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GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 11th January 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant W. H. Lowry, Royal Scots Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 10th Madras Infantry,—25th November 1883.

Lieutenant A. A. Jones, Essex Regiment, Officiating Squadron Officer, 2nd Madras Lancers,—1st November 1883.

No. 2.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months from date of appointment on probation, are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant H. V. Campbell, West Riding Regiment, Wing Officer, 16th Madras Infantry,—23rd May 1885.

Lieutenant A. J. Shaw, Durham Light Infantry, Officiating Wing Officer, 2nd Punjab Infantry,—25th April 1885.

No. 3.—VOLUNTEER CORPS—

The Right Honorable Robert Bourke has been pleased to accept the office of Honorary Colonel of the Madras Volunteer Guards, and of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles, with effect in each case from the 8th December 1886—the date of His Excellency's arrival at Madras.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 4.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they are respectively struck off duty:—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Lecky, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 20th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service, 27th year, commenced 22nd December 1886.

Lieutenant B. Holloway, Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers (p.a.), for one year. Pension service, 6th year, commenced 22nd October 1886.

No. 5.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. Pearse, Staff Corps, Commandant, Bangalore Rifle Volunteers, is granted privilege leave for 90 days, from date of departure.

No. 6.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty:—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. S. Magrath, Staff Corps.

Captain W. D. Lindley, Royal Engineers.

No. 7.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Colonel T. Higginson, Staff Corps	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the 6th December 1886.
Lieutenant-Colonel M. M. Bowie, Staff Corps	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the 13th December 1886.
Lieutenant-Colonel L. F. Campbell, Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 26th Madras Infantry.				{ Arrived at Madras on the 19th December 1886.
Lieutenant-Colonel T. R. Byng, Staff Corps	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the 6th December 1886.

No. 8.—The undermentioned Officer has been ordered by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty, leaving Brindisi on the 13th December 1886:—

Surgeon W. H. Thornhill, M.D.

No. 9.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Sub-Conductor J. Campbell, Quartermaster-General's Department, three months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 10.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th December 1886, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 823.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Major A. F. Fletcher, R.A., Assistant to the Inspector-General of Ordnance, Bombay Circle, to be Superintendent of the Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, *vice* Colonel H. McLeod, R.A., who has been appointed Inspector-General of Ordnance, Madras. Dated 6th December 1886.

No. 11.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th December 1886, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 829.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army.

* * * * *
Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Gedoin Jenkins, Madras Staff Corps,—13th December 1886.

* * * * *
Lieutenant-Colonel George Silver Keith, Madras Staff Corps,—13th December 1886.

* * * * *
Lieutenant-Colonel James Best Taylor, Madras Staff Corps,—13th December 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Ormsby Underwood, Madras Staff Corps,—13th December 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Alexander Richmond, Madras Staff Corps,—13th December 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Arkcoll Porteous, Madras Staff Corps,—13th December 1886.

No. 12.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th December 1886, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 848.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army. Dated 20th December 1886.

* * * * *
Lieutenant-Colonel Charles James Osburn Chambers, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 13.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st December 1886, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 859.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

* * * * *
Major E. Wighton, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd class, *additional*, is confirmed in that appointment ;

* * * * *
With effect from the 8th October 1886, *vice* Major G. Lamb, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 1st class, resigned.

No. 14.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st December 1886, is republished :—

No. 860.—Lieutenant S. V. Thornton, R.A., Officiating Commissary of Ordnance, 4th class, is confirmed in that appointment. Dated 1st November 1886.

No. 15.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 18th and 25th December 1886, and 1st January 1887, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 17th December 1886.

No. 2328 G.—Consequent on the return of Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. Wilson, Officiating Additional Political Agent of the 2nd class, and Political Agent in Bhurtpore and Kerowlee, to his substantive grade of Political Agent of the 2nd class, the following reversion is made in the graded list of the Political Department, with effect from the 23rd November 1886 :—

Major T. A. Fraser, from Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd class, to his substantive grade of Political Assistant of the 1st class.

No. 2329 G.—Major E. A. Fraser, Political Assistant of the 1st class, is appointed to be an Additional Political Agent of the 1st class, with effect from the date of joining, during the period of his employment as Guardian to the Heir-apparent of Jodhpore.

The 24th December 1886.

No. 2382 G.—The following reversions are made in the graded list of the Political Department consequent on the return from furlough of Major H. B. Abbott, Additional Political Agent of the 1st class, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of his duties as Political Agent, Jhallawar :—

* * * * *

Major D. Robertson, from Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd class, to his substantive grade of Political Agent of the 3rd class.

The 31st December 1886.

No. 2428 G.—The services of Colonel A. F. Dobbs, Madras Staff Corps, Judicial Superintendent of Railways, Hyderabad, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 1st January 1887.

INDIAN EMPIRE.

The 1st January 1887.

No. 1 I.E.

Her Majesty the Queen and Empress of India has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen, who by their services have merited the Royal favor, to be Companions of the Order of the Indian Empire :—

* * * * *

Brigade-Surgeon Henry Elmsley Busteed, M.D., Indian Medical Service, Madras Establishment (Retired), late Assay Master, Calcutta Mint.

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GAZETTE OF BOMBAY.

No. 16.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, dated 5th January 1887, is republished :—

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 5th January 1887.

No. 83.—As Colonel W. Peyton, of the Madras Staff Corps, has, under the operation of Section 110, Rule 10 of the Civil Pension Code, relinquished charge of the office of Conservator of Forests, S. C., the Governor in Council desires to record his appreciation of the excellent service rendered by that officer in the Forest Department of this Presidency. Colonel Peyton was in January 1866 appointed Deputy Conservator of Forests, North Kanara, and was in October 1870 promoted to the office of Conservator of Forests, S. D., which post with a slight change in designation, and with some extensions of the area under his jurisdiction, he has since held without intermission. During the lengthened period he has served this Government, he has displayed a rare devotion to duty and unflinching zeal in the interest of the State, which it is the pleasure of His Excellency in Council now to acknowledge. His management of the valuable forests of Kanara, to which he has given special attention, has been particularly judicious, and he has attained marked success at once in expanding the forest revenue without permanent deterioration of the forests, and in meeting the requirements of the population in the most convenient manner.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 17.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 26th November and 3rd and 10th December 1886, are republished :—

War Office, 25th November 1886.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honorable Order of the Bath :

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honorable Order, viz. :—

* * * * *

Deputy Surgeon-General John McNeale Donnelly, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Frederick Laughton, Madras Staff Corps.
 Lieutenant-Colonel James Graham Robert Douglas Macneill, Madras General List Infantry,
 Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Madras.

The Queen has further been pleased to confer upon the undermentioned Officers the distinction of Companion of the "Distinguished Service Order," viz. :—

For Operations in Burmah.

* Captain Jenico Edward Preston, Madras Staff Corps. *

War Office, Pall Mall, 26th November 1886.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the following promotions being conferred upon the undermentioned Officers, in recognition of their services during the operations in Burmah. Dated 17th May 1886 :—

To be Colonels.

* Lieutenant-Colonel Montague Protheroe, c.s.i., Madras Staff Corps. *

BREVET.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

* Major William Bannatyne Warner, Madras Cavalry. *

* Major George Simpson, Madras Staff Corps. *

* Major Rowland Henry Thomas Hill, Madras Infantry. *

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Charles Sibthorpe to be Brigade Surgeon.

India Office, 26th November 1886.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Herbert Frecheville Smyth Ramsden.

Herbert Leonard Hutchins.

Charles Eliot Poynder.

William du Gard Gray.

Richard Kinlock Teversham.

John Francis Wilson.

Dated 10th September 1886.

Harland FitzLyddon Farrant.

Dated 1st October 1886.

India Office, 4th December 1886.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces :—

* Colonel Thomas Obbard, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th September 1886. *

* Colonel John Newbold Wilson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th September 1886. *

* Colonel Edward Morris Cherry, Madras Cavalry. Dated 6th September 1886. *

* Colonel George Stanley Hooper, Madras Cavalry. Dated 20th October 1886. *

Brigade Surgeon Charles Thick Eves, Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 26th August 1886.

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

To be Major-Generals.

* * *
Colonel Thomas Obbard, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th September 1886.
Colonel John Newbold Wilson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 2nd September 1886.
Colonel Edward Morris Cherry, Madras Cavalry. Dated 6th September 1886.
Colonel George Stanley Hooper, Madras Cavalry. Dated 20th October 1886.
* * *

To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Brigade Surgeon Charles Thick Eves, Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 26th August 1886.

War Office, Pall Mall, 10th December 1886.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

* * *
Lacy Bowring Bance, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th September 1886.
* * *
William Nesbitt Wroughton, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd September 1886.
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PENSIONS.

No. 18.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. ^{36 Bde.}1643, Private Joseph Reynolds, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry. } Poonamallee, Madras.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 19.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Serjeant James Gallagher to be Sub-Conductor (sub. *pro tem.*), vice J. W. Edwards, reverted to Serjeant. Dated 26th November 1886.

No. 20.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Majors.

Captain Thomas Alexander F. Leader :: :: } Dated 11th January 1887.
Captain Bowes Thorpe Montague Gompertz :: :: }

RETIREMENTS.

No. 21.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel A. McGoun, Staff Corps.—12th December 1886.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 22.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officers are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel A. F. Dobbs, Staff Corps, 1st January 1887.
Captain E. A. E. Wylly, Staff Corps, 26th November 1886.

No. 23.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 16, of this date, the services of the undermentioned Officer are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Colonel W. Peyton, Staff Corps.

No. 24.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Lieutenant G. V. Burrows, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant F. T. Williams, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. C. Barratt, Probationer, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant H. R. Davies, 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS

No. 25.—The Government of India having sanctioned the transfer of the Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps to the Madras Government, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to attach the Corps, for administrative purposes, to the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

No. 26.—APPOINTMENTS—*Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps.*

Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. Pearse, Staff Corps, to be Commandant, without prejudice to his appointment as Commandant of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.

Serjeant Clement Paton Henderson Leggatt to be Lieutenant and Adjutant.
Mr. William Charles Foster Leggatt to be Lieutenant.

No. 27.—PROMOTIONS—*Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant F. G. M. Pascal to be Captain.

No. 28.—RESIGNATIONS—*Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant E. L. M. Baber is permitted to resign his commission, at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 13th December 1886.

It is hereby notified that the undersigned is prepared to dispose of the trust funds held by him on account of the individuals named below. Claims should be submitted to this department through the Staff Officer of the station in which each claimant may be residing.

Estates of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, Serjeant J., European Infantry Veteran Company.	Denis Brooks.
Clarkson, Artificer S., Carnatic Ordnance Department	Caroline Brooks.
Cosser, Sub-Conductor John, Ordnance Department	Ann Clarkson.
Carroll, Serjeant James, 2nd European Light Infantry	John Cosser.
Crawley, Serjeant George, Effective Supernumeraries	Elizabeth Carroll.
Doyle, Gunner John, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	Joseph Carroll.
Danford, Gunner Samuel, Madras Artillery	Agnes Carroll.
Furlong, Corporal John, 3rd Madras European Regiment	George Wellington Crawley.
Flynn, Corporal John, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Doyle.
Grimstone, Serjeant R., 3rd Madras European Regiment	Amelia, <i>alias</i> Emma Danford.
	John Furlong.
	James Flynn.
	John Flynn.
	William Flynn.
	Joseph Flynn.
	Virginia Grimstone.
	Richard Grimstone.

Estates of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Hawkins, Private R., European Infantry Veteran Com-pany.	Jeremiah Mitchell (foster son). George Hawkins.
Hunsley, Sub-Conductor William, Ordnance Department ..	Charles Hunsley.
Hutchins, Gunner J., 2nd Battalion, Artillery ..	George Henry Hutchins.
Hardy, Serjeant R., 4th Battalion, Artillery ..	George Hardy.
Hatherill, Drummer George, 1st Madras Fusiliers ..	William Alexander Hardy. William Edward Hatherill.
Healey, Hospital Serjeant Patrick ..	Edward Healey. Francis Healey.
Kelcher, Bombardier Timothy, 3rd Battalion, Artillery ..	Mary Kelcher.
Knowles, Half-pay Bugler W.S., D Company, 1st Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew James Knowles.
Leonard, Key Serjeant Thomas, European Infantry Veteran Company.	Thomas Joseph Leonard.
McDonald, 2nd Corporal B., Sappers and Miners ..	James McDonald.
McGuire, Staff Brigade Serjeant Michael, B Company, 4th Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew McGuire.
Murphy, Private John, 3rd Madras European Regiment ..	James Murphy.
Nicholson, Shoeing-smith T., A Battery, 3rd Royal Horse Brigade.	Arabella Hannah Nicholson.
Rourke, Apothecary John, Subordinate Medical Depart-ment.	John Scully. Eleanor Scully.
Rothe, Corporal Richard, 2nd Madras European Light In-fantry.	Catherine Rothe.
Smith, Color Serjeant M., 1st Madras Fusiliers ..	Mary Ann Smith.
Smithes, Serjeant R., 2nd Battalion, Artillery ..	Henry Smithes.
Self, Serjeant James, 1st Madras Fusiliers ..	Alfred Self.
Sheepard, Serjeant John, 20th Brigade, Royal Artillery	John Sheepard. Helen Sheepard.
Wallace, Gunner John, 4th Battalion, Artillery	John Wallace. Thomas Wallace.
Wiggins, Gunner R., 1st Battalion and Details, Madras Artillery.	John M. Wiggins.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Govt., Milly. Dept.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,
W. K. ELLES, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

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Fort St. George, 18th January 1887.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 29.—The 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars are brought on the strength of the Madras establishment from the 23rd December 1886.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 30.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Staff Corps, Officiating Commissary-General, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Colonel B. H. W. Magrath, vacated on succeeding to the Colonel's allowance. Dated 20th December 1886.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 31.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty:—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. H. Baber, General List, Infantry, Wing Commander, 3rd Madras Light Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service, 27th year, commenced 10th August 1886.

Captain E. A. E. Wylly, Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service, 20th year, commenced 8th January 1887.

No. 32.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer to return to duty:—

Lieutenant R. A. Ritherdon, Staff Corps.

Conductor G. G. Splans, Ordnance Department.

No. 33.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Colonel H. A. Justice, Staff Corps, Commandant, 6th Infantry,

Hyderabad Contingent.

Colonel H. C. B. Barnett, Staff Corps, Commandant 25th Madras Infantry. } Arrived at Bombay on the 3rd January 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. M. Barnett, Staff Corps, Commandant, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, c.b., General List, Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 3rd January 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. W. Hesketh, Staff Corps .. } Arrived at Bombay on the 31st December 1886.

Lieutenant F. J. Anderson, Royal Engineers .. } Arrived at Bombay on the 28th December 1886.

Surgeon W. H. Thornhill, m.d., 27th Madras Infantry .. }

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 34.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th January 1887, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 10.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Colonels in the Army. Dated 4th January 1887.

* * * * *
Lieutenant-Colonel Malcolm Furlong, Madras Staff Corps.
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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 35.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd, 17th and 21st December 1886, are republished:—

Windsor Castle, 20th November 1886.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Colonel Edward Bosc Sladen, M.S.C., late Chief Political Officer with the Burma Expeditionary Force.

India Office, 17th December 1886.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Francis Crichton Maltby. Dated 16th October 1886.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army Walter Rowlandson. Dated 5th October 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army Herbert Coningham. Dated 5th October 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army Henry Riversdale Elliot. Dated 5th October 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army Frank Beeching. Dated 10th October 1886.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Surgeon-General.

Deputy Surgeon-General George Bidie, C.I.E. Dated 9th October 1886.

To be Brigade Surgeons.

Surgeon-Major Alexander Porter, M.D. Dated 19th May 1886.

Surgeon-Major Samuel Bradshaw Hunt. Dated 26th August 1886.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon William O'Hara. Dated 30th September 1886.

Surgeon Thomas Hume. Dated 30th September 1886.

War Office, Pall Mall, 21st December 1886.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels have been removed to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

Thomas Spence Hawks, Madras. Dated 5th December 1886.

India Office, 21st December 1886.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant William Myers Dawes, from the Royal Dublin Fusiliers. Dated 18th April 1883, but to rank from 1st July 1881.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Lloyd, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 23rd July 1885, but to rank from 1st September 1881.

Lieutenant Arthur Nicholls, from the Royal Berkshire Regiment. Dated 1st February 1885, but to rank from 22nd October 1881.

Lieutenant Louis James Andrews, from the Lincolnshire Regiment. Dated 14th August 1884, but to rank from 10th March 1883.

The following appointments have been made to the Personal Staff in India :—

Major J. A. Strachan, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General H. Rowlands, V.C., Commanding a Division of the Madras Army. Dated 1st September 1886.

The following appointments have been made to the Staff of the Army in India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Ranking, Madras Infantry, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Army Head-Quarters, Madras Establishment, *vice* Major H. R. Hope, who has vacated. Dated 7th September 1886.
Major M. H. Wratislaw, Madras Infantry, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Ranking. Dated 7th September 1886.

NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS.

No. 36.—Lieutenant-Colonel E. S. Skinner, Staff Corps, will be hereafter entered on the returns of the Army as “E. Swinton Skinner.”

PENSIONS.

No. 37.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

49th Bde.
No. 1463. Private John Taylor, 2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers. . { Sydney, New South
Wales, Australia.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 38.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Serjeant Joseph Buxton. Dated 18th January 1887.

No. 39.—NATIVE ARMY—

4th (P.W.O.) Madras Cavalry.

Jemadar Syed Esoph to be Subadar Dated 26th October 1886.
Havildar-Major, No. 1247, Hussien Khan to be Jemadar Dated 10th September 1886.

19th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Lutehmiah to be Subadar } Dated 15th October 1886.
Havildar, No. 3042, Ramasawmy to be Jemadar }

30th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 133, Ramanah to be Jemadar Dated 22nd September 1886.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 40.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officers are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Colonel T. H. Way, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant H. E. Porter, Staff Corps.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 41.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Lieutenant Frederick C. Boehmer, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Adjutant.

No. 42.—LEAVE—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

The leave in India granted to Captain A. T. W. Penn, in G.O.G., No. 379, dated 30th June 1886, is extended by four months.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain James Milligan is granted leave out of India for nine months from the 1st February 1887, or date of departure.

No. 43.—RESIGNATIONS—*Madras Artillery Volunteers.*

Lieutenant F. G. R. Branson is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.**

Fort St. George, 11th January 1887.

STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS ON ACCOUNT OF ESTATES DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1886.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
COMMISSIONED OFFICER.								
1886. 22nd Dec.	<i>British Military Service.</i> Richard Frederick Atkinson.	Major	2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.	Salenmyo, Burmah.	1886. 31st July.	Not known.	RS. A. P. 2,612 2 4	1887. 19th Mar.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Govt., Milly. Dept.

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

W. K. ELLES, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

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Fort St. George, 25th January 1887.

BOOKS.

No. 44.—CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR FAMILY PAYMENTS, 1885—

Page 9, Part I, Section II, paragraph 28.—After the word “North” in line 1, insert “and West.”

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 45.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 1st January 1887:—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Dobbs, Staff Corps, (p.a.) for one year. Pension service, 30th year, commenced 11th January 1887.

No. 46.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Major D. Heming, General List, Infantry	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
			{ 10th January 1887.
Major H. H. Kelly, Staff Corps	..	..	{ Arrived at Madras on the
			{ 17th January 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 47.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th January 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3.—Lieutenant A. H. Bacon, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, appointed by the Secretary of State for India a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, is posted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date of his arrival in India.

No. 48.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th January 1887, is republished:—

REWARDS.

No. 29.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officers to the 1st and 2nd classes of the Order of British India, from the dates specified:—

MADRAS.

To the 1st Class, with the title of “Sirdar Bahadur.”

Subadar Venketachellum, Bahadur, 30th Madras Infantry, vice pensioned Subadar Jehangir Khan, Sirdar Bahadur, deceased,—23rd September 1886.

To the 2nd Class, with the title of “Bahadur.”

Subadar Mahomed Innis, 28th Madras Infantry, vice pensioned Subadar-Major Yenketsoobarraydoo, Bahadur, deceased,—27th September 1886.

The following adjustment of rank is made:—

Subadar Cauleemootoo, Queen’s Own Sappers and Miners, to rank as “Bahadur,” with effect from the 23rd September 1886, vice Subadar Venketachellum, Bahadur, promoted.

No. 49.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 15th January 1887, is republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

UPPER BURMA.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Calcutta, the 14th January 1887.

No. 17.—Lieutenant F. T. Williams, 26th Madras Infantry, is appointed on probation to be an Assistant Commissioner of the 4th grade in Burma.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 50.—NATIVE ARMY—

4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Jemadar Syed Khader to be Subadar } Dated 26th October 1886.
 Havildar, No. 1068, Moonesamy to be Jemadar }

11th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Abulool Nubby to be Subadar-Major Dated 15th January 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 51.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel R. Houghton, Staff Corps,—9th December 1886.

No. 52.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Tillard, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service, from the 28th January 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £571 per annum.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 53.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officer are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Captain R. Mayne, Invalid Establishment, European Veterans.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 19th January 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers on the dates specified, were received in the Military (Estate) Department during the month of December 1886 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.
2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry.	Lieutenant H. F. Eckersley.	13th November 1886.	Kyetsayhmoo near Ningyan (Burma).	....
Staff Corps	Lieutenant J. F. Greenwood.	21st do. do.	Burma	Testate.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Govt., Mil. Dept.

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

W. K. ELLES, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 1st February 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 54.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Colonel C. McInroy, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class ;
Major W. H. M. Francklyn, General List, Infantry, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class ;
Captain S. R. Rawlinson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class ;
Lieutenant N. S. Swanston, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class ;
vice Colonel H. P. Hawkes promoted to Commissary-General. Dated 20th December 1886.

No. 55.—PERSONAL STAFF—

The following appointment has been made on the Personal Staff of Major-General B. L. Gordon, C.B., Royal Artillery, Commanding Burmah Division :—

Lieutenant J. R. P. Gordon, 15th (King's) Hussars, to be Aide-de-Camp. Dated 16th January 1887.

No. 56.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant A. W. Leonard, Essex Regiment, Wing Officer, 24th Madras Infantry,—13th November 1885.

No. 57.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months from date of appointment on probation, are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant C. V. Mainwaring, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 14th Madras Infantry,—21st June 1885.

Lieutenant F. R. M. C. DeR. Mauduit, 2nd West India Regiment, Officiating Squadron Officer, 3rd Madras Cavalry,—15th July 1885.

FUNDS.

No. 58.—MEDICAL—

The Medical Fund Annuities of January 1887 are granted as follows :—

Large Annuities.

Retired Surgeon-General M. C. Furnell, M.D., C.I.E. From 1st January 1887.

Retired Brigade Surgeon H. E. Busteed, M.D., C.I.E. From 1st January 1887.

Retired Brigade Surgeon J. Keess, M.D. From 6th January 1887.

Small Annuity.

Retired Brigade Surgeon C. T. Eves. From 4th January 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 59.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieutenant F. Glanville, Royal Engineers, Company Officer "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners (m.c.), for one year, under Rule IX, Note 2 of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 60.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel W. L. N. Knyvett, Staff Corps	..	{ Arrived at Calcutta on the 6th January 1887.
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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 61.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st January 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 36.—Lieutenant A. G. W. Moore, Welsh Regiment, appointed by the Secretary of State for India a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, is posted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date of his arrival in India.

No. 62.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st January 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 44.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army. Dated 20th January 1887.

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel George Augustus Strover, Madras Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Vertue, Madras Staff Corps.

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No. 63.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st January 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 49.—ORDER OF MERIT—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit No. 1324, Private Verasawmy, 23rd Madras Light Infantry, to the 3rd class of the Order of Merit, for conspicuous gallantry in action with dacoits at Miogyee on the 7th November 1886, in that although wounded early in the engagement, he kept his place in the ranks and joined in the charges by which the enemy were forced from their positions.

No. 64.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 22nd January 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 17th January 1887.

No. 94 G.—Consequent on the appointment of Mr. W. J. Cunningham, C.S., Under-Secretary, sub. *pro tem.*, to officiate as Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, the following reversions are made in the graded list of the Political Department, with effect from the 1st January 1887 :—

* * * *

Lieutenant W. Evans-Gordon, from Political Assistant of the 1st class, sub. *pro tem.*, to Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st class.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 65.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 4th January 1887, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th January 1887.

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Staff.—Colonel R. C. Stewart, Madras Cavalry, now Quartermaster-General of the Madras Army, with the local rank of Brigadier-General, has been appointed to command the Hyderabad Contingent, with the rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, *vice* Brigadier-General J. W. McQueen. Dated 15th October 1886.

Colonel E. Faunce, Madras Staff Corps, to be Quartermaster-General of the Madras Army, with the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, *vice* Brigadier-General R. C. Stewart. Dated 15th October 1886.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 66.—NATIVE ARMY—*4th (P.W.O.) Madras Cavalry.*

Havildar, No. 1214, Abdullah Beg to be Jemadar .. Dated 20th October 1886.
 Havildar, No. 1312, Syed Abdul Cawder to be Jemadar .. Dated 26th October 1886.

8th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaik Dawood to be Subadar
 Jemadar Litchme Nursiah to be Subadar
 Havildar Paul Sebastian to be Jemadar
 Havildar Mahomed Hoosain to be Jemadar

} Dated 10th September 1886.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 67.—Brigade Surgeon J. Keess, M.D., is permitted to retire from the service from the 4th January 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £700 per annum.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 68.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Captain H. F. Farrant, Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant P. G. Huggins, Staff Corps, 21st Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant H. D'U. Keary, Staff Corps, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
 Lieutenant W. H. Dobbie, Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant A. T. Young, Staff Corps, 12th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant R. M. Rainey, Staff Corps, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 69.—APPOINTMENTS—*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

The Honorable Mr. Francis Brandt to be Lieutenant.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

The Reverend Alfred William Lewis Smith to be Honorary Chaplain.

No. 70.—RESIGNATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to resign their commissions at their own request :—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant W. B. DeWinton.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Captain A. W. B. Higgins, C.S.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

No. 71.—The Reverend Noel Platt is permitted to resign his appointment as Honorary Chaplain, at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

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

W. K. ELLES, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 8th February 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 72.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 280 of 1885, and 336 of 1886, Lieutenant-Colonel T. R. Byng, Staff Corps, is granted an extension of leave for 8 days, from the 6th to 13th December 1886 inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, to cover the overstay of furlough.

No. 73.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 254, dated 4th May 1886, Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. R. D. Macneill, c.b., General List, Infantry, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Southern District, is granted an extension of 45 days' leave, from the 5th December 1886 to 18th January 1887 inclusive under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, to cover the overstay of furlough.

No. 74.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. S. Magrath, Staff Corps	.. { Arrived at Madras on the 27th January 1887.
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No. 75.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Lieutenant F. B. Deane, Staff Corps.

No. 76.—Conductor D. Mackay, Ordnance Department, is granted 60 days' leave in India in extension of that allowed him in G.O.G., No. 525, dated 15th September 1886.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 77.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th January 1887, is republished :—

No. 55.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, the undermentioned officers of the Madras ** Staff Corps are transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified :—

From the Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant Philip Mainwaring Carnegie, Hampshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 2nd Battalion, 4th Goorkha Regiment, 23rd October 1884.

No. 78.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th January 1887, is republished :—

No. 56.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, Lieutenant S. R. Master, East Surrey Regiment, Wing Officer, 2nd Battalion, 1st Goorkha Regiment, is transferred as a probationer from the Madras to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the 31st December 1885.

No. 79.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th January 1887, is republished :—

No. 69.—The following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India regarding the "Distinguished Service Order" recently instituted by Her Majesty the Queen-Emress is published for general information :—

Military,
No. 360.

India Office,
London, 9th December 1886.

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

MY LORD,—I transmit herewith, for your Lordship's information, copy of the statutes* of the "Distinguished Service Order," recently

Distinguished Service Order.
* Dated 6th September 1886.

instituted by Her Majesty the Queen-Empress for the reward of meritorious or distinguished service in the field or before the enemy, by officers holding commissions in Her Majesty's British, Indian, or Colonial naval or military services.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) CROSS.

THE STATUTES OF THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER.

VICTORIA R. & I.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India, to all to whom these presents shall come, greeting:—

Whereas We have taken into Our Royal consideration that the means of adequately rewarding the distinguished services of Officers in Our Naval and Military Services who have been honorably mentioned in despatches are limited; now for the purpose of attaining an end so desirable as that of rewarding individual instances of meritorious or distinguished service in war, We have instituted and created and by these presents, for Us, Our Heirs and Successors, do institute and create a new Naval and Military Order of Distinction—to be designated as hereinafter described—which We are desirous should be highly prized by the Officers of Our Naval and Military Services, and We are graciously pleased to make, ordain, and establish the following rules and ordinances for the government of the same, which shall henceforth be inviolably observed and kept:—

Firstly.—It is ordained, that this Order shall henceforth be styled and designated the "Distinguished Service Order."

Secondly.—It is ordained that the Order shall consist of the Sovereign, and of such Members of Companions as We, Our Heirs or Successors, shall appoint.

Thirdly.—It is ordained that We, Our Heirs and Successors, Kings and Queens Regnant of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Emperors and Empresses of India, are and for ever shall be Sovereigns of this Order.

Fourthly.—It is ordained that no person shall be eligible for this distinction who doth not actually hold at the time of his nomination, a Commission in Our Navy, in Our Land Forces, or Marines, or in Our Indian or Colonial Naval or Military Forces, or a Commission in one of the Departments of Our Navy or Army, the holder of which is entitled to Honorary or relative Navy or Army rank, nor shall any person be nominated unless his services shall have been marked by the especial mention of his name, by the Admiral or Senior Naval Officer Commanding a Squadron or detached Naval Force, or by the Commander-in-Chief of the Forces in the Field, in despatches for meritorious or distinguished service in the field, or before the enemy.

Fifthly.—It is ordained that Foreign Officers who have been associated in Naval or Military operations with Our Forces shall be eligible to be Honorary Members of this Order.

Sixthly.—It is ordained that when We, Our Heirs and Successors, shall be pleased to appoint any person to be a Member of this Order, such appointment shall be made by Warrant under Our Sign Manual, and countersigned by one of Our Principal Secretaries of State.

Seventhly.—It is ordained that the decoration of the Order shall be and shall be worn as is hereinafter set forth.

Eighthly.—It is ordained that an Officer shall be appointed to this Order, that is to say, a Secretary and Registrar.

Ninthly.—It is ordained that the Secretary and Registrar of this Order shall be appointed by Us, Our Heirs and Successors, and shall have the custody of the archives of the Order. He shall attend to the service of the Order and shall execute such directions as he may receive from Our Principal Secretary of State for War.

Tenthly.—It is ordained that this Order shall rank next to and immediately after Our Order of the Indian Empire, and that the Companions thereof shall in all places and assemblies whatsoever have place and precedence next to and immediately after the Companions of Our said Order of the Indian Empire, and shall rank among themselves according to the dates of their respective nominations.

Eleventhly.—It is ordained that the Badge of the Order, which shall consist of a gold cross, enamelled white, edged gold, having on one side thereof in the centre, within a wreath of laurel enamelled green, the Imperial Crown in gold, upon a red enamelled ground, and on the reverse within a similar wreath and on a similar red ground, Our Imperial and Royal cypher V.R.I., shall be suspended from the left breast by a red riband edged blue, of one inch in width.

Twelfthly.—It is ordained that the names of those upon whom We may be pleased to confer the decoration shall be published in the "London Gazette," and a registry thereof kept in the office of Our Secretary of State for War.

Lastly.—We reserve to Ourselves, Our Heirs and Successors, full power of annulling, altering, abrogating, augmenting, interpreting, or dispensing with these Regulations or any part thereof by a notification under the Sign Manual of the Sovereign of the Order.

Given at our Court at Balmoral this sixth day of September, in the fiftieth year of Our Reign, and in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

By Her Majesty's Command,
W. H. SMITH.

No. 80.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 29th January 1887 is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Calcutta, the 28th January 1887.

No. 37.—Lieutenant G. V. Burrows, 14th Madras Infantry, is appointed on probation to be an Assistant Commissioner of the 4th grade in Burma.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 81.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 11th January 1887, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th January 1887.

MEMORANDA.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 20th December 1886 :—

Sir Charles Patton Keyes, K.C.B., Madras.

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The undermentioned Colonels to be Major-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 20th December 1886 :—

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Thomas Spence Hawks, Madras.

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INDIAN LOCAL SERVICE.

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The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List :—

James Gathorne Cookson, Madras Cavalry. Dated 20th December 1886.

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India Office, 11th January 1887.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces :—

* * * *

Colonel Emeric Streatfield Berkeley, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th November 1886.

Colonel Robert Hoskyns Phelps, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st December 1886.

Colonel Richmond Houghton, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th December 1886.

Colonel Alexander McGoun, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th December 1886.

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

To be Majors-General.

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Colonel Emeric Streatfield Berkeley, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th November 1886.

Colonel Robert Hoskyns Phelps, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st December 1886.

Colonel Richmond Houghton, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th December 1886.

Colonel Alexander McGoun, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th December 1886.

PENSIONS.

No. 82.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. ^{R.A.}₁₆₃₇₉, Driver Arthur Cartwright, D Battery, 1st Brigade, } Coimbatore.
Royal Artillery.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 83.—GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Miller. Dated 4th February 1887.

No. 84.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Havildar, No. 93, Maduray to be Jemadar Dated 1st December 1886.

21st Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Appiah to be Subadar }
Havildar, No. 592, Syed Jelaul to be Jemadar } Dated 25th November 1886.

No. 85.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant H. Saunders Hudson. Dated 2nd February 1887.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 8th February 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers on the dates specified, were received in the Military (Estate) Department during the month of January 1887 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.
2nd Battalion, Somersetshire	Major R. Cooper ..	27th December 1886.	Yemethen (Burma).	....
Light Infantry, Staff Corps	Lieutenant G. L. Angelo ..	4th January 1887..	Mandalay (Burma).	....

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

W. K. ELLES, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 15th February 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 86.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty:—

Major A. W. H. Hornsby, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, Upper Burmah Field Force (u.p.a.), for four months. Pension service,—23rd year, commenced 6th January 1887.

No. 87.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Lieutenant H. Wharry, Staff Corps, Commissariat Department, Bengal (p.a.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 88.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty:—

Lieutenant J. S. G. Manera, Staff Corps.
Surgeon R. James.

No. 89.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has returned from furlough out of India:—

Conductor G. G. Splane, Ordnance Department .. { Arrived at Bombay on the
2nd February 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 90.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th February 1887, is republished:—

No. 80.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Sub-Conductor George Jones to be Supernumerary Conductor;

Store-Sergeant George Wagstaff to be Sub-Conductor, on probation,—

With effect from the 1st September 1886, *vice* Conductor J. Rose, pensioned.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Fulton Henderson to be Deputy Commissary;

Deputy Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant James Spence to be Assistant Commissary, *seconded*;

Deputy Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Charles Floate to be Assistant Commissary;

Conductor George Dempster to be Deputy Assistant Commissary;

Supernumerary Conductor George Jones to be absorbed,—

With effect from the 10th January 1887, *vice* Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain H. W. Dunlop, *seconded* in succession to Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain W. Marshall, pensioned.

No. 91.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th February 1887, is republished:—

REWARDS.

No. 82.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotions of honorary commissioned, warrant and non-commissioned officers, under the provisions of Clause 48, India Army Circulars, 1884, for services with the expeditionary force to Burma under command of Lieutenant-General Sir Harry Prendergast, K.C.B., with effect from the 17th May 1886:—

Commissariat Department.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant George Choquet (Madras), to be Deputy Commissary.

Sub-Conductor George Watson Mills } (Madras), to be Conductors.
Sub-Conductor Edwin Stevens }

Ordnance Department.

Conductor Charles Johnson (Madras), to be a Deputy Assistant Commissary.

Medical Department.

First-grade Assistant Apothecary James Rath (Madras), to be 2nd-grade Apothecary.
 Second-grade Assistant Apothecary George Robert Gaudoin (Madras), to be 1st-grade Assistant Apothecary.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 92.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 14th and 18th January 1887, are republished:—

India Office, 14th January 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major George Lecky. Dated 12th November 1886.

To be Major.

Captain Stuart Erskine Rolland. Dated 9th November 1886.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant John George Downing. Dated 20th November 1886.

MADRAS CAVALRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Hugh Richard Hope. Dated 4th November 1886.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Allan Chaplin. Dated 12th November 1886.

War Office, Pall Mall, 18th January 1887.

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Colonel Edward Melville Lawford, Madras Cavalry, to be Major-General. Dated 25th December 1886.

PENSIONS.

No. 93.—Conductor H. Webb, Adjutant-General's Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a retiring pension of £54 per annum, with effect from the 8th February 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 94.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Lancers.

Jemadar Sied Ruzzah to be Subadar } Dated 2nd November 1886.
 Jemadar Ebrahim Beg to be Subadar }

3rd Madras Light Infantry.

Subadar Mahomed Hoosmon to be Subadar-Major .. Dated 1st August 1886.

31st Madras Light Infantry.

Subadar Kishen Sing to be Subadar-Major .. Dated 1st January 1887.

No. 95.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Major.

Captain Thomas Greenaway Dated 12th February 1887.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant John Henry Howland Ansley .. }
 Lieutenant John William Currie .. } Dated 12th February 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 96.—APPOINTMENTS—*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*

Surgeon David Stuart Erskine Bain to be Honorary Surgeon.

No. 97.—LEAVE—*Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.*

Lieutenant R. Harper is granted leave in India for six months from the 1st March 1887, or date of departure.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant R. C. E. Underwood is granted leave to Burmah for six months.

No. 98.—RESIGNATIONS—*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

Lieutenant W. E. Hillyard is permitted to resign his commission, at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 7th February 1887.

STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during the month of January 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
17th Jan.	A. G. Wilbraham.	Captain ..	2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry.	Burmah.	21st July.	..	986 5 9	
8th do.	<i>Indian Military Service.</i>							
	H. W. Laing ..	Lieutenant.	Staff Corps ..	Mandalay.	24th do.	Testate.	1,008 0 0	

WARRANT OFFICER.

1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
25th Jan.	P. Twohig ..	Conductor.	Commissariat Department.	Burmah.	21st Apr.	Intestate.	* 7 12 0	

* Paid to the Superintendent of Family Payments as per No. 67-E, dated 2nd February 1887, towards the further adjustment of the demand (for Rupees 400) against the late Conductor Twohig's Estate.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Govt., Mil. Dept.

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

W. L. RANKING, Lieutenant-Colonel,
Offg. Deputy Adjutant General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 22nd February 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 99.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Colonel H. R. Mead, Royal Engineers.

No. 100.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel W. M. Dickinson, Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. B. Harris, Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

Major J. R. McCullagh, Royal Engineers, 6 months, m.c.

Surgeon-Major H. M. G. Archdall, 92 days, m.c.

No. 101.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel N. Swanston, Staff Corps, Commandant, 7th	} Arrived at Madras on the
Madras Infantry.		7th February 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 102.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th February 1887, is republished :—

No. 87.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Major E. Wighton, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd class, *additional*, is confirmed in that appointment ;

With effect from the 14th June 1886, *vice* Major G. Lamb, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 1st class, retired.

Captain S. V. Thornton, R.A., Officiating Commissary of Ordnance, 4th class, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Captain J. D. H. Waller, promoted. Dated 1st November 1886 ;

With effect from the 15th December 1886, *vice* Major W. M. Campbell, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd class, seconded on appointment as Assistant to an Inspector-General of Ordnance.

Captain S. V. Thornton, R.A., Commissary of Ordnance, 4th class, to be Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd class, *additional*,—

With effect from the 15th December 1886, *vice* Captain K. S. Dunsterville, R.A., promoted. G.G.O., Nos. * 712 (a), 859 (b) and 860 (c) of 1886 are cancelled.

* (a) Madras G.O.G. No. 652 of 1886.

(b) Madras G.O.G. No. 13 of 1887.

(c) Madras G.O.G. No. 14 of 1887.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 103.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 21st January 1887, is republished :—

India Office, 21st January 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Philip Mainwaring Carnegie, from the Hampshire Regiment. Dated 23rd October 1884, but to rank from 28th February 1879.

Lieutenant Frederic Thesiger Williams, from the Royal Irish Fusiliers. Dated 7th March 1885, but to rank from 1st July 1881.
 Lieutenant Charles James William Grant, from the Suffolk Regiment. Dated 14th September 1883, but to rank from 10th May 1882.
 Lieutenant Edward Alexander Gayer, from the Lincolnshire Regiment. Dated 1st September 1884, but to rank from 10th March 1883.
 Lieutenant William Kirkpatrick, from the South Wales Borderers. Dated 1st May 1885, but to rank from 25th August 1883.
 Lieutenant Edmund Peach, from the Somersetshire Light Infantry. Dated 27th May 1885, but to rank from 6th February 1884.
 Lieutenant George Alexander Ward, from the Durham Light Infantry. Dated 12th November 1885, but to rank from 2nd July 1884.

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The following Appointments have been made to the Personal Staff in India :—

Major J. A. F. H. Stewart-Mackenzie, 9th Lancers, to be Military Secretary to the Governor, Madras. Dated 8th December 1886.
 Captain W. H. Wyndham-Quin, 16th Lancers, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Governor, Madras. Dated 8th December 1886.
 Lieutenant G. F. Wingfield, 7th Hussars, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Governor, Madras. Dated 8th December 1886.
 Captain J. W. Malet, Northumberland Fusiliers, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General W. A. Gib, C.B., Commanding a Division of the Madras Army. Dated 18th November 1886.

PENSIONS.

No. 104.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

Serjeant Trumpeter Herbert Fenton, 12th Royal Lancers. . . Shahabad.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 105.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

To be Deputy Assistant Commissary.

Conductor John Daly. Dated 22nd February 1887.

No. 106.—NATIVE ARMY—

10th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Doorvasaloo to be Subadar	..	..	..	Dated 1st December 1886.
Jemadar Shaik Adam to be Subadar	..	..	..	Dated 15th December 1886.
Havildar-Major, No. 2490, Maukun Sing to be Jemadar	..	..	..	Dated 1st December 1886.
Havildar, No. 2674, Shaik Abdul Hafiz to be Jemadar	..	..	..	Dated 15th December 1886.

No. 107.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Major.

Captain Edward Brooke Anderson. Dated 19th February 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 108.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Ward, Staff Corps,—30th March 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 109.—G.O.G., No. 25 of 1887, attaching the Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps to the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers for administrative purposes, and so much of G.O.G., No. 26 of 1887, as relates to the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. Pearse, Staff Corps, to be Commandant of the Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps, are cancelled.

No. 110.—APPOINTMENTS—*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.**Gold Field Company.*

Mr. Algernon Seymour Bernard Oakley to be Captain.

Mr. William Frecherelle to be Lieutenant.

Mr. William Henry Tinney to be Lieutenant.

Mr. Thomas Joseph O'Donnell to be Honorary Surgeon.

Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Cox, General List, Infantry, to be Commandant.

No. 111.—LEAVE—*Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps.*

Captain F. Mangles is granted leave for one year, from date of departure.

No. 112.—PROMOTIONS—*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

The date of promotion in G.O.G., No. 248, dated 27th April 1886, of Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. Scharlieb and Captain F. J. James to the honorary rank of Colonel and Major, respectively, is the 31st August 1886.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 2nd March 1887.

. APPOINTMENTS.

No. 113.—ARMY STAFF—

Colonel M. C. Farrington, 1st Battalion, South Yorkshire Regiment, to officiate as Adjutant-General, *vice* Brigadier-General W. K. Elles, C.B., J.D.C., appointed Adjutant-General in India. Dated 18th February 1887.

No. 114.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Ranking, General List, Infantry, acted as Adjutant-General, and Major R. M. Clerk, General List, Infantry, acted as Deputy Adjutant-General, from 13th to 18th February 1887.

No. 115.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Colonel J. C. Gunning, Staff Corps, to officiate as Commissary-General, during the employment of Colonel H. P. Hawkes on other duty, or until further orders.

No. 116.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months from date of appointment on probation are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant A. R. Ditmas, Royal West Surrey Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 10th Madras Infantry,—6th August 1885.

Lieutenant T. P. French, Wiltshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 33rd Madras Infantry,—6th August 1885.

Lieutenant W. A. F. Burn, Middlesex Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 9th Madras Infantry,—3rd August 1885.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 117.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with subsidiary leave for eleven days:—

Colonel J. G. Cloete, Madras Infantry, Deputy Superintendent, Madras Survey (m.c.), for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 118.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Colonel C. B. Euan-Smith, C.S.I., General List, Infantry, Political Agent, Bhurtpore, (p.a.) for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 17th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

Lieutenant F. A. Loudon, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quartermaster, 25th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 119.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty:—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Bredin, Staff Corps, 22nd Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—26th year, commenced 17th December 1886.

No. 120.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Bradstreet, General List, Infantry, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates, Secunderabad, is granted privilege leave for 90 days from 1st March 1887, or date of departure,—Conductor J. Kirkwood, Barrack Master, performing the duties of the appointment on Colonel Bradstreet's responsibility.

No. 121.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Major J. H. Newill, Staff Corps.

No. 122.—Conductor F. Edwards, Commissariat Department, is granted leave in India for three months, under the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 24th February 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 123.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 19th February 1887, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, 12th February 1887.

No. 244 G.—The services of Colonel W. Kincaid, M.S.C, Political Agent, 2nd class, and Officiating Political Agent, 1st class, and Political Agent in Bhopal, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 3rd March 1887.

The 12th February 1887.

No. 674 I.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. S. Magrath, Madras Staff Corps, 1st Assistant Commissioner of Coorg, is appointed Magistrate and President of the Municipal Commission of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, with effect from date of taking charge of the office.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 124.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th January 1887, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th January 1887.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

Charles Campbell Hewetson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th November 1886.

PENSIONS.

No. 125.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 12738, Gunner Michael Jeffers, M Battery, 2nd Brigade, { St. Thomas' Mount.
Royal Artillery.

No. 126.—Sub-Conductor Thomas Goode, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a retiring pension of £54 per annum, with effect from the date he ceases to perform his duties.

No. 127.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 482, dated 25th August 1886, Conductor R. Mucklow, Retired List, Commissariat Department, is permitted to reside and draw pension (£90 per annum) in England.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 128.—NATIVE ARMY—

14th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 2785, Abdul Rhyeem to be Jemadar.

.. Dated 23rd February 1887.

SPECIAL.

No. 129.—The Government of India having been pleased to nominate Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Staff Corps, Commissary-General, Madras, to officiate as Commissary-General-in-Chief, that officer's services have been placed at the disposal of the Supreme Government, and he accordingly embarked for Calcutta on the 28th February 1887, in the P. and O. Steamer "Chusan," to take up the duties of the higher appointment.

2. The remainder of Colonel Hawkes' service will probably be spent with the Government of India. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council takes this opportunity, therefore, of

expressing in General Orders the high sense entertained by Government of that officer's long and valuable services in the Commissariat Department of this Presidency—extending over a period of rather more than 32 years, and to acknowledge the great ability and untiring devotion which Colonel Hawkes has always displayed in the discharge of his duties.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 130.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officer are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Colonel W. Kincaid, Staff Corps.

No. 131.—The services of the undermentioned Officer are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Staff Corps, Commissary-General.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 132.—LEAVE—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

The leave granted to Lieutenant H. A. Edwards in G.O.G., No. 502, dated 31st August 1886, is extended by six months, from 8th February 1887.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 8th March 1887.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 133.—The undermentioned Batteries of Royal Artillery are brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 18th February 1887 :—

No. 4 Battery, 1st Brigade, Lancashire Division.

No. 7 Battery, 1st Brigade, Cinque Ports Division.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 134.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Bruce, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class ;

Captain L. J. Torrie, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class ;

Lieutenant G. F. Watson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class ;

Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class ;

vice Colonel J. C. Gunning, appointed to act as Commissary-General. Dated 1st March 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 135.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Colonel C. M. Moberly, Staff Corps.

No. 136.—Colonel W. Kincaid, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India.

No. 137.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Shaw, Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate, for one year—Pension service,—30th year, commenced 11th December 1886.

No. 138.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Major T. M. Jenkins, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Burma (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain E. E. MacMahon, Staff Corps, Transport Branch, Commissariat Department (m.c.), for one year,—136 days under Rule I, and the remainder under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 139.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant R. D. MacDonnell, Staff Corps, till 29th September 1887, m.c.

Surgeon-Major J. P. McDermott, 6 months, m.c.

No. 140.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel A. J. Howes, Half Pay, Madras Infantry	} Arrived at Bombay on the 14th February 1887.
Lieutenant R. A. Ritherdon, Staff Corps, 1st Madras Pioneers.	
	} Arrived at Madras on the 26th February 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 141.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th February 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 133.—Lieutenant H. E. Pritchard, Royal Irish Regiment, appointed by the Secretary of State for India a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, is posted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date of his arrival in India.

No. 142.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th February 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

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

To be Colonels in the Army. Dated 20th February 1887.

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Lieutenant-Colonel William Octavius Foord, Madras Staff Corps.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 143.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

Major-General D. J. McGrigor, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, *vice* General F. F. Whinyates, deceased. Dated 22nd January 1887.

No. 144.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Colonel's allowance. Dated 3rd March 1887 :—

Colonel W. Kincaid, Staff Corps.

Colonel W. G. M. Strickland, Staff Corps.

No. 145.—GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Robert Mildmay Clerk	..	..	..	} Dated 4th March 1887.
Major Marc Henry Wratishaw	..	..	..	

No. 146.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Brigade Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major W. S. Fox. Dated 4th January 1887.

No. 147.—NATIVE ARMY—

3rd Madras Light Cavalry.

Jemadar Ebrahim Khan to be Subadar	..	..	} Dated 1st February 1887.
Havildar, No. 124, Secunder Khan to be Jemadar	..	..	

His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard.

Subadar Mahomed Ahnief Bahadur (2nd Madras Lancers)	} Dated 8th March 1887.
to be Subadar-Major.	
Havildar-Major, No. 341, Mahomed Sillamon to be Jemadar.	

Dated 16th November 1886.

RESTORATION TO EFFECTIVE LIST.

No. 148.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, Colonel A. J. Howes, Half Pay, Madras Infantry, is restored to the Effective List with effect from the 14th February 1887, the date of his arrival in India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 149.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Captain D. Ross Johnson acted as Adjutant from the 8th to the 20th January 1887, inclusive.

Visagapatam Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. William Percy Avous, Greenfield to be Lieutenant.

*Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps.**West Mysore Company.*

Mr. Digby Templeton Brett to be Captain.

Mr. Arthur Frederick Clifford to be Lieutenant.

Mr. Frank Urquhart to be Lieutenant.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 5th March 1887.

STATEMENT of DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during the month of February 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
COMMISSIONED OFFICER.								
1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
15th Feb.	Henry Thomas Shubrick.	Lieutenant.	2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Regiment L. I.	Ningyan (Burmah.)	26th Jan.	..	2,626 1 11	} 8th May 1887.
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(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Govt., Milly. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

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Fort St. George, 15th March 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 150.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Staff Corps, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem*.

FUNDS.

No. 151.—MEDICAL—

The date from which retired Brigade-Surgeon J. Keess, M.D., is granted a large Medical Fund Annuity is the 4th and not 6th January 1887, as notified in G.O.G., No. 58, dated 1st February 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 152.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Colonel Sir Edward Bradford, K.C.S.I., Staff Corps, Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 153.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with subsidiary leave for ten days :—

Colonel T. K. Guthrie, Staff Corps, Inspector-General of Police (p.a.), for one year and 182 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 154.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel D. W. Williams, Infantry, six months, m.c.

No. 155.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Colonel T. O. Underwood, Staff Corps.

No. 156.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty :—

Colonel A. M. Lys, Staff Corps (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—31st year, commenced 15th April 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. D. Walker, Madras Cavalry, Commandant, 4th Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—29th year, commenced 8th November 1886.

No. 157.—Lieutenant F. W. Dawson, Staff Corps, Adjutant, Malabar Volunteer Rifles, is granted privilege leave of absence for sixty days from the 1st April 1887, or date of departure.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 158.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th March 1887, is republished :—

No. 148.—First-grade Assistant Apothecary S. F. Michael, Madras 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave within Indian limits (m.c.) for 182 days, under Rule X of the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 29th September 1886.

No. 159.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th March 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 151.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Phillip Durham Henderson, C.S.I., Madras Cavalry,—20th February 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Henry Prendergast, Madras Staff Corps,—3rd March 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles John Oswald Fitz-Gerald, Madras Staff Corps,—4th March 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Henry Oakes, Madras Staff Corps,—4th March 1887.

No. 160.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th March 1887, is republished :—

No. 155.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Sub-Conductor William Blazey, on probation, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 13th August 1886.

No. 161.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 5th March 1887 is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, 1st March 1887.

No. 334 G.—Major J. H. Newill, Madras Staff Corps, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, is posted, on return from furlough, as Political Agent in Bhopawar.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 162.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 11th and 15th February 1887, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th February 1887.

Staff.—Lieutenant-General Sir Charles G. Arbuthnot, K.C.B., Royal Artillery, to be a Lieutenant-General on the Staff in India, to command the Troops in the Madras Presidency, *vice* (Local) Lieutenant-General Sir Herbert T. Macpherson, K.C.B., V.C., deceased. Dated 9th December 1886.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Douglas Gordon Seafield St. John Grant, Madras, to be Major-General. Dated 14th January 1887.

The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 14th January 1887 :—

Edward James Lawder, Madras.
George Robert Phillips, Madras.

Edmond Francis Burton, Madras.

Robson Benson, Madras.

George Baldock, Madras.

Edward Thomas Fasken, Madras.
Richard Drapes Ardagh, Madras.

John Loudon, Madras.
Hugh Heefke O'Connell, Madras.
William Alexander Riach, Madras.
Augustus Ritherdon, Madras.

INDIAN LOCAL SERVICE.

The promotion of Colonel Edward Melville Lawford, Madras Cavalry, to be Major-General, should have been described in the Gazette of 18th January 1887, as being on the Unemployed Supernumerary List.

India Office, 15th February 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Wyndham Hughes Hallett. Dated 19th December 1886.

Major Robert Græme Elphinstone Dalrymple. Dated 20th December 1886.

Major Colin Charles Campbell. Dated 22nd December 1886.

MADRAS CAVALRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Frederick William Buller. Dated 4th December 1886.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Alexander John Shaw. Dated 20th December 1886.

PENSIONS.

No. 163.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. ^{40th Bde.} 441.	Private Charles Connolly, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.	} Bangalore.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 164.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant R. C. E. Underwood is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,

Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

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Fort St. George, 22nd March 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 165.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Deputy Surgeon-General T. Tarrant, M.D., Medical Staff, Bangalore Division and Ceded and Belgaum Districts, to officiate, with temporary rank, as Surgeon-General;

Brigade Surgeon F. Ferguson, M.D., Medical Staff, to officiate on the Administrative Medical Staff of the Army, with the temporary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General, *vice* Dr. Tarrant; during the absence on leave out of India of Surgeon-General J. Irvine, M.D., Q.H.P., or until further orders.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 166.—Colonel T. B. E. Tennant, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India, under G.O.G. No. 296 of 1883, drawing pay under paragraph I of the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. Pension service,—37th year, commenced 2nd March 1887.

No. 167.—Colonel F. Beeching, Madras Infantry, is permitted to reside out of India.

No. 168.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Colonel W. H. Burton, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, Superintending Engineer, V Circle (p.a.), for one year and 182 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Colonel H. I. Lugard, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Nagpore (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 169.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel J. M. Kerr, Cavalry, till 15th April 1888, p.a.

No. 170.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Major W. G. Cumming, Royal Engineers.

Sub-Conductor J. Campbell, Quartermaster-General's Department.

No. 171.—The subsidiary leave of Captain E. E. MacMahon, Staff Corps, Transport Branch, Commissariat Department, who was granted furlough out of India in G.O.G., No. 138, dated 8th March 1887, is extended from the 4th to the 18th idem, under Article 783, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 172.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant J. S. G. Manera, Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry. { Arrived at Madras on the 12th March 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 173.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th February 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 171.—GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS—

It is notified that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer good service pensions on the undermentioned officers, with effect from the dates specified :—

From the 10th June 1886, in room of Major-General Howard Codrington Dowker, Madras Staff Corps, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

MAJOR-GENERAL BENJAMIN LUMSDEN GORDON, C.B., ROYAL (LATE MADRAS) ARTILLERY.

Dates of Commission.

Second Lieutenant	..	..	..	12th June 1852.
Lieutenant	..	..	..	27th April 1858.
Captain	..	..	..	5th January 1863.
Major	..	..	..	5th July 1872.
Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	1st April 1875.
Colonel	..	..	..	1st April 1884.
Major-General	..	..	..	27th October 1886.

Appointments.

Regimental duty,—March 1857, to August 1879.

Commanding Royal Artillery, 2nd Division, Northern Afghanistan Field Force,—August 1879, to July 1880.

Commanding the Ferozepore Station,—January 1882, to April 1883.

Commanding the Western District (Madras),—March 1885, to January 1886.

Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force,—January 1886, to April 1886.

Commanding the Burma Division,—April 1886, to date.

War Services.

Indian Mutiny, 1857-58.—Relief of Lucknow; operations at La Martiniere and Dilkooshah action with and defeat of the Gwalior Contingent at Cawnpore, and pursuit of the rebels. (Medal with clasp.)

Afghan War, 1879-80.—Battle of Charasiah, and operations round Kabul. (Despatches, *London Gazette*, 16th January, and 4th May 1880; c.B.; Medal with two clasps.)

From the 9th October 1886, in room of Surgeon-General Michael Cudmore Farnell, M.D., C.I.E., Indian Medical Service, Madras, retired.

COLONEL HENRY PHILIP HAWKES, MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Dates of Commission.

Ensign	..	..	..	..	3rd March 1850.
Lieutenant	..	..	..	..	15th November 1853.
Captain	..	..	..	..	3rd March 1862.
Major	..	..	..	..	15th August 1868.
Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	..	3rd March 1876.
Colonel	..	..	..	..	3rd March 1881.

Appointments.

Regimental duty, from 3rd March 1850, to 16th February 1854.

Sub-Assistant, Deputy Assistant and Assistant Commissary-General, 22nd December 1854, to 18th January 1883.

Deputy Commissary-General, Madras, 18th January 1883, to 19th December 1886.

Commissary-General, Madras, 20th December 1886, to date.

War Services.

Abyssinian Expedition, 1867-68.—As Assistant Commissary-General. (Despatches, *London Gazette*, 30th June, 10th and 14th July 1868; Medal; Brevet of Major.)

Perak Expedition, 1876.—As Assistant Commissary-General, with Laroot column.

PENSIONS.

No. 174.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

No. ^{S.W.B.} ₁₀₃₅ ,	Private William Coles, 2nd Battalion, South Wales	} Madras.
Borderers.		
No. ^{21 Bde.} ₆₂₄ ,	Private James Gilbert, 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire	} Bangalore.
Light Infantry.		

PROMOTIONS.

No. 175.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary S. F. Michael to be Second-grade Apothecary. Dated 6th March 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 176.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officer are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Lieutenant A. W. Leonard, Staff Corps.

No. 177.—The services of the undermentioned Officer are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, on relief from the Hyderabad Contingent :—

Surgeon A. T. L. Patch, M.B.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 178.—APPOINTMENTS—

Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps.

The Reverend Francis Nelson Crowther, M.A., to be Honorary Chaplain.

No. 179.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Lieutenant E. Thurston is permitted to resign his commission, at his own request.

A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 21st March 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Commissioned Officer on the date specified, was received in the Military (Estate) Department during the month of February 1887 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Madras Staff Corps	Lieutenant Neville Irving-Noble.	11th February 1887.	Rangoon.	....

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Govt., Milly. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 29th March 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 180.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following, extract from a Military despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 14, dated 3rd March 1887, is published, for general information :—

“The undermentioned probationers for the Indian Medical Service, having completed a course of instruction at the Army Medical School, and being reported qualified, have been appointed Surgeons on the Madras Establishment, their commissions as such bearing date 30th September 1886, the day of their joining at the Army Medical School :—

Gilbert Capel Hall.
Richard Henderson Castor.
Frederick George Maidment.
Marie Joseph Toby Joinville Blancard.
Ignatius Purcell Doyle.

They will be allowed to count as service for pension the period of their residence at the Army Medical School, from the 30th September 1886 to the 7th February 1887, inclusive.”

No. 181.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant H. T. H. Hay, Middlesex Regiment, Wing Officer, 11th Madras Infantry.—
26th November 1885.

No. 182.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months from date of appointment on probation, are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant W. B. Young, Essex Regiment, Wing Officer, 5th Madras Infantry,—7th August 1885.

Lieutenant W. E. Banbury, Hampshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry,—7th July 1885.

Lieutenant G. G. M. Hudson, South Wales Borderers, Wing Officer, 12th Madras Infantry,—3rd August 1885.

Lieutenant E. Y. Watson, North Lancashire Regiment, Wing Officer, 5th Madras Infantry,—3rd August 1885.

Lieutenant J. F. Barry, 4th Hussars, Officiating Squadron Officer, 1st Madras Lancers,—1st August 1885.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 183.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they are respectively struck off duty :—

Colonel T. Ross Church, *c.i.e.*, Staff Corps (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—39th year, commenced 19th February 1887.

Colonel J. Gabbett, Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry (p.a.), for 10 months. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 18th May 1886.

Lieutenant W. H. Lowry, Staff Corps, 10th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—11th year, commenced 29th November 1886.

Lieutenant H. M. S. Grover, Staff Corps, 2nd Punjab Cavalry (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—11th year, commenced 11th September 1886.

No. 184.—The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Colonel J. G. Bell, Staff Corps, Judicial Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts (m.c.), for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain E. G. Nicolls, Royal Artillery, Commandant, No. 4 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent (u.p.a.), for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868.
 Surgeon-General J. Irvine, M.D., Q.E.P., Medical Staff, Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras (m.c.), for 182 days, under Articles 256 and 822, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.
 Conductor George Jones, Ordnance Department (m.c.), for one year, under Rule 6 of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 185.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Bagshawe, General List, Infantry, 6 months, m.c.

No. 186.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Major G. C. Fenwick, Staff Corps.
 Surgeon-Major P. N. Mookerjee.

No. 187.—The subsidiary leave of Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Adjutant, 17th Madras Infantry, who was granted furlough out of India in G.O.G., No. 118, dated 2nd March 1887, is extended up to the 18th March 1887, under Article 783, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 188.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th March 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENT.

No. 180.—**STAFF CORPS.**—

With reference to G.G.O. No. 810 of 1886, Lieutenant M. W. Douglas, North Staffordshire Regiment, is posted to the Bengal instead of to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date of his arrival in India.

No. 189.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th March 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 190.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881, the names of the following officers are moved up on the Indian gradation list :—

* * * *

Colonel H. Fraser, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals,—in consequence of the transfer of Lieutenant-General Sir R. Phayre, K.C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, to the Unemployed Supernumerary List on the 22nd January 1887.

No. 190.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 19th March 1887, are republished :—

REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Calcutta, the 18th March 1887.

No. 229 F.—Consequent on the return from furlough of Major F. Bailey, R.E., Conservator of Forests, 2nd grade, Punjab, the following promotion and reversion will take effect from the 11th March 1887 :—

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Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. vanSomerén, M.G.L.I., Conservator of Forests, 3rd (officiating 1st) grade, Berar—to revert to officiating Conservator, 2nd grade.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 18th March 1887.

No. 485 G.—The following officiating promotions are made in the graded list of the Political Department, with effect from the 3rd March 1887, *vice* Colonel W. Kincaid, who has succeeded to Colonel's allowances :—

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Lieutenant-Colonel V. E. Law, Political Agent, 3rd class, to officiate as a Political Agent, 2nd class.

Major J. H. Newill, Political Assistant, 1st class, to officiate as a Political Agent, 3rd class.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 191.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 1st March 1887, is republished:—

India Office, 1st March 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant William Henry Lowry, from the Royal Scots Fusiliers. Dated 25th November 1883, but to rank from 29th November 1876.

Lieutenant Aubrey Arbuthnot Jones, from the Essex Regiment. Dated 1st November 1883, but to rank from 29th July 1882.

Lieutenant Henry Vincent Campbell, from the West Riding Regiment. Dated 23rd May 1885, but to rank from 9th September 1882.

Lieutenant Alexander James Shaw, from the Durham Light Infantry. Dated 25th April 1885, but to rank from 19th December 1883.

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PENSIONS.

No. 192.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary J. R. Forsyth of the Gun Carriage Factory is granted a pension of Rupees 175 per mensem, in lieu of that notified in G.O.G., No. 455, dated 11th August 1886.

No. 193.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 93, dated 15th February 1887, Conductor H. Webb is permitted to reside and draw his pension (*viz.*, Rupees 50 per mensem) at Madras.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 194.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officer are, with reference to G.O.G. No. 198, of this date, replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief:—

Colonel T. Ross Church, C.I.E., Staff Corps.

No. 195.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India:—

Captain E. S. Hastings, Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant G. A. Welman, Staff Corps, 13th Madras Infantry.

No. 196.—The services of the undermentioned Officer are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department:—

Surgeon M. H. Smith.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 197.—LEAVE—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain R. Tatham is granted leave out of India for 9 months, from date of departure.

No. 198.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Colonel T. Ross Church, C.I.E., Staff Corps, Commandant, is permitted to resign his appointment at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

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Fort St. George, 5th April 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 199.—ARMY HEAD-QUARTERS STAFF—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. M. Clerk, General List, Infantry, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Ceded District, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Ranking who vacates. Dated 19th March 1887.

No. 200.—MILITARY SECRETARIAT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 697, dated 22nd December 1885, Colonel A. R. Kenney-Herbert, General List, Cavalry, Secretary to Government, Military Department, to have the local rank of Brigadier-General. Dated 19th March 1887.

EXAMINATIONS.

No. 201.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 202.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty:—

Colonel G. A. Arbuthnot, Madras Cavalry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—37th year, commenced 4th October 1886.

No. 203.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with subsidiary leave for 10 days:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. McLeod, Staff Corps, Superintendent, Central Jail, Vellore (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 204.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Lieutenant G. N. Caulfield, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 10th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for 182 days, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 205.—The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. J. B. Simpson, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.

Sub-Conductor F. S. Dunk, Commissariat Department, six months, m.c.

No. 206.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Ogilvie, General List, Infantry, Wing Commander, 10th Madras Infantry, is granted leave to sea (m.c.) for 90 days under Rule XXVII. of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 207.—The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Colonel C. M. Moberly, Staff Corps	..	..	} Arrived at Bombay on the
Colonel H. R. Mead, Royal (late Madras) Engineers	..	..		21st March 1887.
Army Schoolmaster A. C. Sherwood, Army Education Department.			} Arrived at Bombay on the
			22nd March 1887.

No. 208.—The undermentioned Officer has been ordered by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty, leaving Brindisi on the 28th March 1887 :—

Major A. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps.

No. 209.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Captain C. H. M. Kensington, R.E.
Surgeon C. H. Bennett, M.D.

No. 210.—Conductor Edward Fisher, Ordnance Department, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for 182 days, under the Regulations of 1875.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 211.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd October 1886, is republished :—

PROMOTION.

No. 707.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Sub-Conductor George Henry Ashby on probation, is confirmed in his present grade,—with effect from the 1st April 1886.

No. 212.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th March 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENT.

No. 200.—BURMA FIELD FORCE—

The undermentioned officer is appointed to the Burma Field Force for special service :—
Captain R. P. Maedonald, Hampshire Regiment.

No. 213.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th March 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

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

To be Colonels in the Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Robert Kenney-Herbert, Madras General List, Cavalry,—
19th March 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Fano Haylett Sewell, Madras Staff Corps,—20th March 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Walter Hesketh, Madras Staff Corps, 20th March 1887.

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No. 214.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th March 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 208.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Deputy Assistant Commissaries and Honorary Lieutenants George Mathias Dorsey and George Blazey, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, to be Assistant Commissaries.

No. 215.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 26th March 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, 21st March 1887.

No. 495 G.—In supersession of Foreign Department Notification, No. 177 G., dated the 3rd February 1887, the following appointments are made in the Central India Horse :—

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Lieutenant C. V. F. Townshend, 3rd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, is attached to the 2nd Regiment as Officiating Squadron Officer, *vice* Lieutenant A. B. Mayne.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 216.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon G. T. Thomas	} Dated 31st March 1887.
Surgeon A. J. Sturmer	
Surgeon A. Adams, M.D.	

No. 217.—NATIVE ARMY—*2nd Madras Lancers.*

Jemadar Shaik Abdool Raheem to be Subadar .. Dated 1st February 1887.
 Jemadar Ramchunder Rao to be Subadar .. Dated 8th March 1887.

5th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Ahmed Beg to be Subadar-Major ..
 Jemadar Sied Ebram to be Subadar .. } Dated 1st January 1887.

8th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Appasawmy to be Subadar .. Dated 1st January 1887.
 Jemadar Hussen Homed to be Subadar .. Dated 25th January 1887.

17th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Moothoorungien to be Subadar .. Dated 1st February 1887.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Subadar Mahomed Saib to be Subadar-Major ..
 Jemadar Daviah to be Subadar .. } Dated 1st February 1887.
 Jemadar Sheikh Ismail to be Subadar .. } Dated 12th February 1887.

26th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Shekh Imaum to be Subadar-Major ..
 Jemadar Imaum Khan to be Subadar .. } Dated 1st December 1886.
 Havildar, No. 470, Mahomed Oosman to be Jemadar ..

31st Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Sheikh Secunder to be Subadar .. Dated 1st January 1887.

32nd Madras Infantry.

Subadar Emomodeen to be Subadar-Major ..
 Jemadar Mun Mohun to be Subadar .. } Dated 1st January 1887.

No. 218.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Richard Doyne MacDonnell. Dated 1st April 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.**No. 219.—APPOINTMENTS—***Madras Volunteer Guards.*

Colonel J. McMullin, Staff Corps, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel T. Ross Church, C.I.E., resigned. Dated 31st March 1887.

No. 220.—LEAVE—*Madras Artillery Volunteers.*

Captain H. G. Wedderburn is granted leave out of India for nine months, from the 7th April 1887 or date of departure.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Lieutenant W. Barefoot is granted leave out of India for twelve months from the 14th April 1887, or date of departure.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

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Ootacamund, 19th April 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 221.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

The undermentioned Officers to be Sub-Assistant Commissaries-General, 2nd class, sub. *pro tem*. :—

Lieutenant F. C. Rynd, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant C. E. Lloyd, Staff Corps.

No. 222.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G., No. 180, dated 29th March 1887, the undermentioned Surgeons are admitted on the Madras Establishment from the 22nd March 1887, the date of their arrival at Bombay :—

Gilbert Capel Hall.
Richard Henderson Castor.
Frederick George Maidment.
Marie Joseph Toby Joinville Blancard.
Ignatius Purcell Doyle.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 223.—With reference to G.O.G., Nos. 255 of 1885 and 210 and 545 of 1886, Colonel N. Swanston, Staff Corps, Commandant, 7th Madras Infantry, is granted an extension of leave for three days from the 4th to the 6th February 1887 inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, to cover the overstay of furlough.

No. 224.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. Hudleston, Staff Corps, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates, Trichinopoly, is granted privilege leave for sixty days from 20th April 1887, or date of departure,—Surgeon J. W. Evans performing the duties of the appointment on Lieutenant-Colonel Hudleston's responsibility.

No. 225.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel F. Weldon, Staff Corps, one year, p.a.
Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Vanderzee, Staff Corps, 92 days, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel T. S. Magan, Staff Corps, three months, m.c.
Lieutenant F. C. W. Rideout, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.

No. 226.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has ordered the undermentioned Officer to return to duty, embarking at Brindisi 18th April 1887 :—

Captain H. Lawson, Staff Corps.

No. 227.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant F. B. Deane, Staff Corps	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
Surgeon-Major P. N. Mookerjee	{ 27th March 1887.
Surgeon R. James	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
	{ 4th April 1887.
	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
	{ 28th March 1887.

No. 228.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Major L. Beech.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 229.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th and 22nd March 1887, are republished :—

India Office, 15th March 1887.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain Thomas Alexander Frederick Leader. Dated 11th January 1887.

Captain Bowes Thorpe Montague Gompertz. Dated 11th January 1887.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd March 1887.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

Malcolm Furlong, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th January 1887.

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George Augustus Strover, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th January 1887.

William Vertue, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th January 1887.

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Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary William Marshall, Madras Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Major on retirement. Dated 9th January 1887.

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India Office, 22nd March 1887.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles Vaughan Mainwaring, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated. 21st June 1885, but to rank from 10th March 1883.

Lieutenant Alfred Wilberforce Leonard, from the Essex Regiment. Dated 13th November 1885, but to rank from 10th March 1883.

Lieutenant Frank Rowley Metcalfe Charles DeRittich Mauduit, from the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 15th July 1885, but to rank from 21st March 1883.

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The Queen has also approved of the transfer of the undermentioned Officers from the Madras and Bombay Staff Corps to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 28th January 1887, but to have effect in each instance from the original date of admission to the Staff Corps :—

From the Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant Philip Mainwaring Carnegie.

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PENSIONS.

No. 230.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions :—

No. 886, Private James Banks, 12th Lancers—Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.

No. 2120, Private Benjamin Mathews, 12th Lancers—Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 231.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Colonel's allowances with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel J. Swinney, Staff Corps, 12th April 1887.

Colonel Sir E. B. Sladen, Kt., Staff Corps, 14th April 1887.

No. 232.—NATIVE ARMY—*11th Madras Infantry.*

Jemadar Seobarraido to be Subadar

Havildar, No. 376, Appulsawmy to be Jemadar

Havildar, No. 476, Mahomed Ukber to be Jemadar

} Dated 15th January 1887.

.. Dated 10th March 1887.

17th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 2506, Gopalsamy to be Jemadar

.. Dated 2nd November 1886.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 592, Chanda Ali Khan to be Jemadar

Havildar, No. 123, Sreeneevasooloo to be Jemadar

Havildar, No. 146, Annachellum to be Jemadar

Havildar, No. 98, Chelminah to be Jemadar

.. Dated 2nd December 1886.

.. Dated 21st December 1886.

.. Dated 1st February 1887.

.. Dated 12th February 1887.

25th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Mahomed Surver to be Subadar

Jemadar Venketsawmy to be Subadar

.. Dated 27th December 1886.

.. Dated 9th March 1887.

31st Madras Light Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 662, Vencet Row to be Jemadar

.. Dated 1st January 1887.

No. 233.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Charles Frederick Stevens. Dated 19th April 1887.

Lieutenant Ponsonby Glenn Huggins. Dated 19th April 1887.

REMOVAL FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 234.—No. 8 Battery, 1st Brigade, London Division, Royal Artillery, is struck off the Madras Establishment from the 6th April 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 235.—Colonel G. N. Stephens, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service from the 1st April 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £783-5-0 per annum.

No. 236.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel A. G. D. Logan, Staff Corps, —22nd February 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 237.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officer are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Captain C. E. Poynder, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 5th Madras Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 238.—LEAVE—*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

Colonel J. McMullin, Staff Corps, Commandant, is granted privilege leave for 90 days from 15th April 1887 or date of departure.

Madras Volunteer Guards, Mounted Company.

Lieutenant J. A. Boyson is granted leave out of India for 15 months with effect from the 24th March 1887 or date of departure.

No. 239.—PROMOTIONS—*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

Captain (Honorary Major) F. J. James to be Major.
 Captain F. O. Sherman is granted the honorary rank of Major.

(Signed) **A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT**, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.**

Ootacamund, 5th April 1887.

STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during the month of March 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus	Date to which claims will be received.
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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
8th Mar.	F. C. E. Childers.	Captain (Bt. Major).	Royal Artillery.	Ootacamund.	28th May.	Intestate.	10 0 0	..
29th do.	D. Auchinleck ..	Major ..	2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers.	Burmah.	15th Sept.	..	640 7 7	5th June 1887.

(Signed) **A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT**, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Milly. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 22nd April 1887.

. APPOINTMENTS.

No. 240.—BRIGADE STAFF—

Colonel T. H. Way, Staff Corps, to the Brigade Staff of the Army, *vice* Brigadier-General B. L. Gordon, c.b., Royal (late Madras) Artillery, who vacates his command on promotion to the rank of Major-General. Dated 10th April 1887.

BOOKS.

No. 241.—CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR FAMILY PAYMENTS, 1885—

The following addendum is published for general information :—

Page 25, Part I, Section III.—After para. 129 insert the following paragraph :—
129a. The Superintendent on receipt of abovementioned Rolls of Family Certificates, and of intimation that a general Roll of the whole of the Family Certificates granted has been sent to the Corps, &c., will intimate at once to the Officers under whom the granters of the Family Certificates may be ordered to serve, the fact of such Family Certificates having been granted.

The receipt of letters, reports and documents relating to the issue of Family Certificates must be acknowledged by return post by the Officers to whom they were addressed—a reminder being immediately sent if, by return post, such acknowledgment be not received.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 242.—Colonel R. S. J. Prendergast, Cavalry, is permitted to reside out of India.

No. 243.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Colonel F. B. Middleton, Staff Corps, Commandant, 21st Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 244.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Cumming, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. } Arrived at Bombay on the
11th April 1887.

No. 245.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty :—

Captain A. W. Cockburn, R.E., “Queen’s Own” Sappers and Miners (p.a.), for one year. Pension service, —16th year, commenced 2nd August 1886.

Lieutenant E. M. Reed, Staff Corps, 4th Light Cavalry (p.a.), for one year. Pension service, —7th year, commenced 19th February 1887.

Surgeon-Major John North, Indian Medical Department (m.c.), for one year. Pension service, —18th year, commenced 27th December 1886.

No. 246.—Captain B. A. N. Parrott, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Minbu District, Burma, is granted furlough (p.a.) in and out of India for one year and 182 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 247.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Brigade-Surgeon G. D. Riddell.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 248.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th April 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 4 Field Battery.

No. 217.—Lieutenant C. A. Muspratt-Williams, R.A., to officiate as Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant C. Wood, R.A., on furlough. Dated 9th March 1887.

No. 249.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th April 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 225.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881, the names of the following officers are moved up on the Indian Gradation List :—

Colonel W. Munro, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals in consequence of the death of Major-General Sir C. M. MacGregor, K.C.B., C.S.I., C.I.E., Bengal Staff Corps, on the 5th February 1887.

Colonel C. A. McMahon, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supernumerary List of Major-General G. A. Laughton, Bombay Staff Corps, on the 6th February 1887.

No. 250.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th April 1887, is republished :—

No. 226.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Henry Vanderzee, Madras Staff Corps, —7th April 1887.

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No. 251.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th April 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 232.—BURMA FIELD FORCE—

The following appointment to the 2nd Brigade, Burma Field Force, is sanctioned :—

Captain C. E. Poynder, Wing Officer, 5th Madras Infantry, to be Brigade-Major, *vice* Captain A. B. Fenton, who has resigned that appointment.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 252.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 29th March 1887, is republished :—

India Office, 29th March 1887.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces :—

* * * * *

Colonel Archibald George Douglas Logan, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 22nd February 1887.

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Lieutenant-Colonel John Ward, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th March 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Henry Tillard, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th January 1887.

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Brigade Surgeon James Keess, M.D., Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 4th January 1887.

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

To be Major-Generals.

Colonel Archibald George Douglas Logan, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 22nd February 1887.

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To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Ward, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th March 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Henry Tillard, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th January 1887.

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To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Brigade Surgeon James Keess, M.D., Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 4th January 1887.

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PENSIONS.

No. 253.—Sub-Conductor James Pearson Cooke, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment, on an invalid pension of Rupees 56 per mensem, with effect from the date he ceases to perform his duties.

No. 254.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 23471, Bombardier James Whare, 8th Battalion, 1st Brigade, London Division, Royal Artillery—Cape Town, South Africa.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 255.—NATIVE ARMY—*His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard.*

Regimental Havildar-Major, No. 134, Curreemodeen (3rd) Dated 26th April 1887.
Regiment Madras Cavalry), to be Jemadar.

2nd Madras Lancers.

Subadar Venket Row, "Bahadur," to be Subadar-Major	..	Dated 1st February 1887.
Jemadar Syed Abbas to be Subadar	..	Dated 26th March 1887.
Havildar, No. 1154, Gholam Dustagheer to be Jemadar	..	Dated 1st February 1887.
Havildar, No. 1153, Surver Khan to be Jemadar	..	Dated 8th March 1887.
Havildar, No. 1188, Yasseen Khan to be Jemadar	..	Dated 26th March 1887.

4th (P.W.O.) Madras Cavalry.

Havildar, No. 6, Sheik Mustapha to be Jemadar	..	Dated 18th November 1886.
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5th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 2858, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar	..	Dated 1st January 1887.
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9th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Mahomed Yacoob to be Subadar-Major	..	} Dated 26th March 1887.
Jemadar Syed Anser to be Subadar	..	

12th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Mahomed Jaffer to be Subadar	..	} Dated 20th November 1886.
Havildar, No. 2712, Abdool Razaak to be Jemadar	..	

25th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1283, Doorgiah to be Jemadar	..	Dated 26th December 1886.
Havildar, No. 1285, Moonasawmy to be Jemadar	..	Dated 19th January 1887.

No. 256.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary W. E. Hendricks to be Second-grade Apothecary. Dated 13th April 1887.

REMOVAL FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 257.—No. 5 Battery, 1st Brigade, Southern Division, Royal Artillery, is struck off the Madras Establishment from the 20th April 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 258.—EXAMINATIONS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

The undermentioned Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers have passed their Examination and received certificates of proficiency :—

Major H. L. Ansted.
 Captain W. G. Pavey.
 Captain D. Ross Johnson.
 Captain H. J. Thompson.
 Lieutenant R. Chisholm.
 Lieutenant R. E. Pigott.
 Lieutenant W. Heaton.
 Color Sergeant A. E. Pope.

Color Sergeant J. J. Clarke.
 Color Sergeant F. Williams.
 Sergeant G. Taylor.
 Sergeant F. Adams.
 Sergeant J. B. Whetton.
 Sergeant T. Akehurst.
 Sergeant E. Driver.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 29th April 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 259.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer having completed 18 months from date of appointment on probation, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant W. H. W. Mercer, Middlesex Regiment, Wing Officer, 26th Madras Infantry, —29th August 1885.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 260.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel T. H. B. Young, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, 17th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—29th year, commenced 13th September 1886.

Lieutenant W. H. Dobbie, Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for 242 days. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 13th August 1886.

Lieutenant E. C. Thwaytes, Staff Corps, 24th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 11th August 1886.

Surgeon-Major T. C. H. Spencer, Indian Medical Department (m.c.), for 182 days. Pension service,—18th year, commenced 27th December 1886.

GAZETTE OF PUNJAB.

No. 261.—The following Notification from the *Punjab Gazette*, dated 23rd December 1886, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MILITARY.

The 22nd December 1886.

3RD PUNJAB VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

No. 160.—*Transfer.*—Captain Ernest Theodore Anthony, from the Madras Volunteer Guards, to be Captain on the supernumerary list.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 262.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

The sub. *pro tem.* promotion granted to Sergeant G. White in G.O.G. No. 584, dated 8th October 1886, is cancelled with effect from the 20th April 1887.

No. 263.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Robert A. Ritherdon. Dated 28th April 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 264.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain S. E. Bellingham, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Resident, Hyderabad.

No. 265.—The services of the undermentioned Officer are placed at the disposal of the Public Department :—

Surgeon-Major A. N. Rogers-Harrison.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 266.—REMOVALS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

With reference to G.O.G. No. 261 of this date, the name of Captain E. T. Anthony is struck off the list of officers from the 22nd December 1886.

No. 267.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain Sutherland Orr is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain F. F. Smith is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 6th May 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 268.—ARMY HEAD-QUARTERS STAFF—

Colonel M. Protheroe, C.S.I., Staff Corps, Assistant Quartermaster-General, Burma Division (late Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, Burma Expeditionary Force), to be Deputy Adjutant-General, *vice* Brigadier-General E. Faunce appointed Quartermaster-General. Dated 5th May 1887.

EXAMINATIONS.

No. 269.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

The undermentioned Officers have passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department :—

Lieutenant W. E. Wimble, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.
Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 270.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Colonel C. S. Steward, Cavalry.
Lieutenant H. T. King, Staff Corps.

No. 271.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel D. H. Trail, R.E., 4 months, *m.c.*
Surgeon-Major R. V. Power, M.D., 4 months, *m.c.*

No. 272.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel T. O. Underwood, Madras Staff Corps ..	{ Arrived at Madras on the 9th April 1887.
Surgeon C. H. Bennett, Indian Medical Department ..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the 24th April 1887.

No. 273.—Lieutenant-Colonel S. Leigh-Hunt, Staff Corps, Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, is granted privilege leave for ninety days from 28th May 1887, or date of departure, Honorary Major D. Lissenburg, in charge of Family Payments and Pensions, Madras, performing the duties of the appointment on Lieutenant-Colonel Leigh-Hunt's responsibility.

No. 274.—Captain H. D. Gerrard, Staff Corps, Adjutant, South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is granted privilege leave of absence for ninety days from 1st May 1887, or date of departure.

No. 275.—Lieutenant J. S. G. Manera, Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry, is granted an extension of leave out of India for five days, with effect from the 18th March 1887, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

No. 276.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty :—

Lieutenant F. C. Logan-Home, Staff Corps, 3rd Light Cavalry (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 23rd April 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA:

No. 277.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd April 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 255.—BURMA FIELD FORCE—

Colonel A. B. Morgan, C.B., *h.p.*, to be Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General Burma Field Force, *vice* Colonel M. Protheroe, C.S.I., who has been appointed Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Army. Dated 9th April 1887.

No. 278.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd April 1887, is republished :—

No. 256.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

In G.G.O. No. 234 of 1887, notifying the appointment of Lieutenant C. R. Elliot to the 3rd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, for “31st March 1887,” read “16th March 1887.”

No. 279.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd April 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 269.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army. Dated 20th April 1887.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Frederick Laughton, C.B., Madras Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel James Henry Gordon, Madras Staff Corps.

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No. 280.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd April 1887, is republished :—

No. 275.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Sub-Conductor George Wagstaff, on probation, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 1st September 1886.

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Store-Sergeant Benjamin Curtis to be Sub-Conductor, on probation, with effect from the 7th March 1887, *vice* Sub-Conductor T. Goode, transferred to the Pension Establishment.

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No. 281.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 23rd April 1887, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 22nd April 1887.

No. 151.—The services of Lieutenant C. M. Dallas, of the Madras Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, for employment in the Punjab Commission.

No. 282.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th April 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 283.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

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3rd Infantry.

Major W. G. C. Johnstone, Wing Commander and 2nd-in-Command, 1st Infantry, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel T. H. Way, appointed to the Brigade Staff in Madras. Dated 10th March 1887.

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PENSIONS.

No. 283.—Conductor David Mackay, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on an invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, with effect from the date he ceases to perform his duties.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 284.—NATIVE ARMY—

4th (P.W.O.) Madras Cavalry.

Jemadar Hussen Khan to be Subadar Dated 5th April 1887.

9th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 814, Ramasawmy to be Jemadar Dated 26th March 1887.

RESTORATION TO THE EFFECTIVE LIST.

No. 285.—Under the authority of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Hindle, Half Pay, Staff Corps, is restored to the effective list, with effect from the 18th April 1887, the date of his arrival in India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 286.—EXAMINATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency :—

Madras Artillery Volunteers.

Captain E. Norton.
Captain H. G. Wedderburn.
Lieutenant R. B. Michell.
Lieutenant J. O. Crawford.

Quartermaster Sergeant A. Saviel.
Sergeant W. Bowie.
Sergeant J. K. Shaw.

Madras Volunteer Guards (Mounted Company).

Captain J. Fortune.
Lieutenant J. A. Boyson.

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Color Sergeant W. Wilton.
Sergeant R. Coombes.
Corporal E. A. S. Nicholas.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant A. Drew.
Lieutenant D. Hooper.
Lieutenant G. H. Gifford.
Color Sergeant P. Vigor.
Sergeant A. Perkins.
Sergeant C. H. Hiles.

Sergeant J. Lamond.
Sergeant H. E. Somerville.
Sergeant W. R. Wapshare.
Sergeant J. Smithers.
Sergeant C. H. Joyce.

(Signed)

A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 10th May 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers on the dates specified, were received in the Military (Estate) Department during the month of April 1887 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Indian Medical Department ..	Surgeon P. H. W. Boon ..	2nd April 1887 ...	Baichore ..	....
Clothing Department ..	Sub-Conductor A. Lambie.	13th do. ..	Madras ..	....

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Milly. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 13th May 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 287.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with subsidiary leave for 10 days :—

Colonel W. Hill, Staff Corps, Civil and Sessions Judge, Bangalore (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 288.—Lieutenant-Colonel M. Furlong, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Burma, is granted special leave out of India on urgent private affairs for four months under sections 61 to 63 of the Civil Leave Code, with the necessary subsidiary leave.

No. 289.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Brigade-Surgeon R. E. Pearse, Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras (m.c.), for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 290.—The permission to reside out of India granted to Honorary Captain (Retired Deputy Commissary) G. Proudfoot, in G.O.G. No. 178, dated 30th March 1886, is extended to the 25th April 1888.

No. 291.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain H. Lawson, Staff Corps, 14th Madras Infantry . . { Arrived at Bombay on the
2nd May 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 292.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th May 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 314.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

5th Infantry.

Lieutenant A. Mullaly, Middlesex Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 16th April 1887.

No. 293.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th May 1887, is republished :—

No. 315.—STAFF CORPS—

Lieutenant Richard Henry Ewart, Hampshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 31st Bengal Infantry, is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps from the 27th March 1886, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 294.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th January, 18th February, and 15th April 1887, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th January 1887.

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Staff.—Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel H. M. Bengough, half-pay, now an Assistant Adjutant-General in India, has been appointed to command a Brigade of the Madras Army, with the rank of Brigadier-General. Dated 8th November 1886.
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War Office, Pall Mall, 18th February 1887.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 22nd January 1887 :—

Thomas Gillilan, Madras.

Charles Hayes Abdy, Madras.

India Office, 18th February 1887.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers of the Indian Military Forces :—

Major Edward Pennyueick Maltby, Madras Infantry. Dated 1st January 1887.

The Queen has also approved of the undermentioned Officers being granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Edward Pennyueick Maltby, Madras Infantry. Dated 1st January 1887.

India Office, 15th April 1887.

The Queen has approved of the following admissions to the Indian Medical Service :—

To be Surgeons. Dated 30th September 1886.

MADRAS.

Gilbert Capel Hall.

Richard Henderson Castor.

Frederick George Maidment.

Marie Joseph Toby Joinville Blancard.

Ignatius Purcell Doyle.

PROMOTIONS

No. 295.—MADRAS INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel F. D. Plowden. Dated 10th May 1887.

No. 296.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Lancers.

Havildar, No. 1202, Mahomed Mustapha to be Jemadar .. }
Havildar, No. 1201, Mahomed Ghouse to be Jemadar .. } Dated 2nd November 1886.

8th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 434, Naganah to be Jemadar .. }
Havildar, No. 454, Lutchemputhy to be Jemadar .. } Dated 1st January 1887.
Havildar, No. 471, Vurdarajoo to be Jemadar .. }
Havildar, No. 498, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar .. } Dated 25th January 1887.
Havildar, No. 498, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar .. } Dated 26th March 1887..
Havildar, No. 498, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar .. } Dated 1st May 1887.

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 947, Erranah to be Jemadar .. Dated 25th November 1886.

29th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Venkatnaroydoo to be Subadar .. Dated 16th April 1887.

32nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 188, Vurdarajhoo to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st January 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 297.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel H. C. Wright, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with effect from the 30th May 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 298.—EXAMINATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency :—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Sergeant G. P. Simkins.
Sergeant H. Weir.
Sergeant H. Bouvard.
Sergeant R. Adolphus.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Major G. S. Bruce.
Major W. H. Spalding.
Captain F. F. Smith.
Captain F. W. Koeneman.
Lieutenant J. W. Nice.
Quartermaster Sergeant W. H. Barden.
Staff Sergeant A. R. Chinnery.
Color Sergeant J. T. Horrocks.
Color Sergeant T. Marshall.

Sergeant J. T. Rouse.
Sergeant G. H. Cullen.
Sergeant J. Harman.
Lance Sergeant J. F. Larnan.
Corporal D. C. Winter.
Corporal J. O'Sullivan.
Lance Corporal J. J. Barefoot.
Lance Corporal C. A. Barefoot.
Lance Corporal S. W. Tremeneere.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 20th May 1887.

* EXAMINATIONS.

No. 299.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant H. W. Lowry, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 300.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty :—

Colonel F. S. Cherry, 4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry (p.a.), for one year. Pension service, —30th year, commenced 8th June 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Shelley, General List, Infantry, Staff Officer and Superintendent Details, Fort St. George (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—28th year, commenced 22nd August 1886.

No. 301.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Major H. M. G. Archdall.

No. 302.—The leave in India granted to Conductor D. Mackay of the Ordnance Department in G.O.G. No. 76, dated 8th February 1887, is extended to 11th May 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 303.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 14th May 1887 is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 10th May 1887.

No. 241.—APPOINTMENT.—First-grade Apothecary O. W. Jones, M.D., of the Madras Subordinate Medical Establishment, is appointed Civil Surgeon of Basim in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, *vice* Assistant Apothecary T. Kiddle.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 304.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 22nd April 1887, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd April 1887.

MEMORANDA.

* Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Fulton Henderson, Madras Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 10th January 1887.

* Deputy Assistant-Commissary George Dempster, Madras Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 10th January 1887.

India Office, 22nd April 1887.

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

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain Thomas Greenaway. Dated 12th February 1887.

Captain Edward Brooke Anderson. Dated 19th February 1887.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Henry Saunders Hudson. Dated 2nd February 1887.

Lieutenant John Henry Howland Ansley. Dated 12th February 1887.

Lieutenant John William Currie. Dated 12th February 1887.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Miller. Dated 4th February 1887.

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

* * * *

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant William Augustus Farquhar Burn, from the Middlesex Regiment. Dated 3rd August 1885, but to rank from 25th August 1883.

Lieutenant Thomas French, from the Wiltshire Regiment. Dated 6th August 1885, but to rank from 14th May 1884.

Lieutenant Alfred Robertson Dittmas, from the Royal West Surrey Regiment. Dated 6th August 1885, but to rank from 7th February 1885.

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PENSIONS.

No. 305.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. ^{Ox.}₁₆₇₆, Private James Sullivan, 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry—Bangalore.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 306.—NATIVE ARMY—

“Queen’s Own” Sappers and Miners.

Havildar, No. 203, Ramasamy to be Jemadar Dated 2nd April 1887.

14th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shekh Hyder to be Subadar	} Dated 7th May 1887.
Jemadar Cawder Sherriff to be Subadar	
Havildar, No. 3403, Nursiah to be Jemadar	
Havildar, No. 2970, Appasawmy to be Jemadar	

25th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1280, Syed Mohideen to be Jemadar	Dated 12th February 1887.
Havildar, No. 577, Poonambalum to be Jemadar	Dated 9th March 1887.

No. 307.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Joseph Scott Gowrie Manera. Dated 22nd May 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 308.—OFFICERS—

The services of Veterinary Surgeon E. R. C. Butler, Army Veterinary Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with effect from the 2nd November 1886.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 309.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

With reference to G.O.G. No. 726, dated 14th December 1886, Colonel C. A. Liardet, Staff Corps, Officiating Commandant, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 1st May 1887.

No. 310.—EXAMINATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency :—

Bellary Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant J. W. Boys.

Coimbatore Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant C. C. Flanagan.

Lieutenant H. J. A. Porter.

Quartermaster Sergeant H. Barnett.

Color Sergeant F. Randell.

Sergeant J. P. Lewis.

Sergeant W. North.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Quartermaster Sergeant G. Henrice.

Color Sergeant H. Loader.

Sergeant J. C. Ellis.

Sergeant J. Hickingbottom.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,

Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,

Offy. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

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Ootacamund, 27th May 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 311.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty:—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. F. Taylor, General List, Infantry (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 29th April 1887.

No. 312.—Captain R. H. C. Tufnell, Staff Corps, Adjutant, Madras Volunteer Guards, is granted privilege leave for 60 days from 12th June 1887, or date of departure.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 313.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 29th April and 3rd May 1887, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 29th April 1887.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels. Dated 20th February 1887:—

* * * * *
William Octavius Foord, Madras Staff Corps.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant George Choost, Madras Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 17th May 1886.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Charles Johnson, Madras Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 17th May 1886.

India Office, 3rd May 1887.

The following Appointments have been made to the Personal Staff in India:—

Lieutenant J. R. P. Gordon, 15th Hussars, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General B. L. Gordon, C.B., commanding a Division of the Madras Army. Dated 16th January 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 314.—NATIVE ARMY—

6th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1457, Guffoor Beg to be Jemadar	..	} Dated 10th March 1887.
Havildar, No. 2128, Ramanah to be Jemadar	..	

7th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Paupiah to be Subadar-Major	..	..	Dated 15th March 1887.
Jemadar Chelliah to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 1st January 1887.
Jemadar Streeramooloo to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 15th March 1887.
Jemadar Venketasawmy to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 30th March 1887.
Havildar, No. 414, Tautiah to be Jemadar	..	} Dated 1st January 1887.	
Havildar, No. 381, Shaik Hoossain to be Jemadar	..		

11th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Veeranah to be Subadar }
 Havildar, No. 532, Shaik Ebram to be Jemadar } Dated 10th May 1887.

13th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaik Furreed to be Subadar Dated 7th May 1887.

19th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 3024, Shaik Ibrahim to be Jemadar .. Dated 20th November 1886.
 Havildar, No. 3008, Wazeer Khan to be Jemadar .. Dated 18th January 1887.
 Havildar, No. 3052, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar .. Dated 25th January 1887.
 Havildar-Major, No. 2951, Abdool Majeed to be Jemadar .. Dated 2nd April 1887.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Muhammad Ibrahim to be Subadar Dated 1st May 1887.

28th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Ibrahim Khan to be Subadar Dated 16th April 1887.

29th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Abdool Wahab to be Subadar-Major }
 Jemadar Shaik Tippoo to be Subadar } Dated 15th May 1887.
 Jemadar Mahomed Esouf to be Subadar }
 Havildar, No. 315, Shaikh Adam to be Jemadar Dated 16th April 1887.
 Havildar, No. 328, Abd-us-samad to be Jemadar Dated 15th May 1887.

30th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Rungasawmy to be Subadar Dated 1st May 1887.
 Jemadar Audennah to be Subadar Dated 21st May 1887.

No. 315.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary J. Hamilton to be Second-grade Apothecary. Dated 25th May 1887.

RESIGNATIONS.**No. 316.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—**

First-grade Assistant Apothecary V. Vurdapah Naidoo is permitted to resign the service.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 317.—Colonel Charles Lewis Raikes, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service from the 8th June 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval on a pension of £783-5-0 per annum.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.**No. 318.—OFFICERS—**

The services of Lieutenant F. C. Boehmer, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.**No. 319.—EXAMINATIONS—**

The undermentioned Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency:—

*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.**Mysore Company.*

Quartermaster Sergeant J. E. Holt.
 Color Sergeant D. Ballard.
 Sergeant W. E. North.
 Sergeant G. Hardaker.

Godavari Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant J. F. S. Eve.
 Lieutenant P. H. Brown.
 Lieutenant S. B. Murray.
 Quartermaster Sergeant G. H. White.

No. 320.—LEAVE—*Malabar Volunteer Rifles.*

Lieutenant S. Locke is granted leave out of India for one year from date of departure.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,
 M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

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Ootacamund, 3rd June 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 321.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Bruce, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (*sub. pro tem.*);

Major A. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class;

Major W. H. M. Francklyn, General List, Infantry, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*);

Major B. T. M. Gompertz, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class;

Captain E. E. Kenny, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class (*sub. pro tem.*);

Lieutenant A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class;

Lieutenant W. C. H. Mackintosh, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class (*sub. pro tem.*);

Lieutenant F. C. W. Rideout, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class;

Lieutenant H. W. Lowry, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class; with effect from the 30th May 1887, *vice* Colonel H. C. Wright, vacated.

Lieutenant W. E. Wimble, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class; with effect from the 11th November 1886, *vice* Colonel Berkeley, retired.

Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class; with effect from the 20th December 1886, *vice* Colonel Hawkes, promoted.

EXAMINATIONS.

No. 322.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant R. E. Sullivan, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, has passed the final examination prescribed for the Commissariat Department.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 323.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Colonel W. M. Dickinson, Staff Corps, till 3rd July 1887, p.a., pending retirement.

No. 324.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty:—

Captain G. Henry, R.E., Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Nagpore Force (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—20th year, commenced 8th January 1887.

No. 325.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India:—

Brigade-Surgeon G. D. Riddell, Indian Medical Department. } Arrived at Bombay on the
ment. } 25th May 1887.

No. 326.—First-grade Assistant Apothecary S. Annasawmy Pillay, Sub-Medical Department, is granted furlough in India (m.e.) for 270 days, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 1st January 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 327.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th April 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 234.—HYDERABAD CONTINGENT—

3rd Infantry.

Lieutenant C. R. Elliot, Middlesex Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 31st March 1887.*

* *Vide* G.O.G. No. 278, dated 6th May 1887.

No. 328.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 345.—BURMA FIELD FORCE—

Lieutenant G. B. Stevens, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 4th Madras Infantry, to be Staff Officer of the Mounted Infantry in Burma.

No. 329.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1887, is republished :—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

2nd Infantry.

No. 348.—Lieutenant D. S. Buist, Hampshire Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 10th April 1887.

3rd Infantry.

No. 349.—Lieutenant A. W. Leonard, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 24th Madras Infantry, to officiate as Wing Officer. Dated 27th April 1887.

No. 330.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1887, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Nagpur Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 353.—Colonel Charles Hallyburton Grace, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, *vice* Colonel H. I. Lugard, Madras Staff Corps, who has resigned that appointment.

No. 331.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1887, is republished :—

No. 360.—Lieutenant C. Hamilton, South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Bengal Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to England (m.e.), under clause 12, India Army Circulars, 1885.

No. 332.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th May 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 371.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officer to the Order of British India from the 5th February 1887 :—

MADRAS.

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

Subadar-Major Mahomed Ahnief, *Bahadur*, His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard, *vice* Pensioned Subadar Ramasawmy, *Sirdar Bahadur*, deceased.

No. 333.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th May 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 378.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant John Joseph Digan, Middlesex Regiment, Wing Officer, 32nd Bengal Infantry;—30th April 1886.

No. 334.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th May 1887, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 335.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they are respectively struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. T. P. Luxmoore, Madras Staff Corps, Military Accounts Department, (m.c.) for one year. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 7th September 1886.

No. 335.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st and 28th May 1887, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 19th May 1887.

No. 888 G.—Consequent on the grant of furlough to Colonel J. G. Bell, Judicial Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, the following promotions are made in the Berar Commission, with effect from the 29th March 1887, and until further orders :—

Lieutenant-Colonel K. J. L. Mackenzie, Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Class, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. A. Szczepanski.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Bullock, Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Class, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel K. J. L. Mackenzie.

The 27th May 1887.

No. 945 G.—The following promotions are made in the Graded List of the Political Department, with effect from the 16th April 1887, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel S. B. Miles, Political Agent of the 1st Class, appointed to officiate as a Resident of the 2nd Class :—

Major D. Robertson, Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

No. 966 G.—Lieutenant C. V. F. Townshend, Officiating Squadron Officer of the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, is granted leave for two months to study the Native languages, with effect from the 10th May 1887, or date of departure.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 336.—NATIVE ARMY—

2nd Madras Infantry.

Subadar Shekh Jehangeer to be Subadar-Major	} Dated 10th May 1887.
Jemadar Veerasawmy to be Subadar	
Havildar-Major, No. 741, Malingasawmy to be Jemadar	

17th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Iyasamy to be Subadar Dated 21st May 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 337.—APPOINTMENTS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

So much of G.O.G., No. 645, dated 2nd November 1886, as permits Lieutenant R. Morris to resign his commission is cancelled.

No. 338.—LEAVE—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain A. W. Macrae is granted leave out of India for 7 months from date of departure.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Colonel,
Offg. Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

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Ootacamund, 10th June 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 339.—BRIGADE STAFF—

Colonel G. J. Smart, R.A., Colonel on the Staff, Commanding Royal Artillery, Bangalore Division, to the Brigade Staff of the Army, temporarily, with the rank of Brigadier-General, *vice* Brigadier-General Sir G. S. White, V.C., K.C.B., on other duty. Dated 2nd June 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 340.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty :—

Colonel F. B. Boone, Staff Corps, 6th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—33rd year, commenced 6th September 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Cotton, Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 9th February 1887.

Lieutenant K. M. Foss, Staff Corps, Commissariat Department, Bengal (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—11th year, commenced 27th March 1887.

No. 341.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel J. M. Smith, Staff Corps, 122 days, p.a.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. FitzPatrick, Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. Hooper, Cavalry, 6 months, m.c.

Captain J. E. Preston, D.S.O., Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.

Captain J. M. T. Badgley, Royal Engineers, 6 months, m.c.

Lieutenant G. H. Kirwan, Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 342.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Major G. C. Fenwick, Staff Corps, 1st Madras Pioneers . . { Arrived at Bombay on the
30th May 1887.

No. 343.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer to return to duty :—

Surgeon R. H. Cama.

Conductor C. McCarthy, Ordnance Department.

No. 344.—First-grade Assistant Apothecary W. H. Haller, Sub-Medical Department, is granted furlough in India (m.c.), for 332 days, under note 2, Rule X of the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 1st September 1886.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 345.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd June 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 397.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

* * * * *
Captain S. V. Thornton, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 4th Class (3rd Class, additional), to be Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class ;
* * * * *

with effect from the 30th April 1887, *vice* Captain J. S. Frith, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, resigned.

No. 346.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd June 1887, is republished :—

No. 399.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers, having completed eighteen months from date of appointment, on probation, are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Charles William Field, South Wales Borderers, Wing Officer, 26th Bengal Infantry,—27th May 1885.

No. 347.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd June 1887, is republished :—

No. 400.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers, appointed by the Secretary of State for India probationers for the Indian Staff Corps, are posted as follows, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India :—

Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant F. G. Batten, Middlesex Regiment.
 Lieutenant G. F. W. Curtis, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
 Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
 Lieutenant H. R. S. Maitland, Yorkshire Regiment.
 Lieutenant J. H. Lowry, Royal Irish Rifles.
 Lieutenant G. B. Pounden, South Lancashire Regiment.
 Lieutenant R. G. Burton, 1st West India Regiment.
 Lieutenant A. W. N. Taylor, Royal Scots.
 Lieutenant R. M. Bell, Dorsetshire Regiment.

No. 348.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 4th June 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 1st June 1887.

No. 2441 I.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. S. Magrath, District Magistrate and President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, is appointed to officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge at that station, during the absence of Colonel W. Hill on furlough, or until further orders.

The above appointments will have effect from the 16th May 1887.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 349.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 13th and 17th May 1887, are republished :—

India Office, 13th May 1887.

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

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Robert Mildmay Clerk. Dated 4th March 1887.
 Major Marc Henry Wratistlaw. Dated 4th March 1887.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade-Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major William Smyth Fox. Dated 4th January 1887.

INDIAN ARMY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Philip Durham Henderson, c.s.i., Madras Cavalry. Dated 20th February 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Robert Kenney-Herbert, Madras Cavalry. Dated 19th March 1887.

India Office, 17th May 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

- Lieutenant William Bensley Young, from the Essex Regiment. Dated 7th August 1885, but to rank from 27th January 1888.
 Lieutenant Walter Edward Banbury, from the Hampshire Regiment. Dated 7th July 1885, but to rank from 25th August 1883.
 Lieutenant Gerald Gordon Mackey Hudson, from the South Wales Borderers. Dated 3rd August 1885, but to rank from 25th August 1883.
 Lieutenant Edward Yerbury Watson, from the North Lancashire Regiment. Dated 3rd August 1885, but to rank from 6th February 1884.
 Lieutenant Henry Thomas Horatio Hay, from the Middlesex Regiment. Dated 26th November 1885, but to rank from 23rd August 1884.
 Lieutenant John Frederick Barry, from the 4th Hussars. Dated 1st August 1885, but to rank from 25th October 1884.

NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS.

No. 350.—The surname of Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. R. D. Macneill, C.B., General List, Infantry, will be hereafter entered in the returns of the Army as MacNeill.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 351.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Colonel's allowance with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel R. T. Snow, Staff Corps,—8th June 1887.

No. 352.—NATIVE ARMY—*"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.*

Havildar, No. 296, Sarungapany to be Jemadar Dated 7th May 1887.

No. 353.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major James Turner Cummins. Dated 8th June 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 354.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel W. M. Dickinson, Staff Corps,—4th July 1887.

Colonel W. O. Foord, Staff Corps,—16th July 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 355.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 576, dated 30th October 1885, the services of Surgeon A. P. Adams are replaced at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 356.—APPOINTMENTS—*Coorg Rifle Volunteers.**South Coorg Company No. 2.**To be Captain.*

Mr. James Chisholm, on increase of establishment.

To be Lieutenant.

Mr. William Bidie Riddoch.

*South Coorg Company No. 1.**To be Lieutenants.*

Mr. Attwell Lako Alexander, *vice* Lieutenant James E. Young.
 Charles Gordon Maclean, on increase of establishment.

The above appointments to have effect from 20th April 1887.

No. 357.—EXAMINATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency:—

Coorg Rifle Volunteers.

Captain J. Logan.
Lieutenant E. P. Brown.
Lieutenant J. S. Gerrard.
Lieutenant A. F. Clifford.
Lieutenant W. B. Riddoch.
Lieutenant A. L. Alexander.
Lieutenant C. G. Maclean.

Color Sergeant F. Gerrard.
Sergeant W. H. Sprott.
Sergeant E. A. Fennell.
Sergeant W. F. Simpson.
Sergeant H. T. Shaw.
Sergeant J. Green.

No. 358.—LEAVE—*South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.*

Captain C. Dunell is granted leave out of India for 3 months, from the 14th June 1887, or date of departure.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.**

Ootacamund, 4th June 1887.

STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during the month of May 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
7th May.	R. F. Atkinson ..	Major ..	2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.	Burmah.	31st July.	Intestate.	* 609 0 0	..
19th do.	<i>Indian Military Service.</i>							
19th do.	S. W. MacIver ..	Lieut.-Col.	General Infantry (attached 5th Madras Infantry).	Do. ..	26th Sept.	Do.	421 2 0	4th Aug. 1887.

WARRANT AND NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
26th May.	C. H. Newborne ..	Sub-Cond.	Transport Department, Madras.	Mandalay.	31st Oct.	Intestate.	225 9 5	4th Aug. 1887.
5th do.	J. A. Cairns ..	Sergt. Instr.	Madras Unattached List, 12/8, Royal Artillery.	Fort St. George.	22nd June	Do.	* 687 9 0	

* Remitted to England.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Milly. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 16th June 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 359.—ARMY STAFF—

Major T. Harris, Middlesex Regiment, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Southern District, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Brigadier-General H. M. Bengough, appointed permanently to the Brigade Staff. Dated 13th June 1887.

No. 360.—Major C. D. M. Gall, 2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Major T. Harris promoted. Dated 10th June 1887.

No. 361.—Captain E. J. Sharpe, Middlesex Regiment, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. M. Clerk, promoted. Dated 14th June 1887.

No. 362.—PENSION DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Hindle, Staff Corps, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Kamptee, *vice* of Lieutenant-Colonel R. F. Taylor, who vacates on proceeding on furlough.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 363.—Colonel C. A. E. S. Carter, Bengal Infantry, Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, is granted privilege leave for ninety days from the 18th July 1887 or date of availing himself of it, Colonel H. G. Saunders, Examiner, Commissariat and Army Remount Accounts, Madras, performing the duties of the appointment on Colonel Carter's responsibility.

No. 364.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel C. S. Steward, Cavalry, Commandant 4th (P.W.O.)	} Arrived at Madras on the 4th June 1887.
Light Cavalry.	
Surgeon-Major L. Beech, Indian Medical Department	

No. 365.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with subsidiary leave for 10 days :—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. vanSomeren, General List, Infantry, Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad Assigned Districts (p.a.), for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 366.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with subsidiary leave for 10 days if he embark from Madras or 12 days if from Bombay :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. Blair, Staff Corps, Madras Police (p.a.), for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 367.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th June 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 431.—GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS—

It is notified that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer good service pensions on the undermentioned officers, with effect from the dates specified :—

From the 8th December 1886, in room of Colonel John Philip Pedler, Madras Staff Corps, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

COLONEL SIR EDWARD BOSC SLADEN, KT., MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Dates of Commissions.

Ensign	..	..	..	..	14th April 1849.
Lieutenant	..	..	..	..	1st February 1853.
Captain	..	..	..	..	21st June 1860.
Major	..	..	..	..	14th April 1869.
Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	..	14th April 1875.
Brevet-Colonel	..	..	..	..	14th April 1880.

Appointments.

Regimental duty,—1849 to 1853.

Assistant Commissioner, Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces,—1855 to 1857.

On field service with the 1st Madras Fusiliers and as Brigade Quartermaster and Orderly Officer,—1857 to 1858.

Assistant Magistrate, Moulmein,—1859 to 1860.

First-class Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Principal Civil Court of Moulmein,—1861 to 1862.

Town Magistrate, Rangoon,—1863 to 1865.

Agent to the Chief Commissioner, British Burmah, at the Court of Mandalay,—1865 to 1867.

Political Agent, Mandalay,—1867.

On special duty with the King of Siam in India,—1871 to 1872.

Deputy Commissioner, Amherst District,—1872 to 1873.

Commissioner of Arakan,—1876 to 1885.

Chief Political Officer to the Burmah Field Force,—1885 to 1886.

War Services.

Burmese War, 1852-53.—Relief of Pegu,—(medal with clasp).

Expeditions against rebel hill tribes of the Yoonzalee district, Martaban Provinces, in 1856 and 1857,—dangerously wounded,—(received the thanks of the Supreme Government).

Indian Mutiny, 1858.—Capture of Lucknow and Sultanpore; passage of the Gumti; action of Daoodpore,—(medal and clasp).

Burmese War, 1885-86.—Chief Political Officer of the Force. (Thanked by Government of India; despatches, London Gazette, 22nd June 1886; knighted.)

From the 20th December 1886, in room of Colonel Beauchamp Henry Wittingham Magrath, Madras Staff Corps, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

COLONEL (BRIGADIER-GENERAL) PATRICK ALEXANDER CARNEGY, MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Dates of Commissions.

Ensign	..	..	..	..	16th February 1850.
Lieutenant	..	..	..	..	9th January 1855.
Captain	..	..	..	..	16th February 1862.
Major	..	..	..	..	16th February 1870.
Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	..	16th February 1876.
Colonel	..	..	..	..	16th February 1881.

Appointments.

Regimental duty,—1865 to 1870.

General duty,—1870 to 1871.

Regimental duty,—1871 to 1885.

Brigadier-General Commanding Western District, Belgaum District,—1885 to 1886.

War Services.

Nil.

No. 368.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 11th June 1887, is republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

PORT BLAIR.

Simla, the 10th June 1887.

No. 453.—Surgeon-Major A. E. Dalgairns, 7th Regiment, Madras Native Infantry, officiated as Senior Medical Officer, Port Blair, in addition to his other duties, from the 1st February 1887 to the 8th May 1887, both inclusive.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 369.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Sergeant Joseph Sheehy, to be Sub-Conductor (sub. *pro tem.*), *vice* Sub-Conductor (sub. *pro tem.*) W. Benton, proceeded on furlough. Dated 30th March 1887.
 Sergeant Robert H. Prescott, to be Sub-Conductor (sub. *pro tem.*), *vice* Sub-Conductor (sub. *pro tem.*) G. White, reverted to Sergeant. Dated 20th April 1887.

No. 370.—NATIVE ARMY—

5th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Gunganah to be Subadar Dated 10th April 1887.

27th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Syed Yacoob to be Subadar-Major Dated 26th October 1886.

28th Madras Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 1061, Hayat Khan to be Jemadar Dated 5th February 1887.

32nd Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Sayanah to be Subadar
 Havildar, No. 193, Allah Nawas Cawn to be Jemadar . . . } Dated 1st June 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 371.—OFFICERS—

The services of General Sir H. N. D. Prendergast, K.C.B., V.C., Royal (late Madras) Engineers, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Political Department.

No. 372.—With reference to Political Department Notification No. 5, dated 3rd June 1887, the services of Lieutenant J. A. Wyllie, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 24th June 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 373.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class; with effect from the 15th March 1887, *vice* Lieutenant W. H. D. Rich, acting as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class.

Major A. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class;

Captain L. J. Torrie, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class;

Lieutenant G. F. Watson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class;

Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class;

Lieutenant F. C. Rynd, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class;

with effect from the 30th May 1887, *vice* Colonel J. C. Gunning, acting as Commissary-General.

No. 374.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant C. C. A. Sillery, Suffolk Regiment, Wing Officer, 12th Madras Infantry, — 14th August 1884.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 375.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Major J. B. Thomas.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 376.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1887, are republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

Simla, the 16th June 1887.

No. 434.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the accompanying letter, dated the 7th May 1887, from the Adjutant-General in India, forwarding despatches from the General Officers Commanding the Upper Burma Field Force and the Eastern Frontier District, bringing to notice the good services of the troops during the operations which have taken place in Burma since the capture of Mandalay.

The Governor-General in Council, in G.G.O. No. 295 of the 14th May 1886, placed on record his estimation of the services of the officers and men in the operations at the end of 1885, which resulted in the capture of Mandalay. And in G.G.O. No. 435 of this date, His Excellency in Council publishes to the Army an expression of the appreciation shown by the Government of India and by Her Majesty's Government, of the services rendered by Major-General Sir G. S. White, K.C.B., V.C., and the commanders, officers, and men of that portion of the force which occupied Upper Burma during the summer of 1886.

The Governor-General in Council now takes the opportunity of the return to India of a large portion of the field force, to signify the cordial recognition of the Government of India of the distinguished manner in which the Army has acquitted itself during a series of arduous and protracted operations.

His Excellency in Council congratulates the Army upon the spirit which has been shown by all ranks in confronting the difficulties inseparable from a campaign, carried on over a vast extent of country, amidst dense jungles and forests, and under great stress of climate,—conditions which have called forth high military qualities. The difficulties and hardships of the campaign have not been overcome without heavy loss; and the Governor-General in Council deplores the death

of many brave officers and men, in action and from disease, who have fallen in the discharge of their duty to their Queen and Country.

When the lamented death, in October 1886, of that distinguished soldier, the late Sir Herbert Macpherson, had deprived the Army of one of its best officers, and the State of one of its most trusted servants, the Commander-in-Chief in India proceeded to Burma to assume the chief command.

To General Sir Frederick Roberts, G.C.B., V.C., Commander-in-Chief in India, the Governor-General in Council tenders his sincere and grateful thanks, not only for the skilful plans of operations prescribed by him in that capacity, but also for the able and vigorous manner in which he personally directed and carried out those plans while holding the immediate command of the Army in Burma. His Excellency in Council desires also to express his thorough appreciation of the valuable services rendered in that command by Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Arbutnot, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army, who succeeded to the duty of completing those operations on the return of Sir Frederick Roberts to India,—a duty performed to the entire satisfaction of the Government of India.

The Governor-General in Council fully concurs in the approbation expressed by the Commander-in-Chief in India of the services rendered by the officers of the Head-Quarters of the Army in India, who accompanied His Excellency to Burma, and of the Head-Quarters Staff of the Madras Army employed in that country.

The admirable services rendered by Major-General Sir George White, K.C.B., V.C., in command of the Upper Burma Field Force throughout the whole of the operations,—the skill and capacity with which he exercised the command of the large and widely extended force under his orders during the most trying season of the year, and subsequently directed the comprehensive operations under the Commander-in-Chief's orders during the past cold season with such marked ability and success,—call for the particular acknowledgment and approbation of the Governor-General in Council. The good services of the officers of the Divisional Staff under Major-General White have also merited the thanks of the Government of India.

The Governor-General in Council highly approves of the judgment and conduct shown in their important commands by Brigadiers-General C. J. East, H. S. Anderson, R. C. Stewart, A. T. Cox, and M. C. Farrington, and of the great vigour and ability displayed by Brigadiers-General R. C. Low, C.B., and W. S. A. Lockhart, C.B., C.S.I., in the extensive field operations carried out by their brigades. The merits of the officers of the Staff of the Brigadiers-General are also recognized by His Excellency in Council.

The thanks of the Government of India are due also to Major-General B. L. Gordon, C.B., Royal Artillery, commanding the Lower Burma Division, for valuable co-operation throughout the campaign; and to Major-General J. J. H. Gordon, C.B., commanding the Eastern Frontier District, for his good work during the field operations connected with the opening up of the country between Manipur and Kendat.

The Governor-General in Council desires to thank the Commanding Royal Engineer, Captain A. R. F. Dorward, D.S.O., Royal Engineers; Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Loughton, C.B., Principal Commissariat Officer; Captain T. P. Cather, Royal Engineers, Director of Transport; Captain H. F. S. Ramsden, Field Paymaster; and Deputy Surgeon-General G. Farrell, C.B., for the ability and efficiency with which they have conducted their duties, and to express his acknowledgments of the services of the officers and subordinates of their departments or branches. His Excellency in Council recognizes with much satisfaction the excellence of the arrangements made by Colonel H. P. Hawkes, the Commissary-General of the Madras Army, for the supply of the troops, and begs to thank Colonel Hawkes, and the officers of the Commissariat Department at Rangoon, Colonel E. S. Berkeley, Major W. Cooke, and Captain S. C. F. Peile, for their exertions. His Excellency wishes also to express his appreciation of the services of the Medical Department at Rangoon, under Deputy Surgeon-General J. McN. Donnelly.

The labors of the Public Works and Telegraph Departments have been of marked value during this campaign. In the former department the names of Mr. H. J. Richard and Mr. E. J. Rumsby have been specially brought to notice; and in the latter Mr. C. P. Landon has merited the particular recognition of the Government of India for his excellent services and for the energy with which his department has worked in aid of the military operations. Mr. C. F. H. Maclean and Mr. R. C. Barker, Assistant Superintendents, are mentioned in high terms by Mr. Landon.

The co-operation of the officers and men of the Royal Navy has been of great value to the Army; and the Governor-General in Council specially acknowledges the services of Captain J. P. Pipon, late of Her Majesty's Ship *Ranger*, and Commander J. Durnford, D.S.O., of Her Majesty's Ship *Mariner*. The Indian Marine has also taken a very useful part in the military operations; and the acknowledgments of the Government of India are due to First Grade Officers C. W. Hewett and H. S. Black, and also to Captain W. J. Powell and First Grade Officer G. J. Baugh.

The Governor-General notices with pleasure the praise bestowed upon Captain H. P. Airey, of the New South Wales Artillery, and Captain J. L. Taylor and Lieutenant C. F. MacCartie, of the Madras Volunteers.

His Excellency takes the present opportunity of specially acknowledging the aid rendered by Sir Charles Bernard and Mr. Crosthwaite, the late and the present Chief Commissioner of Burma, to the military service, and the assistance given by the Governments of Madras and Bombay to the Government of India, in the prosecution of the campaign.

The officers of the Civil Administration in Upper Burma have been intimately associated with the troops in the operations which have taken place. The labors of these officers have

materially conduced to the success of Her Majesty's arms; and the Viceroy desires to express his approbation of their work in connection with the Army, and to name—

Mr. G. D. Burgess,
Mr. H. St. G. Tucker,
Mr. F. W. R. Fryer,
Mr. J. J. D. La Touche,
Mr. C. E. Gladstone,
Mr. H. Thirkell White,
Captain C. H. F. Adamson,
Captain B. A. N. Parrott,

Captain F. D. Raikes, C.I.E.,
Mr. A. R. Colquhoun,
Captain G. S. Eyre,
Mr. H. L. Eales,
Mr. W. N. Porter,
Mr. G. M. S. Carter,
Mr. S. H. T. de la Courneuve,

as deserving of commendation.

It has been the pleasing duty of the Governor-General in Council to convey to Her Majesty's Government the high appreciation of the Government of India of the eminent services performed by Sir Frederick Roberts, the Commander-in-Chief in India, and the General Officers, officers, and men, who took part in those operations.

The Viceroy and Governor-General in Council has much gratification in announcing to the Army that Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, has been graciously pleased to approve the grant of the India Medal, similar to that conferred for the Second Burmese War, with a clasp inscribed "Burma, 1885-87," in commemoration of the services of the officers, non-commissioned officers and soldiers, British and Native, who have taken part in the military operations in Burma. The medal and clasp will be granted to all the troops who served in the Burma Field Force, and also to such of those belonging to the Lower Burma Division and the Eastern Frontier District as were engaged in active operations, between the 14th November 1885 and the 30th April 1887, both days inclusive.

The Governor-General in Council has also the satisfaction to notify that Her Majesty's Government have sanctioned the distribution of a gratuity to all the troops who crossed the old frontier and came under the command of the General Officer Commanding the Burma Field Force, or who crossed from Manipur territory into Burma. Further instructions will be issued regarding the amount of gratuity to be granted to each rank.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is requested to be good enough to issue the necessary subsidiary orders for the early submission of medal rolls, in accordance with the regulations, of all officers and soldiers who are entitled to the decoration.

From the Adjutant-General in India, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department,—(No. 3069-A,—*Field Operations*,—dated Simla, the 7th May 1887).

In continuation of my letters noted in the margin,* I am directed by the Commander-in-

* No. 3421-A, dated 30th July 1886.

No. 1465, Camp, dated 3rd February 1886.

No. 1673-A, dated 28th April 1886.

† Despatches, (1) dated 10th March 1887; (2) No. 166-B-C, dated 27th March 1887; and (3) dated 11th April 1887, from the General Officer Commanding the Upper Burma Field Force.

Despatch, No. 97-C, dated 21st March 1887, from the General Officer Commanding the Eastern Frontier District.

ending with the pacification of the province of Upper Burma.

2. In forwarding these reports for favorable consideration, and in recording His Excellency's entire concurrence in the recommendations made by Major-General Sir G. S. White, K.C.B., V.C., and Major-General J. J. H. Gordon, C.B., I am desired very briefly to advert to the course of events in Upper Burma during the past year.

3. The two notes by the Commander-in-Chief on the military situation in Upper Burma†

† Not published.

dealt with existing circumstances and requirements at the date of His Excellency's assumption of immediate command, with the measures taken or contemplated for the restoration of order in the disturbed and disaffected areas, and with the course and result of those measures. To render the narrative complete, some reference seems necessary to the unexpected development of disturbance during the early part of last year, the action taken with a view to its repression up to October 1886, and the progress made in permanently pacifying the country since the Commander-in-Chief's departure from Rangoon.

The capture of Mandalay, the disbanding of the Burmese soldiery, most of whom carried off their arms, and the stoppage of the administrative machinery of the late King's government, produced a state of temporary anarchy which it was at first supposed that the substitution of a settled British administration would remedy without material difficulty or delay.

This anticipation was not fulfilled, mainly on account of the gross misgovernment of Upper Burma during the late King's reign. As already explained by the Commander-in-Chief in His Excellency's second note, most of the local authorities from 1878 to 1885 had been occupied, not in maintaining civil order, but in conducting a system of organized spoliation for the benefit of themselves, and to satisfy the extravagant demands of the Court. To these ex-officials and their dependents the introduction of any form of settled government was most distasteful, and they did their utmost to thwart and resist British authority. At the same time several pretenders to the

throne had sprung up, who were joined by the disbanded soldiery, by such villagers as were disaffected or had been deprived of their means of livelihood by previous misgovernment, and by the criminal classes. Numerous dacoit bands took advantage of the unsettled state of the country, and devastated the districts that were not immediately dominated by an adequate military force.

These disturbing elements, without concentrating into an organized enemy which could have been encountered in the field and overcome once for all, pervaded the greater portion of Upper Burma, rendering abortive all attempts to bring certain districts under a settled administration, and inducing a general feeling of distrust and insecurity.

4. Experience soon proved that the transitory visits of flying columns to the disturbed districts were quite insufficient to restore order, and that the establishment of numerous military posts was essential for the effectual suppression of dacoity, and for the security and encouragement of the well-disposed inhabitants.

In the selection of sites for these posts and in their distribution, the protection of the main lines of communication by road and river, and the support of the civil power in its efforts to re-establish a settled Government, were kept in view.

5. Climatic and physical conditions in Burma during the hot weather and rains are extremely adverse to active operations in the field,—the extensive swamps, the dense jungle, the heavy rainfall, and the consequent prevalence of malarious fever, not only greatly hampering the movement of troops, but absolutely incapacitating them for further service if subjected to prolonged exposure. It therefore resulted that until reinforcements could be safely despatched to Upper Burma (and the month of October was fixed as the earliest safe time of arrival, having due regard to health and efficiency) the available military strength at the disposal of the General Officer Commanding was insufficient to do more than to garrison the posts and outposts which were being established, to hold the more important centres of trade and population, and to guard the lines of communication.

6. As soon, however, as the cold weather had set in, and a larger force became available, no time was lost in taking the initiative, and in arranging combined movements calculated to bring the whole country under thorough control. The objectives of the military operations undertaken last winter were summarized in the Commander-in-Chief's first note, and need not here be recapitulated. In view of the large augmentation of the force in Burma that took place in October, Government thought it advisable to entrust the immediate direction of operations to the Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army. The lamented death of the late Sir Herbert Macpherson, the subsequent assumption of the supreme command by the Commander-in-Chief in India, and the appointment of Sir Charles Arbuthnot to the command of the troops in Burma on Sir Frederick Roberts' return to India in February, are matters of too recent occurrence to call for more than a passing reference.

7. The Commander-in-Chief's second note indicated how far the measures taken during the past winter had succeeded in their object up to the date of His Excellency's departure.

The hope then expressed that the permanent pacification of the country had been virtually accomplished, and that although outbreaks of disorder might still be anticipated, such outbreaks would be of a progressively milder type and capable of easier repression, seems likely to be completely realized.

Hla-Oo, after the dispersal of his gang and his own flight to a place of concealment, has been killed by one of his few remaining adherents.

Boh Shwe and Ottama have been repeatedly defeated, their camps captured, their followers scattered, and their influence broken. The dacoit leaders infesting Yemethen, Ningyan, and the Kanle and Pakangyi tracts have been effectually dealt with. The Bhamo district has enjoyed complete quietude since the solitary outbreak in November last. The Ruby Mines tract has been successfully occupied, and is now being connected with the river and Mandalay by means of a good military road. The exploration and pacification of the Chindwin and Kubo valleys have been thoroughly accomplished. The isolated bands of rebels in the neighbourhood of Katha, Shemaga, Mandalay, Kyaukse, Welaung, Popa, Seh, and Wundwin have been brought into complete subjection.

The Tsawbwa of Wuntho has acknowledged the British supremacy, and accepted the terms he had previously rejected. The expedition into the Eastern Shan States has met with trifling opposition, and has succeeded in establishing the friendly relations it was its object to cultivate. A similar result has been achieved by the expedition into the Yau country. Throughout the whole upper province the signs of restored confidence and prosperity are apparent, dacoity and disaffection have been reduced within very narrow limits, and British authority is everywhere predominant.

8. In view to this result the Commander-in-Chief considers that too high praise can hardly be accorded to the Generals Commanding and Staff Officers who have so ably planned and carried out the operations decided on for the pacification of the country, and to the troops of all ranks, whose steadiness and gallantry under exceptionally arduous and trying circumstances have well sustained the reputation of Her Majesty's Army.

9. To the late Lieutenant-General Sir Herbert Macpherson was entrusted by the Government of India the duty of directing the cold-weather campaign. The death of this distinguished officer from disease brought about by exposure while his preparations were still incomplete, placed the direction in other hands; and Sir Frederick Roberts feels that no words of his are required to emphasize this loss to the army of one of its bravest and most devoted leaders.

10. When the cold-weather operations were drawing to a close and a change could be safely effected, Lieutenant-General Sir C. G. Arbuthnot, K.C.B., who had in the mean time been appointed to succeed to the command of the Madras Army, relieved Sir Frederick Roberts from the immediate direction of the campaign in Burma.

The duty of winding up the cold-weather operations has been successfully carried into effect by Sir Charles Arbuthnot to the entire satisfaction of the Commander-in-Chief in India.

11. The executive command in Upper Burma has been held from an early period in 1886 by Major-General Sir G. S. White. On him devolved the arduous task of keeping head against ever-increasing dacoity throughout the hot and unhealthy months of the year; and when the time came that reinforcements could be safely despatched and the force in Upper Burma assumed the proportions of an army, he continued to exercise command over the whole as a General of Division.

In this capacity Sir George White has fully established his skill and ability; and Sir Frederick Roberts trusts that his meritorious services may be recognized in such a manner as may seem proper to Her Majesty.

12. In connection with the operations in Upper Burma, the Commander-in-Chief in India desires to bring to favorable notice the services of the following officers:

Major-General Sir T. D. Baker, K.C.B., late Adjutant-General in India,	
Colonel H. Collett, C.B., late Officiating Quartermaster-General in India,	
Major W. G. Nicholson, Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Engineers,	
Major H. T. Lugard, Brigade Major, Royal Artillery,	
Captain W. B. Wilson, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General,	
Captain C. H. H. Beley, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General; and	
His Excellency's Personal Staff:	
Lieutenant Colonel R. Pole-Carew, Military Secretary,	
Major I. S. M. Hamilton, Persian Interpreter,	
Surgeon-Major W. Taylor, Medical Staff,	
Lieutenant C. V. Hume, Royal Artillery,	
Lieutenant W. Maxwell Sherston, Rifle Brigade,	} Aides-de-Camp,
Lieutenant Henry Rawlinson, King's Royal Rifle Corps,	
Captain the Hon'ble F. E. Allsopp, Royal Artillery,	

all of whom accompanied Sir Frederick Roberts to Burma with the head-quarters of the Army in India.

Major-General (then Brigadier-General) W. K. Elles, C.B., A.D.C., late Adjutant-General of the Madras Army,

Colonel J. A. Tillard, Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery, and

Major D. J. S. McLeod, Deputy Quartermaster-General of the Madras Army,—who accompanied Sir Herbert Macpherson, and afterwards Sir Charles Arbuthnot, to Burma with the Madras Army Head-quarters.

Captain S. B. Beaton, 11th Bengal Lancers, Military Secretary to Sir Herbert Macpherson, also mentioned by Sir George White for subsequent services with the Mounted Infantry; and

Major F. W. Hemming, 5th Dragoon Guards, Military Secretary to Sir Charles Arbuthnot who was also employed in the earlier stages of the campaign.

13. The Commander-in-Chief in India also desires to bring to the favorable notice of Government the services of Major-General B. L. Gordon, C.B., Commanding the Burma Division, and of his Assistant Quartermaster-General Captain M. W. Saunders, Royal Artillery, through whose untiring exertions the laborious duty of landing and despatching the troops to Upper Burma was successfully performed throughout the campaign.

His Excellency would also refer with approval to the services of the troops detached from the Eastern Frontier Command to open up the communications between Assam and Upper Burma, as brought to notice in the despatch from Major-General J. J. H. Gordon, C.B., hereto annexed.

14. The entirely successful working of the Commissariat Department, presided over in the field by Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Laughton, C.B., under conditions of exceptional difficulty, have been fully brought to notice by Major-General Sir George White; and the Commander-in-Chief, in endorsing the Major-General's remarks, desires to mention the services of Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Officiating Commissary General-in-Chief, on whom, as Commissary General of the Madras Army, was imposed the responsibility of supplying the army in Burma. The efficiency of the department in the field implies care and forethought at the base; and His Excellency considers that Colonel Hawkes' services have merited the favorable recognition of Government.

15. The successful administration of the Medical Department under Deputy Surgeon-General G. Farrell, C.B., has been amply recognized by Major-General Sir George White.

16. Sir Frederick Roberts further desires to cordially endorse the high terms in which Sir George White refers to the services of the officers and men of the Royal Navy, and to the assistance rendered by them during the operations; and His Excellency also begs to include in this recommendation the officers and men of the Indian Marine, whose exertions throughout the war have contributed in no small degree to the efficiency and order of the river communications. The services of First-grade Officers Hewett and Black of the Indian Marine have been particularly brought to notice. Captain Powell and First-grade Officer Baugh have also done good service.

17. The thanks of the Commander-in-Chief are also due to the members of the Telegraph Department under Mr. C. P. Landon, through whose exertions many miles of telegraph have been established and kept open for work under great difficulties; and His Excellency fully endorses the

praise accorded by Sir George White to the officers named by him for good service in the various departments not already particularized in this despatch.

18. The few officers of the Veterinary Department, including Inspecting Veterinary-Surgeon F. G. Shaw, who could be spared for service in Burma, have also done good and useful work.

19. Attached to this despatch is a schedule * containing the names of the officers and others whom the Commander-in-Chief in India desires to recommend to the Government of India for reward. The list is a long one, but it contains no name which could be omitted without injustice. The protracted and special nature of the war in Burma must be borne in mind, its character being almost without example as affording to officers of all ranks, and especially the juniors, an opportunity of personal distinction.

The force has frequently been broken up into the smallest bodies acting independently, and the capacity as leaders of very junior officers, who under ordinary circumstances would have remained in a subordinate position, has thus been brought under a severe and trustworthy test. It is a matter of great satisfaction to His Excellency that so many have come through this ordeal with credit, and that the Government of India has now at its disposal so many young officers of proved capacity in the field.

In submitting this list, Sir Frederick Roberts feels that while the names of many deserving officers have been necessarily omitted, none are mentioned who have not fully merited recognition.

If the late Captain E. B. J. Vaughan, 6th Punjab Infantry, and Lieutenant G. L. Angelo, 23rd Madras Light Infantry, had lived, their names would have been included in the list for good services rendered in Burma.

I.

From Major-General Sir G. S. WHITE, K.C.B., V.C., Commanding the Upper Burma Field Force, to the Adjutant-General in India (through the Adjutant-General, Madras Army), dated Mandalay, the 10th March 1887.

In reply to your letters, Nos. 813-M, dated 20th January, and 968-M, dated 31st January 1887, I have the honor to submit the following list of General and other officers who have rendered specially good service since I have been in command of the Upper Burma Field Force.

2. This force has been actively engaged for a long period. The nature of the operations has necessitated very numerous small columns acting as independent forces. The command of these columns has afforded exceptional opportunities to officers of all ranks of distinguishing themselves. The Brigadier-Generals have therefore sent me long lists of officers who have one and all merited being brought to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief in India; but, while I am in full accord with these recommendations, I have endeavoured in some instances to make special selections.

3. Brigadier-General C. J. East has rendered most important service while in command of the 1st Brigade. His zeal and ability are well known to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, and I have to thank him for most valuable counsel and loyal support. In the large and important command which he has held, it has been sufficient for me to know that General East had taken up a question, whatever it might be, to rest assured that the matter would be treated exhaustively, and with great judgment and military knowledge.

4. Brigadier-General H. S. Anderson commanded the Mandalay brigade for a short time, and afterwards the Nyingyan district, where every obstacle presented itself to the prosecution of military operations, and where the country was the hotbed of dacoity and rebellion. He has since commanded the 4th Brigade with head-quarters at Myingyan, and has exercised these several commands with ability and success.

5. Brigadier-General R. C. Stewart has commanded the 5th Brigade of the Burma Field Force during the recent operations. Early in his command Sir Frederick Roberts recognized the importance of doing all possible to carry the expedition to the Ruby Mines to a successful conclusion. This was an enterprise of much difficulty, involving the most ample preparation and forethought. It was anticipated that this force would encounter the heaviest resistance yet met with in Upper Burma, as the people in possession were rich and were naturally anxious to retain possession of this valuable property. The difficulties of the route were overcome by patient labor. The enemy's positions were ascertained by careful reconnaissances, and the force gained possession of the Ruby Mines without appreciable loss, having proved the hopelessness of resistance to those who had attempted to stop the advance.

6. Brigadier-General A. T. Cox, commanding the 2nd Brigade, has conducted the advance on Wuntho from the north, and has carried out his instructions for the advance on that capital with skill and success.

7. Brigadier-General R. C. Low, C.B., on his first arrival in Upper Burma, assumed command of the Mandalay Brigade,—a charge of exceptional importance and extent. During the hot weather and rainy season of 1886, General Low exercised that command with singular energy and zeal. Always ready, he has proved himself to possess great physical endurance and powers of rapid organization and execution,—gifts which mark him as an officer of exceptional value in the field. Throughout the active operations of the last few months, Brigadier-General Low has commanded in one of the two most turbulent districts in Upper Burma, and his ability, energy, and devotion to duty have been equally valuable and more in evidence than during his former command. All the success possible under the conditions of his command has been attained.

8. Brigadier-General W. S. A. Lockhart, C.B., C.S.I., has shared with Brigadier-General Low the task of dominating the most lawless and difficult tracts in Upper Burma. His enterprise and influence have now become widely known and appreciated. Possessed of great initiative, and never so happy as when personally in command of some difficult operation, he has shown all the gifts of a most promising commander, and by example has instilled much of his enterprise into those serving under him. The changed aspect of the country confided to his command is the best gauge of the value of the service he has rendered to the State.

9. Where officers of exceptional merit and ability have been associated in field operations such as have lately been conducted throughout this country under the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, it is difficult to distinguish one above another: while I in no way draw comparisons between the intrinsic qualifications of the able Brigadier-Generals who have been associated with me in carrying out those orders, yet Brigadier-Generals Low and Lockhart have had the good fortune to have been ordered to undertake the heaviest tasks; and as I am confident they have acquitted themselves to the entire satisfaction of Sir Frederick Roberts and Sir Charles Arbuthnot, I think I am but acting in accordance with military precedent in recommending them for special consideration.

10. In addition to the regularly appointed Brigadier-Generals, I beg leave to bring forward the good service done by Colonel M. C. Farrington, King's Own Light Infantry (now Brigadier-General). In paragraph 5 of this report I have pointed out that Brigadier-General Stewart was detailed for the special charge of the expedition to the Ruby Mines. During the time he was so employed, it became necessary to organize and despatch a force from Shwebo to occupy Wuntho from the south, simultaneously with an advance from the north under Brigadier-General Cox. Colonel Farrington was entrusted with this duty. Shwebo had been depleted of pack transport to supply the more important claims of the Ruby Mines expedition, and little assistance could be given from the field force reserve transport. Colonel Farrington, however, provided the columns with transport from local sources, and carried out the advance on Wuntho with punctuality and success, making his advance answer the double purpose of searching out the country between Shwebo and his objective point with small columns. I have been much impressed by the helpfulness and ability shown by Colonel Farrington in the exercise of this command.

11. Before closing the list of officers of superior rank who have held important commands, I would specially mention to His Excellency the services of Colonel E. Stedman, commanding the 3rd Goorkha Regiment. This officer has proved himself not only a regimental commandant of exceptional capacity, but he has further given evidence of ability in the organization and conduct of operations requiring forethought in preparation and capacity in execution. Colonel Stedman and his Goorkhas have been called upon continuously for hard work. I recommend Colonel Stedman to the consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, not only as a due reward for what he has done, but further, because I consider his advancement would be a benefit to the service.

12. Colonel A. C. Toker, 18th Bengal Infantry, has had an anxious and troublesome career in the command on the Upper Chinwin, which he has carried out with watchfulness and capacity.

13. I will next give the names of officers who have been brought to notice by Brigadier-Generals and officers in superior command.

14. Brigadier-General East mentions the following officers:

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Simpson, Madras Staff Corps, Brigade-Major.

Captain S. A. E. Hickson, Royal Engineers, Deputy-Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Bruce, Executive Commissariat Officer.

Lieutenant J. K. Tod, Royal Irish Fusiliers, Orderly Officer to General East.

Major C. J. Deshon* Royal Artillery, Commanding 1-1, Eastern Division.

Major W. Aitken, Royal Artillery, Commanding 9-1, Cinque Ports Division.

Captain E. H. Armitage, Royal Artillery, Intelligence Officer.

Captain A. W. Cockburn, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant J. A. Tanner, Royal Engineers.

Colonel W. K. Leet, V.C., Commanding the Somersetshire Light Infantry.

Lieutenant F. A. Morse,

Lieutenant L. W. Fox,

Lieutenant W. P. Braithwaite,

Colonel G. Baker, Commanding the Hampshire Regiment.

Major E. H. C. Braddon,

Captain R. P. Macdonald,

Captain H. W. Smith,

Lieutenant R. C. Lye,

Lieutenant W. H. Trethewey,

Colonel R. B. Graham,

Lieutenant-Colonel J. L. Ferris, } 7th Bengal Cavalry.

Lieutenant W. C. Pollard,

Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, 17th Madras Infantry.

Colonel J. Gabbett, 25th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant W. N. Campbell, 25th Madras Infantry.

* Now Lieutenant-Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Poole,
 Major R. Hennell,
 Lieutenant P. Holland,
 Major R. L. Price,
 Lieutenant W. Ayerst,
 Colonel E. Stedman, 3rd Goorkha Regiment.
 Major E. B. Bishop, 3rd Goorkha Regiment.
 Captain C. Pulley, 3rd Goorkha Regiment.
 Major C. McD. Skene, 43rd Goorkha Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant A. L. Barrett,* 43rd Goorkha Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Symons, South Wales Borderers,—Commandant, Mounted Infantry.
 Captain S. B. Beatson, 11th Bengal Lancers.
 Lieutenant G. B. Stevens, 4th Madras Pioneers.
 Lieutenant G. V. Burrows, 14th Madras Infantry.
 Captain G. N. Mayne, King's Own Borderers.

15. Of these officers I beg to bring the following specially to notice :

Lieutenant-Colonel Simpson has done exceptionally hard work as Brigade-Major at Mandalay,

Captain Hickson, Royal Engineers, has also had heavy work as Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General.

Both these officers worked continuously through the summer of 1886. Lieutenant-Colonel Simpson has received a step of brevet rank, but Captain Hickson has as yet received no recognition of his service.

Major Deshon, Royal Artillery, commanded two expeditions, and did well.

Major Aitkin, Royal Artillery, Commanding 9-1, Cinque Ports Division, is an able officer, and has been selected for several special commands, and has carried out all duties entrusted to him with ability and success. I recommend him for advancement.

Colonel Leet, V.C., has commanded the Somersetshire Light Infantry throughout the campaign. The excellent service rendered by this battalion is well known to the Commander-in-Chief.

Colonels Kingsley and Baker have in succession commanded the Hampshire Regiment, which has also done most valuable work. Colonel Baker has, besides, commanded several troublesome hill expeditions with uniform success. He also commanded the battalion in the first advance on Mandalay.

Major Braddon, Hampshire Regiment, has done much hard service all through the hot weather of last year, and is a most hard working officer. I recommend him for advancement.

Captain Macdonald, Hampshire Regiment, did most valuable work in the pacification of the Sagain district and in the pursuit of Hla-Oo.

Captain Smith, Hampshire Regiment, has earned mention by gallant and energetic leading.

Lieutenant Pollard, 7th Bengal Cavalry, has shown high qualities as an officer, and conducted a difficult expedition in the hills with considerable dash and success.

Lieutenant Campbell, 25th Madras Infantry, has earned mention by gallant and energetic leading, and has shown high promise as an officer.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Poole, 5th Bombay Light Infantry,† has had the command of the Sagain district, and has proved himself a good commander.

Major Hennell, 5th Bombay Light Infantry, was most active and zealous in conducting operations in the Sagain district during the worst season of 1886. His work has been most useful. He has had to quit the command on account of bad health brought on by exposure. I recommend him for advancement.

Lieutenant Holland, 5th Bombay Light Infantry, deserves mention for much good work done in the field.

Captain C. O. Nicholletts, 5th Bombay Light Infantry, is an officer who throughout last summer rendered most important service in the 1st Brigade.

Major Bishop and Captain Pulley of the 3rd Goorkha Regiment have commanded columns, and the latter officer has done much useful work. I recommend both officers for advancement both on account of their own services and the excellent and continuous work done by the men under their command.

Captain Beatson, 11th Bengal Lancers, has merited mention by the enterprise displayed by him when commanding the mounted infantry in the Sagain district.

16. Brigadier-General Anderson mentions the following officers :

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Gatacre, 23rd Bombay Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. Heyland, Commandant, 1st Bombay Lancers.

Major W. W. Egerton, Liverpool Regiment.

Major W. H. F. Sorell, Commanding 8-1, London Division, Royal Artillery.

Major J. de B. Lynch, 1st Bombay Grenadiers.

Captain H. M. Rose,‡ 27th Bengal Infantry.

Captain A. Keene, Commanding No. 1, Bombay Mountain Battery.

Captain J. D. Fullerton, R.E.

Captain C. S. Shephard, Royal Lancaster Regiment.

*Now Captain.

† Since retired.

‡ Now Major.

Captain A. A. Pearson, Bombay Staff Corps.
 Captain A. W. L. Bayly, Bombay Staff Corps.
 Surgeon-Major T. W. Patterson, Medical Staff, Senior Medical Officer, 4th Brigade.
 Surgeon-Major F. W. Wright, M.B., Indian Medical Service.
 Captain E. C. Kellie, } 23rd Bombay Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant W. A. M. Wilson; }
 Lieutenant F. A. Morse, Somersetshire Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant W. Elliot, } Royal Artillery.
 Lieutenant T. L. Coxhead, }
 No. 38, Sergeant Edwin W. Bath, Somersetshire Light Infantry.
 Mr. C. J. A. Duke, Deputy Commissioner.

I support the recommendations of Brigadier-General Anderson, which, it will be observed, refer to the commands exercised by him at different times over both the 3rd and the 4th Brigades, but reserve the following for special mention:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Gatacre, commanding the 23rd Bombay Light Infantry. This officer has earned advancement by the discipline and efficiency of the fine regiment which he commands. He has also rendered important service in command of a column which advanced on Kanle, and subsequently into the Yaw country.

Lieutenant-Colonel Heyland, Commandant, 1st Bombay Lancers,—an officer who has done much good service. He has commanded several columns with marked success, and is a most valuable officer.

Major Egerton, Liverpool Regiment, has commanded the post at Hlinedet with singular success, and has since shown much dash in the field. I recommend him for advancement.

I further support Brigadier-General Anderson's recommendations on behalf of his staff officer, Captain Shephard, Royal Lancaster Regiment. The other staff officers I have brought to notice elsewhere.

I also endorse his recommendation of Sergeant Edwin William Bath, Somersetshire Light Infantry, who assumed command of a detachment of that regiment after Lieutenant H. T. Shubrick had been killed in action.

17. The following officers have been brought to notice by Brigadier-General Stewart, for good service:—

Colonel F. B. Middleton, 21st Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant P. G. Huggins,* 21st Madras Infantry.
 Colonel C. J. O. FitzGerald, } 3rd Hyderabad Cavalry.
 Captain C. E. Gubbins, }
 Colonel W. G. Cubitt, v.c., } 43rd Goorkah Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant-Colonel C. McD. Skene, }
 Major N. F. FitzG. Chamberlain, Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General.
 Captain E. B. J. Vaughan, 6th Punjab Infantry.
 Captain H. Earle, South Yorkshire Regiment.
 Captain H. H. Barnet, Royal Engineers.
 Captain F. J. D. Lugard, Norfolk Regiment.
 Lieutenant H. Parkin, Bombay Commissariat Department.
 Surgeon J. P. Barry, M.B., Indian Medical Service.
 Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. J. Senior, 1st Bengal Infantry.
 Captain W. N. Lloyd, Royal Artillery.
 Captain S. C. F. Peile, Commissariat Department.
 Captain A. L. Barrett, 43rd Goorkha Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant C. V. Hume, Royal Artillery.
 Lieutenant R. D. Petrie, Royal Engineers.
 Lieutenant W. H. M. Burke, South Yorkshire Regiment.
 Lieutenant A. W. Abercrombie, South Yorkshire Regiment.
 Lieutenant G. Davis, South Yorkshire Regiment.
 Lieutenant H. D'U. Keary, 1st Madras Pioneers.
 Surgeon W. A. Sykes, Indian Medical Service.

18. I agree in the estimate formed by General Stewart of the good service rendered by the above named officers, but reserve the following for special mention:—

Colonel Middleton, commanding the 21st Madras Infantry, has commanded his regiment firmly and well, and has done much valuable service since he has been in the Yeu district.

Lieutenant Huggins, 21st Madras Infantry, has shown himself possessed of singular energy and enterprise, and has been mainly instrumental in the greatly improved condition of the neighbourhoods in which he has been stationed in the Yeu district. I recommend him very favorably for consideration.

Colonel FitzGerald, commanding the 3rd Regiment, Hyderabad Contingent Cavalry, has done much valuable service in quelling dacoity and rebellion in the Tabayin district. He has shown great energy and activity, and his regiment has done most important work.

Captain Gubbins, 3rd Hyderabad Cavalry, is a model leader of cavalry, full of enterprise, and has played a very important part in the pacification of both the north and the south of the Shwebo district, and in the advance of Colonel Farrington's column on Wuntho.

* Now Captain.

Colonel Cubitt, V.C., has commanded the 43rd Goorkha Light Infantry, a regiment which has rendered much valuable service.

Lieutenant-Colonel Skene, 43rd Goorkha Light Infantry, has been most active from the arrival of the 43rd Goorkha Light Infantry in Mandalay up to the present time. He commanded the advance guard of the Ruby Mines expedition, and has done much to raise the reputation of his corps and his own. I recommend him for consideration.

Major Chamberlain has been the only staff officer with Brigadier-General Stewart throughout the time he has been personally directing the advance on the Ruby Mines. I cordially endorse the Brigadier-General's high estimate of his capacity as a staff officer, and the value of the reconnaissance executed by him at Ingyauk on the 25th December.

The zeal and untiring energy shown by the late Captain Vaughan, 6th Punjab Infantry, have been testified to by Brigadier-General Stewart, and it may be some consolation to his relatives to know that had the life which he spent in the service of his country been spared, he would have been very warmly recommended by me for the special consideration of the Commander-in-Chief.

Captain Barnet, Royal Engineers, has done very hard work with the Ruby Mines expedition, of which he was the pioneer.

Captain Earle, South Yorkshire Regiment, has shown strength and capacity, and I am in full accord with Brigadier-General Stewart's estimate of his promise as a soldier.

Lieutenant Keary, 1st Madras Pioneers, has been most useful since the commencement of the campaign, both in the field and in the Transport Department. I beg to bring him prominently to notice.

19. Brigadier-General Low, C.B., has named the following officers:—

Captain B. E. Spragge, King's Own Light Infantry, Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General.

Captain A. G. B. Ternan, 44th Goorkha Light Infantry.

Lieutenant K. M. Foss, Executive Commissariat Officer.

Lieutenant A. M. Caulfield, Northumberland Fusiliers, Transport Department.

Lieutenant T. H. Des V. Wilkinson, Rifle Brigade, Superintendent, Brigade Signalling.

Surgeon-Major J. F. Supple, Senior Medical Officer, 6th Brigade.

Colonel W. H. Deedes, Commanding the 1st Battalion, Rifle Brigade.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Hope, Commandant, 1st Madras Lancers.

Captain R. E. Golightly, King's Royal Rifle Corps, Commanding Mounted Infantry.

Major A. J. Stead, Commanding the 11th Bengal Infantry.

Lieutenant E. D. Pickard-Cambridge, Bedfordshire Regiment.

Lieutenant H. F. Aplin, R.N., H. M. S. *Ranger*.

Major J. A. D. Gordon, 2nd Bengal Infantry.

Major S. E. Rolland, 26th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant E. G. Wynyard, Liverpool Regiment.

Lieutenant W. A. M. Wilson, 23rd Bombay Light Infantry.

Lieutenant R. M. Rainey, 1st Madras Pioneers.

Surgeon A. P. Adams, Indian Medical Service.

Lieutenant H. Armytage, Liverpool Regiment.

20. Considering the time over which the service referred to in these recommendations has extended, and the amount of organization, movement and fighting comprised, I think Brigadier-General Low's recommendations are moderate; but I specially select the following:—

Captain Spragge, King's Own Light Infantry, Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, is an officer of high capacity, and I gladly support Brigadier-General Low's recommendation of him.

Captain Ternan, 44th Goorkha Light Infantry, has earned the commendation of his Brigadier-General, and I support his nomination.

Lieutenant Wilkinson, Rifle Brigade, has done most excellent service as Superintendent of Signalling in the 6th Brigade. His activity and energy were witnessed by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, and Brigadier-General Low speaks in the highest terms of the tact and courage displayed by him in working out the system of signalling stations, which has been crowned with such success.

Colonel Deedes has shown high courage and self-abnegation as a leader in the field, and the battalion under his command has done good service.

Brigadier-General Low speaks in high terms of the ability displayed by Lieutenant-Colonel Hope, 1st Madras Lancers, in preparing and directing operations against Boh Shwe.

Captain Golightly, King's Royal Rifle Corps, has been conspicuous for good work. I beg most strongly to support General Low's application in his favor. His zeal and activity in the pursuit of Boh Shwe and Ottama, the leaders of rebellion in the Mambu district, have been most marked, and no stronger proof can be given of the impracticability of hunting down such leaders in a country in sympathy with them than the fact that Captain Golightly's arrangements, activity, and perseverance have not yet been crowned by the capture of either of them.

Major Stead, Commandant, 11th Bengal Infantry, has deserved mention as commanding a regiment which, throughout its service in Upper Burma, has been an example of efficiency and good work. He has also done most valuable service in command of columns on the right bank of the Irrawaddy, on two separate occasions, in the Pakhangyi and Yaw districts.

Major Rolland, 26th Madras Infantry, after a period of exceptional sickness and depression, conducted the withdrawal of the garrison of Nepeh under great difficulties.

Lieutenant Wynyard, Liverpool Regiment, on the death of Captain W. G. Dunsford, 2nd Bengal Infantry, during the attack on a pagoda near Salen, proved himself to possess a quick appreciation of what was needed on an occasion of considerable danger, and by bold leading converted a critical situation into an assured success.

Lieutenant Rainey, 1st Madras Pioneers, when in command of a post, did most excellent work.

Lieutenant Armytage, Liverpool Regiment, and Lieutenant Westlake, 1st Madras Lancers, have distinguished themselves by energetic and successful expeditions against the dacoit and rebel leaders in their districts.

21. Brigadier-General Cox has brought the following officers to notice:—

Captain V. A. Schaleh, Bengal Staff Corps.

Captain R. L. Milne, Liverpool Regiment, Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General.

Surgeon-Major J. S. Wilkins, Indian Medical Service.

Lieutenant W. J. H. Bond, Executive Commissariat Officer.

Lieutenant F. A. Wilkinson, Royal Fusiliers, Brigade Transport Officer.

Lieutenant W. A. Cairnes, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant F. J. Aylmer, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel S. B. Home, 5th Bengal Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. S. Creek, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Captain E. C. Wace, Royal Artillery, Commanding the Hazara Mountain Battery.

Captain H. T. Lyle, 1st Battalion, Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Captain E. S. Hastings, 25th Madras Infantry.

Captain G. H. H. Couchman, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry.

Lieutenant A. H. C. Birch, Royal Artillery, Hazara Mountain Battery.

Lieutenant G. F. H. Dillon, 26th Punjab Infantry.

22. I beg to make special mention of the following:—

Captain Schaleh has been Brigade-Major of the 2nd Brigade since the first occupation of Mandalay.

Captain Milne, Liverpool Regiment, has been Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General for the same period.

I submit the names of both these officers for advancement.

Captain Wace, Royal Artillery, was in command of the Hazara Mountain Battery until wounded in the first advance on Katran.

Captain Lyle, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, succeeded Captain Wace in the command of the expedition above referred to, when the latter was wounded,—until he himself was wounded.

I recommend both these officers for promotion.

Captain Hastings, 25th Madras Infantry, is an energetic and valuable officer, of much ability and enterprise, who should be pushed on.

Captain Couchman has rendered very good service from the earliest occupation of Bhamo, and is an officer of much promise.

23. Brigadier-General Lockhart recommends the following officers for special recognition:—

Major P. D. Jeffreys, Connaught Rangers, Brigade-Major.

Captain A. A. Pearson, Bombay Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General.

Major W. H. F. Sorell, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant W. Lamport, Royal Artillery.

Captain H. E. Goodwyn, Royal Engineers.

Colonel W. J. Holt, Commanding the 2nd Battalion, Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Lieutenant F. M. Peacock, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry.

Lieutenant F. A. Morse, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry.

Captain E. L. Elliot, 1st Bombay Lancers.

Captain A. L. Sinclair, 27th Bombay (Beluch) Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. C. Sartorius, 27th Bombay (Beluch) Light Infantry.

Colonel W. P. Dicken, 3rd Madras Light Infantry.

Captain R. K. Teversham, 3rd Madras Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. S. Elton, 16th Madras Infantry.

I beg to support Brigadier-General Lockhart's recommendations in every instance.

Major Jeffreys has rendered very efficient service as a staff officer, and achieved the most marked success in the capture of the so-called Kimmendine Prince's camp.

Captain Pearson, Bombay Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, has also done excellent work in the field.

Major Sorell, Royal Artillery, has been most prominent throughout the campaign, both in command of his battery and also of numerous expeditions. I recommend him for some special recognition of his continuous and varied good service.

Lieutenant Lamport, Royal Artillery, is a very forward young officer, who was the first man into Kimmendine Prince's camp when it was attacked by Major Jeffreys on the 1st January. He has been constantly engaged with the enemy, and has acted as orderly officer to Brigadier-General Lockhart in numerous engagements.

Colonel Holt, Royal West Surrey Regiment, has been selected by Brigadier-General Lockhart for frequent commands. He and his regiment have merited the special commendation

of the Brigadier-General. I beg to bring him prominently to the notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

Lieutenant Peacock, Somersetshire Light Infantry, has been conspicuous for gallant leading.

Lieutenant Morse, Somersetshire Light Infantry, has been brought to my notice on many occasions and by various superior officers under whom he has served as a valuable leader of mounted infantry. I recommend him for special consideration.

Captain Elliot, 1st Bombay Lancers, has proved himself a most efficient leader of cavalry, and has done much by his dash and perseverance to clear the 3rd Brigade district of the gangs of dacoits which have harried it so long. I have much pleasure in supporting Brigadier-General Lockhart's recommendation in favor of this officer.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sartorius has commanded his regiment in many affairs under Brigadier-General Lockhart, and has also commanded in independent operations, maintaining his high name as a soldier.

Captain Sinclair, 27th Beluch Regiment, has been well reported on as a leader of skill and dash, who has rendered good service in a difficult country.

Colonel Dicken, 3rd Madras Light Infantry. This officer commanded the Nyingyan column on its first advance from Tounghoo, and has since commanded in many affairs and done much important administrative work. I trust His Excellency will support my application in favor of Colonel Dicken, who has earned consideration from the important and difficult command which he so long exercised.

Captain Teversham, 3rd Madras Light Infantry, has been engaged in very numerous affairs against the enemy in the Nyingyan command, and has proved himself a good soldier and promising staff officer.

Lieutenant-Colonel Elton, 16th Madras Infantry, has on several occasions been entrusted with commands of columns, and has acquitted himself well. Brigadier-General Lockhart speaks highly of his work.

24. Brigadier-General Farrington has brought forward the names of the following officers, as having especially assisted him in the advance on Wuntho:—

Major W. E. Hilliard, King's Own Light Infantry.

Captain C. E. Gubbins, 3rd Hyderabad Cavalry.

Captain P. W. A. A. Milton, King's Own Light Infantry.

Captain A. B. Fenton, 4th Madras Cavalry, Brigade-Major.

I have already noticed Captain Gubbins' good service, and I recommend Major Hilliard, King's Own Light Infantry, for advancement.

Captain Fenton, as staff officer to Colonel Farrington, did most useful service, and was highly spoken of by his commanding officer.

25. Colonel Toker, commanding on the Chindwin, recommends—

Captain C. A. R. Sage, 18th Bengal Infantry.

Lieutenant L. Fryer, 18th Bengal Infantry.

Lieutenant G. B. Hodson, 23rd Madras Infantry.

Captain Sage has given evidence of the highest qualities as an officer. His conscientious discharge of duty, calm judgment, and enterprise make him a very valuable officer. I recommend him for advancement.

Lieutenant Fryer has proved himself a gallant leader and promising officer.

Lieutenant Hodson, 23rd Madras Infantry, did good service in the Alon district.

I would also beg to add the name of Major R. H. F. Rennick, 18th Bengal Infantry, who has shown in this campaign the energy and determination so characteristic of his former service, and who has been forced to leave Burma in ill-health consequent on his hard work in the public service. I recommend him for advancement.

26. Amongst officers who have not been under the orders of the Brigadier-Generals from whom reports have now been received, I may mention the following officers, who have done service worthy of mention:—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Law, 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Lieutenant F. V. S. Churchill, 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Lieutenant H. E. Stanton, 9-1, Cinque Ports Division, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant T. L. Coxhead, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant C. P. Fendall, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant W. H. Dobbie, 26th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Law commanded the important post of Tounghwingyi from the first occupation of Upper Burma until the close of the summer of 1886. He and the officers and men under his command did marked good service, and I would particularly mention Lieutenants Churchill and Dobbie.

27. Before leaving the subject of regimental officers who have done conspicuous work, I would mention the important service rendered by Colonel Tilly and the officers and men of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers. From the commencement of the campaign this regiment has borne a part worthy of its high records, and although at Bhamo it has been somewhat removed from the centres of late action, yet in the earlier stages of the campaign no regiment had harder or more trying work. I would specially mention—

Colonel J. Tilly.

Lieutenant A. W. G. L. Cole.

Lieutenant A. C. King.

Lieutenant A. P. G. Gough.

28. The number of Royal Engineer officers who have been employed in Upper Burma has been exceptionally large. The Commanding Royal Engineer brings forward the names of the following, who have done special good service:—

Captain W. F. Shone.
Lieutenant J. A. Tanner.
Captain (Brevet-Major) C. B. Wilkieson.
Captain H. H. Barnet.
Captain J. D. Fullerton.
Captain M. C. Barton.
Lieutenant T. F. B. Renny-Tailyour.
Lieutenant F. Glanville.

I specially beg to recommend—

Captain Shone.
Captain Goodwyn.
Lieutenant Tanner.

Captain Dorward brings to notice the very great assistance rendered to the officers of the Royal Engineers in their work by Messrs H. J. Richard and E. J. Rumsby of the Public Works Department, and I have to request that some mark of the Viceroy's appreciation of their work may be accorded to them.

Captain Dorward also recommends, to the favorable consideration of the Commander-in-Chief, Sergeant P. Hay, Royal Engineers, and No. 175, Color-Havildar Marimootoo,—the former for excellent work in connection with the Field Park, and the latter as a Native non-commissioned officer of quite exceptional ability and worth.

29. The Principal Commissariat Officer has recommended the following officers:—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Bruce, Assistant Commissary-General.
Captain S. R. Rawlinson, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.
Lieutenant W. J. H. Bond, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.
Major C. F. Hughes, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.
Captain H. L. Hutchins, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.
Captain S. C. F. Peile, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.
Lieutenant K. M. Foss, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General.

I very cordially endorse Colonel Laughton's mention of Lieutenant-Colonel Bruce. His capacity and power of work render him an officer of quite exceptional value, and I hope it may be found possible to bestow on him some fitting reward. Captain Rawlinson has earned mention by hard work. Captains Peile and Hutchins have conducted very important commissariat work with ability and success. Lieutenants Foss and Parkin have been brought to notice by Brigadier-Generals Low and Stewart respectively.

Colonel Laughton also calls attention to the efficient service rendered by Major W. Cooke at Rangoon, and Lieutenant G. F. Watson at Toungoo, to the troops in Upper Burma.

I have also pleasure in endorsing Colonel Laughton's recommendations of—

Conductor G. Grevelink.
Sub-Conductor J. Hadlock.
Sub-Conductor E. Stevens.
Sub-Conductor M. F. Maher.
Sergeant Gordon.
Sergeant J. R. Rishworth.
Sergeant W. E. Keogh.

I have had the honor verbally to represent to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief the excellent work done by the Commissariat Department since the occupation of Upper Burma; and I cannot too strongly express my hope that the services rendered by the officers and warrant and non-commissioned officers of this department may be adequately rewarded.

30. The Principal Medical Officer has recommended the following medical officers for special zeal and ability:—

Surgeon-Major R. de la Cour Corbett, M.D., Medical Staff.
Surgeon R. V. Ash, M.B., Medical Staff.
Brigade-Surgeon W. H. Roberts, M.D., Madras Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major T. W. Patterson, Medical Staff.
Surgeon D. Eloum, Madras Medical Service.
Surgeon H. K. Fuller, M.B., Madras Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major E. Fawcett, Madras Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major J. S. Wilkins, Bombay Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major W. Venour, Medical Staff.
Surgeon-Major F. W. Wright, M.B., Bengal Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major C. E. McVittie, Madras Medical Service.
Surgeon M. O'C. Drury, Medical Staff.
Surgeon W. A. Sykes, Bengal Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major J. F. Supple, Medical Staff.
Surgeon-Major C. F. Ogilvie, M.D., Bombay Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major J. T. B. Bookey, Bengal Medical Service.
Surgeon-Major R. D. Murray, M.D., Bengal Medical Service.
Surgeon J. Macgregor, M.D., Bombay Medical Service.
Surgeon W. A. Morris, Medical Staff.

Surgeon P. F. O'Connor, Bengal Medical Service.
 Surgeon R. E. S. Davis, M.B., Madras Medical Service.
 Surgeon A. P. Adams, Madras Medical Service

Of these I select the following for special mention :—

Surgeon-Major R. de la Cour Corbett, M.D., Medical Staff.
 Surgeon-Major R. V. Ask, M.B., Medical Staff.
 Surgeon-Major T. W. Patterson, Medical Staff.
 Surgeon-Major J. S. Wilkins, Bombay Medical Service.
 Surgeon-Major W. Venour, Medical Staff.
 Surgeon-Major F. W. Wright, M.B., Bengal Medical Service.
 Surgeon W. A. Sykes, Bengal Medical Service.
 Surgeon-Major J. F. Supple, Medical Staff.
 Surgeon A. P. Adams, Madras Medical Service.

I recommend Surgeon-Major Corbett for promotion to the rank of Brigade Surgeon, as I have formed a high opinion of his zeal and ability, both as an administrative and executive medical officer.

31. The Director of Transport has submitted the following names of officers who have done special good service in the Transport Department. The work done by this Department has been most onerous and most important. As an instance given by Captain Cather, in his report * of the nature and extent of the work required of it, I would mention that at one station 1,200 carts were on the Transport Officer's books as out on hire at the same time. This was in addition to much pack transport. The labor and responsibility have been altogether abnormal :—

Major J. T. Cummins, 4th Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent.
 Captain F. J. D. Lugard, Norfolk Regiment.
 Lieutenant H. D'U. Keary, 1st Madras Pioneers.
 Lieutenant C. P. Scudamore, Royal Scots Fusiliers.
 Lieutenant G. P. Ranken, 24th Punjab Infantry.
 Lieutenant J. Strachey, 11th Bengal Infantry.

I beg to endorse all these nominations, and would recommend Major Cummins, Captain Lugard, and Lieutenant Scudamore to special notice.

Captain Cather further reports very highly on the services of Sub-Conductor A. Mason, Bengal Transport. This warrant officer has performed a very heavy task in taking over piece-meal thousands of sets of gear and large quantities of materials from India. The Director of Transport reports most favorably of his steadiness, untiring energy, and reliable accuracy. I recommend this warrant officer very strongly for advancement to the rank of Conductor.

32. The Officer Commanding the Royal Artillery has brought forward the names of the following officers whom he considers have earned special recognition :—

Major W. H. F. Sorell, 8-1, London Division.
 Lieutenant T. L. Coxhead, 8-1, London Division.
 Major W. Aitken, 9-1, Cinque Ports Division.
 Lieutenant H. C. Stanton, 9-1, Cinque Ports Division.
 Lieutenant C. P. Fendall, 3-1, South Irish Division.
 Lieutenant M. B. Bicknell, 7-1, Northern Division.
 Lieutenant A. L. Tisdall, No. 1, Bombay Mountain Battery.
 Lieutenant W. Elliot, No. 1, Bombay Mountain Battery.
 Lieutenant A. H. C. Birch, No. 4, Hazara Mountain Battery.
 Lieutenant W. Lamport, 8-1, London Division.

Lieutenant-Colonel Budgen also mentions the following officers who have been in command of batteries :—

Major C. J. Deshon, 1-1, Eastern Division.
 Major W. Aitken, 9-1, Cinque Ports Division.
 Major G. T. Carré, 7-1, Northern Division.
 Major F. M. E. Vibart, 5-1, Southern Division.
 Captain A. Keene, No. 1, Bombay Mountain Battery.
 Captain W. J. Honner, No. 4, Hazara Mountain Battery.
 Captain H. C. D. Simpson, 7-1, Northern Division.
 Lieutenant J. L. Parker, Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Upper Burma Field Force.
 Captain C. M. Haggard, Brigade-Major, Royal Artillery.

I have already referred to the services of—

Major Sorell,
 Lieutenant Coxhead,
 Major Aitken,
 Lieutenant Stanton,
 Lieutenant Fendall,
 Lieutenant Lamport,
 Major Carré,

and I am glad to support Colonel Budgen's application in favor of Captain Haggard, Brigade-Major.

33 It is now my duty to lay before His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief the names of those officers who have served on the Head-quarter's Staff of the Upper Burma Field Force:—

Colonel M. Protheroe, C.S.I., has been Assistant, Adjutant and Quartermaster-General of the Force during the time I have commanded it. His zeal, ability, and untiring powers of work are well known to all the officers of high rank who have commanded in Upper Burma, and have been invaluable to me and to the force at large. I hope that his excellent service may receive some further mark of approval.

I have also to acknowledge the assistance received from Captain G. Henry, Royal Engineers; Captain J. Sherston, Rifle Brigade; Major A. W. H. Hornsby, 1st Madras Cavalry; and Captain A. W. L. Bayly, Bombay Staff Corps. The work of all these officers has been of great service to me, and has been most important and continuous. I recommend them for consideration.

34. Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. Budgen has commanded the Royal Artillery in Upper Burma during my period of command of the Upper Burma Field Force, and has carried on the duties satisfactorily.

35. Captain A. R. F. Dorward has done constant and very heavy work as Commanding Royal Engineer. The vast amount of field engineering that has been necessary during this long campaign has been conducted under his orders, and the provision of barrack accommodation for the troops has devolved on him. His capacity is well known to the Commander-in-Chief, and I recommend him with confidence to His Excellency's consideration. His promotion would be a benefit to the service.

36. Owing to the nature of the occupation of Upper Burma by very numerous small posts, the commissariat supply of the troops has been a problem of exceptional difficulty. I cannot too highly commend the administrative ability, watchfulness, and resource with which Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Laughton, as Principal Commissariat Officer, has met and overcome the difficulties of the situation. To him and to the able officers under him has fallen the most responsible and difficult task of the campaign; and I hope the recognition of the services of the Principal Commissariat Officer may be commensurate with the labor and responsibility of his work.

37. The Transport Department has been directed by Captain T. P. Cather, Royal Engineers, an officer of great energy and administrative ability. In a force cut up into such numerous small bodies, nearly all of which were mobilised, the provision and keeping up of transport has been an exceptionally heavy labor; but the call has been well met by Captain Cather. I am indebted to him for the rapid organization and satisfactory working of the Department, and I hope it may be possible to give Captain Cather rank more suitable to the work he has done. I bracket him with Captain Dorward as an officer whose promotion would be a benefit to the service.

38. The Medical Department has been successfully worked by Deputy Surgeon-General G. Farrell, C.B., who has conducted his heavy duties with zeal and ability. I would also beg to recall the good service rendered by Surgeon-Major H. W. A. Mackinnon when Principal Medical Officer of this force, in case it may now be possible to grant him the promotion to which he was gazetted and which was subsequently cancelled.

39. Major C. H. Sheppard has conducted the duties of Deputy Judge Advocate with great zeal and attention. I recommend him for advancement.

40. Captain H. F. S. Ramsden, Military Accounts Department, has been indefatigable in his labors as Field Paymaster, Upper Burma Field Force, and has rendered invaluable service both to the force and to the public.

41. Captain E. W. Dun, Bengal Staff Corps, has had charge of the Intelligence Branch in Upper Burma, and has been most assiduous and successful in collecting information on all subjects connected with the country and its peoples.

42. Captain J. R. Hobday, in charge of the Survey of Upper Burma, has labored with success to furnish maps of the country, to facilitate military movements. I beg to bring his valuable work to notice.

43. I have the honor to submit the names of Lieutenant Q. K. Agnew, Royal Scots Fusiliers, who was my Aide-de-camp until invalided, and that of Lieutenant S. C. F. Jackson, Hampshire Regiment, who succeeded him, and who has rendered me the greatest assistance, and is an officer of much promise.

44. The list of officers who have rendered specially good service would be incomplete without the name of Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Symons, South Wales Borderers, Commandant of Mounted Infantry. The work done by this force has been first-rate, and I am indebted to Lieutenant-Colonel Symons for its organization and the details of its equipment.

45. The list of names submitted is a long one, but I have before referred to the conditions of this protracted campaign; and I venture to hope that the recognition bestowed may be in proportion to the nature of the duties performed by the officers mentioned.

46. I have the honor to forward herewith the reports* of Brigadier-Generals and Heads of Departments. Colonel Stedman's report of officers who have done specially good service on the expedition to Nyamgwe has not yet been received, but any necessary additions will be telegraphed.

No. 11-C., dated 14th March 1887.

Forwarded.

(Signed) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, *Lieut.-Genl.,
Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army.*

* Not published.

II.

From Major-General Sir G. S. WHITE, K.C.B., V.C., Commanding the Upper Burma Field Force, to the Adjutant-General in India (through the Adjutant-General, Madras Army), (No. 166-BC, dated Mandalay, the 27th March 1887).

The following is forwarded in continuation of my letter of the 10th instant.

I would beg to submit the names of the officers herein mentioned by Brigadier-General Lockhart, and would specially select Major C. E. Ilderton and Major Hughes for special mention.

No 15-C., dated Mandalay, 1st April 1887.

Forwarded in continuation of my No. 11-C., dated 14th March 1887.

(Signed) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, *Lieut.-Genl.,
Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army.*

From Brigadier-General W. S. A. LOCKHART, C.B., C.S.I., Commanding the 3rd Brigade Upper Burma Field Force, to the Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, Upper Burma Field Force, Headquarters, Mandalay,—(No. 2-A—*Confidential*,—dated Yemethen, the 9th March 1887).

In compliance with your memorandum No. 989, dated 3rd February 1887, I have the honor to submit an additional list of officers in this command who have rendered good service up to date:

2nd Battalion, the Queen's Royal West Surrey Regiment.

1. Major C. E. Ilderton.—This officer has been very frequently employed in the field since the arrival of his regiment in Burma, and has done well. He has on several occasions been entrusted with the command of a mixed column. I trust his valuable services may be recognized.

2. Captain C. W. Boddam has been employed independently on several occasions, and has done excellent service.

3. Lieutenant F. J. Pink.—I am much indebted to Lieutenant Pink, who is my orderly and intelligence officer. His survey work speaks for itself, and in every other respect he has proved of value to me in the field.

1st Bombay Lancers.

4. Lieutenant G. F. N. Tinley—A very good cavalry officer, who has on every occasion done well in the field.

5. Lieutenant G. E. Stavely.—The same remarks apply to him as to Lieutenant G. F. N. Tinley.

27th Bengal Infantry.

6. Lieutenant C. W. O'Bryen has done excellent service with the mounted infantry, always showing enterprise and dash.

Departmental.

7. Major C. F. Hughes, Brigade Commissariat Officer, has shown the greatest devotion to his work, and has never spared himself.

8. Lieutenant J. Ezechiel, Deputy Assistant Commissary, has also been most zealous and hard-working.

9. Lieutenant C. P. Scudamore, Royal Scots Fusiliers, Brigade Transport Officer, has done very good service with the 3rd Brigade and, according to Colonel Stedman, with the Shan column as well.

Of the Medical Services, the officers whose good work has come under my special notice are:

10. Surgeon W. G. Birrell, M.B., Medical Staff.

11. Surgeon A. W. F. Street, Indian Medical Service.

12. Surgeon P. de Conceição, Indian Medical Service.

The services of the above three officers have been invaluable; and I must here add a tribute to the work rendered by a fourth, now no more, viz.,—

13. The late Surgeon E. W. Kelsall, of the Medical Staff, whose death from cholera last December was a great public loss.

In conclusion I venture to submit the name of a Foreign officer—

14. First-Lieutenant J. F. Breijer, of the Netherlands Indian Army, who has acted as my extra orderly officer, and at the same time has co-operated with Lieutenant Pink in road surveying. He has been of great use, and has always been anxious to get forward when firing commenced.

III.

From Major-General Sir G. S. WHITE, K.C.B., V.C., Commanding the Upper Burma Field Force, to the Adjutant-General in India (through the Adjutant-General, Madras Army), dated Mandalay, the 11th April 1887.

In continuation of my despatch, dated Mandalay, 10th March, I have the honor to submit, for the consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the names of the following officers who have been mentioned by Colonel Stedman as having rendered specially good service during the operations of the column detailed to advance on Nyaungwe:

Captain A. Mansel, Commanding division of I-I, Eastern Division, Royal Artillery.
 Major A. J. Poole, Commanding half-battalion, 2nd Hampshire Regiment.
 Major E. H. C. Braddon, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.
 Major E. B. Bishop, Commanding the 3rd Goorkha Regiment.
 Captain C. Pulley, 3rd Goorkha Regiment.
 Captain J. D. Fullerton, Royal Engineers.
 Lieutenant C. E. Baddeley, Royal Engineers.
 Lieutenant C. W. O'Brien, 27th Bengal Infantry, Commanding Mounted Infantry.
 Surgeon-Major J. C. G. Carmichael, M.D., 3rd Goorkha Regiment.
 Surgeon A. W. F. Street, Bombay Medical Service.
 Surgeon P. C. H. Gordon, Medical Staff.
 Major W. Clark, Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant K. Chesney, 18th Bengal Lancers.
 Lieutenant W. C. Jephson, Executive Commissariat Officer.
 Lieutenant E. B. Burton, 17th Bengal Cavalry, { Transport Officers.
 Lieutenant W. Nelson, 29th Madras Infantry, {
 Captain H. S. Massy, 19th Bengal Lancers, Signalling Officer.
 Lieutenant H. E. Stanton, Royal Artillery, Attaché, Intelligence Branch.

2. Many of these officers have been brought to notice for good service elsewhere, but I beg specially to recommend—

Captain Mansel, I-I, Eastern Division, Royal Artillery.
 Major Poole, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.
 Major Bishop, Commanding the 3rd Goorkha Regiment.
 Major Clark, Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
 Lieutenant Stanton, Royal Artillery, Intelligence Branch.
 Lieutenant Chesney, 18th Bengal Lancers, orderly officer to the Officer Commanding the Force.

3. I herewith forward Colonel Stedman's report, No. 162, dated 18th March,* in which he summarises the result of the operations in the Shan States, which he has so ably conducted.

4. I would beg here to supply an omission in my despatch of the 10th March last, and record the valuable services of Captain Spratt, Royal Engineers, as Director of Signalling to the Field Force. His industry and powers of organization have conducted much to the success which has been achieved in this department.

5. Brigadier-General East asks that the name of Colonel L. B. Bance, 15th Madras Infantry, may be added to the list of officers named by him for specially good service which was forwarded with my former report.

6. I have also to tender my acknowledgments of the continuous and devoted services rendered to the officers and men of this force by—

The Reverend F. Hill, Church of England Chaplain.
 The Reverend A. J. Wallace, Roman Catholic Chaplain.
 The Reverend Hugh O'Neil, Roman Catholic Chaplain.

7. The name of Captain J. E. Preston, 13th Madras Infantry, was not included in my former despatch. This officer rendered specially good service on several occasions in the summer of 1886, and was severely wounded when in command at Lemaing, a post for the command of which I had selected him on account of his gallantry and ability as an officer. I recommend him for advancement.

8. The officers and men of the Royal Navy who have been employed in Upper Burma have rendered most ready and efficient aid to the sister service, both in land expeditions and in clearing pirates off the rivers. The launches at their disposal have been ill adapted to the service and the accommodation has been limited; but all difficulties have been overcome and hardships made light of with the professional zeal so characteristic of the Royal Navy. I have specially to acknowledge the assistance received from—

Captain J. P. Pipon, late H.M.S. *Ranger*.
 Commander J. Drunford, H.M.S. *Mariner*.
 Lieutenant C. B. Macdonald, H.M.S. *Ranger*, who was killed leading an assault upon a dacoit stronghold.
 Lieutenant J. F. Stuart, H.M.S. *Ranger*.
 Lieutenant H. F. Aplin, H.M.S. *Ranger*.
 Mr. T. Holman, Gunner, H.M.S. *Ranger*.

* Not published.

9. This report would be incomplete without calling attention to the valuable services rendered by Captain H. P. Airey of the New South Wales Artillery. This officer's service with the Field Force has been cut short by a severe wound, received in action when commanding a division of Gatling guns, in an engagement at Hmaw-Hwaing, in the Yewoon district, where Captain Airey behaved with marked gallantry. I beg to recommend him for special consideration.

10. Captain J. L. Taylor, Madras Railway Volunteers, has been mentioned by Brigadier-General Low for excellent service with the mounted infantry of the 6th Brigade, in which he has served with distinction.

11. Lieutenant C. F. MacCartie, Madras Volunteer Guards, has proved himself a mounted infantry officer of the greatest ability and dash. He has volunteered for service wherever the chance of hard work has presented itself, and has been of the greatest use in training young soldiers as mounted infantry.

From Major-General J. J. H. Gordon, C.B., Commanding the Eastern Frontier District, to the Adjutant-General in India, (No. 97-G—*Field Operations*,—dated Camp Golaghat, the 21st March 1887).

As the field operations connected with the opening up of the country between Manipur and Kendat, and the establishment of direct communication between Assam and Upper Burma, have now been concluded on the withdrawal of the head-quarters of the 44th Goorkha Light Infantry from Kendat to Manipur, and the garrisoning of Pongbyn and Sitoung on the Upper Chindwin, and Oktong and Tummoo in Kubo, with detachments of the 44th, I have the honor to submit, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the following, bringing together in a brief and general form the information scattered through the various reports forwarded by me during the different stages of the operations.

2. Major W. F. Trotter, Political Agent, Manipur, escorted by a detachment of 100 men of the 4th Bengal Infantry, under the command of Major W. Hailes, 4th Bengal Infantry, marched from Tummoo for Kendat on the 11th May 1886. Early on the morning of the 12th May they were treacherously attacked in camp at Pantha, by a large body of rebel Burmese, who had carefully prepared their plans for a sudden blow. They were forced to retire on Tummoo. Reinforcements of two companies of the 42nd Goorkha Light Infantry, under Captain H. FitzG. Stevens, were sent from Kohima, and arrangements made for organizing transport under Captain J. Willcocks, Transport Officer.

3. On the 19th June the enemy was attacked at Chanyone, three miles from Tummoo; but being too strongly posted and in large numbers, the attack did not succeed. Major Hailes was severely wounded on this occasion, and the command at Tummoo devolved on Captain Stevens, 42nd Goorkha Light Infantry, who has commanded in the Kubo valley up to the present.

4. As there was much sickness in the garrison and the heavy rains had set in, Captain Stevens confined himself to harassing the enemy by a judicious use of scouting parties, and placing himself on the defensive.

5. Early in June the first of the transport sent from Golaghat reached Manipur, and Captain Willcocks at once organized weekly convoys of supplies from Manipur to Tummoo.

6. As the Political Agent, Manipur, had not anticipated any opposition in Kubo, and merely arranged for a short march to Kendat and back, and that no troops beyond the usual Residency escort should remain at Manipur, no premeditated arrangements for supplies for an increased number of troops had been made. Kohima was drawn upon for supplies, medical stores, &c., and local resources were developed.

7. The distance between Manipur and Tummoo is 64 miles,—36 of these being over forest and jungle-clad hills rising up to 5,000 feet. The rains had set in, and the path was of the roughest and most trying kind, being a succession of steep ascents and descents. Captain Willcocks by vigorous personal exertion made 24 miles of hill road fit for all kinds of laden animals, while Captain Stevens continued it into Tummoo.

8. In the end of August reinforcements of two companies of the 44th Goorkhas from Dibrugarh, and two mountain guns with gun teams, 44th Goorkhas, from Shillong, were ordered to Tummoo *via* Cachar, as the Nambhor forest route *via* Kohima at that season was unadvisable from malaria. Heavy floods having destroyed part of the road beyond Cachar delayed the march; but the reinforcements reached Tummoo early in October, and on the 10th October Captain Stevens attacked the enemy at their strongly stockaded position of Chanyone, three miles from Tummoo, captured it after an hour's fighting and inflicted severe loss on the rebels.

9. This bold attack, followed up by rapid movements to the strongest stockaded villages, secured the submission of the entire valley in a few days; the leading rebels fled; arms were given up, and the villagers returned to their homes and cultivation.

10. Under Captain Stevens' able administration, confidence in the British Government was speedily instilled. The valley was surveyed, every village visited, lists of the inhabitants made, and village headmen appointed.

11. Orders being received to concentrate the 44th Goorkhas at Tummoo, the remainder of the regiment marched *via* Kohima, and the whole was assembled at Tummoo on the 15th December. Regimental head-quarters and 400 men proceeded through Kubo and across the Ungooching Hills to Kendat, arriving there on the 25th December.

12. I accompanied the 44th to Kendat, and immediately after arrival there, acting in concert with the Civil and Political authorities, occupied Pongbyn, an important position on the Chindwin, 60 miles north of Kendat, while a detachment was sent to clear out two noted dacoit villages

30 miles to the east of Kendat. These operations produced the best results. Pongbyn secured the unruly Lekayain district, and covered Kubo from inroads from that quarter. Lieutenant H. Daly, Political Assistant, Upper Chindwin, has his head-quarters at Pongbyn. He has traversed the whole of Lekayain and the districts northwards up to the junction of the Ooyoo river with the Chindwin, and brought them under our authority. Revenue is now being paid. Colonel R. G. Woodthorpe, Royal Engineers, has also been enabled to map out this part of the country.

13. Pongbyn was attacked on the 5th February by a body of 200 rebels from Wuntho, who were repulsed with loss.

I crossed the Ungochoing range, due east of Tummoo on the 26th January, with a view of determining the best line of communication with the Chindwin. I reported this route, called the Sweja route, as the best in every way, and the shortest to the Chindwin. It strikes it midway between Kendat and Samjok, at a point where there are many villages and much cultivation. Steamers can ascend there throughout the year. The Chief Commissioner, Burma, has adopted this route for the new cart-road between Kubo and the Chindwin. It is now under construction.

14. I sent in a special report to the Quartermaster-General on the 3rd March regarding the communication between Assam and Upper Burma.

15. The existing communication has been greatly improved and opened out, and Upper Burma, is now linked on to Assam by a good mule road, which in a great part only requires widening to fit it for carts.

16. The opening out of this route between Kubo and Manipur was followed by trade springing up between these places and Cachar, consequent on the improved road and assured protection and security in Kubo. Traders from India penetrated to Kubo, while the Burmese resorted to Manipur.

17. During December and January several raids were made on Kubo villages by a hill tribe variously called Chins, Looktis, Zatis, and Kamhows, who inhabit the hills to the west of the valley. This is an annual occurrence at that season. Only small villages suffered. Military guards were given to the larger villages, as owing to their being disarmed, they were defenceless.

18. On the 20th January an attack was made by day on Oktong post, in Kubo, by a party of 200 of these raiders, mostly armed with spears only. Their Chief was shot down leading them, and the rest fled at the first volley from the stockade. They evidently came from a distance, and were misled as to their point of attack. Since then no further raids have been made in Kubo.

19. The Kamhow country can best be entered from Manipur territory.

20. These Kamhow raiders on one occasion passed through Manipuri-Kuki villages, and rested there on return with their captives from Kubo. A fuller knowledge of this region would, I think, prove that Manipur was to some extent implicated in the outrage. The Kuki chiefs have since responded to the invitation of Mr. A. J. Primrose, Political Agent, Manipur, to come and meet him. The result has been that seven Burmese captives taken from Kubo in 1885 have been restored, whom the Manipur authorities had failed to recover. They now know that Kubo is British territory; and friendly relations having been established with them through Mr. Primrose's personal influence, I think they will now see that they have nothing to gain but everything to lose by going against us.

21. Transport conveyances were arranged along the line Kohima-Kubo, a distance of 184 miles, and communication maintained during the operations beyond Kubo.

22. On the 23rd February the future of Kubo was fully discussed at Tummoo by Mr. F. W. R. Fryer, Commissioner, Chindwin Division, Captain F. D. Raikes, Deputy Commissioner, Captain Stevens, Mr. Primrose, C.S., Political Agent, Manipur, and myself. All the headmen of Kubo representing the inhabitants, unanimously expressed their wish to be under the direct rule of the British Government, as their best security for life, peace, and property. They said they preferred it to the rule of any Burmese Swabwa, asked for military posts to be left at Oktong and Tummoo as a protection against outsiders, for arms to defend their villages against raiders, and to be allowed for this purpose to re-erect their village stockades. A rough system of border village militia was accordingly improvised, security taken for the safe custody of muskets, and inspection of the same at intervals ordered.

23. On the 15th February orders were received for 400 men of the 44th Goorkhas to be made available for garrisoning Kubo and posts on the Chindwin above Kendat; the head-quarters of the 44th to proceed to Manipur, with the detachment of the 4th Bengal Infantry then at Tummoo.

24. It was found necessary to increase the 400 of the 44th to 450, in order to provide a small post at Sitoung, the river terminus of the new road,—Tummoo-Chindwin. The 450 men and three mountain guns are distributed as follows:—

Pongbyn, Upper Chindwin	..	..	..	150 men, 1 gun,
Sitoung, Upper Chindwin	..	..	..	50 men.
Oktong, Kubo	..	..	..	150 men, 1 gun,
Tummoo, Kubo	..	..	..	100 men, 1 gun.

25. The head-quarters of the 44th marched from Kendat on the 2nd March, and reached Manipur on the 15th March. The detachment of the 4th Bengal Infantry has been withdrawn from Tummoo to Manipur, and the two companies of the 42nd Goorkhas, which have been in Kubo since June last, are now on the march back to Kohima, to rejoin regimental head-quarters.

26. The total strength of the troops at Manipur is 400, inclusive of the Political Agent's escort.

27. Supply arrangements for the Kubo posts have been made from Manipur, and for the Upper Chindwin posts from Kendat.

28. It is proposed to withdraw the Oktong post garrison on the 1st July, when the flooded streams will protect that part of Kubo from outside dacoits and raiders.

29. Manipur will be connected with India by telegraph in the first week of April; and if my suggestion be adopted for laying a light temporary wire into Tummoo and the Chindwin, instead of the permanent line now ordered, telegraphic communication might be secured with Tummoo by the middle of June.

30. The postal communication from Cachar and Kohima to Manipur and on to Tummoo has been much improved. To ensure permanent improvement, however, it is absolutely necessary that the system of postal runners through Manipur territory should be conducted on our own lines by paid monthly servants, and not by durbar-provided men, who are frequently changed and unpaid. The Durbar receives the money in a lump sum.

31. I would now beg to bring to the favorable notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief the names of the following officers, for special good services:—

Captain H. FitzG. Stevens, 42nd Goorkha Light Infantry. He commanded the troops in Kubo from the 19th June 1886, to the 13th March 1887, with much spirit and judicious energy. He has displayed high military and administrative abilities. I cannot write too highly of him.

Captain J. Willcocks, Leinster Regiment, Transport Officer, and in charge of field commissariat. An able and enterprising officer, who in face of great difficulties, by persistent energy, threw supplies into Tummoo at a critical time, and enabled Captain Stevens to carry out operations to a successful issue. He joined in the attack on Chanyone on the 10th October and in the following operations, giving valuable aid in the field. He has also acted as Road Commandant.

To the above two officers is mainly due the credit of Tummoo being successfully held during a trying time in the rainy season of 1886.

Major W. Hailes, 4th Bengal Infantry, commanded at Tummoo up to the 19th June 1886, when he was severely wounded in action. In the attack on the camp at Pantha on the 12th May he acted with much dash and promptly assumed the offensive, thus enabling him to draw off his detachment to Tummoo. He is an able officer.

Lieutenant C. W. Harris, 4th Bengal Infantry, acted with prompt resolution in following up to Manipur a pretender to that Government, and brought him to action, taking him prisoner, and checking the rising insurrection among the Manipuris.

Lieutenant K. P. Burne, 4th Bengal Infantry, commanded the detachment of the 4th Bengal Infantry in the attack on Chanyone on the 10th October with ability and judgment. He is an able and zealous officer and, as Post Commandant at Tummoo during the winter, has displayed good military qualities and much tact.

Surgeon F. A. Rogers, Indian Medical Service, performed excellent and devoted services at Tummoo and in Kubo, which have obtained for him from His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief the reward of permanent medical charge of the 42nd Goorkha Light Infantry.

Lieutenant H. D. Daly, 42nd Goorkha Light Infantry, who has been most energetic in road-making operations; Subadar Kedar Dichhit, 4th Bengal Infantry; Subadar Ramparshad Karki, 42nd Goorkhas; Subadar Gurdial Sing, 44th Goorkhas; and Jemadar Bakhan Sing Thakur, 44th Goorkhas, have all performed marked good services.

Mr. Edward Mitchell, Assistant Engineer, Department of Public Works, Assam, acted as Field Engineer in directing the road-making operations across the Sweja route, from Tummoo to the Chindwin, and has been engaged since September in surveying for a military road from Manipur to Tummoo. He is an able and enterprising engineer.

Major G. H. C. Dyce, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Eastern Frontier District. He was my only staff officer in the field. On him fell much varied and severe work, which he has performed in a highly satisfactory manner. He is an excellent officer in every respect.

32. The following non-commissioned officers, hospital-assistants, and transport agent have performed markedly good services in the field:—

Sergeant T. McCann, Transport Department.

Lalla Dhunput Rai, Rai Bahadur, 1st-class Transport Agent.

Havildar Gooman Sing, 44th Goorkhas, Gun-Havildar in command of two mountain guns at the attack on Chanyone, 10th October.

Havildar Jadbir Goorung, 42nd Goorkhas, in command of scouts at Tummoo.

Havildar Chubilal Jaisi, 44th Goorkhas, Surveyor.

Havildar Mohun Sing, 4th Bengal Infantry.

Hospital-Assistant, 2nd Grade, Abdul Razak, 42nd Goorkha Light Infantry.

Hospital-Assistant, 3rd Grade, Rajkoomar Pandé, 4th Bengal Infantry.

Hospital-Assistant, 3rd Grade, Shaik Qadir Baksh, 44th Goorkha Light Infantry.

33. I would beg to bring particularly to notice the valuable services of Mr. A. J. Primrose, C.S., Political Agent, Manipur, who has heartily co-operated in the operations connected with the opening up of the route through Manipur to Upper Burma, and judiciously and firmly used his influence to aid me in every way. His decided action with the Manipur-Kuki tribe bordering on Kubo strengthened our position there.

34. Lieutenant H. Daly, Political Assistant, Upper Chindwin, has afforded me valuable information and aid. I would also beg to bring his excellent services particularly to notice. He is judicious, daring, and energetic, and has made the best use of the detachment of the 44th Goorkhas at Ponghyn, by traversing the Lekayain and neighbouring districts, bringing them under control and impressing his personal influence on the people.

No. 435.—The Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following extracts from correspondence between the Government of India and the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Extract (paras. 1 and 2) of a despatch from the Government of India to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 167-A, dated the 18th October 1886.

1. In continuation of our Military letter No. 103-A, dated the 16th July 1886, we have the honor to forward the accompanying copy of a report from Major-General G. S. White, c.b., V.C., Commanding the Burma Field Force, of the military operations in Upper Burma from the 1st April last to the end of July, and of the plans proposed by him for the maintenance and extension of British supremacy in Burma.

2. We cordially recognize and desire to commend to the favorable consideration of Her Majesty's Government the good service performed by Major-General White and the troops under his command in Upper Burma under very trying circumstances of health and climate.

Extract (para. 4) of a Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to the Government of India, No. 47, dated 17th February 1887.

4. I forward for your information copy of the correspondence with the War Office, noted in the margin, from which you will perceive that the Secretary of State for War and His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief concur with me in recognizing the good service performed by Major-General G. S. White, V.C., K.C.B., and the troops under his command, in very trying circumstances in Upper Burma.

To War Office, 15th December 1886, M-11409.
From War Office, 11th January 1887, M346.

Military,
No. M-11409.

INDIA OFFICE;
London, 15th December 1886.

To the Under-Secretary of State for War.

SIR,

I am directed by the Secretary of State for India in Council to forward herewith, for the information of the Secretary of State for War, copies of despatches from the Government of India, with reports by Major-General Sir G. S. White, V.C., K.C.B., Commanding the Burma Field Force, on operations in that country from 1st April to 31st July last, and on his plans for the establishment of British supremacy. Copies of narratives received with these despatches also accompany, and a copy of the map mentioned in Major-General White's reports.

With reference to paras. 2 and 3 of the despatch of 18th October 1886, I am directed to express the concurrence of the Secretary of State for India in Council in the recognition by the Government of India of the good service performed by Major-General White and the troops under his command under very trying circumstances.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) JOHN H. MAYO,
Assistant Military Secretary.

Military,
No. ⁰¹⁶³₂₃₃

WAR OFFICE;
11th January 1887.

To the Under-Secretary of State for India.

SIR,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 15th ultimo, forwarding copies of despatches from the Government of India, relative to Military operations in Burma from 1st April to 31st July last, and in reply I am to express the concurrence of the Secretary of State for War and the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief in the recognition by the Secretary of State for India in Council of the good service performed by Major-General G. S. White, V.C., K.C.B., and the troops under his command under very trying circumstances.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) RALPH THOMPSON.

(By order of the Governor-General in Council.)

E. H. H. COLLEN, Lieut.-Colonel,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 377.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 20th May 1887, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 20th May 1887.

Staff,—Colonel M. C. Farrington, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, to be Adjutant-General of the Madras Army, and to have the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, *vice* Colonel, with the local rank of Major-General W. K. Elles, c.b., who has vacated that appointment. Dated 18th February 1887.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

James Henry Prendergast, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 3rd March 1887.

Charles John Oswald FitzGerald, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th March 1887.

George Henry Oakes, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th March 1887.

Henry Fane Haylett Sewell, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th March 1887.

Robert Walter Hesketh, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th March 1887.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Daly, Madras Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February 1887.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Officers have been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel David Shaw, Madras. Dated 3rd May 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 378.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Jemadar Appulnursiah to be Subadar Dated 1st May 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 379.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officers are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief:—

Colonel H. A. Justice, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Simpson, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant W. H. Dobbie, Staff Corps.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 1st July 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 380.—Colonel H. A. Justice, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India under para. 7 of G.O.G. No. 263 of 1882, drawing pay under para. 1 of the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. Pension service,—36th year, commenced 29th December 1886.

No. 381.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Colonel J. Macdougall, Staff Corps, Commandant, 17th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 382.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel F. D. Plowden, Infantry, till 9th November 1887, p.a.

Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Vanderzee, Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.

Lieutenant C. Wood, Royal Artillery, 4 months, m.c.

Surgeon-Major J. J. L. Ratton, m.d., 6 months, m.c.

No. 383.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Colonel E. M. Norrie, Staff Corps.

Major W. G. C. Johnstone, Staff Corps.

Surgeon C. Adams.

No. 384.—Surgeon-Major L. Beech, Civil Surgeon, Cocanada, is granted an extension of his furlough out of India, for one day without pay to enable him to rejoin.

No. 385.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon R. H. Cama, Indian Medical Department { Arrived at Bombay on the
20th June 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 386.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd June 1887, is republished in continuation of G.O.G. No. 345 of 1887 :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 397.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant H. B. Stanford, R.A., officiating Ordnance Officer, 4th Class, is confirmed in that appointment,—
with effect from the 30th April 1887, *vice* Captain J. S. Frith, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, resigned.

No. 387.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1887, is republished :—

No. 441.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers, appointed by the Secretary of State for India probationers for the Indian Staff Corps, are posted as follows, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India :—

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Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant R. C. O. Creagh, Royal Marine Light Infantry.

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No. 388.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1887, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 443.—Lieutenant F. C. Boehmer, Adjutant, Madras Railway Volunteers, to be Adjutant, *vice* Major Sir C. H. Leslie, *Bart.*, who vacates that appointment on promotion.

No. 389.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 450.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels in the Army.

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13th June 1887.

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Joshua Waddington Swifte, Madras Staff Corps.

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James Herbert Marsh Barnett, Madras Staff Corps.

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Francis Skelton FitzPatrick, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 390.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1887, is republished :—

No. 453.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Store-Sergeant John Damerum, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, to be Sub-Conductor, on probation, with effect from the 28th April 1887, *vice* Sub-Conductor J. P. Cooke, transferred to the pension establishment.

Sub-Conductor Robert Wolfe to be Conductor;

Store-Sergeant Henry Sears to be Sub-Conductor, on probation,—
with effect from the 12th May 1887, *vice* Conductor D. Mackay, transferred to the pension establishment.

No. 391.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th June 1887, is republished :—

SPECIAL.

No. 459.—In commemoration of the Jubilee Anniversary of the Accession of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, Empress of India, the 21st of June 1887 is appointed to be observed as a holiday by the Armies of India.

A Salute of 50 guns will be fired at daybreak of the 21st instant from all Forts and Batteries from which Salutes are usually fired.

As a mark of Royal clemency on this occasion, it will be announced, in the General Orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, that an amnesty will be granted to particular classes of Military offenders in the British Army, and the release of Military prisoners of the British Army will take place, who on the 21st instant may be undergoing sentences of imprisonment for the offences specified in the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India of this date.

In the Native Army all soldiers undergoing sentence of Court-Martial in military custody will be released, and all regimental prisoners and defaulters of the British and Native Armies will be excused further punishment.

The Viceroy and Governor-General in Council has much gratification in announcing that, as a token of the appreciation in which the services of the Native Officers of the Army in India are held by Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, and in commemoration of Her Jubilee, the Right Honorable the Secretary of State has been pleased, on the recommendation of the Government of India, to sanction an increase to the Order of British India of fifty appointments to the Second Class of the Order. The increased establishment will stand as follows:—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Total.
Bengal, including Punjab Frontier Force, the Hyderabad Contingent, and the Local Corps.	88	118	206
Madras	53	63	116
Bombay	34	44	78
Total ..	175	225	400

No. 392.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th June 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 460.—BURMA FIELD FORCE—

The following appointment to the 1st Brigade, Burma Field Force, is sanctioned:—

Captain A. B. Fenton, Squadron Commander, 4th Madras Cavalry, to be Brigade-Major, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel G. Simpson, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

No. 393.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th June 1887, is republished:—

No. 465.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant John Ewart Waterfield, South Wales Borderers, officiating Wing Officer, 45th Bengal Infantry,—27th February 1886.

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No. 394.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 18th June 1887, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No. 303, dated 20th May 1887:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 17th June 1887.

No. 324.—*Erratum.*—In Home Department Notification No. 241, dated 10th May 1887, appointing Apothecary O. W. Jones, M.D., of the Madras Subordinate Medical Establishment, to be Civil Surgeon of Basim in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, for “First Grade Apothecary” read “Second Grade.”

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 395.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 7th June 1887, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th June 1887.

MEMORANDA.

INDIAN LOCAL SERVICE.

Colonel Henry Ellenborough Dyneley, Madras Cavalry, has been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 23rd May 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 396.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

The promotion to Sub-Conductor of Sub-Conductors G. St. Aubyn (now Tom Crouch) and Kenneth Grant notified in G.O.G. No. 36, dated 22nd January 1884, is antedated to 8th January 1884.

No. 397.—GENERAL LIST, CAVALRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) W. B. Warner. Dated 1st July 1887.

No. 398.—NATIVE ARMY—

5th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 2777, Sonamootoo to be Jemadar Dated 15th February 1887.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 593, Muhammad Hafiz Khan to be Jemadar. . . Dated 1st May 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.**No. 399.—OFFICERS—**

The services of Lieutenant H. R. S. Maitland, Probationer, Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.**No. 400.—LEAVE—**

Yercaud Rifle Volunteers.

Captain R. B. Foote is granted leave in India for four months from 20th June 1887 or date of departure.

No. 401.—REMOVALS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

The name of Honorary Colonel Arthur Morrell Saunders is struck off the List of Officers on account of continued absence without leave.

No. 402.—RESIGNATIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant G. A. Breithaupt is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 8th July 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 403.—ARMY STAFF—

Major S. E. Rolland, Staff Corps, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel G. E. Weston, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 28th June 1887.

No. 404.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant W. C. H. Mackintosh, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class ;
Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class ;
Lieutenant C. E. Lloyd, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to act as Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class ;
with effect from 8th June 1887, *vice* Lieutenant G. F. Watson, acting Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, proceeding on furlough.

FUNDS.

No. 405.—MEDICAL.—

The Medical Fund Annuities of July 1887, are granted as follows :—

Large Annuities.

Retired Deputy Surgeon-General C. T. Eves.	}	From 1st July 1887.
Brigade Surgeon D. W. Trimmell.		From the date of payment of the balance of minimum or of his retirement from the service, whichever may be the later, provided both events take place on or before the 1st September 1887.

Small Annuities.

Retired Deputy Surgeon-General T. Beaumont, M.D.	}	From 1st July 1887.
Retired Brigade Surgeon C. R. G. Parker.		The small annuity liberated by Dr. C. T. Eves. From the date of payment of the balance of minimum, provided it is made on or before 1st September 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 406.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Hughes, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Tounghoo (p.a.), for 110 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 407.—Lieutenant H. T. King, Staff Corps, 33rd Madras Infantry, is granted an extension of one day's leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

No. 408.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major H. M. G. Archdall, Indian Medical Department.	}	Arrived at Madras on the 27th June 1887.
Surgeon C. M. Thompson, Indian Medical Department ..		Arrived at Bombay on the 10th June 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 409.—NATIVE ARMY—

4th (P.W.O.) Madras Cavalry.

Havildar, No. 1279, Sadasha Row to be Jemadar .. Dated 5th April 1887.

4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Havildar, No. 983, Peddanah to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st June 1887.

12th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Veerasawmy to be Subadar-Major ..	..	} Dated 1st June 1887.
Jemadar Cossim Cawn to be Subadar ..	..	
Jemadar Abdool Guffar to be Subadar ..	..	
Havildar, No. 3327, Shaik Hyder to be Jemadar ..	..	
Havildar, No. 2784, Bagiah to be Jemadar ..	..	
Havildar, No. 2835, Ramasawmy to be Jemadar ..	..	

13th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Syed Bahavadeen to be Subadar-Major ..	..	Dated 7th May 1887.
Jemadar Cunniah to be Subadar ..	..	Dated 30th June 1887.
Havildar, No. 941, Kullian Singh to be Jemadar ..	..	Dated 7th May 1887.

28th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Assariah to be Subadar ..	..	Dated 22nd May 1887.
Havildar, No. 1111, Goorooswamy to be Jemadar ..	..	Dated 16th April 1887.

30th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 144, Mootoosawmy to be Jemadar ..	..	Dated 6th December 1886.
Havildar, No. 191, Mahomed Sillamon to be Jemadar ..	..	Dated 1st May 1887.

32nd Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Mahomed Unies to be Subadar ..	..	} Dated 1st July 1887.
Havildar-Major, No. 202, Roop Sing to be Jemadar ..	..	

No. 410.—WARRANT OFFICERS—

To be Sub-Conductor. Dated 8th July 1887.

Sergeant Charles Richard Hardy, Unattached List, Deputy Manager, Adjutant-General's Office.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 411.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain R. J. Bevan, Royal Artillery, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 15th June 1887.

No. 412.—The services of Captain G. P. M. Prichard, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 413.—The services of Lieutenant G. C. Atkinson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 31st Madras Light Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Political Department with effect from the 16th July 1887—the date on which his present leave expires.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 414.—APPOINTMENTS—

*Malabar Volunteer Rifles.**Wynaad Company.*Mr. Richard Lamb to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant R. C. E. Underwood, resigned.*Madras Railway Volunteers.*

Captain Francis Fawkes Johnstone, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Adjutant. Dated 6th July 1887.

No. 415.—EXAMINATIONS—

• *Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*

The undermentioned Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency :—

Captain Algernon S. B. Oakley.
Lieutenant William H. Tinney.
Sergeant Frederick W. Grey.
Sergeant Alfred Gifford.
Color-Sergeant John Gorst.
Corporal Arthur Llewellyn.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 15th July 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 416.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant H. G. Burton, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 4th Sikh Infantry,—6th July 1884.

No. 417.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months' probationary service, are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant E. H. Bernard, Essex Regiment, Wing Officer, 32nd Madras Infantry,—8th August 1885.

Lieutenant J. A. Loudon, Leicestershire Regiment, Wing Officer, 27th Madras Infantry,—15th November 1885.

Lieutenant H. T. Brooking, South Wales Borderers, Wing Officer, 21st Madras Infantry,—27th October 1885.

Lieutenant G. W. Lilly, Royal Irish Regiment, Wing Officer, 3rd Madras Light Infantry,—12th November 1885.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 418.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty :—

Colonel H. St. Maur-Wynch, Staff Corps, Commandant, 22nd Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year: Pension service,—37th year, commenced 18th December 1886.

No. 419.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel C. McInroy, Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

Colonel E. H. Thomas, Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

No. 420.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel E. M. Norie, Staff Corps	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
				{ 4th July 1887.

No. 421.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave, with effect from the 5th July 1887 :—

Lieutenant G. F. Watson, Staff Corps, Commissariat Department, Madras (m.c.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 422.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 17th June 1887, are republished:—

War Office, 21st June 1887.

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the celebration of the completion of the Fiftieth year of Her Majesty's Reign, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honorable Order of the Bath:—

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honorable Order, viz.:—

Major-General Howard Codrington Dowker, Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel George Carr Hodding, Madras Staff Corps.

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honorable Order:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Long Grant, Madras Invalid Establishment.

India Office, 17th June 1887.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces:—

Colonel George Nesbitt Stephens, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st April 1887.

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

To be Major-General.

Colonel George Nesbitt Stephens, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st April 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 423.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to pension, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions:—

No. ^{R.A.}₁₆₂₀₉, Gunner Henry Cripps, Q Battery, 1st Brigade, R.A.,—Bangalore.

No. ^{R.A.}₁₅₈₇₁, Sergeant William Clark, U Battery, 1st Brigade, R.A.,—Madras.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 424.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Havildar, No. 445, Mahomed Beg to be Jemadar . . . Dated 1st January 1887.

No. 425.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant William Eden Evans Gordon. Dated 15th July 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 426.—Colonel S. W. B. Sherman, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service from the 1st August 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £783-5-0 per annum.

No. 427.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified:—

Colonel C. C. Sargeant, Staff Corps,—14th July 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 428.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel H. C. Menzies, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 20th May 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 429.—APPOINTMENTS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. William Maylor to be Lieutenant.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Captain D. Ross Johnson, acted as Adjutant from the 5th June to the 6th July 1887 inclusive.

No. 430.—PROMOTIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant Edmond Haldwell to be Captain, *vice* Captain S. Orr, resigned.

(Signed)

A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,

Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 22nd July 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 431.—PENSION DEPARTMENT—

Honorary Major J. Greatorex, Retired List, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Bangalore, *vice* Colonel S. W. B. Sherman who retires. Dated 1st August 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 432.—The permission to reside out of India granted to Colonel T. B. E. Tennant, Staff Corps, in G.O.G. No. 166 of 1887, is cancelled.

No. 433.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to return to duty:—

Colonel G. Rowlandson, Staff Corps.

No. 434.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Sub-Conductor J. Irwin, Ordnance Department, 3 months, *m.c.*

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 435.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th July 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 502.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant Harley McAlpine Johnston, Royal Scots Fusiliers, Squadron Officer, 15th Bengal Cavalry. Dated 6th December 1885.

No. 436.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th July 1887, is republished:—

No. 593.—The undermentioned officers, appointed by the Secretary of State for India probationers for the Indian Staff Corps, are posted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India:—

Lieutenant F. M. Shadwell, York and Lancaster Regiment.
Lieutenant C. D. Sandford, York and Lancaster Regiment.

No. 437.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th July 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 523.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Major C. A. Empson, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 2nd Class, *sub. pro tem.*, to be Ordnance Officer, 2nd Class, *additional*,—
with effect from the 29th June 1887, *vice* Captain R. J. Bevan, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 2nd Class, resigned.

No. 438.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th July 1887, is republished :—

No. 525.—The undermentioned Officers having completed eighteen months' probationary service, are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India :—

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Lieutenant William Lockhart Maxwell, Royal Munster Fusiliers, officiating Squadron Officer, 7th Bengal Cavalry,—30th November 1885.

No. 439.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th July 1887, is republished :—

No. 526.—With reference to G.G.O.* No. 400 of 1887, Lieutenant R. G. Burton, 1st West India Regiment, is posted to the Bengal instead of to the Madras Staff Corps.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 347 of 1887.

No. 440.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th July 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 535.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel in the Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Kilgour, Madras Staff Corps,—11th July 1887.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 441.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 24th and 28th June 1887, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 24th June 1887.

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Staff, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel T. H. Way, Madras Staff Corps, to Command a Brigade of the Madras Army, and to have the rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed. Dated 10th April 1887.

India Office, 24th June 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant William Hugh Welch Mercer, from the Middlesex Regiment. Dated 29th August 1885, but to rank from 12th November 1884.

The Queen has also approved of the restoration of the undermentioned Officers from the Half-pay List to the Effective List :—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army Albert Joseph Howes, Madras Infantry. Dated 14th February 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel John William Hindle, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 18th April 1887.

The following Appointments to the Staff have been made by the Governments in India :—

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Lieutenant-Colonel R. M. Clerk, Madras Infantry, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Ranking, who vacates. Dated 19th March 1887.

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th June 1887.

MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

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Francis Henry Vanderzee, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 7th April 1887.

Arthur Frederick Loughton, C.B., Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th April 1887.
 James Henry Gordon, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th April 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 442.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. ^{21 Bde.}₉₈, Private Thomas Sheppard, 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry,—
 Bangalore.

PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

No. 443.—GENERAL LIST, CAVALRY—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Donald James Sim McLeod. Dated 20th July 1887.

No. 444.—STAFF CORPS—

To be Major.

Captain Spencer Richard Rawlinson. Dated 20th July 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 445.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant J. T. Johnston, Royal Horse Artillery, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 446.—The services of Lieutenant A. H. Dobbs, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 32nd Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Resident, Hyderabad.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 29th July 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 447.—NATIVE ARMY—

The undermentioned Native Officer is confirmed in his appointment with effect from the 12th June 1886:—

3rd Madras Light Cavalry.

Jemadar Jaghirdar Desaraj Urs.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 448.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty:—

Colonel J. M. Smith, Staff Corps.

No. 449.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. B. Harris, Staff Corps, 1 month, u.p.a.

No. 450.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with effect from the 7th February 1887, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. Ogilvie, General List, Infantry, Wing Commander, 10th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for 120 days, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868 (This cancels the leave granted to him in G.O.G., No. 206 of 1887).

No. 451.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 26th June 1887:—

Lieutenant E. H. Bernard, Staff Corps, 32nd Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 14th July 1887.

No. 452.—Conductor H. Williams, Ordnance Department, is granted leave in India (m.c.), for 182 days, under the Regulations of 1875.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 453.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 5th July 1887, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 5th July 1887.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel A. R. Kenney-Heibert, Madras Cavalry, to have the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst employed as Secretary to the Government of Madras. Dated 19th March 1887.

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India Office, 5th July 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Joseph Scott Gowrie Manera. Dated 22nd May 1887.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army, Frederick Dormer Plowden. Dated 10th May 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 454.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. ^{R.A.}₁₅₀₉₈, Sergeant Collar Maker John Ward, U Battery, 1st Brigade, R.A.,—Pallavaram, Madras.

No. 455.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Senior Apothecary E. S. Mayley is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rupees 175 per mensem, or £175 per annum, with effect from the date he ceases to perform his duties.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 456.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Sergeant William Henry Harwood to be Sub-Conductor (sub. *pro tem.*), *vice* Sub-Conductor J. Haddock transferred temporarily to the Burma Police. Dated 20th April 1887.

No. 457.—MADRAS INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel D. W. Williams. Dated 1st August 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 458.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted, subject to Her Majesty's approval, to retire from the service, on the pension and from the date specified against his name:—

Brigade Surgeon D. W. Trimmell, ordinary pension £700 per annum, *plus* the extra pension of £100 per annum. Dated 1st August 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 459.—APPOINTMENTS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Mr. Henry Dundas Beatson Mactaggart to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant G. A. Breithaupt, resigned.

No. 460.—LEAVE—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant Philip Smith is granted leave in India for one year, from the 1st August 1887.

No. 461.—RESIGNATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to resign their commissions at their own request :—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant A. C. Cavendish.

Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Lemuel O'Donoghue.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.**NOTIFICATION.**

Ootacamund, 2nd August 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers and Soldier on the dates specified were received in the Military Estate Department during the months of June and July 1887 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Staff Corps	Brigadier-General T. H. Way ..	5th July 1887 ..	Bellary ..	.....
Do.	* Lieut.-Col. F. J. Wroughton ..	12th June	Rangoon ..	.....
Do.	Captain A. W. Rendle ..	30th April	Sidolia, Burma ..	.....
Royal Engineers ..	Lieutenant H. J. Crofton ..	26th June	Bangalore ..	.....
F. I. V. Company ..	* Private Henry Croll ..	29th May	Vizagapatam ..	Testate.

* Estate made over to the deceased's widow under the provisions of Section VIII of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 5th August 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 462.—ARMY STAFF—

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Smalley, General List, Infantry, Officiating Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Eastern District, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, vacated. Dated 27th June 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 463.—Colonel W. S. Hunt, Staff Corps, Superintendent, Army Clothing, Madras, is granted privilege leave for 60 days, from the 1st September 1887, or date of departure.

No. 464.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Major A. W. H. Hornsby, Staff Corps, 2 months, u.p.a.

Major H. M. Dale, Infantry, 3 months, m.e.

No. 465.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Lieutenant Arthur Hatton, Staff Corps, Adjutant, Surma Valley Light Horse (p.a.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 466.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty:—

Surgeon-Major A. J. Sturmer.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 467.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd July 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 549.—BURMA FIELD FORCE—

The following appointment made in the late 6th Brigade, Burma Field Force, is sanctioned:—

Lieutenant T. H. DesV. Wilkinson, Rifle Brigade, to be Superintendent of Army Signalling. Dated 12th October 1886.

No. 468.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd July 1887, is republished:—

No. 565.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

In G.G.O. No. 453* of 1887, for "Store Sergeant Henry Sears," read "Store Sergeant Harry Sears."

* Madras G.O.G. No. 390 of 1887.

No. 469.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th July 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 590.—ORDER OF MERIT—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officer and men to the 3rd Class of the Order of Merit, for conspicuous gallantry at Theakan, Wundwin District, Upper Burma, on the 8th March 1887, in charging and dispersing a large body of dacoits, who had opened fire upon them from the shelter of a densely wooded nullah :—

27th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Syed Yacoob.
No. 825, Naick Mahomed Hyath.
No. 862, Private Rama Swamy.
No. 885, Private Abdool Ruzack.
No. 1305, Private Permaul.

No. 470.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 23rd and 29th July 1887, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 18th July 1887.

No. 1321-G.—Major D. Robertson, Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is posted as First Assistant and Secretary for Berar to the Resident at Hyderabad, with effect from the date of joining.

The 29th July 1887.

No 1406-G.—The following promotions are made in the Graded List of the Political Department, with effect from the 3rd May 1887, consequent on the grant of furlough to Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Roberts, Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class :—

Major J. H. Newill, Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

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PENSIONS.

No. 471.—The undermentioned individuals, who have been discharged to a modified pension under Article 1034 (a), Royal Warrant, dated 10th June 1884, are permitted to reside at the places specified against their respective names, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of their pensions :—

No. 2367, Private John Cameron, 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers. } Sydney, Australia.

No. ^{49 Bde.}₂₅₂₁, Private William Freckleton, 2nd Battalion, Royal Fusiliers. } Ballarat, Australia.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 472.—NATIVE ARMY—*2nd Madras Infantry.*

Jemadar Shekh Hoossain to be Subadar }
Havildar, No. 508, Subder Khan to be Jemadar } Dated 16th July 1887.

17th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Govindoosamy to be Subadar-Major Dated 21st May 1887.
Havildar, No. 2517, Anreef Khan to be Jemadar Dated 1st February 1887.
Havildar, No. 2675, Mahomed Saib to be Jemadar Dated 21st May 1887.

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Yellapah to be Subadar Dated 1st July 1887.
Jemadar Shumsherdeen to be Subadar Dated 6th July 1887.

30th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shair Khan to be Subadar Dated 16th July 1887.
Havildar, No. 202, Venketreddy to be Jemadar Dated 21st May 1887.
Havildar, No. 279, Ummannah to be Jemadar Dated 16th July 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 473.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant G. C. Atkinson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 31st Madras Light Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Political Department, with effect from the 14th July 1887. (This cancels G.O.G. No. 413 of 1887).

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 474.—APPOINTMENTS—*Bellary Volunteer Rifles.*

Lieutenant J. C. Cobbe is transferred to the Supernumerary List. (This cancels so much of G.O.G., No. 192 of 1886, as refers to Lieutenant Cobbe).

No. 475.—EXAMINATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency :—

Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.

Major John Kelsall.

Captain William Elsworth.

Captain Frederick Grant Meppen Pascal.

Lieutenant William Percy Avois Greenfield.

No. 476.—PROMOTIONS—*South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.*

Lieutenant J. W. Nice, to be Captain, *vice* Captain F. F. Smith, resigned.

No. 477.—RESIGNATIONS—*Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Clement Paton Henderson Legatt is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 12th August 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 478.—Lieutenant A. C. Baldwin, Royal Scots, Probationer, Madras Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to England (m.c.), under clause 12, India Army Circulars, 1885. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 21st March 1887.

No. 479.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Surgeon G. M. E. McKee, Medical Officer, 23rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry (p.a.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 480.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th August 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 602.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Atwill Curtois, General List, Cavalry, Madras,—31st May 1887.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Coryndon Thomas Putt Luxmoore, Madras Staff Corps,—4th August 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry William Blair, Madras Staff Corps,—4th August 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Bowness Fischer, Madras Staff Corps,—4th August 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Kenlis Fergus Stevenson, Madras Staff Corps,—4th August 1887.

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No. 481.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 6th August 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 3rd August 1887.

No. 1439 G.—Surgeon H. N. V. Harington, Medical Officer of the Deoli Irregular Force and of the Harowtee and Tonk Agency, is granted two months' privilege leave, with effect from the 15th August 1887, or the subsequent date on which he avails himself of it.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 482.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th July 1887, is republished :—

India Office, 15th July 1887.

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The following Appointments to the Staff have been made by the Governments in India :—

Colonel M. Protheroe, c.s.i., Madras Staff Corps, Assistant Quartermaster-General, to be Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Brigadier-General E. Faunce, appointed Quartermaster-General. Dated 5th May 1887.

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PENSIONS.

No. 483.—First-class Schoolmaster William Gibbs, Army Educational Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on an invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, with effect from the 21st August 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 484.—NATIVE ARMY—*2nd Madras Infantry.*

Havildar, No. 489, Shekh Homed to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st August 1887.

6th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdoolah Khan to be Subadar .. Dated 1st July 1887.

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Mahomed Cassim to be Subadar .. Dated 16th July 1887.
Havildar, No. 946, Yenkiah to be Jemadar .. Dated 21st April 1887.

28th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1702, Veeraswamy to be Jemadar .. Dated 22nd May 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 485.—OFFICERS—

With reference to Judicial Department Notification No. 387, dated 12th August 1887, the services of the undermentioned Officer are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 16th August 1887:—

Major A. McCally, Staff Corps.

No. 486.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 68 of 1887, the services of Captain H. F. Farrant, Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 487.—The services of Surgeon H. Thomson are placed at the disposal of the Political Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 488.—APPOINTMENTS—*Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.*

Mr. John Lawrence Holland to be Lieutenant.

Mr. Edward Greenslade to be Lieutenant.

No. 489.—The order of rank of the undermentioned Officers appointed to the Godavari Rifle Volunteers in G.O.G. No. 107, dated 23rd February 1886, is:—

Lieutenant P. H. Brown.

Lieutenant J. F. Somers Eve.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 6th August 1887.

STATEMENT of DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during the month of July 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.								
1887.	<i>Indian Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
11th July.	S. W. MacIver ..	Lieut.-Col.	General List, Infantry (attached 5th Madras Infantry).	Burmah.	26th Sept.	Intestate.	* 2 0 0	
16th do.	<i>British Military Service.</i> F. B. Bradshaw ..	Major ..	2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry.	Do. ..	30th July.	Do.	+ 439 15 8	
16th do.	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	30th do.	..	+ 869 3 0	
16th do.	R. Cooper ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	28th Dec.	..	+ 2,292 7 9	
16th do.	H. F. Eckersley ..	Lieut. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	13th Nov.	..	+ 247 6 0	

* Included in the sum of Rupees 423-2-0 which was paid to the Administrator-General of Madras on the 15th July 1887.

† Remitted to England.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mil. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 19th August 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 490.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Colonel F. C. St. John, Staff Corps, 3 months, *m.c.*

No. 491.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Captain A. E. Russell, Royal Artillery, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief (*m.c.*), for six months, under Article 824, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

Surgeon M. H. Smith, Medical Officer, 3rd Madras Light Infantry (*m.c.*), for one year,—38 days under Rule I, and the remainder under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 492.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty:—

Lieutenant A. R. Denne, Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Infantry (*m.c.*), for 182 days. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 25th December 1886.

No. 493.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 28th July 1887:—

Lieutenant E. W. Jamieson, Staff Corps, 11th Madras Infantry (*m.c.*), for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 8th June 1887.

No. 494.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India:—

Surgeon-Major J. B. Thomas } Arrived at Madras on the
9th August 1887.

Conductor C. McCarthy, Ordnance Department } Arrived at Madras on the
27th June 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 495.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1887, is republished:—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

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No. 458.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit Subadar Mahomed Usman, 17th Madras Infantry, to the 3rd Class of the Order of Merit, for conspicuous gallantry in an attack on a village near Mailong, in Upper Burma, on the 25th January 1887, on which occasion, being in command of the advanced guard, he personally led a charge against greatly superior numbers.

No. 496.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th August 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 607.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Brereton, R.A., Assistant to the Inspector-General of Ordnance, Madras Circle, whose tenure of service expired on the 8th August 1887, is appointed Ordnance Officer, 1st Class, with effect from that date, and *seconded*.

No. 497.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th August 1887, is republished :—

No. 608.—PERSONAL STAFF—

The Viceroy and Governor-General has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 31st July 1887 :—

To be an Extra-Aide-de-Camp.

Captain J. W. Currie, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 20th Madras Infantry.

No. 498.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th August 1887, is republished :—

No. 616.—FIELD OPERATIONS—

In the despatch from Major-General Sir G. S. White, K.C.B., V.C., Commanding the Upper Burma Field Force, dated 11th April 1887, published in G.G.O. No. 434 of 1887,* for "Lieutenant W. Nelson," read "Lieutenant F. J. Nelson."

* Madras G.O.G. No. 376 of 1887.

No. 499.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th August 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 629.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

The Viceroy and Governor-General in Council has much gratification in announcing that, at the express desire of Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, the Native Officers who proceeded to England to take part in the Jubilee procession will be promoted in or admitted to the Order of British India.

In accordance with Her Majesty's gracious wishes, the following promotion and admissions to the Order are made :—

*	*	*	*
<i>To the 2nd Class, with the title of "Bahadur."</i>			
*	*	*	*
Subadar Bram Khan, 4th Madras Light Cavalry.			
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No. 500.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 13th August 1887 is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 12th August 1887.

No. 1493 G.—Major E. A. Fraser, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, is appointed to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, with effect from the 4th June 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 501.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary William Henry Haller is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rupees 60 per mensem, or £60 per annum, with effect from the date he ceases to perform his duties.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 502.—MADRAS INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel J. C. Berkeley. Dated 21st August 1887.

No. 503.—NATIVE ARMY—

6th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Abdool Rhymon to be Subadar-Major Dated 1st July 1887.

25th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Shaik Ameer to be Subadar-Major	..	..	} Dated 1st June 1887.
Jemadar Moideen Cawn to be Subadar	..	..	
Jemadar Abdool Khader to be Subadar	..	..	
Havildar, No. 553, Ramakistna to be Jemadar.	..	..	
Havildar, No. 587, Soondrum to be Jemadar	..	..	

No. 504.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—*To be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade.*

First-grade Apothecary J. Sausman, *vice* Second-grade Senior Apothecary J. E. Lillywhite promoted. Dated 10th July 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 505.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel T. Lowndes, Staff Corps,—1st August 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.**No. 506.—OFFICERS—**

The services of Surgeon-Major T. J. H. Wilkins are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 507.—The Government of India have sanctioned the designation of the "Coorg Rifle Volunteers" being changed to the "Coorg and Mysore Rifles."

No. 508.—LEAVE—*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

Captain F. G. Heaven is granted leave in India for 12 months, from the 28th April 1887.

Godavari Rifle Volunteers.

Captain A. H. Deane is granted leave in India for 6 months.

Lieutenant J. F. Somers Eve is granted leave out of India for one year.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain T. C. Mellish is granted leave in India for six months, from the 18th August 1887.

No. 509.—RESIGNATIONS—*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*

Honorary Colonel the Honorable James Broadwood Lyall, C.S., is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

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Ootacamund, 26th August 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 510.—ARMY STAFF—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Simpson, Staff Corps, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Major J. E. Blundell, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 30th July 1887.

No. 511.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant W. E. Wimble, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to complete establishment; with effect from 30th May 1887, *vice* Lieutenant Mackintosh promoted.

No. 512.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant G. B. Hodson, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 28th Madras Infantry,—1st September 1884.

Lieutenant G. H. Arbuthnot, South Wales Borderers, Squadron Officer, 3rd Madras Light Cavalry,—12th April 1884.

No. 513.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months' probationary service, are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant F. H. S. Thomas, Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 15th Madras Infantry,—5th November 1885.

Lieutenant C. W. Wilkieson, Cheshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 4th Madras Infantry Pioneers,—20th January 1886.

Lieutenant J. Henegan, South Wales Borderers, Wing Officer, 27th Madras Infantry,—30th December 1885.

Lieutenant W. N. R. Bates, Somersetshire Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 30th Madras Infantry,—10th January 1886.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 514.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty :—

Colonel J. A. Richmond, Staff Corps, Commandant, 9th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—31st year, commenced 17th January 1887.

No. 515.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel T. S. Magan, Staff Corps, till 2nd December 1887, m.c.

Lieutenant-Colonel S. C. Clarke, R.E., six months, p.a.

Lieutenant R. C. Andrews, Staff Corps, till 31st October 1887, p.a.

Lieutenant A. M. Lloyd, Staff Corps, two months, m.c.

Lieutenant William Browne, Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 516.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Major C. W. Walker, S.C.
Captain A. W. Smart, R.E.

No. 517.—Sub-Conductor J. Shepherd, Commissariat Department, is granted leave in India (m.e.), for 60 days, under the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 18th August 1887.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 518.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 29th July 1887, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 29th July 1887.

MEMORANDA.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st July 1887 :—

	Major-General John Ponsonby Watts, Madras.	
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	Major-General Edmond Frederick Waterman, Madras.	
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	Major-General Charles Hight, Madras.	
	Major-General George Pringle, Madras.	
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	Major-General Robert Mackenzie Macdonald, Madras.	
	Major-General John Gray Touch, Madras.	
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PROMOTIONS.

No. 519.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

To be Conductors.

Sub-Conductor Tom Crouch	::	::	::	} Dated 26th August 1887.
Sub-Conductor Kenneth Grant	::	::	::	

No. 520.—WARRANT OFFICERS—

To be Conductor.

Sub-Conductor Thomas Grant, Manager, Office of the Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery. Dated 26th August 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 521.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Warrant Officer to retire from the service, with effect from the date specified :—

Conductor J. Garner, Ordnance Department,—2nd August 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 522.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Lieutenant H. Berry is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 30th August 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers, on the dates specified, were received in the Military Estate Department during the month of August 1887 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
General List, Infantry.	Lieut.-Colonel H. R. Ogilvie ..	13th Aug. 1887 ..	Ootacamund ..	....
P/1st Brigade, R.A. ..	Lieutenant H. Mallock ..	11th July " ..	Simla ..	....
1st Battalion, Rifle Brigade	Lieutenant the Honorable E. W. H. Ward.	10th " " ..	Mingyan, B. F. Force.	....

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS. . .

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 2nd September 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 523.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel D. H. Trail, R.E., 2 months, m.c.

Surgeon-Major R. V. Power, M.D., 2 months, m.c.

No. 524.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Major W. G. C. Johnstone, S.C.

{ Arrived at Madras on the
30th August 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 525.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th August 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 673.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotions of honorary commissioned, warrant, and non-commissioned officers, under the provisions of clause 48, India Army Circulars, 1884, for services with the Burma Expeditionary Force :—

Commissariat Department.

Conductor John Aaron Dickson (Madras) to be Deputy-Assistant Commissary.

Conductor Edwin Delmege (Madras) to be Deputy-Assistant Commissary.

Sub-Conductor Samuel Collard (Madras) to be Conductor.

Sub-Conductor George Cross (Madras) to be Conductor.

Sub-Conductor James Haddock (Madras) to be Conductor.

Sub-Conductor Frederick Stephen Dunk (Madras) to be Conductor.

Sergeant John Richard Rishworth (Madras) to be Sub-Conductor.

Sergeant Douglas Martin St. Leger Gordon (Madras) to be Sub-Conductor.

Subordinate Medical Department.

Second-grade Assistant-Apothecary Herbert Adolphus Raymond (Madras) to be First-grade Assistant-Apothecary.

Second-grade Assistant-Apothecary William Peter Bell Hart (Madras) to be First-grade Assistant-Apothecary.

No. 526.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 20th August 1887, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 18th August 1887.

No. 1547 G.—The following promotions are made in the Graded List of the Political Department, with effect from the 16th April 1887 :—

Major D. Robertson, Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, to be a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem*.

The 19th August 1887.

No. 1555 G.—Major E. A. Fraser, Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is appointed to be First Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent in Rajputana and Chief Commissioner of Ajmere-Merwara, with effect from the 4th June 1887.

NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS.

No. 527.—Major A. W. H. Hornsby, Madras Staff Corps, will be hereafter entered in the returns of the Army as A. W. H. Hornsby-Drake.

PENSIONS.

No. 528.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Senior Apothecary John Walker is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rupees 175 per mensem, or £175 per annum, with effect from the 10th September 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 529.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Brigade-Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major D. J. McCarthy, M.D. Dated 1st August 1887.

No. 530.—NATIVE ARMY—

The Burma Sappers and Miners.

Color Havildar, No. 1753, Maurimootoo to be Subadar	..	Dated 30th August 1887.
Havildar, No. 246, Rungasawmy to be Jemadar	..	} Dated 2nd September 1887.
Havildar, No. 244, Francis to be Jemadar	..	

1st Madras Pioneers.

Jemadar Syed Galib to be Subadar Dated 1st July 1887.

9th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Veerasawmy to be Subadar	..	..	} Dated 1st July 1887.
Havildar, No. 947, Ramasawmy to be Jemadar	..	..	

13th Madras Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 747, Khader Moideen to be Jemadar .. Dated 30th June 1887.

16th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaik Ebram to be Subadar Dated 1st September 1887.

21st Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 588, Venkanah to be Jemadar Dated 10th June 1887.

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1150, Mahomed Ghouse to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st July 1887.

25th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 627, Mahomed Hoossain to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st July 1887.

28th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Narrainswamy to be Subadar	..	..	} Dated 1st August 1887.
Havildar, No. 1049, Ismail Khan to be Jemadar	..	..	

30th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Syed Sillamon to be Subadar-Major Dated 16th July 1887.

No. 531.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Arthur Hatton. Dated 1st September 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 532.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, 3rd Madras Light Cavalry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Resident, Hyderabad.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 533.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Lieutenant Henry Richard Scott to be Captain.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

No. 534.—Captain F. Dene is transferred to the Supernumerary List, for one year, with effect from the 1st September 1887.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 9th September 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 535.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Staff Corps, Commissary-General, Madras, Officiating Commissary-General-in-Chief (p.a.), for four months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from the 4th November 1887.

No. 536.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India:—

Colonel G. Rowlandson, Staff Corps { Arrived at Bombay on the 29th August 1887.

No. 537.—Colonel A. J. Howes, Madras Infantry, is permitted to reside out of India.

No. 538.—Lieutenant A. L. Gallie, Probationer, Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 7th Madras Infantry, is granted leave to sea (m.c.), for 90 days, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 20th October 1886.

No. 539.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty:—

Surgeon-General J. Irvine, M.D., Q.H.P., Medical Staff, Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 540.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th August 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 593.—PERSONAL STAFF.—

The following appointment has been made on the Personal Staff of the Honorable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab:—

Lieutenant J. T. Johnston, R.A., to be Aide-de-Camp. Dated 2nd April 1887.

No. 541.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 3rd September 1887, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 1st September 1887.

No. 1645 G.—Consequent on the replacement at the disposal of the Military Department of the services of Colonel H. C. Menzies, Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, the following promotions are made in the Berar Commission, with effect from the 20th May 1887:—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. S. Ludlow, C.I.E., Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, is appointed to be a Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class, *vice* Colonel H. C. Menzies, and is seconded while employed in Foreign service.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 542.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 5th, 9th and 12th August 1887, are republished:—

India Office, 5th August 1887.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major James Turner Cummins. Dated 8th June 1887.

War Office, Pall Mall, 9th August 1887.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

Joshua Waddington Swift, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th June 1887.

James Herbert Marsh Barnett, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th June 1887.

Francis Skelton FitzPatrick, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th June 1887.

India Office, 12th August 1887.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces :—

Colonel Thomas Lowndes, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st August 1887.

Colonel William Moore Dickinson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th July 1887.

Colonel Charles Lewis Raikes, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th June 1887.

Colonel Charles Chester Sargeant, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 14th July 1887.

Colonel William Octavius Foord, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 16th July 1887.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted a step of Honorary Rank on retirement :—

To be Major-Generals.

Colonel Thomas Lowndes, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st August 1887.

Colonel William Moore Dickinson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th July 1887.

Colonel Charles Lewis Raikes, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th June 1887.

Colonel William Octavius Foord, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 16th July 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 543.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to a modified pension under Article 1034 (a), Royal Warrant, dated 10th June 1884, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. ^{40 Bde.}/₉₅, Drummer George Deitz, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment,—Madras.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 544.—MADRAS INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel A. J. Howes. Dated 15th September 1887.

No. 545.—NATIVE ARMY—

29th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Runganaikloo to be Subadar Dated 1st July 1887.

No. 546.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captains.

Lieutenant John Alfred Wyllie	} Dated 10th September 1887.
Lieutenant Frederick Bernard Deane	
Lieutenant Henry Espine Monck Mason	
Lieutenant Cecil Montgomery Maguire	
Lieutenant Herbert Wharry	} Dated 11th September 1887.
Lieutenant Malcolm Henry Stanley Grover	

RETIREMENTS.

No. 547.—STAFF CORPS—

Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Mathias, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service from the 26th September 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £500 per annum.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Godavari Rifle Volunteers.

No. 548.—Captain A. H. Deane is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

No. 549.—APPOINTMENTS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Dennis FitzPatrick, Esq., C.S.I., Bengal Civil Service, Resident in Mysore, to be Honorary-Colonel, *vice* the Honorable J. B. Lyall, resigned.

Godavari Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. James Innes to be Lieutenant, to complete the Establishment.

No. 550.—LEAVE—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

The leave in India granted to Lieutenant P. Smith in G.O.G. 460, dated 29th July 1887, is cancelled.

No. 551.—PROMOTIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant P. Smith to be Captain, *vice* E. Dene transferred to the Supernumerary List.

Godavari Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant P. H. Brown to be Captain, *vice* Captain A. H. Deane transferred to the Supernumerary List.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant William Klein to be Captain.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 8th September 1887.

STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS ON ACCOUNT OF ESTATES during the month of August 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.								
1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
4th Aug.	F. C. E. Childers.	Captain (Bt. Major).	Royal Artillery.	Ootacamund.	23th May.	Intestate.	* 1,000 0 0	
13th do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	28th do.	Intestate.	* 394 5 6	
24th do.	R. F. Atkinson.	Major.	2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.	Burmah.	31st July.	Intestate.	150 0 0	
	<i>Indian Military Service.</i>				1885.			
5th Aug.	W. MacDonald Robinson.	Major.	Staff Corps.	Kamptee.	6th July.	Testate.	† 98 13 2	
25th do.	N. Irving Noble.	Lieut.	17th Regiment M.I.	Rangoon.	11th Feb. 1887.	Not known.	788 11 3	8th Nov. 1887.

* Ordered to be remitted to England.

† Remitted to England in August 1887.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mil. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 16th September 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 552.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty :—

Colonel S. F. M. T. Grant, Staff Corps, Commandant, 33rd Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—37th year, commenced 8th March 1887.

No. 553.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 18th August 1887 :—

Lieutenant W. H. W. Mercer, Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 12th November 1886.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 554.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th September 1887, is republished :—

MEDALS.

No. 706.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to decide that efficient volunteers proceeding on field service with departments of the State, or on any public duty with an army in the field, shall receive war medals under the same conditions as soldiers of the regular army.

This decision applies to the late campaign in Burma.

No. 555.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th September 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 7th September 1887.

No. 1667 G.—Consequent on the appointment of Captain A. M. Muir, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, substantive *pro tempore*, to be Cantonment Magistrate at Secunderabad, substantive *pro tempore*, the following promotions are made in the Graded List of the Political Department, with effect from the 30th August 1887 :—

Lieutenant W. Evans-Gordon, Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to be a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, substantive *pro tempore*.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 556.—The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Colonel's allowance with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel W. H. Whitlock, Staff Corps.—20th September 1887.

No. 557.—NATIVE ARMY—

14th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdool Rhamon to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 6th July 1887.
Jemadar Velloydum to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 16th July 1887.

No. 558.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

To be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade.

First-grade Apothecary Thomas Everard, *vice* Second-grade Senior Apothecary T. Cripps promoted. Dated 10th September 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 559.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Lieutenant A. Nicholls, Staff Corps, 9th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant R. W. Falcon, Staff Corps, 9th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant W. Kirkpatrick, Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant E. H. Bernard, Staff Corps, 32nd Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant G. B. Hodson, Staff Corps, 28th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant K. J. Buchanan, Probationer, Staff Corps, 19th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant W. N. Campbell, Probationer, Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry.
 Lieutenant J. H. B. Beresford, Probationer, Staff Corps, 23rd Light Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 560.—APPOINTMENTS—*Coorg and Mysore Rifles.*

Volunteer George Kelso Martin to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant W. H. Scott transferred to the Supernumerary List.

No. 561.—LEAVE—*Godavari Rifle Volunteers.*

Major T. H. Baker is granted leave in India for two months from the 3rd October 1887 or date of departure.

No. 562.—RESIGNATIONS—*Coorg and Mysore Rifles.*

The Rev. F. N. Crowther is permitted to resign his appointment as Honorary Chaplain at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 23rd September 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 563.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant W. A. Oswald, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 31st Madras Light Infantry,—17th June 1884.

No. 564.—The undermentioned Officer having completed 18 months' probationary service, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant C. V. F. Townshend, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Squadron Officer, 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse,—15th January 1886.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 565.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. B. Harris, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant R. C. Andrews, Staff Corps.

Surgeon-Major J. P. McDermott, M.D.

Conductor F. S. Dunk, Commissariat Department.

No. 566.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps, 1 month, m.c.

No. 567.—First-grade Assistant Apothecary C. S. Atkins, Sub Medical Department, is granted furlough in India (m.c.) for 362 days, under note 2, Rule X of the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 8th March 1887.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 568.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 30th August 1887, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 30th August 1887.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Officers have been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List :—

* * * * *

Colonel William Hands, Madras. Dated 1st August 1887.

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Colonel Charles Cherry Minchin, Madras. Dated 10th August 1887.

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INDIAN LOCAL SERVICE.

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Major-General George Smart, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 2nd August 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 569.—NATIVE ARMY—

5th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaik Abdoolah to be Subadar

.. .. Dated 7th September 1887.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 118, Juggunnaikloo to be Jemadar

Dated 6th August 1887.

REMOVALS.

No. 570.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Assistant Apothecary J. W. Delaney having been declared by a Medical Board to be unfit to return to duty is struck off the strength of the Subordinate Medical Department, with effect from the 14th July 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 571.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Major A. W. H. Hornsby-Drake, Staff Corps, —29th September 1887.

No. 572.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has transferred the undermentioned Officer to the Half Pay List, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Captain R. D. MacDonnell, Staff Corps, —30th September 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 573.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Artillery Volunteers.

Mr. James Charles Emerton Branson to be Lieutenant.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Harry Morse Brown to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant A. C. Cavendish, resigned.

Mr. William Brunton to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant W. Klein, promoted.

Mr. Ponsonby William Espent Watts to be Lieutenant.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Mr. Donald Harry McLeod to be Lieutenant.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 30th September 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 574.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following extract, paragraphs 1 and 2 from a Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 48, dated 31st August 1887, is published for general information :—

“The undermentioned probationers for the Indian Medical Service, having completed a course of instruction at the Army Medical School, and having been reported qualified, have been appointed Surgeons on the Madras Establishment, their commissions as such bearing date 31st March 1887, the day of their joining the Army Medical School :—

William George McEvoy.
Frederick James Crawford, M.D.
David Simpson.
Robert Robertson.
Thomas Charles Moore.
Arthur Howard Jacob.
William Henry Karney.

2. They will be allowed to count as service for pension the period of their attendance at the Army Medical School from the 31st March 1887 to the 29th July 1887 inclusive.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 575.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel F. S. FitzPatrick, Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel R. J. B. Simpson, Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. W. Macdougall, Staff Corps, 181 days, m.c.
Lieutenant W. N. M. Cooke, Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.
Surgeon-Major T. C. H. Spencer, 122 days, m.c.

No. 576.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. Beadon, Madras Cavalry, Deputy Commissioner, Punjab (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.
Surgeon-Major P. R. Martin, M.D., Medical Officer, 14th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 577.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th September 1887, is republished :—

MEDALS.

No. 723.—The Viceroy and Governor-General in Council has much gratification in announcing that Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, has been graciously pleased to approve—

- (a) That the grant of war medals shall be extended to all authorized followers accompanying an army in the field, without restriction of their issue to men of the classes heretofore entitled to them ;
- (b) That all war medals and clasps of such followers shall be made of bronze ; and
- (c) That the bronze “India” medal of 1854 and the bronze clasp inscribed “Burma, 1885-87,” shall be issued to all authorized followers who accompanied the Army in the field during the operations in Burma, between 14th November 1885 and 30th April 1887.

No. 578.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th September 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 734.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Supernumerary Sub-Conductor Harry Sears, on probation, to be absorbed—
with effect from the 2nd August 1887, *vice* Conductor J. Garner, pensioned.

No. 579.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd September 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 751.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Sub-Conductor Benjamin Curtis, on probation, is confirmed in his present grade,—with effect from the 7th March 1887.

No. 580.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd September 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 754.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in and admissions to the Order of British India, with effect from the dates specified :—

MADRAS.

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

Subadar-Major Mahomed Beg, *Bahadur*, 4th Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Daliah, *Sirdar Bahadur*, deceased,—29th May 1887.
Subadar Syed Guffoor, *Bahadur*, 1st Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Vencatasamy, *Sirdar Bahadur*, deceased,—11th June 1887.

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

Subadar Mahomed Hoosman, 17th Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Ramasawmy, *Bahadur*, deceased,—20th October 1886.
Subadar Chinnien, Queen's Own Sappers and Miners, *vice* Subadar-Major Mahomed Ahnief, *Bahadur*, promoted,—5th February 1887.
Subadar Syed Peer, 27th Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Abbass Ally, *Bahadur*, deceased,—25th April 1887.
Subadar-Major Kassim Khan, 1st Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Shaik Lutteef, *Bahadur*, deceased,—30th April 1887.
Subadar Maduramootoo, 25th Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Syed Ebram *Bahadur*, deceased,—13th May 1887.
Subadar-Major Shaik Ameer, 25th Madras Infantry, *vice* Subadar Mahomed Innis, *Bahadur*, deceased,—23rd May 1887.
Subadar Tiroovengadam, 4th Madras Infantry, *vice* Subadar-Major Mahomed Beg, *Bahadur*, promoted,—29th May 1887.
Subadar Siddoojee Row, 1st Madras Lancers, *vice* Subadar Syed Guffoor, *Bahadur*, promoted,—11th June 1887.
Subadar Sheikh Sillamon, 17th Madras Infantry,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar-Major Syed Ameer, 1st Madras Lancers,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar Sheikh Byleem, 23rd Madras Infantry,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar-Major Mahomed Hoosmon, 3rd Madras Infantry,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar Govindoo, 15th Madras Infantry,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar-Major Shekh Imaum, 26th Madras Infantry,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar Mahomed Ugber, 19th Madras Infantry,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar Mahomed Yacoob, 26th Madras Infantry,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar Gholam Hoossain, 2nd Madras Lancers,—21st June 1887, to complete the establishment.
Subadar-Major Chendriah, 21st Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Shaik Assun, *Bahadur*, deceased,—21st July 1887.

No. 581.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 17th September 1887, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 16th September 1887.

No. 1522.—The services of Lieutenant C. E. H. Connell, Wing Officer, 1st Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab for employment as an Officiating Cantonment Magistrate.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 14th September 1887.

No. 1703 G.—Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, Officiating Squadron Officer and Adjutant, 3rd Regiment of Madras Light Cavalry, is appointed to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, and is posted as Assistant to the Resident, and to the General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti, at Hyderabad, with effect from date of joining.

PENSIONS.

No. 582.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary Charles Floate, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment in India on an invalid pension of Rupees 175 per mensem. Dated 25th September 1887.

No. 583.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of the Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 16542, Driver George Bellett, S Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery,—Bellary.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 584.—GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Frederick Thomas Powis. Dated 2nd October 1887.

No. 585.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Edward Ferrand	..	..	..	} Dated 30th September 1887.
Surgeon Francis Hookins Pedroza	..	..	..	

No. 586.—NATIVE ARMY—

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Havildar, No. 945, Chellumbrum to be Jemadar	..	Dated 6th July 1887.
Havildar, No. 983, Gooroosawmy to be Jemadar	..	Dated 16th July 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 587.—STAFF CORPS—

Colonel E. G. Morrogh, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service from the 1st October 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £654 per annum.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 588.—APPOINTMENTS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. Fredrick Fawcett to be Captain.
Mr. Harold Adams Williams to be Captain.

Mr. James Farrington to be Lieutenant.
 Mr. William Joseph Evans to be Lieutenant.
 Mr. Arthur James Atkinson to be Lieutenant.
 Mr. George Patrick Pritchard Flynn to be Lieutenant.

No. 589.—RESIGNATIONS—

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to resign their commissions at their own request :—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Captain A. H. T. Martindale.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant A. B. Fortune.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 11th October 1887.

. APPOINTMENTS.

No. 590.—ARMY STAFF—

Major J. E. Porteous, Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Nagpore Force, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, *vice* Major A. W. H. Hornsby-Drake, retired. Dated 30th September 1887.

No. 591.—COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant R. F. R. Formby, Staff Corps, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem*.

No. 592.—PENSION DEPARTMENT—

Major R. Stokoe, General List, Infantry, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Rajahmundry, is transferred to St. Thomas' Mount, *vice* Colonel G. S. Keith, deceased.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 593.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, pending retirement from the service,—with effect from the date on which he was struck off duty:—

Colonel W. Anderson, Staff Corps, Commandant, 13th Madras Infantry (u.p.a.), for 182 days. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 15th April 1887.

No. 594.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Colonel J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps, 1 month, m.c.

Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Bagshawe, Infantry, 1 month, m.c.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Moore, Infantry, 6 months, m.c.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. H. Baber, Infantry, 3 months, m.c.

Captain H. F. V. Gaitskell, Staff Corps, 3 months, p.a.

No. 595.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty:—

Captain J. E. Preston, D.S.O., Staff Corps.

No. 596.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 596, of this day's date, the furlough in India granted to First-grade Assistant Apothecary W. H. Haller, in G.O.G. No. 344, dated 10th June 1887, is extended to the 18th August 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 597.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

In modification of G.O.G. No. 501 of 1887, First-grade Assistant Apothecary W. H. Haller is transferred to the Pension Establishment with effect from the 19th August 1887 and not from the date he ceased to perform his duties.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 598.—NATIVE ARMY—

6th Madras Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 1555, Pentiah to be Jemadar

.. Dated 1st July 1887.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 110, Nizam-ud-din to be Jemadar
 Havildar, No. 122, Jugganaden to be Jemadar .. } Dated 11th September 1887.

No. 599.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant G. W. Maxwell. Dated 11th October 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 600.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain E. E. MacMahon, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 16th October 1887.

No. 601.—The services of Surgeon E. W. Reilly are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 602.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Surgeon-Major J. Smith is permitted to resign his appointment as Honorary Surgeon, at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 11th October 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers and Soldier, on the dates specified, were received in the Military Estate Department during the month of September 1887 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Staff Corps	Colonel G. S. Keith	18th Sept. 1887 ..	St. Thomas' Mount.	Testate.
Indian Medical Department.	Surgeon-Major A. E. Dalgairns.	15th " " ..	In Bay of Bengal, on his way to Madras.	....
Invalid Establishment.	Captain J. N. Beaver ..	8th " " ..	Pallavaram ..	....
1st Hampshire Regiment.	Lieutenant A. C. Coney ..	2nd " " ..	Secunderabad ..	....
7th Hussars	Lieutenant H. L. Warren ..	1st Aug. " ..	Bombay ..	....
Indian Medical Department.	Surgeon A. P. Adams ..	12th Sept. " ..	Madras ..	....
Ordnance Department.	Conductor George Bishop ..	3rd " " ..	Rangoon ..	....
E. A. V. Company ..	Bombardier Jno. Courtney ..	12th " " ..	Madras ..	....

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 18th October 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 603.—COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—

The following is a list of officers of the amalgamated Madras Commissariat-Transport Department, as they stood on the 16th October 1887:—

COMMISSARY-GENERAL.

Colonel H. P. Hawkes, Staff Corps.

ASSISTANT COMMISSARIES-GENERAL.

First Class 2, sub. pro tem. 1—Total 3.

1. Colonel J. C. Gunning, Staff Corps.
2. Colonel A. F. Laughton, c.b., Staff Corps.
3. Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Bruce, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).

Second Class 3, sub. pro tem. 1 + 1 for Transport Officer absorbed—Total 5.

1. Colonel C. McInroy, Staff Corps.
2. Major A. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps.
3. Major W. Cooke, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
4. Major W. H. M. Francklyn, General List, Infantry, (sub. pro tem.).
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Third Class 3 + 1 for Transport Officer absorbed—Total 4.

1. Major B. T. M. Gompertz, Staff Corps.
2. Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) R. H. T. Hill, General List, Infantry.
3. Captain L. J. Torrie, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
4. Captain E. E. Kenny, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).

Fourth Class 4 + 1 for Transport Officer absorbed—Total 5.

1. Major S. R. Rawlinson, Staff Corps.
2. Major H. H. Kelly, Staff Corps.
3. Lieutenant A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps.
4. Lieutenant G. F. Watson, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
5. Lieutenant W. C. H. Mackintosh, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).

SUB-ASSISTANT COMMISSARIES-GENERAL.

First Class 5, sub. pro tem. 2 + 1 for Transport Officer absorbed—Total 8.

1. Captain H. L. Hutchins, Staff Corps.
2. Lieutenant N. S. Swanson, Staff Corps.
3. Lieutenant F. C. W. Rideout, Staff Corps.
4. Lieutenant W. H. D. Rich, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
5. Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
6. Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
7. Lieutenant W. E. Wimble, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
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Second Class 7.

1. Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, Staff Corps.
2. Lieutenant H. W. Lowry, Staff Corps.
3. Lieutenant R. E. Sullivan, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
4. Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
5. Lieutenant F. C. Rynd, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
6. Lieutenant C. E. Lloyd, Staff Corps, (sub. pro tem.).
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FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 604.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty :—

Colonel H. G. Puckle, Staff Corps, Commandant, 28th Madras Infantry (p.a.), for 182 days. Pension service,—37th year, commenced 20th June 1887.

Brigade Surgeon W. H. Roberts, M.D. (m.c.), for 182 days. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 24th September 1887.

No. 605.—Conductor G. W. Mills, Commissariat Department, is granted leave to Australia and New Zealand (m.c.), for 182 days, under Rule X of the Regulations of 1875.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 606.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 26th August and 30th September 1887 respectively, are republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 673.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotions of Honorary Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers, under the provisions of Clause 48, India Army Circulars, 1884, for services with the Burma Expeditionary Force :—

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BARRACK DEPARTMENT.

Barrack Sergeant Arthur Wheeler (Bengal), to be Sub-Conductor.

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No. 776.—In G.G.O. No. 673 of 1887, promoting Barrack Sergeant Arthur Wheeler to the rank of Sub-Conductor, for “(Bengal)” read “(Madras).”

No. 607.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th September 1887, is republished in supersession of G.O.G., No. 578 of 1887 :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 734.—ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT—

Sub-Conductor Frederick Bradbury to be Conductor ;

Supernumerary Sub-Conductor Harry Sears, on probation, to be absorbed,—with effect from the 2nd August 1887, *vice* Conductor J. Garner, pensioned.

No. 608.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th September 1887, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 765.—Colonel A. C. Havelock, Madras Staff Corps, Commandant, 1st Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India (p.a.) for one hundred days, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date of his being struck off duty.

No. 609.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th September 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 767.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881, the names of the following officers are moved up on the Indian Gradation List, in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supernumerary List of Major-General W. R. Houghton, Bombay Staff Corps, (whose name is borne on the list of Lieutenant-Generals of the Indian Army) on the 2nd August 1887 :—

Major-General W. A. Gib, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the List of Lieutenant-Generals.

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No. 610.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th October 1887, is republished :—

No. 785.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers, appointed by the Secretary of State for India prothonotaries for the Indian Staff Corps, are posted as follows, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India :

Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant A. J. Macleod, South Wales Borderers.

No. 611.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th October 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 797.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

In G.G.O. No. 459 of 1887, an increase to the Order of British India of fifty appointments in the Second Class was sanctioned, giving the following total establishment for India :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Total.
Bengal, including Punjab Frontier Force, the Hyderabad Contingent, and the			
Local Corps	88	118	206
Madras	53	63	116
Bombay	34	44	78
Total ..	175	225	400

2. The Governor-General in Council is now pleased to direct that the following revised establishment based on the proportion of native officers in the three armies shall be adhered to in future :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Total.
Bengal, including Punjab Frontier Force, the Hyderabad Contingent, and the			
Local Corps	106	137	243
Madras	35	45	80
Bombay	34	43	77
Total ..	175	225	400

3. The eighteen supernumeraries in the first class and the eighteen in the second class in Madras, and the one supernumerary in the second class in Bombay, will be absorbed by the lapse of one appointment in every three vacancies.

No. 612.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 1st and 8th October 1887, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 26th September 1887.

No. 1765-G.—General Sir H. N. D. Prendergast, K.C.B., V.C., Royal Engineers, is appointed to officiate temporarily as a Resident of the 1st Class, and as Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner of Coorg, with effect from the date of assuming charge, during the absence on furlough of Sir C. E. Bernard, K.C.S.I., C.S., or until further orders.

The 30th September 1887.

No. 1803-G.—Captain W. E. Evans-Gordon, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, substantive *pro tempore*, is posted as Attaché in the Foreign Department.

The 6th October 1887.

No. 1838-G.—Lieutenant-Colonel V. E. Law, Political Agent of the 3rd Class and Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is appointed to officiate as an Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class, and is posted as Political Agent in Bikanir, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 5th October 1887.

No. 339.—The services of Lieutenant G. A. Welman, 13th Madras Infantry, Commandant of the Police Battalion, Pynmana, are replaced at the disposal of the Madras Government.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 613.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 16th September 1887, is republished:—

India Office, 16th September 1887.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Edward Henry Bernard, from the Essex Regiment. Dated 8th August 1885, but to rank from 22nd October 1881.

Lieutenant Henry Gerard Burton, from the Somersetshire Light Infantry. Dated 6th July 1884, but to rank from 22nd October 1881.

Lieutenant John Archer Loudon, from the Leicestershire Regiment. Dated 15th November 1885, but to rank from 10th March 1883.

Lieutenant Charles Cecil Archibald Sillery, from the Suffolk Regiment. Dated 14th August 1884, but to rank from 10th March 1883.

Lieutenant Harry Triscott Brooking, from the South Wales Borderers. Dated 27th October 1885, but to rank from 6th February 1884.

Lieutenant George William Lilly, from the Royal Irish Regiment. Dated 12th November 1885, but to rank from 12th May 1884.

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PENSIONS.

No. 614.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to a modified pension under Article 1034 (a), Royal Warrant, dated 10th June 1884, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension:—

No. 1418, Private George Giles, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment, Wellington.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 615.—NATIVE ARMY—

3rd Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Abdul Lutteef to be Subadar	Dated 1st June 1887.
Jemadar Sambaseeven to be Subadar	Dated 1st August 1887.
Havildar, No. 704, Venketraujoo to be Jemadar	Dated 1st June 1887.

5th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 2910, Appulsawmy to be Jemadar	Dated 10th April 1887.
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RETIREMENTS.

No. 616.—Colonel C. Mackenzie, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service, from the 16th October 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £783-5-0 per annum.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 617.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 612, of this date, the services of Lieutenant G. A. Welman, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 8th October 1887.

STATEMENT of DEPOSIT on account of ESTATE during the month of September 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
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COMMISSIONED OFFICER.

1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1886.		RS. A. P.	
3rd Sept.	R. F. Atkinson ..	Major ..	2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.	Burmah.	31st July.	Intestate.	* 5,176 15 8	...

* Ordered to be remitted to England.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 25th October 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 618.—ARMY STAFF—

Major W. Stainforth, General List, Infantry, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, to be Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Symons, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 30th September 1887.

No. 619.—COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant W. H. D. Rich, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (*sub. pro tem.*), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class;

Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class (*sub. pro tem.*); with effect from 16th October 1887, *vice* Captain E. E. MacMahon vacated.

No. 620.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant M. A. Tuite, 2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 23rd Madras Light Infantry,—4th October 1884.

No. 621.—The undermentioned Officers having completed eighteen months' probationary service are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant T. S. Johnson, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 31st Madras Light Infantry,—5th April 1886.

Lieutenant W. N. Campbell, Royal Munster Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry,—9th April 1886.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 622.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has commuted the six months' special leave under the Civil Leave Code granted to Colonel A. T. Rolland, Staff Corps, in Judicial Department Notification No. 134 of 1887 into nine months' furlough (*m.e.*), under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 623.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel C. McInroy, Staff Corps, six months, *m.e.*

Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. Brereton, Staff Corps, six months, *m.e.*

Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Hughes, Staff Corps, six months, *m.e.*

Lieutenant-Colonel J. P. James, Staff Corps, one year, *p.a.*

Lieutenant A. M. Lloyd, Staff Corps, two months, *m.e.*

Lieutenant N. S. Swanston, Staff Corps, three months, *m.e.*

Lieutenant F. Glanville, Royal Engineers, three months, *m.e.*

No. 624.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Captain E. G. Nicolls, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, Staff Corps.

No. 625.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Sub-Conductor W. Cames, Civil Engineering College, (m.c.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 626.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th October 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 806.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel in the Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Willoughby Thomas Brereton, Madras Staff Corps,—10th October 1887.

No. 627.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 15th October 1887, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 13th October 1887.

No. 1631.—*Appointment.*—General Sir H. N. D. Prendergast, K.C.B., V.C., Royal Engineers, Officiating Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner of Coorg, to act also as Judicial Commissioner of Coorg, with effect from the 11th October 1887, during the absence of Sir C. E. Bernard, K.C.S.I., C.S., on furlough, or until further orders.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 628.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 23rd September and 4th October 1887, are republished :—

India Office, 23rd September 1887.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Spencer Richard Rawlinson. Dated 20th July 1887.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant William Eden Evans-Gordon. Dated 15th July 1887.

MADRAS CAVALRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Bannatyne Warner. Dated 1st July 1887.
Major Donald James Sim McLeod. Dated 20th July 1887.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army David Walter Williams. Dated 1st August 1887.

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The following appointments to the Staff have been made by the Governments in India :—

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Captain E. J. Sharpe, Middlesex Regiment, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. M. Clerk, promoted. Dated 14th June 1887.

Major S. E. Rolland, Madras Staff Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel G. E. Weston, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 28th June 1887.

War Office, Pall Mall, 4th October 1887.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

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Frederick Kilgour, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th July 1887.

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India Office, 4th October 1887.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces :—

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Colonel Stephen William Barrow Sherman, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st August 1887.

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Major Alfred Western Hatchell Hornsby-Drake, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th September 1887.

Brigade Surgeon David William Trimmell, Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 1st August 1887.

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

To be Major-Generals.

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Colonel Stephen William Barrow Sherman, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st August 1887.

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To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Alfred Western Hatchell Hornsby-Drake, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th September 1887.

To be Deputy Surgeons-General.

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Brigade Surgeon David William Trimmell, Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 1st August 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 629.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary Richard O'Neill, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment in India on an invalid pension of Rupees 175 per mensem. Dated 19th October 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 630.—MADRAS INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel F. H. Tyrrell. Dated 1st November 1887.

No. 631.—NATIVE ARMY—

14th Madras Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 2917, Abdool Sooban to be Jemadar .. Dated 6th July 1887.

27th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Syed Ashim to be Subadar Dated 11th September 1887.

29th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 356, Shaik Oomer to be Jemadar Dated 15th May 1887.

Havildar, No. 329, Shaik Ahmed to be Jemadar Dated 1st July 1887.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

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Fort St. George, 1st November 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 632.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty :—

Colonel D. H. Trail, Royal Engineers.
Lieutenant-Colonel T. S. Magan, Staff Corps.
Captain C. H. Simpson, Staff Corps.

No. 633.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date he was struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Grove, Staff Corps, Wing Commander and Officiating 2nd in Command, 15th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for 182 days. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 16th September 1887.

No. 634.—The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain R. C. Andrews, Staff Corps	..	..	} Arrived at Bombay on the 20th October 1887.
Conductor F. S. Dunk, Commissariat Department	..	..	

No. 635.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieutenant W. N. R. Bates, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 30th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 636.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Surgeon-Major R. V. Power, M.D., 2 months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 637.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st October 1887, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 820.—Surgeon-Major C. E. McVittie, Madras Establishment, 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for 182 days, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

No. 638.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st October 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 821.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel in the Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward William Charles Hay Miller, Madras Staff Corps,—20th October 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 639.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Senior Apothecary John Edward Lillywhite is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rupees 175 per mensem, or £175 per annum, with effect from the 7th November 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 640.—NATIVE ARMY—*14th Madras Infantry.*

Jemadar Mooteapillay to be Subadar Dated 23rd September 1887.

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Subadar Shekh Byleem, "Bahadur," to be Subadar-Major .. Dated 1st July 1887.

25th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Seetha Ramasawmy to be Subadar ..
Havildar, No. 1284, Shaik Emaum to be Jemadar .. } Dated 26th September 1887.

No. 641.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Robert Charles Andrews
Lieutenant George Frederick Watson } Dated 28th October 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 642.—OFFICERS—

The services of Major A. D. Anderson, Royal Artillery, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 643.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 24 of 1887, the services of Lieutenant G. V. Burrows, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 644.—APPOINTMENTS—*Coimbatore Volunteer Corps.*

Surgeon-Major James Smith to be Honorary Surgeon.

No. 645.—RETIREMENTS—*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

Major F. J. James having resigned his commission at his own request after a continuous service of over thirty years, twenty-six of which have been in the commissioned ranks, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of his Corps on retirement.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 8th November 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 646.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Colonel F. C. St. John, Staff Corps.

No. 647.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain J. E. Preston, Staff Corps, D.S.O.	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the 27th October 1887.
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No. 648.—Lieutenant E. W. L. Holt, Probationer, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 6th Madras Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England to appear before a Medical Board. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 18th November 1886.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 649.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th October 1887, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 847.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 360 of 1887, Lieutenant C. Hamilton, South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Bengal Infantry, has been granted by the Secretary of State for India six months' leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 12th April 1887.

No. 650.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th October 1887, is republished :—

MEDALS.

No. 849.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following Horse Guards General Order for general information :—

G.O. No. 114—July 1887—Medals.

- I. His Highness the Khedive of Egypt having signified his desire to confer his Bronze Star on all the British, Indian, and Colonial troops employed on active service in the Soudan, including the operations in the Nile Valley and also those in the vicinity of Suakin, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to assent to the proposal, and the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has it in command to convey Her Majesty's permission that the decoration may be accepted and worn in uniform by those entitled to receive it.
- II. The Star will be of a similar pattern to that granted for the Egyptian campaign (1882), and will bear on it the years 1884-86.
- III. Those who received the Egyptian medal under G.O. 97 of 1885, or G.O. 68 of 1886, and who have not already received a Star for services in 1882 or 1884, will be entitled to the Star now granted.
- IV. Issues will be made in accordance with the rolls which were submitted for the medal.
- V. Heads of Departments, officers commanding regiments of Cavalry, batteries of Artillery, battalions of Infantry, and companies of Royal Engineers, Commissariat and Transport, and Ordnance Store Corps, will forward to the Adjutant-General nominal rolls, in alphabetical order, of all men entitled to the Star who have become non-effective since the rendering of their medal rolls, stating the cause, whether from death, discharge, or transfer.
- VI. The names of men who, under the Royal Warrant relating to pay, have incurred forfeiture of the Star are to be included in the return, the reasons which have rendered them ineligible being stated.

No. 651.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th October 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 850.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881, the names of the following officers are moved up on the Indian Gradation List, in consequence of the transfers to the unemployed Supernumerary List of Colonel E. A. Green, Bombay Staff Corps (whose name is borne on the list of Major-Generals of the Indian Army), on the 28th August 1887, and Major-General H. C. Anderson, Bengal Staff Corps (whose name is borne on the list of Lieutenant-Generals of the Indian Army), on the 2nd September 1887 :—

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Colonel T. W. Stansfeld, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals, in consequence of the promotion of Major-General R. Blair, Bengal Infantry, *vice* Anderson.

No. 652.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th October 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 859.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 549 of 1871, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to confer on pensioned Quartermaster Sergeant Owen Burns, late 11th Madras Native Infantry, an annuity of £10 now available, with effect from the 1st January 1887.

This cancels the grant of the gratuity and medal to pensioned Quartermaster Sergeant Burns, notified in Madras G.O.C.C., dated 23rd April 1869.

No. 653.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th October 1887, is republished :—

No. 860.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

The admission of the undermentioned officers to the 2nd Class of the Order of British India announced in G.G.O. No. 629 of 1887, is antedated to the 21st June 1887, and their seniority will be as follows :—

Madras.

Subadar Bram Khan, *Bahadur*, 4th Madras Light Cavalry, to stand next above Subadar-Major Chendriah, *Bahadur*; 21st Madras Infantry.

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No. 654.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 643, dated 1st November 1887, the following Notification from the *Gazette of India* dated 29th October 1887, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 24th October 1887.

No. 185.—The services of Lieutenant G. V. Burrows, 14th Madras Infantry, Assistant Commissioner, Burma, on probation, and temporarily District Superintendent of Police, 4th Grade, in that Province, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

No. 655.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 29th October 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 26th October 1887.

No. 1967-G.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel D. Cowie, Madras Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, Mysore Revenue Survey, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 1st November 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 656.—Conductor Edward Fisher, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on an invalid pension of Rs. 100 per mensem, with effect from the date he ceases to draw effective pay.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 657.—GENERAL LIST,—INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Stainforth. Dated 4th November 1887.

No. 658.—NATIVE ARMY—*1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).*

Havildar-Major, No. 249, Syed Jaffer to be Jemadar	..	Dated 1st May 1887.
Havildar, No. 791, Runganaikloo to be Jemadar	..	Dated 1st July 1887.
Havildar, No. 459, Yercannah to be Jemadar	..	Dated 11th September 1887.

16th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Veeragaloo to be Subadar-Major	..	..	Dated 1st September 1887.
Jemadar Abdool Rhymon to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 21st do.
Havildar, No. 998, Shaik Sillamon to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 1st do.
Havildar, No. 1057, Yanapergasum to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 21st do.

19th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Mahomed Ugber, "Bahadur," to be Subadar-Major. Dated 1st November 1887.

33rd Madras Infantry.

Subadar Syed Sooltan to be Subadar-Major	..	} Dated 1st November 1887.
Jemadar Mahomed Hoosman (1) to be Subadar	..	
Jemadar Mahomed Hoosman (2) to be Subadar	..	
Havildar, No. 2687, Runganaikooloo to be Jemadar	..	
Havildar, No. 2647, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar	..	

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 659.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 655 of this day's date, the services of Lieutenant-Colonel D. Cowie, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with effect from the 1st November 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 660.—LEAVE—*Madras Railway Volunteers.*

Lieutenant F. A. Waylen is granted leave out of India for six months from the 10th November 1887, or date of departure.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 15th November 1887.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 661.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officers to return to duty:—

Colonel E. H. Thomas, Staff Corps.

Colonel F. H. Vanderzee, Staff Corps.

Colonel J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Bagshawe, General List, Infantry.

No. 662.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Colonel E. H. Thomas, Staff Corps, one month, u.p.a.

Colonel F. H. Vanderzee, Staff Corps, 21 days, u.p.a.

Captain C. H. Simpson, Staff Corps, six weeks, u.p.a.*

* Captain Simpson's permission to return to duty published in G.O.G. No. 632 of 1887 holds good.

No. 663.—The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Colonel J. M. Smith, Staff Corps	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
				27th October 1887.

Major C. W. Walker, Staff Corps	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
				30th October 1887.

Surgeon-Major J. P. McDermott	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Madras on the
				31st October 1887.

Captain E. G. Nicolls, Royal Artillery	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
				1st November 1887.

Sub-Conductor J. Irwin, Ordnance Department	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Bombay on the
				2nd November 1887.

No. 664.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date he was struck off duty:—

Captain J. F. Wilson, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 12th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—13th year, commenced 10th September 1887.

No. 665.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Captain Arthur Hatton, Staff Corps, Adjutant, Surma Valley Light Horse (p.a.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875. (This cancels G.O.G. No. 465 of 1887.)

No. 666.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India in continuation of the leave in India granted him in G.O.C.C. No. 330 of 1887, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

Surgeon-Major F. H. Pedroza, Medical Officer, 16th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for 182 days, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 667.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th November 1887, is republished:—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 864.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the subjoined correspondence relating to the services of the troops in Lower Burma during the late campaign.

The Governor-General in Council cordially recognizes the good services and the arduous nature of the duties performed by the troops composing the British Burma Division, especially those employed in the disturbed districts on the old frontier line.

The names of several of the officers mentioned by Major-General Gordon have already been brought to notice by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, and have been recommended by the Government of India for the favorable consideration of Her Majesty's Government.

From the Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, Military Department, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department,—No. 4894, dated Ootacamund, the 11th August 1887.

I am directed to forward, for submission to the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council, a copy of a communication from the

No. 1110-W. (Burma), dated 22nd July 1887. Adjutant-General as per margin, giving cover to a letter from Major-General B. L. Gordon, c.b., Commanding the Burma Division, in which that officer brings to notice the names of certain officers who, during the last eighteen months, have rendered valuable services in connection with the operations in Burma.

2. In transmitting the above, I am to say that the Government of Madras endorse the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief that some of these officers may participate in the honors and rewards which may be granted for the Burma campaign.

From Brigadier-General M. C. Farrington, Adjutant-General, Madras Army, to Brigadier-General A. R. Kenney-Herbert, Secretary to Government, Military Department,—No. 1110-W. (Burma), dated Ootacamund, 22nd July 1887.

I have the honor, by desire of the Commander-in-Chief, to forward, in duplicate, letter No. 71-C, dated 5th July 1887, from the General Officer, Commanding the Burma Division, bringing to the notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief the names of certain officers who, during the last eighteen months, have rendered valuable services in connection with the operations in Burma, and requesting that some of these officers may participate in any honors and rewards which may be granted for the late campaign.

2. In forwarding this letter, His Excellency has much satisfaction in recording his concurrence in Major-General Gordon's recommendation, which is now submitted for the favorable consideration and support of Government.

From Major-General B. L. Gordon, c.b., Commanding the Burma Division, to the Adjutant-General, Madras Army,—No. 71-C, dated Rangoon, the 5th July 1887.

Military operations in Lower Burma having now apparently ceased, and the Burma Field Force despatches having been published, I hope I may be allowed to bring to the favorable notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief the names of those officers who, during the last eighteen months, have done such service as I think merits special recognition; and I trust that His Excellency will be pleased to recommend at least some of them for a participation in any honors and rewards which may be granted for the late campaign.

2. Almost all have seen active service and been engaged with the rebels, and the few others I have named have done exceptionally good departmental work connected with the campaign.

3. The following officers commanded regiments and districts during the campaign, and to all I am much indebted for the assistance they have given me:—

Colonel R. W. C. Winsloe, commanded the 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers and the Thayetmyo District,

Colonel J. C. Minto, commanded the 16th (Lucknow) Regiment, Bengal Infantry, and the Tharawaddy District.

Colonel C. S. Sturt, commanded the 7th Bombay Infantry and the Irrawaddy District.

Colonel R. M. Lloyd, commanded the 1st Bombay Grenadiers and Tounghoo District.

Colonel T. Graham, commanded the 9-1st Brigade, Northern Division, Royal Artillery, and the Thayetmyo District.

Colonel R. Upcher, commanded the 2nd Battalion, South Wales Borderers.

Colonel H. A. T. Nepean, commanded the 5th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. Hewetson, commanded the 26th Madras Infantry.

4. I would specially recommend to notice Colonel R. M. Lloyd, 1st Bombay Grenadiers, who did very good service against the Shan rebels in the Shwegyin District in December 1885 and January 1886, and who afterwards commanded at Tounghoo, when he gave me the most valuable assistance in forwarding troops and stores to Pyinmana and Yemethen, and in keeping the Tounghoo frontier quiet.

5. Colonel Upcher, 2nd South Wales Borderers, commanded the three columns sent from Thayetmyo in December 1886, under Sir Frederick Roberts' orders, to scour the difficult country forty miles north of the old frontier line. He did his work so thoroughly and well, that there has been no great trouble since. He, I think, deserves special notice.

6. Major R. A. P. Clements, 2nd South Wales Borderers, deserves special mention for his gallantry and energy. He was wounded during the advance from Taindah to relieve Thabyabin, and suffered severely from the malarious fever peculiar to that district; but no sooner had he recovered than he took in hand the organizing of the Mounted Infantry, which has done such excellent service in settling the frontier district.

7. Captain C. F. S. Alban, 7th Bombay Infantry, has done most valuable work in hunting down the rebels near Yenana and Myothit, and deserves reward.

8. Captain W. Aldworth, 2nd Bedfordshire Regiment, formerly my Acting Aide-de-Camp, deserves special notice for the dashing manner in which he relieved Thabyabin. He started at

two hours' notice, and rode 55 miles through a very disturbed country to Taindah, where he took command of the small body of men who relieved the beleaguered garrison.

9. Lieutenant J. E. Vaughan, who had only just joined the 2nd Royal Scots Fusiliers, volunteered and accompanied Captain Aldworth; and I think his pluck deserves notice.

10. I strongly recommend for reward the following young officers, who have over and over again distinguished themselves when in command of small detachments in encounters with the enemy:—

5th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant W. B. Young.
Lieutenant E. Peach (wounded).
Lieutenant E. Y. Watson.

26th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant W. H. Dobbie.
Lieutenant F. T. Williams.

11. I also recommend to special notice Captain H. F. Mercer, Royal Artillery, who acted as Staff Officer to Colonel Upcher during the advance of the columns from the Thayetmyo frontier, and who is strongly recommended by him; and Lieutenant G. W. C. Knatchbull, 1st Bombay Grenadiers, who did very good service near Gyobin; also Captain R. C. Toogood, 2nd Royal Scots Fusiliers, who did most excellent work against the Shan rebels in the Shwegyin District, and deserves special notice.

12. The following medical officers have been brought prominently to my notice for their admirable conduct on active service, and I beg to recommend them:—

Surgeon P. J. Dempsey, Medical Staff.
Surgeon W. H. Burke, Indian Medical Department.
Surgeon F. W. C. Jones, Medical Staff.

13. Colonel E. S. Berkeley, Major W. Cooke, Captain S. C. F. Peile, and Lieutenant G. F. Watson, of the Commissariat Department, have been brought to notice by me before for their most valuable work; and I am glad to see them again mentioned in Major-General Sir George White's despatches.

There is another Commissariat Officer, Lieutenant W. H. D. Rich, whom I would most strongly recommend for reward. He has throughout the campaign been in charge of the Commissariat and Transport Departments at Thayetmyo; and in addition to his own very onerous duties, he has had a great deal to do with rationing some of the troops in Upper Burma. He is a most hard-working, deserving young officer, whose services will, I hope, be recognized.

14. Major J. E. Blundell, Hampshire Regiment, has for the last eighteen months had most onerous duties to perform as Assistant Adjutant-General of the division, and has earned my special thanks for the very satisfactory manner in which he has performed them. I strongly recommend him for reward.

15. The excellent work of Captain M. W. Saunders, Royal Artillery, as Assistant Quarter-master-General, I have already reported; and as His Excellency, the Commander-in-Chief in India has very favorably noticed this officer, I need say no more.

16. Lieutenant J. R. P. Gordon, 15th Hussars, my Aide-de-Camp, has given me every assistance, and having been sent by Sir Frederick Roberts to Upper Burma on special duty, had an opportunity of doing some very good work with the Mounted Infantry.

17. To Deputy Surgeon-General J. M'N. Donnelly, c.b., Brigade-Surgeons T. Maunsell, Medical Staff, and B. T. Suffrein, Indian Medical Department, my special thanks are due for the admirable manner in which the general hospitals at Rangoon have been established and managed.

18. Captain J. D. Cunningham, 9-1st Brigade, Northern Division, Royal Artillery, deserves special notice for the excellent work he did at and around Monakone, where his untiring energy kept that troublesome district in order.

19. I beg to recommend the following native officers for reward as a recognition of the extremely good service they have done:—

5th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Syed Hussain,—promoted for gallantry in action at Ohni, near Pegu, on 19th December 1885.

Jemadar Gholam Hyder,—promoted for gallantry in action at Shwegyin, on 11th January 1886.

26th Madras Infantry.

Subadar-Major Sheikh Imaum.
Subadar Mahomed Yacoob.
Subadar Ungamootoo.
Subadar Imaum Khan.
Jemadar Sheikh Modeen.
Jemadar Yagappen.

1st Bombay Grenadiers.

Subadar Bhisaji Arolkar.
 Subadar Sanbhaji Baidar.
 Jemadar Ramya.
 Jemadar Santu Sing.

7th Bombay Infantry.

Subadar Sheikh Ismail.
 Subadar Ram Chandar.
 Jemadar Jhanda Sing.

Also Havildar Ghassita Sing, 7th Bombay Infantry, recommended for the Order of Merit for gallantry in action.

20. There are many others who have done most excellent work, but I have only brought to notice the few who, by special qualifications or by luck, have had the opportunity of distinguishing themselves; and I hope my recommendations may meet with the approval and support of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 668.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th November 1887, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 868.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers, appointed by the Secretary of State for India probationers for the Indian Staff Corps, are posted as follows, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India:

* * * *

Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant E. F. Venables, Royal West Kent Regiment.
 Lieutenant P. J. Miles, Royal Marine Light Infantry.

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No. 669.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 5th November 1887, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE:

Simla, the 31st October 1887.

No. 367.—The services of Captain P. G. Huggins, 21st Madras Infantry, Commandant, Burma Military Police Battalion, Yeu, are placed at the disposal of the Military Department.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 1st November 1887.

No. 1998-G.—Major J. H. Newill, Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is temporarily posted as Superintendent of Operations for the Control of the Moghyas.

PENSIONS.

No. 670.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary William Jackson, Public Works Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a retiring pension of £216 per annum. Dated 20th November 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 671.—NATIVE ARMY—

“Queen’s Own” Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Velaydum to be Subadar	..	..	} Dated 12th October 1887.
Havildar, No. 246, Rungasamy to be Jemadar	..	..	
(Jemadar in the Burma Company).			
Havildar, No. 401, Moonisamy to be Jemadar <i>vice</i> Jemadar			
Rungasamy seconded.			

No. 672.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Charles Stevens. Dated 11th November 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 673.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the under-mentioned Officer to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel R. C. Budd, Staff Corps,—15th December 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.**No. 674.—OFFICERS—**

With reference to G.O.G. No. 68 of 1887, and G.O.G. No. 669, of this date, the services of Captain P. G. Huggins, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 675.—With reference to Public Department Notification No. 430, of this date, the services of Surgeon-Major H. M. G. Archdall are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 676.—The services of Surgeon J. C. Marsden are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.**No. 677.—APPOINTMENTS—**

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Sergeant G. P. Simkins to be Honorary Quartermaster.

No. 678.—EXAMINATIONS—

The undermentioned Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers and Volunteers have passed their examination and received certificates of proficiency :—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Major W. Logan.
Lieutenant W. Maylor.
Color Sergeant G. Anderson.
Color Sergeant F. H. E. DeSilva.
Lance Sergeant P. W. Isaaks.
Corporal L. D'Cruz.
Corporal A. J. Pitter.
Volunteer J. Eyles.
Volunteer J. S. Vernede.

No. 679.—TRANSFERS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Lieutenant J. W. Taylor is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 22nd November 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 680.—Colonel A. D. Parsons, Madras Cavalry, to Command the Ceded District temporarily. Dated 18th November 1887.

No. 681.—ARMY STAFF—

Captain G. P. M. Prichard, Staff Corps, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel T. R. Byng, vacated. Dated 10th June 1887.

No. 682.—COMMISSARIAT TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) R. H. T. Hill, General List, Infantry, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class;

Major H. H. Kelly, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd Class;
with effect from 16th October 1887, *vice* Colonel C. McInroy, on furlough.

No. 683.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 574 of 1887, Surgeon D. Simpson is admitted to the Madras Establishment from the 2nd November 1887, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 684.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officer to return to duty :—

Colonel F. S. FitzPatrick, Staff Corps.

No. 685.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Major H. M. Dale, General List, Infantry, 6 months, *m.c.*

No. 686.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date he was struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Cowie, Staff Corps (*p.a.*), for one year. Pension service,—29th year, commenced 29th November 1886.

No. 687.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 26th October 1887.

Lieutenant A. R. Ditmas, Staff Corps, 10th Madras Infantry (*m.c.*), for one year. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 7th February 1887.

No. 688.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant F. C. W. Rideout, Staff Corps { Arrived at Madras on the 15th November 1887.

Surgeon-Major A. J. Sturmer { Arrived at Madras on the 6th November 1887.

No. 689.—The leave in India granted to Conductor Edward Fisher, Ordnance Department, in G.O.G. No. 210 of 1887, is extended to the 11th November 1887, the date on which he was struck off the strength of the Department under G.O.G. No. 656 of 1887.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 690.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 21st and 25th October 1887, are republished:—

India Office, 21st October 1887.

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

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army James Cavan Berkeley. Dated 21st August 1887.

INDIAN ARMY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Atwill Curtois, Madras Cavalry. Dated 31st May 1887.

The following appointments have been made to the Personal Staff in India:—

Captain J. W. Currie, Madras Staff Corps, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy and Governor-General. Dated 31st July 1887.

Lieutenant J. T. Johnston, Royal Artillery, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab. Dated 2nd April 1887.

The following appointments to the Staff have been made by the Governments in India:—

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Smalley, Madras Infantry, to be a Deputy Assistant Quarter-master-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, who has vacated. Dated 27th June 1887.

India Office, 25th October 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Francis Herbert Sullivan Thomas, from the Royal Warwickshire Regiment. Dated 5th November 1885, but to rank from 10th May 1882.

Lieutenant George Benjamin Hodson, from the Oxfordshire Light Infantry. Dated 1st September 1884, but to rank from 10th May 1882.

Lieutenant George Herbert Arbuthnot, from the South Wales Borderers. Dated 12th April 1884, but to rank from 9th September 1882.

Lieutenant Claude William Wilkieson, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 20th January 1886, but to rank from 10th March 1883.

Lieutenant John Henegan, from the South Wales Borderers. Dated 30th December 1885, but to rank from 6th February 1884.

Lieutenant William Norman Ralph Bates, from the Somersetshire Light Infantry. Dated 10th January 1886, but to rank from 23rd August 1884.

The Queen has also approved of the transfer of the undermentioned Officer to the Half-Pay List:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Richard Doyne MacDonnell. Dated 30th September 1887.

ERRATA.

The date of rank of Lieutenant G. W. Lilly, Madras Staff Corps, is 14th May 1884, and not as given in the same Gazette.*

* *Vide* G.O.G. No. 613 of 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 691.—GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Dempster Heming. Dated 16th November 1887.

No. 692.—MADRAS INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Stenhouse. Dated 26th November 1887.

No. 693.—NATIVE ARMY—

2nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 710, Kotiah to be Jemadar .. Dated 6th October 1887.

31st Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Shaik Allwadeen to be Subadar ..

Havildar, No. 618, Mahomed Hoossain to be Jemadar .. } Dated 1st November 1887.

Havildar, No. 659, Chinniah to be Jemadar .. }

REMOVAL FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 694—The 12th (Prince of Wales' Royal) Lancers is struck off the Madras Establishment from the 29th October 1887.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 695.—Lieutenant-Colonel L. F. Campbell, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service from the 1st December 1887, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £571 per annum.

REWARDS.**No. 696.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—**

With the sanction of the Government of India and under the provisions of clause 48, Indian Army Circulars, 1884, the following promotions are made for services during the recent operations in Burma:—

First-grade Hospital Assistants—

C. Lutchmiah Naidu, No. 859,
V. Soobrayen Moodelly, No. 909,
Jenarden Sing, No. 1037,

to be Senior Hospital Assistants.

Second-grade Hospital Assistants—

T. V. Neelamagum, No. 1065,
D. Phillip, No. 1121,
C. P. Nagappa Pillai, No. 1139,

to be First-grade Hospital Assistants, subject to their passing the prescribed examination within six months.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.**No. 697.—OFFICERS—**

With reference to G.O.G. No. 473 of 1887, the services of Lieutenant G. C. Atkinson, Staff Corps, are placed permanently at the disposal of the Political Department.

No. 698.—With reference to Public Department Notification No. 431, dated 15th November 1887, the services of Surgeon-Major Mark Robinson are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.**No. 699.—APPOINTMENTS—**

Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. James Jellicoe Morris to be Lieutenant.

No. 700.—RESIGNATIONS—

Coimbatore Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Pickance, Staff Corps, is permitted to resign the appointment of Captain Commandant at his own request.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Lieutenant E. P. Brown is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, 7th November 1887.

STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during the month of October 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.								
1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1887.		RS. A. P.	
3rd Oct.	H. Mallock ..	Lieutenant.	P-1st Brigade, Royal Artillery.	Sicula ..	11th July.	Intestate.	238 4 3	..
6th do.	R. F. Atkinson ..	Major ..	2nd Battalion, Hampshire Regiment.	Burma ..	31st July.	Do.	* 608 0 0	..
26th do.	J. A. Cairns ..	Sergt. Instr.	Madras Unattached List 12-8 Royal Artillery.	Fort St. George.	22nd June	Do.	8 0 0	..
12th do.	<i>Indian Military Service.</i> T. H. Way ..	Col. (Brigdr. Genl.)	Staff Corps ..	Bellary ..	1887. 5th July.	Do.	1,259 8 5	} 7th Jan. 1887.
12th do.	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	1,500 0 0	
12th do.	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Do.	1,260 0 0	
28th do.	G. L. Angelo ..	Lieutenant.	De. ..	Mandalay	4th Jan.	Testate.	39 12 0	

* Will be remitted to England.

22nd November 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers and Soldiers on the dates specified, were received in the Military Estate Department during the month of October 1887:—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
G-2nd Royal Artillery.	Captain J. J. Hewson ..	1st Oct. 1887 ..	Bellary ..	....
Indian Medical Department.	Surgeon-Major J. C. Lawrenson.	4th ,, ,, ..	Yeu (Upper Burma).	....
Staff Corps ..	Major J. J. Kennedy ..	16th ,, ,, ..	Mintayben (Upper Burma).	....
Probationer, Staff Corps (6th Regiment Madras Infantry).	Lieutenant E. W. L. Holt ..	Insane, proceeded to England, 29th October 1887.		
European Artillery Veteran Company.	Gunner James McCarthy *	23rd Sept. 1887 ..	Pallavaram ..	Testate.
European Infantry Veteran Company.	Private James Eadon † ..	27th ,, ,, ..	Vizagapatam ..	Do.

* Estate made over to Miss Catharine McCarthy (daughter), under the provisions of section 8 of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863.

† Do. to Mrs. R. Eadon (widow), do. do.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mil. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army:—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 29th November 1887.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 701.—The 1st Battalion, Cheshire Regiment, is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 16th November 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 702.—COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant F. C. W. Rideout, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, to act as Assistant Commissary-General, 4th Class, with effect from the 15th November 1887, *vice* Captain G. F. Watson, on furlough.

No. 703.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 574 of 1887, Surgeon F. J. Crawford, M.D., and Surgeon A. H. Jacob are admitted to the Madras Establishment from the 16th November 1887, the date of their arrival at Bombay.

No. 704.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant W. C. Barratt, Royal Berkshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 1st Sikh Infantry, —11th November 1886.

No. 705.—The undermentioned Officers having completed eighteen months' probationary service are admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant A. H. Williams, Middlesex Regiment, Wing Officer, 23rd Madras Infantry, —30th April 1886.

Lieutenant S. B. Graham, Royal Sussex Regiment, Wing Officer, 14th Madras Infantry, —26th March 1886.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 706.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has permitted the undermentioned Officers to return to duty:—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. D. Walker, Madras Cavalry.

Captain J. H. H. Ansley, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant E. M. Reed, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant W. N. M. Cooke, Staff Corps.

No. 707.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Colonel F. S. FitzPatrick, Staff Corps, 6 months, p.a. (This Officer's permission to return to duty notified in G.O.G. No. 684 of 1887 has been cancelled.)

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Lecky, Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 708.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 17th November 1887, in continuation of the leave in India granted him in G.O.C.C. No. 374 of 1887:—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Foord, Staff Corps, Commandant, 14th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—29th year, commenced 23rd November 1886.

No. 709.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the dates on which they were respectively struck off duty :—

- Lieutenant A. S. Rooke, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 2nd Battalion, 5th Goorkhas (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 19th February 1887.
 Lieutenant A. E. Woods, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 3rd Sikh Infantry (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 21st December 1886.

No. 710.—Lieutenant A. L. Gallie, Probationer, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 7th Madras Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England to appear before a Medical Board. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 20th October 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 711.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th November 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 900.—MILITARY SECRETARIAT—

Major A. D. Anderson, R.A., to officiate as a Deputy Secretary, in the vacancy caused by the appointment of Major T. Deane to officiate as Director of Army Remount Operations for India. Dated 11th November 1887.

No. 712.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th November 1887, is republished :—

No. 905.—STAFF CORPS—

Lieutenant J. Quin, Madras Staff Corps, is transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps, in exchange with Lieutenant T. D. Leslie.

No. 713.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 19th November 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 10th November 1887.

No. 2067 G.—The services of Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, Officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd class, and Assistant to the Resident, and to the General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti, at Hyderabad, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 22nd October 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 714.—NATIVE ARMY—

3rd Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Venketsawmy (1st) to be Subadar Dated 16th August 1887.

5th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 2934, Nursingsawmy to be Jemadar Dated 7th September 1887

19th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Syed Homed to be Subadar ..

Havildar-Major, No. 3267, Moothoosawmy Naidoo to be Jemadar. } Dated 1st November 1887.

No. 715.—STAFF CORPS—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) George Simpson. Dated 27th November 1887.

No. 716.—WARRANT OFFICERS—

Public Works Department.

Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary S. C. Plummer to be Deputy Commissary,
 Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary W. C. S. West to be Assistant

Commissary,
 Sub-Conductor J. Power to be Deputy Assistant Commissary,

Sub-Conductor J. Cormac to be Conductor,

Sergeant R. W. Macalister to be Sub-Conductor,

with effect from the 20th November 1887, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary J. Jackson, pensioned.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 717.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel W. Stenhouse, Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. Dated 26th November 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 718.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to sanction the formation of a corps to be designated the "Southern Mahratta Railway Volunteer Corps."

No. 719.—LEAVE—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Major Commandant William Logan, C.S., is granted leave out of India for one year, nine months and seven days from or after the 1st December 1887.

No. 720.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain T. C. Mellich is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 6th December 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 721.—ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—

Captain W. H. Riddell, 2nd Battalion, Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. Stainforth, General List, Infantry, promoted. Dated 30th September 1887.

No. 722.—ARMY STAFF—

Captain H. W. Ind, Royal Artillery, Officiating Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Southern District, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel S. E. Atkinson, Staff Corps, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 25th November 1887.

No. 723.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 574 of 1887, Surgeon W. G. McEvoy is admitted to the Madras Establishment with effect from the 3rd November 1887, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 724.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 10th November 1887 :—

Colonel G. Murray, Staff Corps, Commandant, 29th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—34th year, commenced 6th September 1887.

No. 725.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date he was struck off duty :—

Colonel J. B. Taylor, Staff Corps (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—31st year, commenced 29th December 1886.

No. 726.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Bagshawe, General List, Infantry. { Arrived at Madras on the
27th November 1887.

No. 727.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel A. T. Rolland, Staff Corps, two months, m.c.

Lieutenant G. N. Caulfeild, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 728.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th November 1887, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 313.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned officers appointed by the Secretary of State for India probationers for the Indian Staff Corps are posted as follows, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India :—

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Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant H. E. C. B. Nepean, Royal West Kent Regiment.
 Lieutenant C. T. Swan, Royal Berkshire Regiment.
 Lieutenant N. J. H. Powell, East Surrey Regiment.

No. 729.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th November 1887, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 712 of 1887 :—

No. 914.—In G.G.O. No. 905 of 1887 for “Lieutenant J. Quin, Madras Staff Corps” read “Lieutenant Thomas Quin, Madras Staff Corps.”

No. 730.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th November 1887, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 924.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881, the name of Colonel A. H. M. Dickey, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-General on the Indian Gradation List, in consequence of the promotion of Major-General W. B. Butler-Shawe, Bengal Infantry, to the rank of Lieutenant-General, on the 20th September 1887.

No. 731.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th November 1887, is republished :—

No. 925.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty’s approval :—

To be Colonels in the Army,—20th November 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry William Holmes Cox, Madras Staff Corps.

No. 732.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 26th November 1887, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 21st November 1887.

No. 2135G.—Major D. Robertson, Political Agent of the 2nd class, substantive *pro tempore*, is posted as Assistant to the Resident in Mysore and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Coorg.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 733.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 4th November 1887, is republished :—

War Office, 4th November 1887.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

Coryndon Thomas Putt Luxmoore, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th August 1887.
 Henry William Blair, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th August 1887.
 Bowness Fischer, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th August 1887.
 Kenlis Fergus Stevenson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th August 1887.

PENSIONS.

No. 734.—The undermentioned individual, who has been discharged to pension, is permitted to reside at the place specified against his name, pending the decision of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital as to the amount of his pension :—

No. 4686, Gunner John Smyth, M Battery, B Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery—Melbourne, Australia.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 735.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant E. Marchant. Dated 6th December 1887.

No. 736.—GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major W. H. Miller Francklyn. Dated 4th December 1887.

No. 737.—SUB-MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

To be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade.

First-grade Apothecary J. G. Ashworth, *vice* Second-grade Senior Apothecary Ward promoted. Dated 7th November 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.**No. 738.—OFFICERS—**

With reference to G.O.G. No. 713 of 1887, the services of Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 22nd October 1887.

No. 739.—With the sanction of the Government of India, Lieutenant F. Baylay, R.E., is transferred to the Bengal Presidency.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 740.—With reference to para. 405, Army Regulations, India, Volume IX, Volunteers, the medals for good shooting for the season 1886-87 are awarded as under :—

Presidency Medal.

Volunteer J. J. Hobday, Madras Volunteer Guards.

Provincial Medal.

Quartermaster Sergeant A. J. Cross, South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 741.—PROMOTIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant Frederick Noone to be Captain.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN
COUNCIL.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Colonel E. H. Thomas, Staff Corps	} Arrived at Madras on the 2nd December 1887.
Colonel D. H. Trail, Royal (late Madras) Engineers	
Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. D. Walker, Cavalry	
	} Arrived at Bombay on the 5th December 1887.

Colonel T. H. B. Brooke, Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Mandla, Central Provinces (p.a.), for one year and 183 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant H. G. Burton, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 4th Sikh Infantry (p.a.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

Surgeon-Major D. F. Bateman, Medical Officer, 3rd Light Cavalry (p.a.), for one year and 13 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain J. M. T. Badgley, R.E.

Lieutenant D. G. L. Shaw, Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 1st Punjab Cavalry (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 21st June 1887.

No. 746.—The following Geographical Names, as ordered by the Government of India, dated 2nd December 1887, is republished :—

Sub-Conductor John D. [redacted] on probation, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 28th April 1887.

No. 747.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd December 1887, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 953.—GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS—

It is notified that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer a good service pension on the undermentioned Officer, with effect from the date specified :—

From the 14th April 1887, in room of Colonel Sir Edward Bosc Sladen, *Kt.*, Madras S.C., succeeded to the Colonel's allowance.

Colonel (Brigadier-General) George Carr Hodding, C.B., Madras S.C.

Dates of Commission.

Ensign	..	..	..	10th February 1851.
Lieutenant	..	..	..	23rd November 1856.
Captain	..	..	..	10th February 1863.
Major	..	..	..	10th February 1871.
Lieutenant-Colonel	..	..	..	10th February 1877.
Colonel	..	..	..	1st July 1881.

Appointments.

Regimental employment, from 1851 to 1866.

Acting Brigade-Major, Ceded District,—from February 1866, to May 1866.

Paymaster, British Burma Division,—from May 1872, to October 1875.

Regimental employment, 4th Madras Infantry,—from 2nd October 1875, to 23rd February 1886.

Commanding the Indian Contingent, Suakin, and Acting Governor-General, Egyptian Soudan,—from 3rd April 1886, to 10th May 1886.

Brigadier-General, Commanding the Ceded, Belgaum and Southern Districts,—from 23rd May 1886, to date.

War Services.

Afghan War, 1879-80.—Action of Kam Dakka,—(mentioned in despatches; medal).

No. 748.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 3rd December 1887, are republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 26th November 1887.

No. 74 C.G.—Consequent on the departure on furlough of Mr. H. M. Durand, c.s.i., C.S., Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, the following appointments are made to the Foreign Department, with effect from the 28th November:—

* * *
Captain W. E. Evans-Gordon, Political Assistant of the 1st class, substantive *pro tempore*, and Attaché, is posted as Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department.

Simla, the 22nd November 1887.

No. 2140 G.—The services of Colonel J. C. Berkeley, Resident of the 2nd class and Agent to the Governor-General at Baroda, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of the Baroda Agency.

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No. 2143 G.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Trevor, Political Agent of the 1st class, and Officiating Resident of the 2nd class and Officiating Commissioner of Ajmere, is appointed to be a Resident of the 2nd class, and Commissioner of Ajmere, *vice* Mr. T. J. C. Plowden, C.S.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 749.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th November 1887, is republished:—

India Office, 15th November 1887.

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

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Arthur Hatton. Dated 1st September 1887.

John Alfred Wyllie. Dated 10th September 1887.

Frederick Bernard Deane. Dated 10th September 1887.

Henry Espine Monk Mason. Dated 10th September 1887.

Cecil Montgomery Maguire. Dated 11th September 1887.

Herbert Wharry. Dated 11th September 1887.

Malcolm Henry Stanley Grover. Dated 11th September 1887.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army Albert Joseph Howes. Dated 15th September 1887.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Frederick Thomas Powis. Dated 2nd October 1887.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade-Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major David John McCarthy, M.D. Dated 1st August 1887.

To be Surgeons Major.

Surgeon Edward Ferrand. Dated 30th September 1887.

Surgeon Francis Hoskins Pedroza. Dated 30th September 1887.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles Vere Ferrers Townshend, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 15th January 1886, but to rank from 1st February 1881.

Lieutenant William Alexander Oswald, from the Oxfordshire Light Infantry. Dated 17th June 1884, but to rank from 9th September 1882.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Hope Mathias, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th September 1887.

The Queen has approved of the undermentioned Officers being granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Hope Mathias, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th September 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 750.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Colonel's allowance with effect from the 12th December 1887 :—

Colonel H. D. Cloete, Staff Corps.

Colonel H. C. Menzies, Staff Corps.

Colonel A. T. Searle, Staff Corps.

No. 751.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—*To be Sub-Conductor.*

First-class Barrack Sergeant H. Tucker. Dated 13th December 1887.

No. 752.—NATIVE ARMY—*7th Madras Infantry.*

Jemadar Mahomed Yacoob to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 8th June 1887.
Jemadar Appulsawmy to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 25th August 1887.
Havildar, No. 474, Sunnassee to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 15th March 1887.
Havildar, No. 439, Shumsoddeen to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 30th March 1887.
Havildar, No. 449, Cumroddeen to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 8th June 1887.
Havildar, No. 706, Francis Augustine to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 25th August 1887.

15th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Mahmood Khan to be Subadar	..	..	Dated 1st November 1887.
Havildar-Major, No. 593, Cossim Khan to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 28th October 1887.
Havildar, No. 1183, Mohamed Hussain to be Jemadar	..	..	Dated 1st November 1887.
Havildar, No. 611, Peddananaidoo to be Jemadar	..	..	

No. 753.—WARRANT OFFICERS—*"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.*

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary Thomas Jones to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 20th November 1887.

REMOVAL FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 754.—The 2nd Battalion, Royal Scots Fusiliers, is struck off the Madras Establishment from the 1st December 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 755.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel J. C. Berkeley, Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with effect from the date on which he ceases to be employed in the Political Department.

No. 756.—With reference to Political Department Notification No. 14, dated 10th December 1887, the services of Captain A. Howlett, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. Dated 10th December 1887.

No. 757.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 520, dated 8th September 1886, the services of Surgeon-Major E. Levinge are replaced permanently at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 758.—The services of Surgeon J. W. Evans and Surgeon H. K. Fuller, M.B., are placed permanently at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 759.—G.O.G. No. 718 of 1887, notifying the formation of the "Southern Mahratta Railway Volunteer Corps" is cancelled.

No. 760.—PROMOTIONS—

Bellary Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant J. W. Boys to be Captain.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY. (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, 8th December 1887.

STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during the month of November 1887.

Date of deposit.	On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Place of death.	Date of death.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount of surplus.	Date to which claims will be received.
COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.								
1887.	<i>British Military Service.</i>				1887.		RS. A. P.	
4th Nov.	H. J. Crofton ..	Lieutenant.	Royal Engineers.	Bangalore	26th June. 1886.	Intestate.	538 0 5	..
4th do.	A. G. Wilbraham.	Captain ..	2nd Battalion, Somerset L.I.	Burma ..	21st July.	Not known.	* 456 0 0	..
4th do.	H. T. Shubrick ..	Lieutenant.	Do. ..	Do. ..	26th June	Do.	* 285 0 0	..
4th do.	F. B. Bradshaw ..	Major ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	30th July.	Intestate.	* 608 0 0	..
<i>Indian Military Service.</i>								
4th Nov.	G. L. Angelo ..	Lieutenant.	Staff Corps ..	Do. ..	1887, 4th Jan.	Testate.	715 0 0	..
4th do.	T. H. Way ..	Col. (Brigdr. Genl.).	Do. ..	Bellary ..	5th July. 1886.	Intestate.	10,804 4 7	..
17th do.	Sir H. T. Macpherson, V.C., K.C.B., K.C.S.I.	Lieut.-Genl.	Bengal Staff Corps.	Burma ..	20th Oct.	Testate.	9,563 0 0	..

* Will be remitted to England.

13th December 1887.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Warrant Officers and Soldiers on the dates specified, were received in the Military Estate Department during the month of November 1887 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Commissariat *Department.	Conductor Edward Alfred Ward.	1st Nov. 1887 ..	Rangoon ..	....
European Artillery Veteran Company.	Bombardier Patrick McDonnell.	14th ,, ,, ..	Pallavaram ..	....
Do. ..	Gunner John Conway ..	21st Oct. ,, ..	Do. ..	....
Do. ..	Gunner Francis Spencer ..	20th Nov. ,, ..	Do. ..	....

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,

Adjutant-General.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Orders issued by Government are published for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 20th December 1887.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 761.—COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class (sub. *pro tem.*), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, with effect from the 16th October 1887, *vice* Lieutenant Rich, promoted.

No. 762.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 574 of 1887, Surgeon W. H. Karney is admitted to the Madras Establishment with effect from the 2nd November 1887, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

No. 763.—PENSION DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Blaxland, General List, Infantry, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Rajahmundry, *vice* Major R. Stokoe, transferred.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 764.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel F. C. St. John, Staff Corps	..	..	..	{ Arrived at Madras on the
				{ 12th December 1887.

No. 765.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Bredin, Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.
 Captain H. F. V. Gaitskell, Staff Corps, 26 days, p.a.
 Lieutenant W. N. M. Cooke, Staff Corps, 21 days, u.p.a.

No. 766.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 15th November 1887 :—

Surgeon J. Scott, M.B., Medical Officer, 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent (m.c.), for one year. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 18th July 1887.

No. 767.—First-grade Assistant Apothecary S. Annasawmy Pillay, Subordinate Medical Department, is granted furlough in India (m.c.) for 90 days, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875, in extension of the furlough granted him in G.O.G. No. 326 of 1887.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 768.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th December 1887, is republished with reference to G.O.G. No. 668 of 1887 :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 960.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 868 of 1887, Lieutenant P. J. Miles, Royal Marine Light Infantry, is posted to the Bengal, instead of to the Madras Staff Corps.

No. 769.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th December 1887, is republished :—

No. 961.—The undermentioned Officers appointed by the Secretary of State for India probationers for the Indian Staff Corps are posted as follows, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India :—

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Madras Staff Corps.

Lieutenant J. W. Ross, South Lancashire Regiment.
 Lieutenant W. A. Adams, Liverpool Regiment.
 Lieutenant G. M. MacHutchin, South Staffordshire Regiment.
 Lieutenant R. B. Unwin, Suffolk Regiment.

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No. 770.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th December 1887, is republished:—

REWARDS.

No. 974.—ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Native Officer to the Order of British India from the 12th October 1887:—

MADRAS.

To the 2nd Class with the title of Bahadur.

Subadar Syed Moiden, 16th Madras Infantry, *vice* Subadar Chinnien, *Bahadur*, deceased.

No. 771.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th December 1887, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 9th December 1887.

No. 2221-G.—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department:—

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Reversions.

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Major J. H. Newill, from Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd class, to Political Agent of the 3rd class, substantive *pro tempore*.

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Reversions.

Consequent on the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Roberts to be a Political Agent of the 2nd class, substantive *pro tempore*, with effect from the 18th November 1887—

Major D. Robertson, from Political Agent of the 2nd class, substantive *pro tempore*, to Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd class.

Major E. A. Fraser, from Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd class, to Political Agent of the 3rd class, substantive *pro tempore*.

Major J. H. Newill, from Political Agent of the 3rd class, substantive *pro tempore*, to Officiate Political Agent of the 3rd class.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 772.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 18th and 22nd November 1887, are republished:—

War Office, 18th November 1887.

INDIAN LOCAL SERVICE.

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Colonel Henry Ellenborough Dyneley, Madras Cavalry, to be Major-General, on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 19th October 1887.

War Office, 22nd November 1887.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels have been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

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Hastings Fraser, Madras. Dated 30th October 1887.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 773.—COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—

Conductor (sub. <i>pro tem.</i>) W. Maddocks to be Conductor.	} Dated 2nd November 1887, <i>vice</i>
Supernumerary Sub-Conductor S. Collard to be absorbed.		Conductor E. A. Ward, deceased.
Sub-Conductor T. Mobsby to be Conductor (sub. <i>pro tem.</i>).	} Dated 2nd November 1887, to
Sergeant G. Moorehead to be Sub-Conductor (sub. <i>pro tem.</i>).		complete the Establishment.

No. 774.—GENERAL LIST, INFANTRY—

The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Henry Charles Hamilton. Dated 20th December 1887.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 775.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel C. Hayter, C.B., Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 15th December 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 776.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Alexander William Brodie to be Lieutenant.

Mr. William Parkinson to be Lieutenant.

Surgeon-Major William Richard Browne to be Honorary Surgeon.

No. 777.—LEAVE—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain F. Noone is granted leave in India for six months, from the 20th December 1887.

No. 778.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Lieutenant the Honorable Mr. Francis Brandt is permitted to resign his commission at his own request. Dated 1st December 1887.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

Erratum.—Expunge the words “sub. *pro tem.*” opposite the name of Lieutenant R. E. Sullivan in G.O.G. No. 603 of 1887.

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

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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