjutant and clerk, will be detailed hereafter.

Medical arrangements will be made by the divisional authorities.

4. Cattle for moving the Siege Arms, &c., will be provided by the Commissariat on the requisition of the Lieutenant-Colonel commanding, under the orders of the General officer commanding, Bangalore division.

5. The General officer commanding the division will also make the necessary arrangements for the attendance of a detachment of Sappers and Miners.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 582.—A class (No. 51) for instruction in Military Signalling will assemble at Bangalore on the 10th December 1884, and will be composed of non-commissioned officers and soldiers.

from *Native* regiments to be detailed by general officers commanding as follows :—

N.-C. Officers and Soldiers.

3rd Light Cavalry	...	...	...	2
4th do. do.	...	...	...	2
2nd Regiment Madras Infantry	...	...	...	2
6th do. do.	do.	do.	...	2
7th do. do.	do.	do.	...	2
8th do. do.	do.	do.	...	2
11th do. do.	do.	do.	...	2
16th do. do.	do.	do.	...	2
17th do. do.	do.	do.	...	2
19th do. do.	do.	do.	...	2

Total... 20

2. The ranks and names of parties detailed are to be reported to the General officer commanding Bangalore division.

3. Commanding officers are required to give their attention to the following points in making their selection :—

- (a) The service of selected candidates is not to exceed 15 years.
- (b) The men to be medically examined as to the fitness of their sight.
- (c) Candidates should be able to spell in English correctly and to write it legibly.
- (d) The men should be smart, intelligent and of good character.

4. Men are required to take their great coats with them.

5. At the conclusion of the course, the parties will rejoin their regiments under the orders of the General officer commanding the Bangalore division.

No. 583.—In the last column of G.O.C.C., No. 452 of 1884, opposite “Secunderabad 21st November” insert “Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry.”

No. 584.—With reference to G.O.C.C., No. 539 of 1884, Lieutenant E. J. E. Swayne, 2nd Battalion, The Welsh Regiment, who has been transferred to the Bengal Presidency

as a probationer for the Bengal Staff Corps, is directed to join the 16th Bengal Infantry at Fyzabad. On duty at the public expense, under para. 530, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 585.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Orchard, Staff Corps, on return from furlough, to do general duty at Madras.

No. 586.—Lieutenant P. B. Baldwin, Royal Engineers, whose tour of Indian Service has expired, will proceed to England in the troopship leaving Bombay on the 21st November 1884, reporting himself on arrival to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Engineers, Horse Guards. To travel at the public expense under Transport Regulations, para. 513 (j), Part II and para. 265, Part I.

No. 587.—Colonel F. E. Hadow, who has been posted to this Presidency to command an Artillery District, is appointed to command the Royal Artillery, British Burmah Division.

No. 588.—The name of Captain *the Hon.* U. de R. B. Roche, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, is substituted for that of Lieutenant Ralli, 12th Royal Lancers, in the list of officers detailed in G. O. C. C., No. 487 of 1884, to attend the present garrison class at Bangalore.

No. 589.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment:—

23rd Regiment L. I.—Captain M. E. H. O. Welch, Staff Corps, to be wing officer, and to be graded regimentally next above Lieutenant Way. To join at Hoshungabad.

No. 590.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting:—

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon A. J. O'Hara to do general duty under the orders of the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force. To travel at the public expense under clause (j), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 591.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

Thayetmyo, 20th October 1884.

Sub-Assistant Apothecary M. N. Ryland, Sub-Medical Department.

Lance Corporal J. Palmer, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regt.

Madras, 3rd November, 1884.

Lieutenant W. Kirkpatrick, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

Driver A. Peartson, Q/1st Royal Artillery.

Bangalore.

Major G. R. R. Poole, 12th Lancers.

Lieutenant W. F. H. Hinde, 12th Lancers.

„ H. T. Brooking, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

Sub-Assistant Apothecary W. P. B. Hart, Sub-Medical Department.

Corporal P. Connor, Royal Engineers.

„ Dycer, do.

Private Bowers, 12th Lancers.

„ Micklethwaite, 12th Lancers.

Gunner T. Hall, E/B Royal Horse Artillery.

Private Gibbons, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I.

Bellary.

Surgeon H. Thomson, Indian Medical Department.

Cannanore.

Private W. Wood, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

„ F. Cowlett, do. do. do.

No. 592.—The undermentioned officers and warrant officers have leave of absence :—

The Lothian Regiment.—Lieutenant F. C. Logan-Horne, squadron officer, (on probation) 3rd Light Cavalry, for six months, from 6th November 1884, or date of departure. Madras, to study the Native languages.

Army Pay Department.—Captain C. R. Taaffe, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, for one month, in extension of the leave granted him by the General officer commanding British Burmah division.

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon M. E. Fitzgerald, for three months, on Medical certificate, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C.C., No. 409 of 1884.

Subordinate Medical Department.—Second grade Apothecary H. Hawkes, for three months, on Medical certificate, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C.C., No. 310 of 1884.

Barrack Department.—Sub-Conductor C. Illingworth, Barrack Master, 2nd Class, for sixty days, from 10th November 1884, or date of departure under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. India, private affairs—the first thirty-two days on full pay and allowances, under subsidiary Rule III.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant A. B. H. Northcott, for twelve months, on Medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 20th November, 1884.

No. 593.—With reference to Proceedings of Government, Military Department, Nos. 1567, dated 28th March, and 5607, dated 12th November 1884, Brigade Surgeon J. Henderson, M.D., is directed to do duty at the office of the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Bangalore Division and Ceded district.

No. 594.—Lieutenant F. V. S. Churchill, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, doing duty at the depôt, Wellington, is directed to rejoin his battalion at Madras and embark with it for Burmah. On duty at the public expense, under para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 595.—Lieutenant D. G. L. Shaw, wing officer 14th Regiment M. I. (on probation), is, under instructions received from Government, directed to join the 1st Punjaub Cavalry. On duty at the public expense under para. 514 (*w*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 596.—The name of Lieutenant the Hon'ble C. J. White, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, is added to the list of officers detailed in G. O. C. C., No. 414 of 1884, for duty with regimental depôts in relief of Lieutenant de Trafford, Lieutenant Porter having been posted, on promotion, to the 1st Battalion Royal Fusiliers.

No. 597.—The following transfers are ordered :—

	From	To	
Army Schoolmaster A. Apps.	{ Royal Artillery, Bangalore. }	2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.	{ To join at Madras on the 29th No- vember 1884. }
Army Schoolmaster H. J. Seed.	{ 2nd Battalion Middlesex Re- giment. }	Royal Artillery, Bangalore.	{ To leave Secundera- bad on being re- lieved by School- master Morrison. }
Army Schoolmaster J. Morrison.	{ Depôt, Welling- ton. }	2nd Battalion Middlesex Re- giment.	{ To proceed and join at once. }
Army Schoolmaster A. C. Sherwood.	{ 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers }	Royal Artillery, Saint Thomas' Mount.	{ To proceed and join at Saint Thomas' Mount on the 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers at Bel- lary, being closed. }

No. 598.—The following transfers of boys, at their own request, are ordered, with effect from the 15th November 1884:—

No.	Rank and Name.	From	To
76	Pension Boy Manicum	15th M. I.	27th M. I.
93	„ „ Nursiah	27th M. I.	15th M. I.

No. 599.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

British Burmah Division.—Deputy Surgeon General G. Bidie, M.B., C.I.E., to the Administrative Medical charge, Her Majesty's Forces.

Army Medical Department.—Surgeon Major A. Lewer, on arrival from England, to do general duty at Bangalore.

Surgeon T. R. Morse, on arrival from England, to do duty at the Station Hospital, Secunderabad.

Expeditionusly at the public expense under clause (b), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Surgeon T. A. P. Marsh, doing duty Station Hospital, Rangoon (now at Toungoo), to do duty Station Hospital, Toungco.

Brigade Surgeon J. Jameson, M. D., to the medical charge, European Female General Hospital, Bangalore.

Surgeon Major J. B. Kelly, in medical charge, European Female General Hospital, Bangalore, to do general duty at Bangalore.

No. 600.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani:—

Rangoon, 20th October, 1884.

Lieutenant F. Duncan, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I.

Madras, 3rd November, 1884.

Lieutenant A. J. Richardson, East Yorkshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

„ H. T. D. Wilkinson, 1st Battalion Essex Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 601.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani:—

Secunderabad, 3rd November, 1884.

Surgeon F. H. M. Burton, Army Medical Department.

„ W. B. Bannerman, Indian Medical Department.

Lieutenant W. A. F. Burn, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regt.

Corporal J. McKenna, do. do.

Private F. Hale, do. do.

Sergeant J. Key, Barrack Department.

„ F. Hicks, Royal Engineers.

Bombardier W. Stephens, Royal Artillery.

Corporal H. Whitehead, do.

„ J. Whearty, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Private J. B. Duncan, do do do.

Kamptee.

Lieutenant H. S. Belli-Bivar, 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Lance Corporal F. Larkin, 2nd Bn. Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Private J. Brown, do. do. do. do.

„ M. Holmes, do. do. do. do.

„ W. Vamals, do. do. do. do.

„ S. Emmet, do. do. do. do.

„ J. Neuzerling, do. do. do. do.

No. 602.—The following extracts, from the *London Gazette*, dated 17th and 21st October, 1884, respectively, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 17th October, 1884.

LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—The restoration to the Establishment of Lieutenant Arthur Henry L. Bagot, dated 11th June, 1884, is cancelled.

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The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Colour-Sergeant Robert James Boddy to be Quartermaster, vice U. F. Lapham, retired. Dated 18th October, 1884.

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The Worcestershire Regiment.—Lieutenant Edward A. I. Pym, who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, vice C. M. Edwards appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 18th October, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 21st October, 1884.

Royal Artillery.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas William Roberts (late Madras) has retired upon a pension and extra annuity, with the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 7th May, 1884.

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No. 603.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Head Quarters, Simla, 27th October, 1884.

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Addenda.—The name of Armorer Serjeant J. Barber, attached to the Ordnance Store department, Madras, having been inadvertently omitted from the list of promotions, published in Horse Guards' memorandum, dated 1st December 1883, his name is, under the authority of Horse Guards, to be added to

the list of armorer sergeants promoted, with effect from 1st April 1883, to be armorer sergeants of the 1st class, at page 306, of G.O.C.C., dated 1st September 1884.*

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Head Quarters, Simla, 29th October, 1884.

It is notified that the Government of India has sanctioned British Cavalry corps making their own arrangements for the supply of helmets, on the understanding that no extra expense is thereby caused to the State.

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No. 604.—The following extract, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,
7th November, 1884.*

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470. The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

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23rd Regiment N. L. I.—Lieutenant W. A. M. Wilson, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, a candidate for the Staff Corps, to officiate as wing officer on probation. Dated 3rd November, 1884.

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No. 605.—The following order is confirmed :—

9th November 1884.—By the officer commanding, Trivandrum, appointing Lieutenant J. A. Wyllie, Staff Corps, to the charge of pensioners and holders of family certificates.

No. 606.—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Army Education Department.—Colonel C. J. Jennings, Superintendent of Army Schools, 90 days' privilege leave, from the 20th January 1885, or date of departure.

Infantry.—Colonel G. W. Cole, from the 16th November, to the 31st December 1884, on private affairs, under the furlough rules of 1868, Yercaud.

1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I.—Major W. H. Wilson, on private affairs, pending retirement from the service, India.

Leave of absence :—

2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that His Royal Highness, the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, has been pleased to grant Lieutenant-Colonel T. A. Cary, leave of absence, on the recommendation of a Medical Board, from the 1st November 1884, to the 14th April 1885.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Erratum.—In G. O. C. C., No. 381 of 1884, granting leave to Surgeon Major C. R. G. Parker, Indian Medical Department, for “4th August” read “3rd August.”

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 27th November, 1884.

No. 607.—The Horse Guards having approved of Captain C. V. Trower, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, remaining at the regimental depôt, the name of Captain W. Heaton is removed from the list of officers detailed in G. O. C. C., No. 414 of 1884 for duty at their regimental depôts, and G. O. C. C., No. 572 of 1884 is hereby cancelled.

No. 608.—Intimation has been received from the Director General of Military education that army schoolmaster James B. Hughes has been transferred from the 1st Battalion Middlesex Regiment, to the 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers. On arrival of this schoolmaster at Bombay, he will proceed to Madras to take up his appointment.

No. 609.—Major C. H. Sheppard, Staff Corps, wing officer 11th Regiment M. I., has passed an examination in military law, qualifying for appointment in the Judge Advocate General's department.

No. 610.—Lieutenant A. J. Richardson, officiating wing officer (on probation) 13th Regiment M. I., will do duty with the 22nd Regiment M. I., till the 10th February next, when he will rejoin his regiment at Bellary.

No. 611.—The name of Captain F. D. Lumley, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, is added to the list of officers detailed in G. O. C. C., No. 414 of 1884, for duty with regimental depôts in relief of Captain Westmacott, and that of Captain Schuyler, removed therefrom.

No. 612.—The following transfers of men, at their own request, are ordered :—

No.	Rank and Name.		From	To
3351	Private	Lutchmiah ...	} 12th Regi- ment M. I.	} 26th Regi- ment M. I.
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No. 613.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

14th Regiment M. I.—Lieutenant H. Lawson, wing officer and officiating Quartermaster, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

17th Regiment M. I.—Lieutenant R. D. MacDonnell, wing officer and officiating Quartermaster, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

26th Regiment M. I.—Lieutenant J. W. Parker, wing officer and officiating Quartermaster, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

27th Regiment M. I.—Lieutenant H. G. Sutton, wing officer and officiating Quartermaster, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

33rd Regiment M. I.—Lieutenant A. Ffrench, wing officer and officiating Quartermaster, is confirmed in the latter appointment.

The undermentioned officers, who have been appointed Probationers for the Madras Staff Corps, under the provisions of Special India Army Circular, dated 15th November, 1884, to be officiating wing officers (on probation) of the regiments specified against their names :—

1st Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers, Lieutenant A. R. Denne, 2nd Regiment M. I.

1st Battalion Royal Sussex Regiment, Lieutenant O. G. Ievers, 8th Regiment M. I.

1st Battalion Berkshire Regiment, Lieutenant A. Nicholls, 11th Regiment M. I.

1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Lieutenant S. H. Pelly, 26th Regiment M. I.

2nd Battalion Essex Regiment, Lieutenant W. B. Young, 5th Regiment M. I.

2nd Battalion Northamptonshire Regiment, Lieutenant A. E. Woods, 24th Regiment M. I.

No. 614.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani:—

Secunderabad, 20th October, 1884.

Captain T. F. T. Fowle, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant C. T. Caulfeild, Royal Artillery.

„ H. McA. Johnston, 2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers.

„ E. W. S. K. Maconchy, East Yorkshire Regiment,
Probationer, Staff Corps.

Surgeon A. O. Evans, Indian Medical Department.

Ellichpur.

Lieutenant R. Percy-Smith, Royal Artillery.

No. 615.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani:—

Rangoon, 3rd November, 1884.

Surgeon Major D. C. W. Heather, Army Medical department.

Corporal E. H. Lee, Ordnance department.

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Quartermaster Sergeant McCaw, 8/1st London Division, R. A.

Acting Bombardier T. Maher, do. do.

Sergeant J. Gallagher, Commissariat department.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 616.—Referring to G.O.C.C., No. 477 of 1884, page 262, it is notified that the sixth outward and homeward voyages of the troopship programme, viz., those of the “Crocodile” arriving at Bombay on the 7th January 1885, and leaving on the 17th idem, have been cancelled, and that vessel will take the place of the “Serapis” and arrive at Bombay on the 14th January leaving on the 27th idem.

No. 617.—The following extracts, from the *London Gazettes*, dated 24th and 28th October, 1884, respectively, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 24th October, 1884.

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12th Lancers.—Lieutenant John H. Learmonth to be Captain, vice P. Montagu, seconded. Dated 25th October, 1884.

Lieutenant Wyndham G. Rennie, from the 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice J. H. Learmonth. Dated 25th October, 1884.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant Graham C. Herbert, to be Captain, vice R. L. Appleyard, retired on half-pay. Dated 24th September, 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant John R. Mathewes has been appointed a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 11th August, 1884.

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The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).—Captain Richard C. Thornton, to be Major, vice S. G. Huskisson, promoted. Dated 28th June, 1884.

Lieutenant Francis D. Lumley, to be Captain, vice R. C. Thornton. Dated 28th June, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 28th October, 1884.

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Royal Artillery.

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Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Doyne Anderson Straker (late Madras), to be Lieutenant-Colonel Supernumerary to the Establishment, vice T. W. Roberts (late Madras), retired. Dated 7th May, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant William Stewart is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 29th October, 1884.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Henry John Thornton, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Colonel. Dated 27th October, 1884.

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No. 613.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 5th November, 1884.

In continuation of G. O. C. C.,* dated 11th June 1884, page 170, it is notified for general information that the Government of India have been pleased to sanction the remission of customs duty on Morris' tubes and patent ammunition, when imported by officers commanding British and Native regiments, for the instruction of their men.

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Army Book 193, "Register of letters received," referred to in the Queen's Regulations, section XXII, para. I (a), has been introduced into India, and copies can be obtained on payment from the Contractor† for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

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The leave to England, on private affairs, granted to Major J. F. Hornby, 12th Lancers, in G. O. C. C.,‡ dated the 4th September 1883, page 350, is extended to the 20th February 1885.

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Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 7th November, 1884.

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The candidates named below have been declared by the board of examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the higher standard in Hindustani, agreeably to section 24, Bengal Army Regulations* :—

6th October, 1884.

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Lieutenant T. Quin, Manchester Regiment, attached 3rd Sikh Infantry, on probation.

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Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 12th November, 1884.

It is notified that Army Books 82 and 127, referred to in the Queen's Regulations, section XXII, para. 1 (a), have been

* G.O.C.C., No. 353 of 1884. † Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

‡ G.O.C.C., No. 470 of 1883, page 309. § Section 23, Madras Army Regulations.

introduced into India, and copies can be obtained on payment from the Contractor* for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

It is notified that Bengal Forms Nos. 573† and 578, "Register of Target Practice," and "Annual Target Practice Return," Native troops, have been revised, and applications are to be submitted to the Superintendent* of Government Printing, Calcutta, for the authorised number of copies for use during the current season.

Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for War, the following officers of the Army Pay department who have completed, or are about to complete, a tour of foreign service, will proceed to England during the present trooping season, and will embark at Bombay on the dates specified. To travel at the public expense under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256 (a); and Part II, para. 513 (d):—

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Paymaster and Honorary Major A. H. Haldane, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment, 19th April, 1885.

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Captain H. A. D. Curtis, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed from Lahore to St. Thomas' Mount, at his own expense, and join Q Battery 1st Brigade, into which he has been permitted to exchange.

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The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

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2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.—Lieutenant and Adjutant N. W. Barnardiston, for nine months, on private affairs.

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No. 619.—The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence:—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. J. B. Simpson, wing commander and officiating 2nd in command, 12th Regiment M. I., for three days, under para. 772, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, in extension of the privilege leave granted him by the General officer commanding the Eastern district.

*Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras. †M. M. Forms 760 and 762.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. F. Moore, 2nd in command, *sub. pro tem.* 14th Regiment M. L., for six months, medical certificate, Madras, under the Furlough Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Middlecoat, Commandant European Veterans, from 4th December, 1884, to 6th January, 1885, in continuation of the leave granted him in G. O. C. C., No. 449 of 1884, Bangalore, private affairs, under the Furlough Rules of 1854.

Lieutenant C. W. W. Burton, wing officer and Adjutant, 8th Regiment M. L., from 16th October 1884, for 22 days, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875, Nagpur, on full pay and allowances under Subsidiary Rule III.

12th Royal Lancers.—Lieutenant-Colonel *Hon'ble* W. J. Stewart, from the 13th November, or date of departure, to the 12th December, 1884, private affairs, Secunderabad.

Lieutenant J. H. Massy-Westropp, from 10th November, or date of departure, to the 5th December, 1884, private affairs, Secunderabad.

Royal Horse Artillery.—Major A. D. Anderson, E. battery B. brigade; from 21st November, or date of departure, to 5th December, 1884, private affairs, Secunderabad.

2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I.—Lieutenant R. P. Hooper, from 4th November 1884, or date of departure, for three months, pending retirement, Bombay.

Sub-Medical Department.—1st Grade Assistant Apothecary H. A. Henderson, for six months, on medical certificate, from date of departure, under rule X, Furlough Regulations, 1875, Bangalore and Madras.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 4th December, 1884.

No. 620.—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Captain F. M. Turner, from the Seconded List, has been posted to No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade, North Irish Division, Royal Artillery, *vice* T. H. E. Acton, appointed Adjutant of Auxiliary Artillery.

No. 621.—In G.O.C.C., No. 539 of 1884, appointing Lieutenant C. E. H. Connell, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., officiating wing officer (on probation) 6th Regiment M.I., for "India Army Circular, Clause 61 of 1882," substitute "Special India Army Circular, dated 15th November, 1884."

No. 622.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

15th Regiment M.I.—Jemadar Ram Sing, to be Native Adjutant.

19th Regiment M. I.—Lieutenant A. S. Rooke, 2nd Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a Probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 24th November, 1884.

No. 623.—The undermentioned officers are reported to have passed the tests specified opposite their names :—

Bangalore, 15th November, 1884.

Captain N. J. Nugent, S/1st Royal Artillery, Lower Standard in Persian.

Cannanore, 20th November, 1884.

Lieutenant R. H. Gill, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, Higher Standard in Hindustani,

No. 624.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 4th November, 1884, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th November, 1884.

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The Lincolnshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Louis James Andrews, has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 14th August, 1884.

The Suffolk Regiment.—Lieutenant Charles Cecil A. Sillery has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 14th August, 1884.

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No. 625.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 19th November, 1884.

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Attention is invited to Army Circulars, clause 186, "Gratuities for Long Service and Good Conduct," and Horse Guards' general order No. 170, "Good Conduct Medals," dated 1st October, 1884.

Attention is called to the following Horse Guards' general orders, dated 1st October, 1884 :—

Corrections to the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army—

- G. O. 162. "Army Reserve."
- " 164. "Defaulter Books."
- " 165. "Discharges."
- " 166. "Discipline."
- " 168. "Hospitals."
- " 171. "Ordnance Artificers."
- " 172. "Routes."

"2. Books will be corrected accordingly.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

13th Madras Native Infantry.—Colonel H. H. C. G. Warrington, (Madras Infantry,) to remain at Mussoorie, on medical certificate, from the 16th October to the 23rd December 1884, under the furlough rules of 1868, in extension of the leave granted to him in *G. O. C. C., dated the 2nd October, 1884, page 374.

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No. 626.—The following extract, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,
21st November, 1884.*

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501. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, viz. :—

SINDHI—Higher Standard.

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Lieutenant C. F. Beville, 2nd Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment.

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HINDUSTANI—Higher Standard.

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Lieutenant F. C. Grant, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers (attached 1st C. I. Horse).

Lieutenant S. M. Mason, 3rd Infantry Hyderabad Contingent.

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No. 627.—The following orders are confirmed :—

27th October, 1884.—By the General officer commanding, British Burmah division, appointing Lieutenant H. H. Butler, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp to Major General L. W. Buck, Commanding the division, from the 16th Instant, without prejudice to his other duties.

31st October, 1884.—By the officer commanding Port Blair and Nicobars, appointing Captain D. D. Pryce, 9th Regiment M. I., Station Staff Officer, *vice* Lieutenant Cox, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I., proceeding to join the depôt of his regiment.

8th November, 1884.—By the General officer commanding Western district, appointing Captain C. W. Walker, 19th Regiment M. I., to officiate as Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Western district, without prejudice to his regimental duties, *vice* Lieutenant Andrews, relieved.

11th November 1884.—By the officer commanding Thayetmyo, appointing Colonel D. Shaw, Staff Corps, to command the garrison of Thayetmyo, *vice* Colonel H. G. Puckle, 28th Regiment M. I., relieved.

No. 628.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Royal Artillery.—Major A. J. Lavie, P. Battery 1st Brigade, for twelve months, on medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 11th December, 1884.

No. 629.—The Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that officers, applying for admission on probation to the Madras Staff Corps, should prepare their applications in accordance with the forms furnished to General officers commanding divisions and districts with Adjutant General's memorandum, dated the 11th November, 1878.

The candidate's record of service on M. M. Form No. 366, together with the certificates and declaration prescribed in India Army Circular, special, dated the 15th November, 1884, must also accompany the application as heretofore agreeably to S. G. O., No. 7 of 1880.

No. 630.—Lieutenant R. H. D. Thring, officiating squadron officer (on probation) 1st Regiment L. C., a probationer for the Staff Corps, will proceed to Bellary for the purpose of being examined for final admission to the Staff Corps, under para. 135, Madras Army Regulations. To and fro on duty at the public expense, under para. 514, clause (h), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 631.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to approve of the Committee of Paymastership, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I., ordered in G. O. C. C., No. 311 of 1884, being reconstructed as follows, in consequence of Lieutenant Duncan joining the Bengal Staff Corps:—

President.

Major W. Cox.

Members.

Captain C. H. Smith.
Lieutenant F. M. Peacock.

Captain Smith will perform the duties of Paymaster and sign all documents on the responsibility of the Committee.

No. 632.--Under the provisions of Article 372, of the Royal Warrant, dated 10th June 1884, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to sanction the formation of the following Committee of Paymastership in the 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, with effect from the 25th November, 1884:—

President.

Major H. P. Law.

Members.

Captain A. W. Collings.
Lieutenant F. A. L. Davidson.

Captain Collings will perform the duties of Paymaster on the responsibility of the Committee.

No. 633.--Army Schoolmaster Hubert Wood, transferred from the 1st Battalion West Yorkshire Regiment to this presidency in place of Schoolmaster H. W. Smith, is posted for duty to the 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers. On arrival of this Schoolmaster at Bombay, he will proceed to Cannanore to take up his appointment.

No. 634.—The following transfers of men, at their own request, are ordered, with effect from the 20th December, 1884.

Regimental No.	Rank.	Name.	From	To
3186	Private	Francis	30th Regt. M. I.	26th Regt. M. I.
3209	Private	Mooneesawmy	Do.	Do.

No. 635.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

1st Regiment L. C.—Lieutenant W. G. H. Stirling, 6th Dragoon Guards, to be officiating squadron officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 29th November, 1884.

30th Regiment M. I.—Lieutenant R. W. Falcon, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 2nd December, 1884.

No. 636.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

Medical Staff.—Surgeon Major W. Robertson, M. B., senior medical officer of the station hospital, Rangoon, to be senior medical officer of the station hospital, Poonamallee. To accompany the 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, when relieved. Expeditiously at the public expense under clause (e), para. 213, Transport Regulations, Part I, and clause (j), para. 514, Part II.

This cancels so much of G. O. C. C., No. 471 of 1884 as refers to Surgeon Major Robertson.

Surgeon Major W. C. Grant, M. B., senior medical officer of the station hospital, Poonamallee, to do duty, station hospital, Wellington, when relieved. Expeditiously at the public expense under clause (j), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon A. P. Adams, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Military department, to do general duty, Bangalore division and Ceded district.

Surgeon G. H. Fink, doing general duty, Eastern district, to do general duty, British Burmah division. To travel at the public expense under clause (j), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 637.—Referring to G. O. C. C., No. 616 of 1884, it is hereby notified that the two troopships the "Crocodile" and "Serapis" will change places in the programme on the 10th and 11th voyages of the season.

No. 638.—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the tests specified opposite their names :—

Rangoon, 3rd November, 1884.

No. 21070, Bombardier William Walsh, No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade, Eastern Division, Royal Artillery, Higher Standard in Burmese.

Madras, 1st December, 1884.

Lieutenant C. W. Field, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, Lower Standard in Hindustani.

Private R. Soper, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, Lower Standard in Hindustani.

Gunner W. Leaky, 1/1st Royal Artillery, Lower Standard in Hindustani.

No. 639.—The undermentioned officer and warrant officers have leave of absence :—

Army Pay Department.—Captain H. J. Meares, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, from the 2nd October, 1884, for four months, or to date of arrival of his battalion at Bellary, private affairs.

Sub-Medical Department.—First Grade Apothecary C. M. Antonio, for six months, from date of departure, under the furlough rules of 1868, private affairs, India.

First Grade Assistant Apothecary J. Frost, for sixty days, from the 15th December, 1884, or date of departure, under Rule 10 of the furlough regulations of 1875, on full pay and allowances, under subsidiary Rule III.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Errata.—In G. O. C. C., No. 601 of 1884, for “Sergeant F. Hicks, Royal Engineers,” read “Sergeant F. Nicks, Royal Engineers,” and, for “Private J. B. Duncan, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers,” read “Paymaster Sergeant J. B. Duncan, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers.”

In G.O.C.C., No. 564 of 1884, publishing the names of certain volunteers from the 15th Regiment M. I., to the 4th Regiment M. I. (Pioneers),

for No. 1163 Private Shaikh Imam,
 No. 1358 „ Narrainsawmy;
 read No. 1163 Private Shaikh Mahmūd,
 No. 1355 „ Maurasawmy.

Registered No. 1 of 1884.

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 18th December, 1884.

No. 640.—At a General Court Martial held at Bangalore on the 26th November, 1884, No. $\frac{\text{Oxford}}{424}$, Private Michael McCormick, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., was arraigned on the following charge :—

Charge.

Using violence to his superior officer, being in the execution of his office,

in that

at Bangalore, on the 12th October, 1884, he discharged a rifle loaded with gunpowder and a bullet at Corporal Joseph William Ford, of the same battalion, his superior officer, whereby he wounded the said Corporal Joseph William Ford, who was in the execution of his office.

Finding.

The Court find that the prisoner No. $\frac{\text{Oxford}}{424}$, Private Michael McCormick, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., is guilty of the charge.

Sentence.

The Court sentence the prisoner No. $\frac{\text{Oxford}}{424}$, Private Michael McCormick, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., to suffer penal servitude for life.

(Sd.) A. D. PARSONS, COLONEL,

President.

BANGALORE,
26th November, 1884.

(Confirmed.)

(Sd.) FRED. ROBERTS, LIEUT.-GENERAL,

Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army.

BOLARUM,
5th December, 1884.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

Registered No. 1 of 1884.

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 18th December, 1884.

No. 641.—At a General Court Martial assembled at Quilon, on the 27th October, 1884, Private No. 1550, Pitchamootoo, 6th Regiment M. I., was arraigned on the following charge:—

Charge.

That he, Pitchamootoo, on or about the 7th March, 1884, at Tagaridavasom in the territories of His Highness the Maharajah of Travancore, committed murder, by causing the death of one Changaren, and thereby committed an offence punishable under section 302 of the Indian Penal Code, and within the cognizance of a General Court Martial.

Finding.

The Court find that the prisoner, No. 1550, Pitchamootoo, 6th Regiment M. I., is not guilty of murder, but guilty of culpable homicide not amounting to murder.

Sentence.

The Court sentence the prisoner No. 1550, Pitchamootoo, 6th Regiment M. I., to suffer rigorous imprisonment for three years.

(Sd.) LAUL KHAN, SUBADAR-MAJOR,

QUILON,
1st November, 1884.

6th Regiment M. I., President.

Revised Finding.

The Court having attentively considered the observations of the revising officer, and the whole of the proceedings, do now respectfully adhere to their former finding.

Revised Sentence.

The Court do now revoke their former sentence, and now sentence the prisoner, No. 1550, Private Pitchamootoo, 6th Regiment M. I., to suffer rigorous imprisonment for seven years.

(Sd.) LAUL KHAN, SUBADAR-MAJOR,

6th Regiment M. I., President.

QUILON,
10th November, 1884.

(Confirmed.)

(Sd.) FRED. ROBERTS, LIEUT.-GENERAL,

Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army.

BOLARUM,
9th December, 1884.

The foregoing extract to be read to all Native Troops in the Madras Army.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 18th December, 1884.

No. 642.—TIME-EXPIRED men, invalids, insanes, ignominy awaiting passage to England from the Madras Presidency, have Bombay in 1885, as follows :—

Voyage of Troopship.	Name of Troopship.	Date of leaving Bombay.	Divisions and Stations.	Troops.
5th	"Malabar."	6th January 1885.	Bangalore Division.	1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I.
			Western District.	Short service men whose time will expire by the 1st December, 1884.
			Ceded District.	do. do. do.
			B. B. Division.	2nd Bedfordshire Regiment, (time-expired by 1st January 1885, now at Deolali and other details.)
			H. S. Force	I/3rd Brigade, R. A., and 14th Hussars.
			Nagpore Force.	O/1st Brigade, R.A. ...
			Madras ...	Ordnance Department ...
6th	"Crocodile."	27th January 1885.	Eastern District.	Long service men whose time will expire by 1st December 1884, and 1st January 1885.
				Short service men do. do.
				Military Prisoners ...
			Bangalore.	Long service men whose time will expire by 1st December 1884, and 1st January 1885, and free discharged, &c.
				Short service men do. do.

Voyage of Troopship.	Name of Troopship.	Date of leaving Bom- bay.	Divisions. and Stations.	Troops.
6th	"Crocodile."	27th January 1885.	Wellington Ceded District. Western District. H. S. Force. Nagpore Force. B. B. Di- vision.	Short service men whose time will expire by 1st December 1884 and 1st January 1885, free discharged, &c. Long service men do. do. Short service men do. do. Do. 1st January 1885. Do. do. do. Long service men do. do. Long service men whose time will expire by 1st December 1884, and 1st January 1885. Short service men do. do. Military Prisoners ... 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers. Free discharged do. do. Long service men whose time will expire by 1st December 1884 and 1st January 1885. Short service men do. do. 2nd Bedfordshire Regiment, time-expired by 22nd Janu- ary 1885 (now at Deolali) and other details.
7th	"Jumna."	6th February 1885.	Eastern District Bangalore. Wellington.	Long service men whose time will expire by 1st February 1885. Short service do. do. Long service do. do. Short service do. do. Long service do. do. Short service men do. do.

Voyage of Troopship.	Name of Troopship.	Date of leaving Bombay.	Divisions and Stations.	Troops.
7th	"Jumna."	6th February 1885.	Western District.	Long service men whose time will expire by 1st February 1885. Do. do. do. Short service do. do.
			Ceded District.	Long service do. do. Short service do. do.
			H. S. Force.	Long service do. do. Short service do. do.
			B. B. Division.	Long service do. do. Short service do. do. Military Prisoners ...
8th	"Malabar"	21st March 1885.		No Troops from Madras
9th	"Serapis"	1st April 1885	Eastern District.	Long service men whose time will expire by 1st March and 1st April 1885. Short service do. do. Probable number of invalids of February Boards.
			H.S. Force.	Ordnance Department ...
			B. B. Division.	Long service men as above ... Short service do. do. Probable number of Invalids of February Boards. Other Details. ...
10th	"Crocodile"	10th April 1885, calling at Aden en route.	Bangalore.	Long service men whose time will expire by 1st March, and 1st April 1885. Short service do. do. Probable number of invalids of February Boards.
			Wellington.	Long service men as above ... Short service do. do. Probable number of invalids of February Board.

Time-expired men and their families.			Invalids and their families.			Other details.			For discharge with ignominy.	For discharge as incorrigible and worthless.	Military convicts.	Insanes.	REMARKS.
Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.					
(p)4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(p) 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	} 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.
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8	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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Presidency.													
16	1	3	...	...	...	...	(q)1	...	...	...	...	...	(q) Widow of Bandmaster Preece.
30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(r)1 (r) Gunner Whatling, Q/1st R. A.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	(s)1	1	3	...	...	...	...	(s) Conductor McCarthy and family.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	29	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	4	...	...	* Widow Mullen, R. A., and 4 children.
8	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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Voyage of Troopship.	Name of Troopship.	Date of leaving Bombay.	Divisions and Stations.	Troops.
10th	"Crocodile."	10th April 1885, calling at Aden <i>en route</i> .	Ceded District. Western District. H. S. Force. Nagpore Force.	Long service men as above ... Probable number of invalids of February Board. Long service men as above ... Short service do. do. Probable number of invalids of February Board. Long service men as above ... Short service do. do. Long service do. do. Short service do. do. Probable number of invalids of February Board. Long service men as above ... Probable number of invalids of February Board.
11th	"Jumna."	19th April 1885.	Eastern District. Bangalore. Wellington Western District. H. S. Force.	Long service men whose time will expire by 19th April 1885. Short service men as above ... Ordnance Department (Madras). Ordnance Department Saint Thomas' Mount. Long service men as above Short service do. do. Military Prisoners ... Long service men as above ... Short service men do. Short service men do. Long service men do. Short service men do.

Voyage of Troopship.	Name of Troopship.	Date of leaving Bombay.	Divisions and Stations.	Troops.
11th	"Jumna."	19th April 1885.	B. B. Division. Eastern District. Bangalore. Wellington H. S. Force. Burmah ...	Long service men whose time will expire by 19th April 1885. Short service do. do. Military Prisoners ... Men whose service will be completed before expiry of 35 days after sailing of the last Troopship. Do. do. do. Do. do. do. Do. do. do.

N.B.—Such men of the 2nd Bedfordshire Regiment, as whose time patched thence to Deolali under the orders of the General

Time-expired men and their families.			Invalids and their families.			Other details.			For discharge with ignominy.	For discharge as incorrigible and worthless.	Military convicts.	Insanes.	REMARKS.
Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.					
4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	+1	...	...	* Private Wilby. + and Private James, 2nd Middlesex Regiment.
9	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6	1	(x) 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(x) Including child of Sergeant Johnston, M/2nd R. A.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
25	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

will expire after the arrival of the Regiment at Bellary, will be des-officer commanding, Ceded district.

2. The troops and details specified above should be despatched as follows :—

- I. Invalids and time-expired details, ignominies, military convicts, and other details so as to reach Deolali ten days prior to the date fixed for their embarkation at Bombay.
- II. Insanes so as to reach the Colaba Lunatic Asylum under proper escort ten days prior to embarkation.
- III. Warrant officers, departmental non-commissioned officers and their families, who have been allotted passages, should proceed to Bombay in time to embark on the dates specified.

3. Despatching officers will arrange accordingly, and report arrangements proposed to be made for the movement of the troops and details to the Quarter Master General's Office, Ootacamund, some time previously.

4. The details from Cannanore should be despatched by sea from Cannanore to Bombay, so as to arrive at Deolali, in each case, ten clear days before embarkation.

5. The details from Burmah should be sent to Madras for despatch thence under arrangements to be made by the Brigadier-General commanding Eastern district so as to arrive at Deolali, &c., as above directed.

6. Timely notice of all movements must be given by the General officer commanding the division or district from which the troops proceed to the General officer commanding the division or district through which they will pass *en route*, in view to the necessary arrangements being made for their reception and onward progress.

7. It having been frequently represented that much inconvenience is caused by troops taking, with them to Bombay, a large amount of baggage in excess of regulations and of unauthorized dimensions, the Commander-in-Chief desires that General officers will call the special attention of officers proceeding in command of troops to the regulations on the subject.

8. In view to obviating the inconvenience experienced by widows, women unaccompanied by their husbands, and orphan children, on arrival at Portsmouth, owing to their baggage being placed in the wrong railway trucks "red star," paper labels for their boxes will be provided at Deolali and Bombay. On disembarkation, all boxes, &c., labelled with the "red star" will

be collected in one place and subsequently distributed to the owners.

9. As a considerable amount of correspondence frequently arises after disembarkation relative to men's kit bags reported missing after the men have arrived at their destination, owing to a certain proportion of the troops being on duty on board up to the hour of parading for departure, and consequently unable to see that their kit bags are placed in the proper vans or wagons, printed labels for the kit bags of invalids, time-expired men and other details and the boxes of their families will be provided at Deolali lettered "Chatham," "Woolwich," "Netley," "Gosport," according to the destination of the men. The labels will bear the names of the above places in large distinct letters and will be carefully and securely fixed.

10. Returns and nominal rolls of time-expired, invalids, &c., *actually* to proceed from each division to Deolali, &c., should be sent to the Quarter Master General's Office, Ootacamund, as soon as possible, copies of the same being furnished to the Brigadier-General commanding Bombay district.

11. Officers to proceed in charge of the details will be detailed under the orders of the Adjutant General.

No. 643.—Colonel R. H. Phelps, Staff Corps, will, on return from furlough, do general duty at Bellary under the orders of the General officer commanding the Ceded district.

No. 644.—Lieutenant L. C. Peters, Royal Marine Light Infantry, whose resignation of his probationary appointment to the Staff Corps has been accepted, is directed to proceed to England by the next troopship, and will report himself to the Deputy Adjutant General, Royal Marines. To travel under the provisions of para. 513 (k), Part II, and para. 261, Part I, Transport Regulations.

No. 645.—Lieutenant A. F. Mockler-Ferryman, 1st Battalion Oxfordshire L. I., is permitted to proceed to England in anticipation of the leave, which will be granted him by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

No. 646.—The name of Lieutenant T. J. Atherton, 12th Royal Lancers, is added to the list of officers detailed in

G.O.C.C., No. 414 of 1884, for duty at regimental depots, in relief of Captain Learmonth, of the same regiment.

No. 647.—Under instructions from Government, Lieutenant L. W. C. Kerrich, Staff Corps squadron officer, 4th (P.W.O.) L. C., will remain attached to the Body guard till further orders, on relief from the appointment of officiating Adjutant of the corps.

No. 648.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

2nd Regiment L. C.—Lieutenant R. P. Horsbrugh, 7th Dragoon Guards, to be officiating squadron officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1884.

3rd Regiment L. I.—Lieutenant J. Vans Agnew, 1st Battalion South Lancashire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 24th November, 1884.

6th Regiment Madras Infantry.—Lieutenant J. Thornhill, Supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be wing officer (on probation) *sub. pro tem.* vice Chamier, transferred.

22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.—Lieutenant C. Chamier, from the 6th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be wing officer on probation, vice Lecky, transferred.

Wing 23rd Regiment L. I.—Surgeon A. P. Adams, to the medical charge of the wing of the regiment at Hoshungabad.

29th Regiment M. I.—Surgeon W. A. Quayle, M. D., to the medical charge of the regiment, but to remain in medical charge of the wing 9th M. I., and the station hospital, Port Blair, until further orders.

33rd Regiment M. I.—Surgeon D. P. Warliker, to the medical charge of the regiment, vice Surgeon W. A. Lee, transferred to civil employ.

No. 649.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to order the following posting :—

Army Veterinary Department.—Veterinary Surgeon C. E. Nuthall, to do duty with the Royal Artillery at Kamptee, on arrival from England.

No. 650.—The following extracts, from the *London Gazette*, dated 11th, 14th and 18th November, 1884, respectively, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th November, 1884.

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The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry).—Lieutenant Henry Francis Eckersley, from the 3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), to be Lieutenant, vice W. G. Gifford, placed temporarily on the Half-pay List on account of ill health. Dated 12th November, 1884.

Lieutenant Arthur Barton Fox, from the 3rd Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), to be Lieutenant, vice H. G. Burton, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th November, 1884.

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The Royal Scots Fusiliers.—Lieutenant Charles Bailey, from the 3rd Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant, vice C. G. Eyre, resigned. Dated 12th November, 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

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Lieutenant Francis John Newton-King, from the 1st Regiment, Royal Guernsey Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice W. A. Oswald, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th November, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 14th November, 1884.

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20th Hussars.

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Lieutenant Anderson Lindsay Kelly, from the South Wales Borderers, to be Lieutenant, vice T. Dewhirst, who exchanges. Dated 15th November, 1884.

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The South Wales Borderers.—Lieutenant Thomas Dewhirst, from the 20th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice A. L. Kelly, who exchanges. Dated 15th November, 1884.

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The Hampshire Regiment.

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Lieutenant Reginald Percy Macdonald, to be Captain, vice G. P. Bourcicault, seconded for service as a Deputy-Assistant Commissary General. Dated 15th April, 1884.

Lieutenant Alfred C. M. Gompertz, to be Captain, vice J. A. Eastham, retired. Dated 22nd September, 1884.

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Staff.—Major-General Lewis William Buck, Madras Staff Corps, to be a Major-General on the Staff of the Army in India, to command a division in the Madras Presidency, vice Major-General Sir Charles Patton Keyes, K.C.B., Madras Staff Corps, who has resigned. Dated 14th September, 1884.

Colonel Benjamin Lumsden Gordon, C.B., Royal Artillery, to command a Brigade of the Madras Army, with the rank of Brigadier-General, vice Major-General L. W. Buck, appointed to the command of a Division. Dated 14th September, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 18th November, 1884.

Royal Artillery.

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Captain William Lindsay Carnegie Gordon retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity. Dated 19th November, 1884.

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Lieutenant John Oxley English, to be Captain, vice R. F. Johnson, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 18th October, 1884.

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No. 651.—The following extracts, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 24th November, 1884.

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With the sanction of Government, the Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following officiating appoint-

ments in the Intelligence Branch of the Quarter Master General's Department, with effect from the dates specified :—

Lieutenant A. B. Fenton, Paid Attaché, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, from the 3rd to the 13th, August 1884, inclusive, vice Captain P. J. Maitland, appointed Assistant Quarter Master General, *sub. pro tem.*

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Lieutenant A. B. Fenton, Paid Attaché, to officiate as Assistant Quarter Master General, from the 14th August to the 4th September 1884, inclusive, vice Captain P. J. Maitland, appointed to the Afghan Boundary Commission.

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Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 27th November, 1884.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

Middlesex Regiment.—Lieutenant E. de S. Smart, (officiating wing officer, on probation 40th Native Infantry,) to remain at Morar, on urgent private affairs, from the 4th November to the 4th December 1884.

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Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 28th November, 1884.

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It is notified that Army Form B 110, "Application for a Court Martial," has been revised, and copies can be obtained from the Contractor* for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

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* Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

No. 652.—The following extract, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished:—

Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 5th December 1884.

519. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay on the 25th December 1884, in H.M.'s Indian Troopship *Malabar*, which sailed from Portsmouth on the 27th November 1884:—

CORPS OR BATTERIES.	Troops, Batteries, or Companies.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters or Drummers.	Rank and File.	Officers' Families.				Soldiers' Families		Destination.	REMARKS.
									Wives.	Children.	Male Ser- vants.	Female Ser- vants.	Wives.	Children.		
2nd Royal Fusiliers	*	1	1	1	1	1	1	107	...	...	...	...	2	...	Cannanore. *	
1st Sussex Regiment	*	*	1	1	1	*	*	*	...	...	...	...	*	...	(a) *	
2nd Royal Scots Fusiliers	*	*	1	1	1	2	...	173	1	1	...	...	...	...	Thayetnyo.	
2nd Somersetshire L. I.	*	*	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) *	
1st Royal Munster Fusiliers *	*	*	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) *	
2nd Royal Scots Fusiliers	1	*	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	(a) ...	Schoolmaster.
2nd South Wales Borderers ..	*	*	*	*	*	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	St. Thomas' Mt.†	Do. *
Royal Artillery *	*	*	*	*	*	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) *	Master Tailor.
2nd Somersetshire L. I.	*	*	*	*	*	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) *	Armourer.
2nd Bedfordshire	*	*	*	*	*	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) *	*

(a) To join as ordered.

* Posted to 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers. † Cannanore.

No. 653.—Captain J. O. English, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed to England to join No. 1 Battery 1st Brigade Northern Division, into which he has been promoted.

Under para. 513 (*d*), Transport Regulations, Part II, and para. 256 (*i*), Transport Regulations, Part I.

Intimation having been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant W. E. Kerrich, P. Battery 1st Brigade, has been appointed to E. Battery B. Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery, he is directed to proceed to join his new battery at Bangalore, under para. 514 (*k*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 654.—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant A. L. Kelly, who has been permitted to exchange from the 2nd Battalion, South Wales Borderers to the 20th Hussars, is directed to return to England, at his own expense, and join the latter regiment for duty.

No. 655.—The following orders are confirmed :—

5th November 1884.—By the officer commanding Pallavaram, appointing Lieutenant H. T. D. Wilkinson, 12th Regiment M. I., Station staff officer, *vice* Lieutenant J. F. Wilson, relieved.

8th November 1884.—By the General officer commanding the Western district, appointing Colonel J. W. Orr, Commandant, 19th Regiment M. I., to command the garrison of Cannanore, as next senior officer, during the absence of the Brigadier-General on a tour of inspection.

29th October 1884.—By the General officer commanding Eastern district, appointing Colonel D. W. Williams, Commandant 26th Regiment M. I., to command the garrison of Madras during the absence of the Brigadier-General commanding, on a tour of inspection.

No. 656.—The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers.—Lieutenant G. F. Whitehead, for six months, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

Staff Corps.—Lieutenant E. L. Holloway, wing officer 4th Madras Pioneers, from the 5th October, 1884, to the 29th January, 1885, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875, Bangalore and Madras, medical certificate.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

Addendum.—To G.O.C.C., No. 518 of 1884, *add* To travel, expeditiously, on duty at the public expense, under, para. 514 Transport Regulations, Part II.

Registered No. 1 of 1884.

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GENERAL ORDERS

BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 26th December, 1884.

(Quarter Master General.)

No. 657.—With reference to reconstructed para. 529 of the Madras Army Regulations published in S.G.O., No. 114 of 1881, the following list is published of officers, non-commissioned officers and men who have qualified as Instructors and assistant Instructors at the school of army signalling, Bangalore.

No. of class.	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Rank and Name.		Cert. as Instructor or assistant Instructor.	Date of qualification roll, signed by the Committee of examination.
Signalling class No. 50	2/Hamp.	...	Lieut.	R. J. Forbes	Instructor	13th Dec. 1884.
	2/S.W.B.	...	...	H. T. Brooking		
		2030	Lcs. Cpl.	A. Bramley		
	14th Hussars	2076	...	G. Curry	Assistant Instructor.	
		2049	Pte.	C. Thorneycroft		
		1873	...	T. Williamson		
	2/S.L.I.	2377	...	S. F. Letts		
		1337	Corpl.	H. Moore		
		1482	Pte.	W. Bull		
		21—B	...	R. Donelly		
	1st O.L.I.	180	...	A. Ratcliffe		
		21—B	...			
		952	...			
	2/Hamp.	74	...	J. Rathbone		
		283	...	G. Rose		
12th Lancers.	2172	Re-examined. Corpl. A. Scoones				

No. 658.—So much of G. O. C. C., No. 452 as commences with "Leave Ootacamund, 2nd January, 1885," is cancelled and the following substituted:—

Arrival and Departure.	Place.	Date.	H. E. will be accompanied by
Leave ...	Ootacamund.	2nd Jany. 1885.	Adjutant-General, Dy. Adjutant-General, Quarter Master General, Assistant Adjutant-General, R. A., and Personal Staff.
Arrive ...	Madras ...	3rd do. "	
Halt ...	.....	4th to 12th January "	
Leave ...	Madras ...	13th do. "	
Arrive ...	Krishnaraj-pooram.	14th do. "	
Leave ...	Do. ...	15th do. "	
Arrive ...	Madras ...	16th do. "	
Halt ...	.....	17th to 25th January "	
Leave ...	Madras ...	26th do. "	
Arrive ...	Kamptee ...	29th do. "	
Halt ...		30th Jany. to 3rd February 1885.	Adjutant-General, Quarter Master General, and Personal Staff.
Leave ...	Kamptee ...	4th do. "	
Arrive ...	Raipore ...	5th do. "	
Leave ...	Do. ...	6th do. "	
Arrive ...	Kamptee ...	7th do. "	
Leave ...	Do. ...	7th do. "	
Arrive ...	Kareli ...	8th do. "	
Do. ...	Saugor ...	9th do. "	
Halt ...	.....	10th do. "	
Leave ...	Saugor ...	11th do. "	
Do. ...	Kareli ...	11th do. "	
Arrive ...	Allahabad ...	12th do. "	
Halt ...	.....	13th do. "	
Leave ...	Allahabad ...	14th do. "	
Arrive ...	Calcutta ...	18th do. "	
Halt ...	.....	19th to 28th February 1885.	
Leave ...	Calcutta ...	1st March "	
Arrive ...	Madras ...	5th do. "	
Halt ...	.....	6th to 16th March 1885.	
Leave ...	Madras ...	17th do. "	
Arrive ...	Bellary ...	18th do. "	
Halt ...	.....	19th to 24th March 1885.	
Leave ...	Bellary ...	25th do. "	
Arrive ...	Ootacamund.	27th do. "	

No. 659.—With reference to para. 11 of G.O.C.C., No. 642, of 1884, the officers named in the margin, under orders for duty with their regimental depots will proceed to England under such arrangements as General officers commanding may direct, doing duty with troops on the voyage.

12th Royal Lancers, Lieut. T. J. Atherton.	
2nd Bn. Royal Fusiliers, Lieut. Hon'ble C. J. White.	
2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers, Capt. W. A. J. Frere.	
2nd Bn. Middlesex Regt., Lieut. G. C. G. Norton.	

2. When the departure of any of the above named officers to the port of embarkation has been arranged, the General officer commanding the division, or district in which the officer is serving, will immediately report to the Adjutant General at Ootacamund, the date of departure from Bombay of the troopship in which it is intended the officer should embark.

Additional officers required to accompany the details to Deolali will also be detailed by general officers concerned.

These officers to travel to and fro on duty at the public expense.

All the men's discharge documents are to be disposed of as ordered in the "Regulations for the discharge of soldiers of the British Forces in India."

No. 660.—Surgeon-Major W. J. Fawcett, M.B., Medical Staff, having completed a tour of foreign service, will proceed to England by the troopship leaving Bombay on or about the 6th January, 1885, and report his arrival to the Director-General, Medical Staff,

Surgeon-Major Fawcett will proceed to Deolali, and report himself to the Senior medical officer there not later than the 3rd January, 1885, for duty on boardship, at the public expense under clause (d), para. 513, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 661.—Surgeon-Major C. F. Churchill, M.B., Medical Staff, having completed a tour of foreign service, will proceed to England by the troopship leaving Bombay on or about the 6th February, 1885, and report his arrival to the Director-General, Medical Staff.

Surgeon-Major Churchill, will proceed to Deolali, and report himself to the Senior medical officer there not later than the 3rd February, 1885, for duty on boardship, at the public expense, under clause (d), para. 513, Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 662.—Colonel R. B. Kennedy, Infantry, is under the provisions of G. O. G., No. 296 of 1883, permitted to reside on

the Nilgiris in the Bangalore division, at Madras in the Eastern district, or on the West Coast in the Western district, and will be available for any military duty other than regimental.

No. 663.—Colonel E. L. Hawkins, who has been posted to this presidency to command an Artillery district, is appointed to command the Royal Artillery Eastern district.

No. 664.—Colonel E. M. Norrie, Staff Corps, will, on expiration of his tour of duty on the staff, do general duty at Secunderabad, under the orders of the General officer commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, till further orders.

No. 665.—The name of Captain W. A. J. Frere, 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers, is added to the list of officers detailed in G.O.C.C., No. 414 of 1884, for duty with regimental depôts, in relief of Captain Duckett.

No. 666.—The name of Lieutenant E. F. Sullivan, 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment, is added to the list of officers detailed in G.O.C.C., No. 414 of 1884, for duty with regimental depôts in relief of Captain Gompertz.

No. 667.—Intimation has been received from the Director-General of military education that army schoolmaster James John Cockell has been transferred from the 2nd Battalion Yorkshire Regiment, to the 2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

On arrival of this schoolmaster at Bombay, he will proceed to Secunderabad, to take up his appointment.

No. 668.—The services of Surgeon M. P. Kharegat, I.M.D., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

No. 669.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

17th Regiment Madras Infantry.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. S. Butler, Staff Corps, to officiate as wing commander.

23rd Regiment Light Infantry.—Lieutenant C. G. Nurse, 2nd Battalion Royal Irish Fusiliers, to be wing officer, and under instructions from Government, a Probationer for the Madras Staff Corps under the provisions of special India Army Circulars, dated the 15th November, 1884.

No. 670.—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to order the following posting :—

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon F. J. Doyle, on relief at Masulipatam, to do general duty Eastern district.

No. 671.—The following extracts, from the *London Gazettes*, dated 21st and 25th November, 1884, respectively, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 21st November, 1884.

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Royal Artillery.

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Lieutenant-Colonel William Elliott Lockhart (late Madras), from Supernumerary to the Establishment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice H. M. Finlay (late Madras), retired. Dated 19th June, 1884.

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Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Tindal Pretymann, from the Seconded List, to be Major, vice C. S. Graham, retired. Dated 19th November, 1884.

Lieutenant Frederic John Arthur Trench, to be Captain, vice H. T. Yates, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 4th November, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).—Lieutenant William G. Burrows has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 31st August, 1884.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment).—Lieutenant Gordon Tidy has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th September, 1884.

The Lincolnshire Regiment.—Lieutenant Edward Alexander Gayer has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 1st September, 1884.

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The Bedfordshire Regiment.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. Wood Robinson has been appointed to command a Battalion. Dated 10th October, 1884.

Major R. L. H. Curteis, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel C. J. Horne, placed on half-pay. Dated 10th October, 1884.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Lieutenant George Benjamin Hodson has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 1st September, 1884.

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MEMORANDA.

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Deputy Assistant-Commissary Richard O'Neill, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 19th July, 1884.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 25th November, 1884.

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LINE BATTALIONS.

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The Oxfordshire Light Infantry.—Major William Horace Wilson retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 26th November, 1884.

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Army Pay Department.

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Captain Philip Montagu, 12th Lancers, to be Paymaster. Dated 11th June, 1884.

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No. 672.—The following extract, from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, is republished :—

Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 27th November, 1884.

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It is notified that Squad books have been introduced for the use of the Royal Artillery in India, and the following Bengal Form numbers have been assigned to them :—

- 632 A. For Horse Artillery.
- 632 B. „ Field Artillery.
- 632 C. „ Heavy Field Artillery.
- 632 D. „ Mountain Artillery.
- 632 E. „ Garrison Artillery.

The books can be obtained on payment from the Contractor* for printing Government of India stock forms, Calcutta.

Bengal Form 632 is cancelled.

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No. 673.—The following orders are confirmed :—

29th November, 1884.—By the Officer commanding Hoshungabad appointing Captain M. E. H. O. Welch, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry, Station Staff officer, and to the charge of pensioners and holders of family certificates from the 1st December, 1884.

1st December, 1884.—By the General officer commanding British Burmah division appointing Captain R. Cooper, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire L. I., to officiate as Assistant Quarter Master General, British Burmah division, until the arrival of Lieutenant-Colonel M. Protheroe, c.s.f.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

(Quarter Master General.)

Erratum.—In G.O.C.C., No. 360 of 1884, for “ F. Company ” in column “ corps,” read “ I. Company.”

*Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

GENERAL ORDERS

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Ootacamund, 29th December, 1884.

No. 674.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to publish the following Proclamation, dated 13th December 1884, by the Government of India, on the occasion of the assumption of the office of Viceroy and Governor General in India by the Right Honourable the Earl of Dufferin, and to direct that the Proclamation shall be read at the head of the troops in the different garrisons, and at all the principal military stations under a salute of thirty-one guns.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Sir Frederick-Temple Hamilton-Temple, Earl of Dufferin, K.P., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., P.C., F.R.S., D.C.L, Viscount and Baron Clandeboye of Clandeboye, in the County of Down, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Dufferin and Clandeboye of Ballyleidy and Killyleagh, County Down, in the Peerage of Ireland, Vice-Admiral of Ulster, and a Baronet, has been appointed by Her Majesty to be Her Viceroy and Governor General of India, and has assumed the said office, the said appointment is hereby notified, and it is proclaimed that the said Right Honourable Lord Dufferin, Viceroy and Governor General of India, has this day taken his seat in His Excellency's Council.

Order.—Ordered that this Proclamation be read at the head of the troops of the garrison of Fort William under a salute of thirty-one guns and three Volleys of small arms.

Ordered, also, that the Proclamation be read at the head of the troops in the different garrisons, and at all the principal military stations, under a salute of thirty-one guns.

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

GODFREY CLERK, Brigadier-General
Adjutant-General

