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GENERAL ORDERS.

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

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 6th January 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1.—ARMY STAFF—

Colonel E. H. Eyre, Staff Corps, to be Quartermaster-General, Madras Army, with the local and temporary rank of Brigadier-General, *vice* Brigadier-General M. Protheroe, Staff Corps, C.B., C.S.I., who has been appointed to the command of the Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 26th October 1890.

No. 2.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 524 of 1890, the undermentioned Surgeons are brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 27th October 1890, the date of their arrival at Bombay :—

C. A. Johnston.
G. G. Giffard.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 3.—Colonel J. H. Gordon, D.S.O., Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India under Article 738 (*a*), Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, from or after the 25th January 1891. Pension service,—34th year commenced 29th May 1890.

No. 4.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date of being struck off duty :—

Colonel C. J. O. FitzGerald, C.B., Staff Corps, for one year. Pension service,—33rd year commenced 15th April 1889. (This cancels G.O.G. No. 512 of 1890.)

No. 5.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel W. H. St. A. Wilton, General List, Infantry ..	Arrived at Bombay on the 15th December 1890.
Brigade-Surgeon D. J. McCarthy, M.D., half-pay, Indian Medical Service.	Arrived at Madras on the 6th December 1890.
Second Lieutenant G. M. Morris, South Lancashire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.	Arrived at Bombay on the 11th December 1890.

No. 6.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain H. L. Hutchins, Staff Corps, 3 days, p.a.
Captain T. H. Haughton, Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.

No. 7.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant E. L. Holloway, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant C. M. Eales, Staff Corps, 2nd Punjab Infantry.
Lieutenant H. W. B. Johnson, Probationer, Staff Corps.

No. 8.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Honorary Surgeon R. S. Dawson, Civil Surgeon, Myingyan (m.c.), for one year, under rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 9.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th December 1890, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 1103.—Store Sergeant Patrick Sweeney, to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 9th October 1890, *vice* Sub-Conductor Stephen Penticoss, transferred to the Pension Establishment.

No. 10.—The following General Order by the Government of India, date 1890, is republished :—

ORGANIZATION.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 1111.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the for an additional regiment of Native Infantry for service in Burma.

2. This corps will be formed from the existing Myingyan Military Police Battalion, will thus, under the new title set forth above, be converted into a local (Burma) battalion of the Madras Army.

3. The present 32nd Regiment of Madras Infantry will be broken up, and the Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men now serving therein will be transferred to other regiments, or pensioned, or discharged, in the manner hereinafter stated.

4. The corps to be now formed will ordinarily be stationed in Burma, but will be recruited for general service.

5. The strength of the corps will be as follows, organized in eight companies :—

1 Commandant.
2 Wing Commanders (the senior to be 2nd-in-command).
5 Wing Officers (of whom one will be adjutant, and one quartermaster).
1 Medical Officer.
8 Subadars (one of whom will be subadar-major).
8 Jemadars (one of whom will be Native adjutant).
41 Havildars (including one havildar-major).
40 Naiks.
16 Drummers or buglers.
720 Sepoys.

6. The British officers will be selected by the Commander-in-Chief, Madras, as far as possible from volunteers from the Madras Army, but the British officers now serving with the Police Battalion about to be converted, if belonging to another Presidency, may receive suitable appointments in the new corps, for a period of three years, should they be willing to remain with it and should it be desired to retain their services with it.

7. The rule [Article 266, clause (*a*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I] requiring commandants to vacate, on completion of seven years' tenure, will not, for the present, be applied to the commandant of the corps now formed.

8. The pay and allowances of the British officers of this corps will be the same as those allowed for the Native Infantry of the Indian Army, but in consideration of the circumstances of local service in Burma, each British officer will receive, in addition, a local allowance of Rs. 100 per mensem, and will also be eligible for the indulgence of three months' privilege leave in each year.

9. The British officers of this corps belonging to the Madras Army will be eligible for general staff employment, in the same way as all other officers of that Army. They will be subject to the same rules as regards exchanges and transfers as the officers of the other three Burma battalions.

10. Probationers for the Madras Staff Corps may be appointed direct to this corps in succession to vacancies, without first going through a course of duty with other regiments of the Madras Army.

11. The Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men now serving in the Myingyan Police Battalion will be eligible to continue serving in the corps on its conversion, on the terms now laid down.

12. The following rates of pay are sanctioned for the Native ranks of the corps, viz.: —

Pay as laid down for Madras in Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part II, Articles 45-C and 68-D *plus* the following monthly Burma allowance in lieu of field batta allowed to Madras troops in Burma,—*vide* Article 109-A of the same Regulations :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Subadar-Major	50	0	0
Subadar	30	0	0
Jemadar	15	0	0
Havildar	7	8	0
Naik	6	0	0
Drummer, bugler and sepoy	2	0	0

13. Good-conduct pay will be given, as laid down in Articles 85 and 86 of the regulations above quoted.

14. The conditions of service as regards enlistment, kit-money, clothing, half-mounting, discharge, pensions and free quarters will be the same as those already sanctioned for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Regiments of Burma Infantry.

15. Former service in the Police Battalion and in the Army will count towards the period of service required for the grant of good-conduct pay and pension.

16. All ranks, including Native officers, will be granted free rations, as in Army Regulations, India, Vol. V, para. 522.

17. Furlough and leave will be granted under the regulations in force in the Bengal Army.

18. The indulgences conceded to the military police in regard to families will be continued on the transfer of this corps to the Madras Army, viz. :—

(*a*) Native officers will be permitted to take their families to Burma on payment of half passage money.

(*b*) Twenty per cent. of havildars, 20 per cent. of naiks, and 5 per cent. of drummers, buglers and sepoys will be allowed a similar indulgence free of cost.

(*c*) Free accommodation will be provided for families to the above extent.

The term "families" is held to apply to wives and children only.

19. Soldiers serving in the battalion now formed will be liable to transfer to any other local Burma battalion to which it may hereafter be linked, as the exigencies of the service may require.

20. The * Regiment * * * will be composed in the first instance of Punjabis, but hereafter Karens, Shans and Kachins may be enlisted for it.

21. In view of the excess of senior officers at present in the Madras Army, the commandant to be displaced, or one commandant of the Madras Army or other officer of that standing to be selected by the Commander-in-Chief in that Presidency, will be eligible to retire on a pension of £150 per annum in addition to the pension to which he may be entitled under the regulations.

22. The Native officers, non-commissioned officers, and men now serving in the 32nd Madras Infantry will cease to be borne on the rolls thereof from the 31st January next, and will be disposed of as follows:—

(*a*) Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men who have served for pension for 25 years and upwards will be transferred to the pension establishment on the superior rate of pension of their rank, irrespective of the period they may have served therein, *plus* rice compensation.

(*b*) Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men of 15 years' service and upwards will be transferred to the pension establishment on the ordinary pension of their rank (irrespective of the period they may have served therein), *plus* rice compensation, with the option, in the case of non-commissioned officers and men, of joining the garrison reserve, and in the case of privates only who have not completed 21 years' service of being transferred to other regiments.

(*c*) Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men of more than 10 and less than 15 years' service to be transferred to the pension establishment on two-thirds of the ordinary rate of pension of their rank (irrespective of the period they may have served therein), *plus* rice compensation, with the option, in the case of non-commissioned officers and men, of joining the garrison reserve, and in the case of privates of being transferred to other regiments.

(*d*) Non-commissioned officers and men of more than 5 years' and less than 10 years' service will receive a gratuity of one month's pay (including good-conduct pay) for each year of service, and join the active reserve, or have the option of being transferred to other regiments.

(*e*) Non-commissioned officers and men of less than 5 years' service will have the option of joining the active reserve, or of being transferred to other regiments.

23. The restriction as to the number of men (160) to be permitted to join the active reserve of any one battalion, is suspended in regard to the 32nd Madras Infantry, and non-commissioned officers may be accepted for both the active and the garrison reserve of that regiment, without regard to the number of privates therein.

24. Reservists of the battalion to be broken up will be allowed the option of joining the reserves of the battalions linked to it, or of taking their discharge.

No. 11.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th December 1890, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1125.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonels, to be Colonels in the Army. Dated 19th December 1890.

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Wyndham Hughes Hallett, Madras Staff Corps.

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No. 12.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 27th December 1890, is republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Calcutta, the 23rd December 1890.

No. 929.—The services of Captain E. S. Hastings, D.S.O., Madras Staff Corps, Commandant, and Lieutenant H. D. Daly, Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commandant of the Myingyan Battalion of Military Police, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 1st January 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 13.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th November and 9th December 1890, are republished:—

India Office, 28th November 1890.

The Queen has approved of Commissions being conferred upon the undermentioned Senior Apothecaries of the Subordinate Medical Establishment in India, under the terms of the Royal Warrant of the 19th July 1890. Dated 19th July 1890, but to rank for purposes of precedence and other advantages attaching to corresponding Military rank from the dates given:—

* * * *

MADRAS.

Senior Apothecaries, First Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenants.

Thomas Ward, 27th January 1886.
Thomas Everard, 10th September 1887.
James George Ashworth, 7th November 1887.
John Norman, 14th July 1888.

Senior Apothecaries, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenants.

Edward Gillson, [illegible]th June 1886.
Thomas Kelly Hall, 9th December 1888.
Christian Michael Antonio (since deceased), 15th April 1889.
Jonas Isaac Laffrey, 22nd December 1889.
George Edwin King, 9th January 1890.
Jonathan Chadwick, 11th January 1890.

War Office, Pall Mall, 9th December 1890.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Joseph Gabbett, Madras, has been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 26th November 1890.

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RESTORATION TO THE EFFECTIVE LIST.

No. 14.—Brigade-Surgeon D. J. McCarthy, M.D., half-pay, Indian Medical Service, is restored to the Effective List, with effect from the 6th December 1890, the date of his arrival at Madras (*vide* G.O.G. No. 5 of 1891).

RETIREMENTS.

No. 15.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified:—

Colonel J. B. Leggett, Staff Corps,—1st December 1890.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 16.—OFFICERS—

The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st January 1891:—

Captain E. S. Hastings, D.S.O., Madras Staff Corps.
Lieutenant H. D. Daly, Bengal Staff Corps.

No. 17.—The services of Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the date he is relieved of his duties in the Commissariat-Transport Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 18.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Harry John to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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

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Fort St. George, 13*th January* 1891.

FUNDS.

No. 19.—MEDICAL—

The three large annuities and one small annuity of 1st January 1891 are disposed of as follows :—

Large Annuities.

Brigade Surgeon H. Griffith .. .. .. } From 1st January 1891.
Brigade Surgeon B. T. Suffrein .. .. .. }

N.B.—One large and one small annuity of January 1891 and another small annuity liberated by Brigade Surgeon H. Griffith, are available.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 20.—In G.O.G. No. 675 of 1890, granting Colonel R. G. Jenkins permission to reside out of India, *for* "24th year" *read* "34th year."

No. 21.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel T. K. Guthrie, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Lieutenant T. Fraser, Royal Engineers, till arrival of the *Euphrates* at Bombay.
Lieutenant U. W. Evans, Royal Engineers, three months, m.c.

No. 22.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Major M. Robinson, Indian Medical Service.
Captain H. D'U. Keary, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant S. R. Stevens, Staff Corps.

No. 23.—The undermentioned Warrant Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Sub-Conductor R. Saunders, Commissariat-Transport Department, for one year.
Sub-Conductor F. Beart, Ordnance Department, for one year.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 24.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd January 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 1.—Lieutenant A. R. Ditmas, Madras Staff Corps, 9th Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 28th October 1890. (Joined his appointment, 15th December 1890.)

No. 25.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd January 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 11.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels in the Army,—20*th December* 1890.

Alexander John Shaw, Madras General List, Infantry.
Robert Græme Elphinstone Dalrymple, Madras Staff Corps.

22*nd December* 1890.

Colin Charles Campbell, D.S.O., Madras Staff Corps.

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No. 26.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th December 1890, is republished:—

India Office, 12th December 1890.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Edward William Harris, from the North Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 27th February 1889, but to rank from 29th August 1885.

Lieutenant Edmund Flower Rainey, from the West India Regiment. Dated 31st March 1889, but to rank from 17th October 1888.

Second Lieutenant Charles Eustace Bowen, from the Leinster Regiment. Dated 26th February 1889.

Second Lieutenant Charles Edward DeLisle Solbé, from the Royal West Surrey Regiment. Dated 3rd March 1889.

Second Lieutenant William Bowen Powell, from the Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 10th March 1889.

Second Lieutenant Francis Goodwin Hill Sutton, from the Royal Irish Regiment. Dated 17th March 1889.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Pemberton How, from the Royal West Kent Regiment. Dated 1st April 1889.

Lieutenant Robert Pilkington Jackson, from the Royal Warwickshire Regiment. Dated 16th August 1889, but to rank from 31st July 1889.

Second Lieutenant William Donnan, from the Lincolnshire Regiment. Dated 12th August 1889.

Second Lieutenant Robert De Laune Faunce, from the Oxfordshire Light Infantry. Dated 27th August 1889.

Second Lieutenant Frederick William Bagshawe, from the Oxfordshire Light Infantry. Dated 19th September 1889.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major Terence Joseph McGann. Dated 25th July 1890.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Clement Mallins, M.D. Dated 30th September 1890.

Surgeon Edulji Maneckji Damla. Dated 30th September 1890.

Surgeon Herbert St. Clare Carruthers. Dated 30th September 1890.

MADRAS SUBORDINATE MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Senior Apothecary, First Grade.

Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, Thomas Kelly Hall. Dated 14th October 1890.

To be Senior Apothecaries, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenants.

Apothecary, First Grade, Edmund Trutwein. Dated 28th August 1890.

Apothecary, First Grade, Charles Trutwein. Dated 14th October 1890.

INDIAN ARMY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Rowland Henry Thomas Hill, Madras Infantry. Dated 17th May 1890.

The Queen has also approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers:—

* * * *

Colonel Joseph Beauchamp Leggett, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st December 1890.

Colonel David Cowie, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 29th November 1890.

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PENSIONS.

No. 27.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary S. J. Fewkes is transferred to the Pension Establishment on an invalid pension of Rupees 60 per mensem or £60 per annum, with effect from the date following that on which this order is received at the station in which he is serving, or if absent on leave, from the date of this order.

No. 28.—Sub-Conductor Madely, Ordnance Department, Madras, has been transferred by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to the Invalid Pension Establishment, with effect from the 19th January 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 29.—STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Hugh David M'Intyre .. .. .. } Dated 14th January 1891.
Lieutenant William Browne .. .. .. } Dated 14th January 1891.
Lieutenant Herbert Vaughan Cox .. .. .. } Dated 14th January 1891.

No. 30.—NATIVE ARMY—

5th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 3156, Kanakiah to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 26th September 1890.

15th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Peddananaidoo to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 1st December 1890.
Havildar, No. 812, Govindrajooloo to be Jemadar .. } Dated 1st December 1890.

31st Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Mahomed Hoossain to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 1st December 1890.
Havildar-Major, No. 921, Shaik Abdoolah to be Jemadar .. } Dated 1st December 1890.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 31.—OFFICERS—

The services of Second Lieutenant A. B. Dew, Probationer, Staff Corps, 22nd Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 9th January 1891.

STATEMENT of DEPOSITS on account of ESTATES during December 1890.

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.
1890. 13th Dec.	Brandon, John *	Gunner ..	European Artillery Veteran Company.	Pallavaram.	1890. 10th Aug.	..	Rs. A. P. 4 8 0	..

* Paid to the Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Madras, for investment of the amount in the Government Savings Bank for the benefit of the deceased's three children.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 20*th January* 1891.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 32.—S Battery, Royal Horse Artillery, is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 13th November 1890.

No. 33.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 10 of 1891, it is hereby notified that the 32nd (Burma) Regiment of Madras Infantry is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 1st January 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 34.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty:—

Captain K. M. Foss, Staff Corps, for one year. Pension service, 14th year, commenced 27th March 1890.

No. 35.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Surgeon-Major M. Robinson, Indian Medical Department, till 10th June 1891, pending retirement.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 36.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th December 1890, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1078.—Commissariat-Transport Department—

Sergeant G. H. Whitney to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 16th July 1890, *vice* Sub-Conductor G. T. Barnacle, remanded to regimental duty.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 37.—Colonel's Allowance—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Colonel's allowance with effect from the dates specified:—

Colonel G. E. Fryer, Staff Corps,—20th January 1891.
Colonel T. G. Clarke, Staff Corps,—26th January 1891.

REMOVAL FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 38.—R Battery, Royal Horse Artillery, is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 3rd November 1890.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 39.—Officers—

The services of Surgeon D. Simpson, M.B., Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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, 27*th January* 1891.

No. 40.—The following Notification, Proclamation, &c., from the *Fort St. George Gazette* Extraordinary dated 23rd January 1891, are republished :—

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE, JANUARY 23, 1891.

The Right Honorable Sir BEILBY LAWLEY, BARON WENLOCK, Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George and its Dependencies, arrived at Madras at 8 A.M. this day and was received under the usual honors by the principal Civil and Military Officers at the Presidency. His Lordship proceeded to the Council Chamber, Fort St. George, where, his Commission under the Sign Manual having been read by the Chief Secretary, His Excellency took his seat under a salute of seventeen guns.

The following proclamation is published :—

PROCLAMATION.

"Whereas the Right Honorable Sir BEILBY LAWLEY, BARON WENLOCK, has been appointed by the Queen to be Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George at Madras and its Dependencies, it is hereby proclaimed that His Excellency has, on the day of the date hereof, received charge of the said office of Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George and its Dependencies, and has taken his seat accordingly."

(By order of His Excellency the Governor in Council.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

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

To

Our Right Trusty and Well Beloved BEILBY BARON WENLOCK,

GREETING,

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second years of Our Reign, intituled "An Act for the better Government of India," It is enacted that the appointments of Governor-General of India, Fourth Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India, and Governors of Our Presidencies in India, shall be made by Us by Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual. Now know you that We reposing especial trust and confidence in the Fidelity, Prudence, Justice, and Circumspection of you, Have Nominated, made, constituted and appointed, And by these Presents Do nominate, make, constitute, and appoint you the said BEILBY BARON WENLOCK, to be Governor of Our Presidency of Fort St. George at Madras in the East Indies, and for all Our Affairs in that Presidency and at all other places and for all such affairs as are now subject to the Government of, or are managed at or in Our said Presidency of Fort St. George at Madras, and of All and Singular the Forts, Factories, Settlements, Lands, Territories, Countries, Places and Provinces thereunto belonging, or which now are or shall from time to time be subject to Our said Presidency, and to execute all and every the Powers and Authorities committed or given to the Governor of Our said Presidency of Fort St George at Madras, by or under or in virtue of a certain Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session held in the Third and Fourth years of the Reign of His late Majesty King WILLIAM THE FOURTH, intituled "An Act for effecting an arrangement with the East India Company, and for the better Government of His Majesty's Indian Territories till the thirtieth day of April One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four," or under any other Act of Parliament now in force. And We do hereby Authorize and Empower you, the said BEILBY BARON WENLOCK To take upon you, hold, and enjoy the said Office upon your arrival in the said Presidency, and to continue in the exercise of the said Office during Our Will and pleasure, Subject nevertheless to the Superintending and Controlling power vested in Our Governor-

General of India in Council as by the said Act of Parliament of His said late Majesty or any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in force is provided, and also subject to such instructions and directions as you, the said BEILBY BARON WENLOCK shall as the Governor or Governor in Council of Our said Presidency from time to time receive under the hand of one of Our Principal Secretaries of State, and We do hereby Order and Require all Our Servants, Officers, and Soldiers within the limits of Our said Presidency, and all the People and Inhabitants of Our said Fort St. George and City of Madraspatnam, to recognize you, the said BEILBY BARON WENLOCK, as Governor of Our said Presidency and to submit themselves accordingly in conformity with Law.

Given at Our Court at Osborne this twentieth day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety, and in the Fifty-fourth year of Our reign.

(By Her Majesty's Command.)

(Signed) CROSS.

Ordered that the above Proclamation and Commission be formally read at the head of the Troops in Fort. St. George under a salute of seventeen guns and three volleys of small arms.

Ordered also that the above-mentioned Proclamation and Commission be read with the usual ceremonies at the head of the Troops in the different Garrisons and at the several Stations of the Army.

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

FORT ST. GEORGE, JANUARY 23, 1891.

The Right Honorable the Governor is pleased to make the following appointments on His Excellency's Personal Staff :—

Mr. John David Rees, C.I.E., Collector of the Nilgiris, to act as Private Secretary.

Captain the Honorable Richard Thompson Lawley, 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, to be Military Secretary.

Captain the Honorable Everard Baring, 10th (Prince of Wales's Own Royal) Hussars, and Lieutenant the Lord Douglas James Cecil Compton, 9th (Queen's Royal) Lancers, to be Aides-de-Camp.

Lieutenant Hardress Gilbert Holmes, 2nd Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), to be Extra Aide-de-Camp.

Surgeon-Major Poole Robert Gabbett, Medical Staff, to be Surgeon.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Tredway Leonard, Bangalore Rifle Volunteers, to be Honorary Aide-de-Camp.

Subadar-Major Usman Khan, "Sirdar Bahadur," The Governor's Body Guard, to be Native Aide-de-Camp.

(By order of His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 41.—The 2nd Battalion, Devonshire Regiment, is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the 9th December 1890.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 42.—STAFF CORPS—

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

Lieutenant C. McC. Poulter, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 30th Madras Infantry,—22nd December 1889.

Lieutenant S. Geoghegan, Royal Irish Rifles, Wing Officer, 14th Madras Infantry,—22nd November 1889.

Second Lieutenant B. Scott, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 21st Madras Infantry,—26th August 1889.

Second Lieutenant A. B. Dew, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 22nd Madras Infantry,—16th December 1889.

Second Lieutenants Dew and Scott, will rank as Lieutenants in the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the 16th December and 26th August 1889 respectively, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 43.—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 approval of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant H. L. D. Fordyce, Royal Artillery, Wing Officer, 29th Madras Infantry,—28th June 1889.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 44.—Colonel T. G. Clarke, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India from or after the 26th January 1891.

No. 45.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel H. S. Elton, Staff Corps.

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

Captain A. Ffrench, Staff Corps	Arrived at Bombay on the 11th January 1891.
Lieutenant E. L. Holloway, Staff Corps	Arrived at Bombay on the 12th January 1891.

No. 47.—The furlough out of India granted to Honorary Surgeon R. S. Dawson, Civil Surgeon, Myingyan, is under Rule XIV, Clause 2 of the Regulations of 1868, and not as stated in G.O.G. No. 8 of 1891.

No. 48.—With reference to G.O.G. Nos. 292 of 1889 and 205 of 1890, Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Nicholson, Public Works Department, is granted 4 days' extension of leave, viz., from the 7th to the 10th November 1890.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 49.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th January 1891, is republished :—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 50.—*No.* 1 *Field Battery*—

Captain A. H. P. Turner, Royal Artillery, Commandant, No. 3 Field Battery (on furlough), to be Commandant, *vice* Captain Urquhart, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. Dated 18th November 1890.

No. 51.—*No.* 2 *Field Battery*—

Lieutenant R. F. Brewster, Royal Artillery, attached to No. 3 Field Battery, to be supernumerary Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant Ouseley, posted to No. 4 Field Battery. Dated 15th November 1890.

No. 52.—*No.* 3 *Field Battery*—

Captain F. J. Winter, Royal Artillery, officiating Commandant, to be Commandant, *vice* Captain Turner, transferred to No. 1 Field Battery. Dated 18th November 1890.

No. 53.—*No.* 4 *Field Battery*—

Lieutenant L. H. Parry, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, to be Commandant, *vice* Captain Nicolls, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

Lieutenant R. G. Ouseley, Royal Artillery, supernumerary Subaltern, No. 2 Field Battery, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant Parry, promoted,—

With effect from the 15th November 1890.

No. 50.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th January 1891, is republished :—

HONORARY DISTINCTIONS.

No. 64.—The Governor-General in Council has much pleasure in announcing that Her Majesty the Queen, Empress of India, has been graciously pleased to permit the corps named

below to bear upon their colors, standards and appointments the words "BURMA, 1885-87," in commemoration of their gallant conduct during the operations resulting in the conquest of Upper Burma :—

* * * *

The 1st Regiment of Madras Lancers.
The 2nd Regiment of Madras Lancers.

* * * *

The Madras Sappers and Miners (Queen's Own).

* * * *

The 1st Regiment of Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
The 3rd Regiment of Madras (Light) Infantry.
The 5th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 10th Regiment of Madras Infantry (since disbanded).
The 12th Regiment of Madras Infantry (since disbanded).
The 13th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 14th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 15th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 16th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 17th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 21st Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 23rd Regiment of Madras (Light) Infantry.
The 25th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 26th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 27th Regiment of Madras Infantry.
The 30th Regiment of Madras Infantry.

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No. 51.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th January 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 71.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following promotions of Warrant and Non-Commissioned officers, under the provisions of clause 48, India Army Circulars, 1884, for services with the Chin-Lushai Expedition of 1889-90 :—

Commissariat Department.

* * * *

Conductor George Watson Mills (Madras), to be Deputy Assistant Commissary.

* * * *

Sergeant Henry George Whitney (Madras), to be Conductor on promotion to Sub-Conductor in ordinary course.

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Subordinate Medical Department.

First-grade Apothecary Samuel Charles White (Madras), to be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade.

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First-grade Assistant Apothecary Henry William George King (Madras), to be Apothecary, Second Grade.
First-grade Assistant Apothecary Albert Robert Goddart Rodrigues (Madras), to be Apothecary, Second Grade.

} Subject to passing the prescribed examination within twelve months.

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No. 52.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 17th January 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Calcutta, the 14th January 1891.

No. 33.—The services of Lieutenant A. T. Young, Madras Staff Corps, 2nd in Command in the Upper Burma Military Police, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 1st February 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 53.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 30th December 1890, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 30th December 1890.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Henry Glover Puckle, Madras, has been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 9th December 1890.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 54.—STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Charles Warren Walker .. .. .. Dated 31st January 1891.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Frederick Gardner Bradley .. .. } Dated 31st January 1891.
Lieutenant Charles Henry Macintire Hitchins .. }

RETIREMENTS.

No. 55.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel F. Middlecoat, Staff Corps,—17th January 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 56.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 52 of 1891, the services of Lieutenant A. T. Young, Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st February 1891.

No. 57.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Public Department :—

Surgeon C. Adams, M.B., Indian Medical Service.
Surgeon A. J. O'Hara, Indian Medical Service.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 58.—APPOINTMENTS—

Southern Mahratta Railway Rifle Corps.

Volunteer Montagu Charles Clarke to be Second Lieutenant.

No. 59.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Artillery Volunteers ("Duke's Own").

Captain Eardley Norton is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Surgeon-Major W. R. Browne, M.D., is permitted to resign his appointment as Honorary Surgeon at his own request.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 3rd February 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 60.—Major-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., A.D.C., Commanding the Burma District, is granted one day's extension of leave on private affairs to cover the overstay of furlough granted him in G.O.G. No. 159 of 1890.

No. 61.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel H. E. Bayley, Infantry, 183 days, m.c.
Colonel H. M. Vibart, R.E., six months, m.c.
Colonel R. Bullock, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Captain W. H. D. Rich, Staff Corps, six months, p.a.
Lieutenant H. J. Macleod, Staff Corps, two months, m.c.

No. 62.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted furlough out of India :—

Major D. Robertson, Staff Corps, Political Agent, 2nd Class, Bundalkhand, and Superintendent, Rewah State (p.a.), for 7 months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 63.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Major J. F. Fitzpatrick, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
Lieutenant W. S. Hunter, Royal Engineers.

No. 64.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain H. L. Hutchins, Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department.	Arrived at Madras on the 20th January 1891.
Captain H. D'U. Keary, Staff Corps, Burma Military Police.	Arrived at Bombay on the 20th January 1891.
Lieutenant C. M. Eales, Staff Corps, 2nd Punjab Infantry.	Arrived at Bombay on the 19th January 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 65.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd January 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 76.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Frank William Daniell, Bedfordshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, The 4th (Prince Albert Victor's) Regiment of Bengal Infantry,—20th June 1889.

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No. 66.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd January 1891, is republished :—

No. 77.—The undermentioned officers having completed eighteen months' probationary service, are admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

* * * * *

Second Lieutenant John Loch Orr, 7th Hussars, Officiating Squadron Officer, 1st Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent, 30th June 1889.

Second Lieutenant Orr will rank as Lieutenant in the Bengal Staff Corps from the above date, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 67.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 24th January 1891, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 23rd January 1891.

No. 121-*G.*—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department:—

* * * *

Consequent on the return from furlough of Captain W. E. Evans-Gordon, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and with effect from the 29th November 1890—

Captain W. E. Evans-Gordon, Madras Staff Corps, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 68.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 6th January 1891, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 6th January 1891.

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Staff, Colonel A. F. Hamilton, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, has been appointed to command a Second-class District in India, with the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed. Dated 6th November 1890.

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MEMORANDA.

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The date of rank of Honorary Lieutenant Henry Hann, Madras Establishment, is ante-dated to 17th February 1886, the date of his promotion to the grade of Deputy Assistant Commissary.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Officers have been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 12th December 1890:—

* * * *

Colonel Henry Philip Hawkes, C.B., Madras, to be Major-General. Dated 12th December 1890.

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INDIAN ARMY.

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Colonel Francis Goring Rideout, Madras Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 12th December 1890.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 69.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Venaigamoorthy to be Subadar	Dated 18th December 1890.
Havildar, No. 616, Masilamony to be Jemadar	Dated 12th December 1890.
Havildar, No. 803, Mooroogasen to be Jemadar	Dated 18th December 1890.

4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Subadar Sungalee to be Subadar-Major	Dated 20th November 1890.
Jemadar Peddanah to be Subadar	Dated 20th November 1890.
Jemadar Abdul Sherif to be Subadar	Dated 25th November 1890.
Havildar, No. 1751, Venketachellum to be Jemadar	Dated 20th November 1890.
Havildar, No. 1215, Sillamon Sherif to be Jemadar	Dated 25th November 1890.

14th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Hoossain Sherriff to be Subadar	Dated 6th October 1890.
Jemadar Venketsawmy to be Subadar	
Havildar, No. 2961, Mahomed Sultan to be Jemadar	
Havildar, No. 3028, Syed Hoossain to be Jemadar	

22nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 631, Jugganath Singh to be Jemadar	Dated 16th December 1890.

27th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Narrainsawmy to be Subadar	Dated 21st November 1890.
Havildar, No. 669, Francis to be Jemadar	

REMOVALS FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 70.—The 1st Battalion, "King's Own" Scottish Borderers is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 6th January 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 71.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel T. G. Clarke, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 72.—The services of Major J. G. C. Curtis, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

No. 73.—The services of Captain J. Fowle, 21st Hussars, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 74.—The services of the undermentioned Officers who joined the Staff of His Excellency the late Governor of Madras from the Home Establishment, and now belong to Regiments serving in the Bengal Presidency, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India:—

Major J. J. Scott-Chisholme, 5th (Royal Irish) Lancers.
Captain L. Stamer, 16th (Queen's) Lancers.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 75.—RESIGNATIONS—

Southern Mahratta Railway Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant W. McA. Stewart 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Fort St. George, 10*th February* 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 76.—NATIVE ARMY—

10*th* (*Burma*) *Regiment of Madras Infantry.*

Subadar Ranjit Bam, Shewbo Military Police Battalion, to be Subadar.
Jemadar Himmat Singh, Shewbo Military Police Battalion, to be Jemadar.
} Dated 17th November 1890.

No. 77.—The following direct appointment is made :—

10*th* (*Burma*) *Regiment of Madras Infantry.*

Partiman Thapa to be Jemadar, on probation, with effect from the 21st October 1890, *vice* Jemadar Pahal Singh Thapa, pensioned.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 78.—Colonel W. L. N. Knyvett, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of Inida, under Article 738 (*b*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, from or after the 1st April 1891. Pension service,—37th year, commenced 6th September 1890.

No. 79.—Colonel T. Higginson, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India, under Article 738 (*a*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, from or after the 1st April 1891. Pension service,—35th year, commenced 30th September 1890.

No. 80.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Captain R. H. C. Tufnell, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Captain G. W. Maxwell, Staff Corps, ten days, u.p.a.
Captain E. J. P. Warden, Staff Corps, till 6th July 1891, m.c.
Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Staff Corps, four months, m.c.
Lieutenant F. C. Logan-Home, Staff Corps, 183 days, m.c.

No. 81.—Captain H. L. Hutchins, Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted an extension of furlough out of India on private affairs, for one day, viz., 19th January 1891.

No. 82.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain C. F. Stevens, Staff Corps.
Captain G. W. Maxwell, Staff Corps.

No. 83.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major G. L. Walker, Indian Medical Service .. { Arrived at Madras on the 16th November 1890.
Lieutenant T. Fraser, Royal Engineers .. .. { Arrived at Bombay, on the 28th January 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 84.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 31st January 1891, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 29*th January* 1891.

No. 156-*G.*—Colonel E. J. Gunthorpe, Madras Staff Corps, a District Superintendent of Police of the 3rd Class, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd class, in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, with effect from the 16th September 1890, and until further orders.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 85.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 13th and 20th January 1891, are republished :—

India Office, 13*th January* 1891.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Guillum Scott Baugh. Dated 12th November 1890.

To be Captains.

Captain George Cortlandt Childe Shakespear, from the Bengal Staff Corps, *vice* Grover, who exchanges. Dated 21st November 1890, but to rank from 12th November 1889.

Lieutenant Arthur Ffrench. Dated 15th November 1890.

Lieutenant Claude Cambridge Tennant. Dated 26th November 1890.

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INDIAN ARMY.

To be Colonels.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Allan Chaplin, Madras Infantry. Dated 12th November 1890.

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The Queen has also approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers :—

Colonel Henry Albany Hammond, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st January 1891.

* * * *

Brigade Surgeon Benjamin Thomas Suffrein, Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 12th October 1890.

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

* * * *

Colonel E. W. Begbie, Madras Infantry, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel S. E. Rolland, who has vacated. Dated 20th October 1890.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 20*th January* 1891.

* * * *

Staff, Colonel M. Protheroe, C.B., C.S.I., Madras Staff Corps, from Quartermaster-General, Madras, to Command a Second-class District in India, and to have the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, *vice* Colonel (local Major-General) R. C. Stewart, C.B., who has vacated that appointment. Dated 26th October 1890.

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MEMORANDA.

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Lieutenant-Colonel George Lecky, Madras Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 12th November 1890.

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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 3rd January 1891 :—

* * * *

Thomas Spence Hawks, Madras.

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INDIAN ARMY.

Colonel Edward George Dixon, Madras Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 3rd January 1891.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 86.—NATIVE ARMY—

10*th* (*Burma*) *Regiment of Madras Infantry.*

Havildar, No. 19, Drigasing Groong to be Jemadar
Havildar, No. 55, Muhammad Yakub to be Jemadar } Dated 21st October 1890.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 87.—NATIVE ARMY—

Subadar Jaghirdar Desaraj Urs is permitted to resign his commission in the 3rd Madras Light Cavalry at his own request.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 88.—Colonel S. E. Atkinson, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £783-5-0 per annum, with effect from the 10th February 1891.

No. 89.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified:—

Major T. A. F. Leader, Staff Corps,—11th January 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 90.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel W. L. N. Knyvett, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st April 1891.

No. 91.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for duty with the Hazara Field Force:—

Captain E. C. W. Mackenzie-Kennedy, 1st Madras Pioneers.
Lieutenant G. M. MacHutchin, 16th Madras Infantry.

No. 92.—The services of Surgeon C. Adams, Indian Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 93.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir Beilby Lawley, Lord Wenlock, Governor of Madras, has been pleased to accept the office of Honorary Colonel of the Corps, with effect from the 23rd January 1891.

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. John Albert Alexander Gow to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant A. Rea, promoted, to complete the Establishment.

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Reginald Heber Shipley, Esq., C.S., to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Second Lieutenant C. P. H. Leggatt, resigned.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Volunteer Alfred Pierce Russell to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Captain R. A. Bell, promoted

No. 94.—RESIGNATIONS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain F. G. M. Pascal is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Second Lieutenant C. P. H. Leggatt 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Fort St. George, 17th February 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 95.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel R. E. Cox, General List, Infantry, in charge of Family Payments and Pensions Mercara, (p.a.) for eighteen months, from 1st June 1891, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 96.—Major S. R. Rawlinson, D.S.O., Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted an extension of furlough on private affairs for four days, viz, from the 4th to the 7th October 1890, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

No. 97.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (America and Europe) on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Captain H. D. Gerrard, Staff Corps, 17th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service, —17th year, commenced 29th April 1890.

No. 98.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant S. L. Aplin, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant J. Kendall, Staff Corps.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 99.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th February 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 119.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the leave rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Fletcher, Royal Artillery, Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, for one year. Pension service,—25th year, commenced 5th May 1890. (This cancels the leave granted to him in G.G.O. No. 80 of 1891.)

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No. 100.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th February 1891, is republished :—

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 130.—Store Sergeant George Richard Hartley to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 19th January 1891, *vice* Sub-Conductor W. Madely, transferred to the Pension Establishment.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 101.—NATIVE ARMY—

2nd Madras Lancers.

Havildar, No. 1294, Shaik Abdool Rhymon to be Jemadar .. Dated 25th January 1891.

No. 102.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary T. C. Lawrence to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect from the 18th February 1891.

REMOVALS FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 103.—The 1st Battalion, Hampshire Regiment, is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment from the 1st February 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 104.—APPOINTMENTS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. Charles D'Arcy McArthy to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Second Lieutenant W. S. Carlyon, resigned.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 16th February 1891.

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 months of November 1890 and January 1891:—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Madras Staff Corps ..	Lieutenant L. R. Tuson * ..	27th Oct. 1890 ..	Madras ..	Testate.
Invalid Establishment.	Lieutenant and Honorary Captain J. Markham.*	20th ,, ,, ..	Yercaud ..	Do.
Indian Medical Service.	Brigade Surgeon D. J. McCarthy, M.D.	27th Jan. 1891 ..	Secunderabad ..	....
Royal Engineers ..	Lieutenant B. A. James ..	2nd ,, ,, ..	Thetta ..	....

* Estate made over to the deceased's widow under the provisions of section 8 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 24th February 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 105.—STAFF CORPS—

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

Second Lieutenant H. M. M. Brooke, Essex Regiment, Wing Officer, 29th Madras Infantry ;—22nd October 1889.

Second Lieutenant F. W. B. Gray, Royal Berkshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 17th Madras Infantry ;—22nd January 1890.

Second Lieutenants Brooke and Gray will rank as Lieutenants in the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the 22nd October 1889 and 22nd January 1890, respectively, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 106.—The undermentioned Officer having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the approval of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Second Lieutenant G. M. Morris, South Lancashire Regiment, Wing Officer, 2nd Madras Infantry ;—27th February 1889.

Second Lieutenant Morris will rank as Lieutenant in the Madras Staff Corps, with effect from the 27th February 1889, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 107.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel C. J. Smith, Royal Engineers, six months, m.c.

Colonel T. Higginson, Staff Corps (1st Punjab Infantry), till 1st April 1891, p.a.

Colonel J. G. D. Walker, Cavalry, till 6th June 1891,* p.a.

* Leave without pay from 23rd May to 5th June 1891, inclusive.

No. 108.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India :—

Colonel T. Higginson, Staff Corps, on vacating regimental command on 1st April 1891.

Colonel J. G. D. Walker, Cavalry, do. do. on 6th June 1891.

No. 109.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Colonel A. Anderson, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 8th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 24th November 1890.

Lieutenant A. A. Jones, Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers, *d.d.* 4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry, for one year. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 29th July 1890.

No. 110.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel J. C. Gunning, Staff Corps, Commissary-General, Madras (p.a.), for 1 year and 82 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon-Major H. G. Hall, Indian Medical Service, 21st Regiment, Madras Infantry (p.a.), for 13 months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant S. G. Radcliff, Staff Corps, 29th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 111.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain T. H. Haughton, Staff Corps.

Lieutenant A. FitzW. Johnson, Probationer, Staff Corps.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 112.—STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Edward Leigh Holloway .. .. .. Dated 25th February 1891.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 113.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to resign his commission, with effect from the date specified, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant A. L. Gallie, Staff Corps,—15th February 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 114.—STAFF CORPS—

Colonel W. J. Pickance, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £783-5-0 per annum, with effect from the 28th February 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 115.—OFFICERS—

In G.O.G. No. 74 of 1891, placing the services of Major J. J. Scott-Chisholme, 5th (Royal Irish) Lancers, and Captain L. Stamer, 16th (Queen's) Lancers, at the disposal of the Government of India, *for* "the Government of India," *read* "His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief."

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 116.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

His Excellency the Right Honorable Lord Wenlock, G.C.I.E., Governor of Madras, has been pleased to accept the office of Honorary Colonel of the Corps, with effect from the 8th February 1891.

No. 117.—RESIGNATIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain H. D. B. Mactaggart 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, 10th February 1891.

STATEMENT of SUMS CREDITED during the month of January 1891 on account of Estates of Military Officers, &c., deceased.

The date of each deposit.	On account of what estate each deposit is received.	Rank and corps of deceased.	General number of soldier.	Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of each deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to each estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Date to which claims will be received.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
						RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	$ RS. A. P.		
19th Jan. 1891.	Burn, W. A. F.	Lieutenant, M.S.C.	..	22nd Nov. 1889.	Intestate.	1,229 13 4	..	*1,229 13 4	..	Captain A. G. Burn, District Staff Officer, Wellington, Madras.

* Paid to the Administrator-General, Madras.

Fort St. George, 20*th February* 1891.

It is hereby notified that the undersigned is prepared to dispose of the sealed packets containing medals, &c., belonging to the Estates of the undermentioned Warrant and Non-Commissioned officers and men. Claims should be submitted to this department through the Staff Officer of the station in which each claimant may be residing:—

Sub-Conductor J. Cosser, Ordnance Department.
Sergeant E. Whitburn, 2nd Battalion, Artillery.
Corporal and Acting Sergeant J. Campbell, No. 4 Battery, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.
Corporal F. Carruthers, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery.
Corporal J. Furlong, 3rd Madras European Regiment.
Corporal T. Jollie, Horse Artillery.
Bombardier E. Addison, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Private D. Buckley, 3rd Madras European Regiment.
Private D. Marshall, 1st Madras Fusiliers.
Gunner J. Webber, Madras Artillery.
Bugler S. Hines, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Gunner John Hensy, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Discharged Private Ramaswamy, 43rd Madras Infantry.
Deserted Private Veeraswamy, Sappers and Miners.
Discharged Private Vencatah, 35th Madras Infantry.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 3rd March 1891.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 118.—The undermentioned Batteries of Royal Artillery are admitted on the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the dates specified :—

The 5th Field Battery,—17th February 1891.
The 42nd Field Battery,—10th February 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 119.—District Staff—

Colonel T. VanStraubenzee, C.B., Royal Artillery, Colonel on the Staff, Royal Artillery, Madras Circle, to command a District of the Second Class, with the local and temporary rank of Brigadier-General, *vice* Major-General G. J. Smart, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 28th February 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 120.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel J. C. Doveton, Staff Corps, 6 months, M.C.

No. 121.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant R. M. Rainey, Staff Corps.
Surgeon C. Mallins, Indian Medical Department.

No. 122.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on urgent private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant K. J. Buchanan, Staff Corps, 4th Sikh Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 22nd December 1890.

No. 123.—Apothecary M. Veramahali Pillay, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (u.p.a.) for 90 days, under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 124.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th February 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 177.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881, the name of Major-General D. G. S. St. J. Grant, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals on the Indian Gradation List, in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supernumerary List on the 3rd January 1891 of Lieutenant-General F. Roome, C.B., Bombay Staff Corps.

No. 125.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th February 1891, is republished :—

No. 181.—*Madras*—

Sergeant E. H. B. Wilmott to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 10th December 1890, *vice* Sub-Conductor J. Sheehy, remanded to regimental duty.

No. 126.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st February 1891, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 19th February 1891.

No. 76.—Surgeon C. Adams, M.B., Officiating Medical Officer, 15th Regiment, Madras Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Civil Surgeon of Coorg during the absence on privilege leave of Surgeon J. C. Marsden, or until further orders.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 19th February 1891.

No. 269-*G.*—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department :—

Consequent on the grant of furlough to Captain W. H. Cornish, Political Agent of the 2nd Class, substantive *pro tempore*, and with effect from the 1st February 1891 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Fraser, Madras Staff Corps, Political Agent of the 3rd Class (on furlough), to be a substantive Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 127.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd February 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd February 1891.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * *

Colonel George Edward Fryer, Madras, has been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 20th January 1891.

INDIAN ARMY.

Major-General Charles Annesley Benson, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 14th January 1891.

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PENSIONS.

No. 128.—Conductor William Maddocks, Commissariat Transport Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a retiring pension of £90 per annum, with effect from the 26th March 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 129.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Sheik Ahmad to be Subadar .. .. .. Dated 29th January 1891.

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Abdool Gunny to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 20th November 1890.
Havildar, No. 1276, Ahbeeb Khan to be Jemadar .. }

REMOVALS FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 130.—The undermentioned Batteries of Royal Artillery are struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the dates specified :—

The 20th Field Battery,—16th January 1891.
The 59th Field Battery,—18th November 1890.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 131.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified:—

Colonel R. H. T. Hill, General List, Infantry,—6th March 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 132.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant C. L. O. Reid, Staff Corps, 6th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 133.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Mr. John Fortune to be Major to fill an existing vacancy in the Corps.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, 3rd March 1891.

STATEMENT of SUMS CREDITED during the month of February 1891 on account of Estates of Military Officers, &c., deceased.

The date of each deposit.	On account of what estate each deposit is received.	Rank and corps of deceased.	General number of soldier.	Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of each deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to each estate.	Total of undrained amount deposited.	Date to which claims will be received.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
20th Feb. 1891.	Langley, L.	Major, Royal Engineers.	..	18th Apl. 1890.	Intestate.	RS. A. P. 1,081 13 9	RS. A. P. ..	RS. A. P. 1,081 13 9	3rd Apl. 1891.	(Father) General Sir G. C. Langley, K.C.B., Royal Marines, (Retired List), St. Helens, Queen's Crescent Southsea, England.

Fort St. George, 2nd March 1891.

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 Non-Commissioned Officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Estate Department during the month of February 1891:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
Madras Staff Corps ..	Major H. F. V. Gaitskell ..	14th Dec. 1890 ..	Mardan ..	....
Bengal Staff Corps, 33rd (Burma) Regiment Madras Infantry.	Major E. B. Nixon	11th Feb. 1891 ..	Fort Stedman ..	....
Madras Staff Corps ..	Lieutenant E. W. Jamieson ..	11th ,, ,, ..	Do. ..	....
Eur opean Artillery Veter an Company.	Bombardier J. Brew * ..	21st Jan. ,, ..	Pallavaram ..	Testate.

* Estate made over to the deceased's widow under the provisions of section 8 of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863.

Fort St. George, 20*th February* 1891.

It is hereby notified that the undersigned is prepared to dispose of the sealed packets containing medals, &c., belonging to the Estates of the undermentioned Warrant and Non-Commissioned officers and men. Claims should be submitted to this department through the Staff Officer of the station in which each claimant may be residing :—

Sub-Conductor J. Cosser, Ordnance Department.
Sergeant E. Whitburn, 2nd Battalion, Artillery.
Corporal and Acting Sergeant J. Campbell, No. 4 Battery, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.
Corporal F. Carruthers, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery.
Corporal J. Furlong, 3rd Madras European Regiment.
Corporal T. Jollie, Horse Artillery.
Bombardier E. Addison, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Private D. Buckley, 3rd Madras European Regiment.
Private D. Marshall, 1st Madras Fusiliers.
Gunner J. Webber, Madras Artillery.
Bugler S. Hines, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Gunner John Hensy, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Discharged Private Ramaswamy, 43rd Madras Infantry.
Deserted Private Veeraswamy, Sappers and Miners.
Discharged Private Vencatah, 35th Madras Infantry.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 6th March 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 134.—Lieutenant-General the Honorable SIR JAMES CHARLEMAGNE DORMER, K.C.B. appointed by Her Majesty the Queen Empress to be Commander of all the Forces serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George, arrived from Bombay on the 5th March 1891, and assumed the Office of Commander-in-Chief under the usual salute this day.

All Officers and Soldiers on the Establishment of Fort St. George will obey Lieutenant-General the Honorable SIR JAMES CHARLEMAGNE DORMER, K.C.B., as Commander-in-Chief, and all returns are henceforth to be made to His Excellency accordingly.

No. 135.—With reference to the General Order by Government of this date, No. 134, notifying the assumption by His Excellency Lieutenant-General the Honorable SIR JAMES CHARLEMAGNE DORMER, K.C.B., of the Office of Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that all honors and compliments which have hitherto been paid to General SIR CHARLES GEORGE ARBUTHNOT, K.C.B., R.A., shall be continued to His Excellency until his departure from this Presidency.

Fort St. George, 10th March 1891.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 136.—The 2nd Battalion, Suffolk Regiment, is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 26th February 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 137.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel J. K. Clubley, Staff Corps, Commandant, 2nd Regiment, Madras Infantry (p.a.), for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868.

Brigade Surgeon L. C. Nanney, Indian Medical Service, Civil Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Kurnool (p.a.) for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 138.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Captain H. D. M'Intyre, Staff Corps, Burma Military Police, for one year,—Pension service, 11th year, commenced 17th November 1890.

Captain H. G. Sutton, Staff Corps, 27th Madras Infantry, for one year,—Pension service, 12th year, commenced 13th August 1890.

No. 139.—Captain E. L. Holloway, Staff Corps, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is granted an extension of his leave out of India for one day, viz., 13th January 1891, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

No. 140.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Major C. A. Cresswell, Staff Corps.

No. 141.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Conductor H. Adutt, Ordnance Department, six months (m.c.).

No. 142.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary G. Blazey, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, is granted leave in India, (p.a.), for twelve months, under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I.

No. 143.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on urgent private affairs, under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Sub-Conductor Noah Smith, Commissariat-Transport Department, for six months.

No. 144.—First-grade Apothecary M. A. Hardy, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (p.a.), for six months, under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 145.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th February 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 188.—Second Lieutenant G. F. R. Forbes, Royal Irish Regiment, appointed by the Secretary of State for India to be 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. 146.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th February 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 206.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the promotion to the rank of Apothecary, Second Grade, of First-grade Assistant Apothecary Reuben Clarence D'Sena, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, under the provisions of clause 48 of India Army Circulars, 1884, in recognition of his good services at Suakin and in the Chin Hills.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 207.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following admissions to the Order of British India, with effect from the dates specified :—

MADRAS.

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

Subadar Veeragoo, 25th Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Moonesawmy, *Bahadur*, deceased,—6th November 1890.

Subadar Moonesawmy, 15th Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Bram Khan, *Bahadur*, deceased,—11th November 1890.

No. 147.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th February 1891, is republished :—

STAFF CORPS.

No. 208.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following Despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, together with a Royal Warrant relating to the amalgamation of the Bengal, Madras and Bombay Staff Corps, for general information :—

MILITARY,
No. 21.

INDIA OFFICE,
London, 5th February 1891.

To His Excellency The Most Honorable The Governor-General of India in Council.

MY LORD MARQUIS,

I have received and considered in Council your Military Despatch No. 111 of the 9th June 1890.

2. Concurring in the opinion of your Government as to the desirability of amalgamating into one the Staff Corps of the three presidencies, I submitted your proposal for Her Majesty's approval.

3. Her Majesty was pleased to approve of the amalgamation, and I forward herewith copies of a Royal Warrant, dated 28th January 1891, carrying it into effect.

4. You will observe that I do not propose, for the present, to discontinue the use of the title "Staff Corps." It appears to me that, so long as there remain any officers of the Local Service or of the General List, the change of name would be inconvenient. The Secretary of State for War and His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief concur in this view.

I have the honor to be,
My Lord Marquis,
Your Lordship's most obedient humble servant,
(Signed) CROSS.

VICTORIA R. I.

WHEREAS We deem it expedient that the Staff Corps in the Presidencies of Our Indian Dominions shall be amalgamated :

Our Will and Pleasure is that, with effect from the date of this Our Warrant, the Bengal, Madras and Bombay Staff Corps shall be formed into one Corps, to be denominated Our Indian Staff Corps.

The names of the officers who entered the Staff Corps after the 12th September 1866, and before the 1st July 1881, shall continue to be borne on three separate lists for the purpose of regulating their succession to Colonels' allowances.

Given at Our Court at Osborne, this Twenty-eighth day of January 1891, in the Fifty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

(Signed) CROSS.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 148.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 10th February 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 10th February 1891.

* * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary Delme Mootham, Madras Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 17th February 1886.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 149.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Colonel's allowance with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel A. A. Johnson, Staff Corps,—14th March 1891.

No. 150.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Brigade Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major A. L. Hackett .. .. .. Dated 28th January 1891.

No. 151.—NATIVE ARMY—

24th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 345, Shaikh Cossim to be Jemadar .. Dated 18th November 1890.

29th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Venketsawmy to be Subadar .. ..
Havildar, No. 569, Abdool Razack to be Jemadar .. } Dated 5th February 1891.

No. 152.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

Ordnance Artificer Robert McMahon, Survey Department, dated 10th March 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 153.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain R. W. Preston, 9th Bombay Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 154.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain H. Phillips is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 20*th February* 1891.

It is hereby notified that the undersigned is prepared to dispose of the sealed packets containing medals, &c., belonging to the Estates of the undermentioned Warrant and Non-Commissioned officers and men. Claims should be submitted to this department through the Staff Officer of the station in which each claimant may be residing:—

Sub-Conductor J. Cosser, Ordnance Department.
Sergeant E. Whitburn, 2nd Battalion, Artillery.
Corporal and Acting Sergeant J. Campbell, No. 4 Battery, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.
Corporal F. Carruthers, 1st Battalion, Madras Artillery.
Corporal J. Furlong, 3rd Madras European Regiment.
Corporal T. Jollie, Horse Artillery.
Bombardier E. Addison, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Private D. Buckley, 3rd Madras European Regiment.
Private D. Marshall, 1st Madras Fusiliers.
Gunner J. Webber, Madras Artillery.
Bugler S. Hines, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Gunner John Hensy, European Artillery Veteran Company.
Discharged Private Ramaswamy, 43rd Madras Infantry.
Deserted Private Veeraswamy, Sappers and Miners.
Discharged Private Vencatah, 35th Madras Infantry.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBTRT, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

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Fort St. George, 17th March 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 155.—ARMY STAFF—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 160 of 1891, the date of appointment of Brigadier-General E. H. Eyre as Quartermaster-General, Madras Army, notified in G.O.G. No. 1 of 1891, is ante-dated to 12th October 1890.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 156.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Colonel J. M. C. Galloway, Madras Cavalry, Commandant, 2nd Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—34th year, commenced 10th January 1891.

Lieutenant C. E. N. Priestley, Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 5th February 1891.

No. 157.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain P. G. Huggins, D.S.O., Staff Corps, 3 months, p.a.

Lieutenant W. B. Young, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.

Lieutenant J. Kendall, Staff Corps, one week, u.p.a.

Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, Staff Corps, furlough on m.c., commuted to furlough on *p.a.* and extended to 1st September 1891.

No. 158.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to England on medical certificate, under para. 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II :—

Second Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Probationer, Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer (on probation), 25th Madras Infantry. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 22nd August 1890.

No. 159.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major T. Mayne, Indian Medical Service .. { Arrived at Bombay on the 18th August 1890.

Captain T. H. Haughton, Staff Corps .. .. { Arrived at Bombay on the 2nd March 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 160.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 6th March 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 216.—The confirmation of Brigadier-General M. Protheroe, C.B., C.S.I., Staff Corps, as Commandant of the Hyderabad Contingent, will have effect from the 12th and not the 26th October 1890, as notified in G.G.O. No. 1044* of 1890.

* *Vide* Madras G.O.G. No. 666 of 1890.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

No. 217.—The following appointments are made with effect from the 16th January 1891, *vice* Major R. T. Hawkes, Military Accountant, 3rd class, deceased :—

Captain H. F. Cadell, Military Accountant, 4th class, to be Military Accountant, 3rd class.

Captain H. M. Prior, Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class, to be Military Accountant, 4th class.

Captain H. E. Passy, Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class, to be Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class.

Captain G. W. S. Fryer, Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd class, to be Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class.

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No. 161.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th March 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 226.—*Madras*—

Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary Henry Foster to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary Thomas Baker, Superintendent and Deputy Examiner, Office of the Examiner of Ordnance Accounts, to be Assistant Commissary, *seconded*;

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

Honorary Lieutenant and Supernumerary Deputy Assistant Commissary Charles Johnson to be absorbed;

Sub-Conductor Edwin Bonner, Manager, Arsenal Office, Madras, to be Conductor, *seconded*;

Sub-Conductor Thomas Lynch to be Conductor;—

with effect from the 24th February 1891, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary G. Dempster, deceased.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 162.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 17th February 1891, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 17th February 1891.

The undermentioned Deputy Assistant Commissaries, Madras Establishment, have been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 6th October 1890 :—

Thomas Baker.
Charles McCarthy.

India Office, 17th February 1891.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant William George Grey, from the South Lancashire Regiment. Dated 23rd October 1889, but to rank from 25th August 1886.

Lieutenant Richard William Arthur Denne, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated 17th April 1889, but to rank from 8th December 1886.

Second Lieutenant Edward Herbert Roome, from the South Lancashire Regiment. Dated 11th February 1889.

Second Lieutenant Henry Phillipps Bell, from the Worcestershire Regiment. Dated 27th February 1889.

Second Lieutenant Allan Meyrick Anderson, from the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. Dated 4th April 1889.

Second Lieutenant Herbert William Heffernan, from the Norfolk Regiment. Dated 10th August 1889.

Second Lieutenant Hugh Rose Troup, from the South Lancashire Regiment. Dated 26th October 1889.

Second Lieutenant Francis Herbert Johnstone, from the Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 16th November 1889.

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INDIAN ARMY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick William Buller, Madras Cavalry. Dated 4th December 1890.

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The Queen has also approved of the restoration of the undermentioned Officer from the Half-pay List to the Effective List :—

Surgeon-Major David John McCarthy, M.D., Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 8th December 1890.

The Queen has also approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers :—

Colonel Francis Middlecoat, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 17th January 1891.

Major Thomas Alexander Frederick Leader, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th January 1891.

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PENSIONS.

No. 163.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary Robert Butler, Commissariat-Transport Department, is permitted to retire from the service, on a retiring pension of Rupees 240 per mensem, with effect from the 28th January 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 164.—Barrack Department—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant Herbert Rodwell .. .. Dated 17th March 1891.

No. 165.—Native Army—

11th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Appulsawmy to be Subadar .. .. .. Dated 6th September 1890.
Jemadar Mahomed Ukber to be Subadar .. .. Dated 16th December 1890.

No. 166.—Subordinate Medical Department—

First-grade Apothecary T. Todd to be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, *vice* Senior Apothecary and Honorary Lieutenant C. Trutwein, deceased. Dated 11th March 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 167.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel T. H. B. Young, Staff Corps,—1st February 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 168.—Officers—

The services of Lieutenant C. E. H. Connell, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 169.—Promotions—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant F. G. Oliver to be Captain, *vice* Captain H. D. B. Mactaggart, resigned.

Second Lieutenants N. R. Fleming and R. H. Campbell to be Lieutenants, *vice* Lieutenants R. A. Bell and F. G. Oliver, promoted.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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, 19*th March* 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 170.—STAFF CORPS—

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

Second Lieutenant W. B. Staunton, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 29th Madras Infantry ;—15th February 1890.

Second Lieutenant F. F. Major, Dorsetshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 5th Madras Infantry ;—10th October 1889.

Second Lieutenants Staunton and Major will rank as Lieutenants in the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 15th February 1890 and 10th October 1889 respectively, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 171.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (Europe and Cape of Good Hope) on private affairs, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Colonel A. J. Shaw, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 7th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 17th April 1890.

No. 172.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Captain H. Lawson, Staff Corps, 14th Regiment, Madras Infantry, for four months. Pension service,—13th year, commenced 11th April 1890.

No. 173.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant T. D. Leslie, Staff Corps, 2nd Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent, for one year. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 9th September 1890.

No. 174.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel C. H. Grace, Staff Corps, six months, M.C.

No. 175.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India :—

Colonel D. T. Hatchell, Staff Corps, on vacating regimental command on 2nd April 1891.

No. 176.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain A. H. Kellie, Staff Corps.
Honorary Lieutenant H. Foster, Ordnance Department.

No. 177.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major J. F. Fitzpatrick, M.D., Indian Medical Service. } Arrived at Bombay on the 9th March 1891.

No. 178.—First-grade Apothecary C. Thipthorpe, Madras Subordinate Medical Department, Civil Surgeon, Wardha, is granted leave in India on medical certificate for one year, with effect from the 15th September 1890, under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 179.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 14th March 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Calcutta, the 9th March 1891.

No. 118.—Lieutenant C. L. O. Reid, Madras Staff Corps, 6th Madras Infantry, is appointed to be an Assistant Commissioner, 4th grade, in Burma.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 180.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 24th February 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 24th February 1891.

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Staff. Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel E. H. Eyre, Indian Staff Corps, to be Quartermaster-General of the Madras Army, with the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, *vice* Brigadier-General M. Prothero, C.B., C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps, appointed to the Command of a Second Class District in India. Dated 26th October 1890.

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MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels. Dated 19th December 1890 :—

Wyndham Hughes Hallett, Madras Staff Corps.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 181.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Arnachellum to be Subadar .. .. .. Dated 8th January 1891.

3rd Madras Cavalry.

Jemadar Shumshair Khan to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 25th January 1891.
Havildar, No. 188, Rugbir Sing to be Jemadar .. .. }

6th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Abdoolah Khan to be Subadar-Major .. .. } Dated 16th December 1890.
Jemadar Mahomed Ghouse to be Subadar .. .. }
Havildar-Major, No. 1791, Appulsawmy to be Jemadar .. }

19th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Narrainsawmy to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 5th January 1891.
Havildar-Major, No. 3439, Abdool Azeem Khan to be Jemadar }

RETIREMENTS.

No. 182.—The date of retirement of Colonel W. J. Pickance, Madras Retired List, notified in G.O.G. No. 114 of 1891, is altered from the 28th February 1891 to 1st March 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 183.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Artillery Volunteers.

Lieutenant J. N. Cooke to be Captain, *vice* Captain E. Norton, resigned.

No. 184.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant H. M. Brown is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 11*th March* 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Date to which claims will be received.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number of soldier.							
10th Mar. 1891.	Major.	Langley, L.	Royal Engineers.	..	18th Apl. 1890.	Intestate.	RS. A. P. 474 10. 9	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 1,556 8 6	3rd Apl. 1891.	(Father) General Sir G. C. Langley, K.C.B., Royal Marines (Retired List), St. Helens, Queen's Crescent, Southsea, England.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 7th April 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 185.—His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard—

The Right Honorable the Governor is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Lieutenant B. J. H. Humfrey, Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Light Cavalry, to be Adjutant.

No. 186.—Medical Department—

Brigade Surgeon D. F. Bateman, Indian Medical Service, to be Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras, *vice* Deputy Surgeon-General C. E. McVittie.

No. 187.—Native Army—

32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion) Madras Infantry.

Sepooran Sing	to be Subadar-Major	Dated 1st January 1891.
Bela Sing, Mirza Bux, Mit Sing, Ghese Khan, Nabi Bux	to be Subadars	Dated 1st January 1891.
Chuttar Sing	to be Subadar	Dated 1st February 1891.
Khazan Sing, Khair Din, Boota Sing, Choudhri Khan, Ragonath Sing, Boota Khan, Mangal Sing, Jagat Sing	to be Jemadars	Dated 1st January 1891.

No. 188.—Veterinary Department—

Mr. G. Kettlewell, Indian Veterinary Department, to be Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon, Madras Army, *vice* Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon F. G. Shaw, whose tenure of office has expired. Dated 6th April 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 189.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Stokoe, General List, Infantry, six months, p.a.
Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Fraser, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Surgeon-Major W. H. Thornhill, Indian Medical Department, six months, p.a.

No. 190.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant T. B. Hawks, Staff Corps.

No. 191.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India :—

Colonel G. H. Oakes, Staff Corps, on vacating regimental command.

No. 192.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Colonel E. Austin, Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, for one year. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 25th January 1891.

Captain F. B. Deane, Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers, for six months. Pension service,—15th year, commenced 10th September 1890.

No. 193.—With reference to G.O.G., No. 588, dated 28th October 1890, Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary W. P. Carson, Ordnance Department, is granted a further extension of leave in India to the 21st May 1891.

No. 194.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Conductor S. Collard, Commissariat Department, for one year.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 195.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th March 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 265.—Second Lieutenant Edward Gyles Vaughan, Bedfordshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 31st (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps on completion of 18 months' probationary service from the 26th July 1889, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

Second Lieutenant Vaughan will rank as Lieutenant in the Indian Staff Corps from the above date, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 196.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 20th March 1891, are republished :—

MEDALS.

CHIN-LUSHAI.

No. 275.—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 of the grant of the India Medal, with a clasp inscribed "Chin-Lushai, 1889-90," to the troops employed in the Operations in the Chin and Lushai Hills between the 15th November 1889 and the 30th April 1890.

War Office Army Order No. 30 of 1891.

2. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is requested to issue the necessary subsidiary orders for the submission of medal rolls, in accordance with the instructions given in War Office Army Order No. 30 of 1891.

ORGANIZATION.

No. 276.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, it is notified that, in modification of the orders contained in para. I of G.G.O. No. 505 of 1890, and para. I of G.G.O. No. 1111 of 1890, the four battalions recently formed for local service in Burma are to be designated as follows :—

"The 10th Regiment (1st Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry."
"The 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry."
"The 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry."
"The 33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry."

No. 197.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th March 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS.

No. 282.—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 20th September 1890 in room of Colonel (local Major-General) R. C. Stewart, C.B., Madras Cavalry, attained to Colonel's allowance—

MAJOR-GENERAL HARRY MCLEOD, ROYAL (LATE MADRAS) ARTILLERY, INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF ORDNANCE, MADRAS CIRCLE.

Dates of Commissions.

Second Lieutenant	11th June 1853.
Lieutenant	27th April 1858.
Captain	29th February 1864.
Major	5th July 1872.
Lieutenant-Colonel	23rd September 1876.
Colonel in the Army	1st July 1881.
Colonel	14th September 1884.
Major-General	7th April 1888.

Appointments.

Regimental duty (Royal Artillery) from November 1853 to October 1866.
Adjutant, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery, from October 1866 to September 1869.
Regimental duty (Royal Artillery) from September 1869 to May 1879.
Commissary of Ordnance from May 1879 to September 1880.
Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance from September 1880 to September 1881.
Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, from September 1881 to September 1886.
Inspector-General of Ordnance, Madras, from September 1886 to March 1891.

War Services.

Afghanistan, 1878-79. (Medal.)

No. 198.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 27th March 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 290.—Captain G. M. Bullock, Station Staff Officer, First Class, Sialkot, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the Establishment, *vice* Captain J. Sherston, D.S.O. Dated 16th March 1891.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 292.— * * *

Colonel T. Walker, R.A., Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, Bombay, to be Inspector-General of Ordnance, Madras Circle ;

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with effect from the 15th March 1891, *vice* Lieutenant-General H. McLeod, R.A., who vacated his appointment on that date, consequent on promotion to Lieutenant-General.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 295.—The undermentioned Officers appointed by the Secretary of State for India to be probationers for the Indian Staff Corps, are posted to the Madras Army, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India :—

Second Lieutenant L. J. G. Lavie, North Staffordshire Regiment.
Lieutenant A. Moore, Connaught Rangers.
Second Lieutenants—
A. E. Dallas, Liverpool Regiment.
E. W. Keily, Connaught Rangers.
P. Greig, South Staffordshire Regiment.
A. V. Alexander, Royal Irish Regiment.
P. G. W. Eckford, Royal Irish Regiment.
Lieutenant C. L. Haldane, West Yorkshire Regiment.
Second Lieutenant A. W. N. Raven, South Staffordshire Regiment.

No. 199.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 28th March 1891, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 24th March 1891.

No. 442-*G.*—Captain W. E. Evans-Gordon, Staff Corps, Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd class, is posted as British Joint Commissioner at Leh and *ex-officio* Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir, with effect from the 1st March 1891.

The 25th March 1891.

No. 455-*G.*—Surgeon R. Ross, Indian Medical Service (Madras), Garrison Surgeon at Bangalore, is appointed to officiate, temporarily, as Residency Surgeon at Bangalore, in addition to his other duties, with effect from the 20th March 1891, or the date on which he may relieve Surgeon C. M. Thompson, M.B., Indian Medical Service (Madras), whose services are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George.

The 26th March 1891.

No. 460-*G.*—The following officiating appointments were made in the 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, from the 19th December 1890 to the 26th February 1891, consequent on the appointment of Major H. A. Vincent to officiate as Commandant of the Central India Horse, under Foreign Department Notification, No. 187-G., dated the 3rd February 1891 :—

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Lieutenant C. V. F. Townshend, Squadron Officer, and Officiating 3rd Squadron Commander, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Commander in addition to his own duties.

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No. 200.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 28th March 1891 is republished :—

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

Fort William, the 27th March 1891.

No. 328.—The following permanent promotions are made in the Engineer Establishment of the Military Works Department, with effect from the date specified :—

Names.	From	To	With effect from
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Lieutenant B. R. Ward, R.E. ..	Assistant Engineer, Second Grade.	Assistant Engineer, First Grade.	4th November 1890.
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Lieutenant F. Bullock, R.E. ..	Assistant Engineer, Second Grade.	Assistant Engineer, First Grade.	21st January 1891.
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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 201.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd March 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd March 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

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The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are cancelled, these officers having been transferred to the Indian Staff Corps with anterior dates :—

A. M. Anderson, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders).
H. W. Heffernan, the Norfolk Regiment.
H. R. Troup, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).
F. H. Johnstone, the Northamptonshire Regiment.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 202.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Brigade Surgeon C. E. McVittie to complete the Establishment. Dated 7th March 1891.

No. 203.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Jemadar Runganaikloo to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 1st December 1890.
Havildar, No. 359, Saiyid Hoossain to be Jemadar .. }

No. 204.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary J. J. Brodie to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect from the 1st April 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 205.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary George Chooet, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a retiring pension of Rupees 240 per mensem, with effect from the 15th March 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 206.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel G. C. Bird, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st April 1891.

The services of Captain J. Fowle, 21st Hussars, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

The services of Lieutenant B. Upperton, 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

The services of Lieutenant H. L. B. Acton, Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for employment in the Military Accounts Department, Madras.

No. 207.—With reference to Public Department Notification, No. 147 of 1891, the services of Surgeon-Major H. Armstrong are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 208.—With reference to Public Department Notification No. 148 of 1891, the services of Surgeon-Major J. North, Indian Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 209.—PROMOTIONS—

Southern Mahratta Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Second Lieutenant W. B. Wright to be Lieutenant.
Lieutenant W. B. Wright to be Captain *vice* J. S. Swallow, deceased.

No. 210.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain C. B. Sparrow 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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.

Ootacamund, 10th April 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 211.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty, viz., 12th March 1891, till the date of sailing, the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant H. W. Heffernan, Staff Corps, 19th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 11th February 1891.

No. 212.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant R. C. O. Creagh, Staff Corps, 5th Punjab Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 30th May 1890.

No. 213.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant H. J. Macleod, Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Surgeon-Major J. Smith, Indian Medical Department, six months, m.c.
Surgeon-Major J. J. Moran, Indian Medical Department, two months, m.c.

No. 214.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon A. F. Dobson, Indian Medical Department.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 215.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 3rd April 1891, are republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

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No. 332.—Captain E. S. Brooke, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, Fourth Class, is granted leave to sea, (m.c.) for one month, under Article 694, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 333.—Major T. E. Rowan, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, Fourth Class, is granted general leave in India, (p.a.) for six months.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 216.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 17th March 1891, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 17th March 1891.

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Staff, Lieutenant-General the Honorable Sir J. C. Dormer, K.C.B., to be a Lieutenant-General on the Staff, to Command the Madras Army, *vice* General Sir C. G. Arbuthnot, K.C.B., whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 6th March 1891.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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The undermentioned Lieutenant-Generals to be Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st March 1891 :—

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Edward James Lawder.

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Edmond Francis Burton.

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Robson Benson.

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George Baldock.

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Edward Thomas Fasken.
Richard Drapes Ardagh.

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

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India Office, 17*th March* 1891.

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

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 14*th January* 1891.

Hugh David McIntyre.
William Browne.
Herbert Vaughan Cox.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Henry Arthur Peyton Lindsay, from the West India Regiment. Dated 29th November 1889, but to rank from 16th January 1889.

Lieutenant Nathaniel Melhuish Comins Stevens, from the Bedfordshire Regiment. Dated 11th November 1889, but to rank from 31st July 1889.

Lieutenant Charles Virgil Nunez Lyne, from the Liverpool Regiment. Dated 19th November 1889, but to rank from 18th September 1889.

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INDIAN ARMY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander John Shaw, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th December 1890.

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The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers :

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MADRAS INFANTRY.

Colonel Rowland Henry Thomas Hill. Dated 6th March 1891.

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The following appointments have been made to the Personal Staff of the Governor of Madras. Dated 23rd January 1891 :—

Captain the Honorable R. T. Lawley, 7th Hussars, to be Military Secretary.
Captain the Honorable E. Baring, 10th Hussars, to be an Aide-de-Camp.
Lieutenant Lord D. J. C. Compton, 9th Lancers, to be an Aide-de-Camp.

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ARMY STAFF.

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ERRATA.

The names of the undermentioned Officers, whose admission to the Staff Corps was notified in the *London Gazette* of the 7th February 1891, should be as follows and not as therein stated :—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Second Lieutenant Edward Herbert *Boome*.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 217.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Brigade Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major H. J. Hazlett .. .. .. Dated 7th March 1891.

No. 218.—NATIVE ARMY—

2nd Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Nirmal Sing to be Subadar .. .. .. Dated 24th December 1890.

29th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdool Gunnee to be Subadar .. ..
Havildar-Major, No. 629, Elliah to be Jemadar .. } Dated 3rd March 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 219.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain H. V. Cox, Staff Corps, Adjutant, South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 220.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Public Department :—

Surgeon-Major S. L. Dobie.
Surgeon F. G. Maidment.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 221.—It is hereby notified that the Yercaud Volunteer Rifles will, until further orders, be attached for administrative purposes to the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers instead of the Madras Railway Volunteers as notified in G.O.G. No. 447, dated 4th August 1886.

No. 222.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Artillery Volunteers ("*Duke's Own*").

Lieutenant J. C. E. Branson is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Brigade Surgeon L. C. Nanney is permitted to resign his appointment as Honorary Surgeon at his own request.

Southern Mahratta Railway Rifle Corps.

Honorary Colonel J. G. Lindsay, R.E., is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

No. 223.—TRANSFERS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain F. Noone is transferred to the Unattached List with effect from the 10th April 1890.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Ootacamund, 7th April 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Date to which claims will be received.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number if a soldier.							
19th Mar. 1891.	Major.	Langley, L.	Royal Engineers.	..	18th April 1890.	Intestate.	RS. A. P. 500 0 0	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 2,056 8 6	..	(Father) General Sir G. C. Langley, K.C.B., Royal Marines (Retired List), St. Helens, Queen's Crescent, Southsea, England.
26th Mar. 1891.	Brigade Surgeon.	D. J. McCarthy.	Indian Medical Service.	..	27th Jan. 1891.	Intestate.	1,536 8 5	..	1,536 8 5	8th May 1891.	G. McCarthy, Esq. 74, McKian Street, Clifton Hill, N. Fitzroy, Melbourne, Australia.

Ootacamund, 7th April 1891.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Estate Department during the month of March 1891:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
7th Hussars ..	Captain B. E. Mumm ..	5th Feb. 1891 ..	Secundrabad ..	....
Ordnance Department.	Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary G. Dempster.	23rd ,, ,, ..	St. Thomas' Mount	....

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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.

Ootacamund, 17*th April* 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 224.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant F. A. Loudon, Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry (m.c.), for 182 days,—7 days under Rule I, and the remainder under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 225.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Surgeon J. Scott, Indian Medical Service, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, for 250 days. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 18th July 1890.

No. 226.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon E. R. da Costa, Half-pay, Indian Medical Service. { Arrived at Bombay on the 6th April 1891.

Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary H. Foster, Ordnance Department. { Arrived at Bombay on the 7th April 1891.

No. 227.—Sub-Conductor J. Smith, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for 90 days, under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 228.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th April 1891, is republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

MANIPUR.

No. 340.—The Governor-General in Council has been pleased to sanction the despatch of a force, as detailed below, for operations in Manipur. The force will be styled the "Manipur Field Force" :

I.—The Kohima Column.

No. 8 (Bengal) Mountain Battery (four guns).
The 13th Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
The 36th (Sikh) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.

II.—The Silchar Column.

No. 8 (Bengal) Mountain Battery (two guns).
The Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps (Pioneer Company).
The 3rd Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
The 18th Regiment of Bengal Infantry (six companies).
The 1st Battalion, 2nd Gurkha Regiment.

III.—The Tamu Column.

No. 2 Mountain Battery, Royal Artillery (four guns).
The 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry (200 men).
The 4th Battalion, King's Royal Rifle Corps (half battalion).
The 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Regiment.
The 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry.
The 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry.

Line of Communications.

The 5th Regiment of Madras Infantry.

2. The following officers are detailed for the staff of the force, and their appointments will have effect from the dates on which they respectively enter on the duties thereof:—

The Kohima Column.

To Command	Brigadier-General H. Collett, C.B., Staff Corps, Commanding the Assam District.
Orderly Officer	Captain A. E. Jones, 23rd Bengal Infantry (Pioneers).
Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General.	Major F. S. Gwatkin, 13th Bengal Lancers (Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Assam District).
Assistant Quartermaster-General.	Lieutenant-Colonel St. J. F. Michell, 1st Bengal Cavalry (Assistant Adjutant-General, Presidency District).
Brigade Major	Captain G. C. Kitson, King's Royal Rifle Corps (Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Meerut District).
Field Engineer	Captain R. F. Allen, Royal Engineers.
Superintendent of Army Signalling.	Captain W. D. Thomson, 1st Bengal Cavalry.
Chief Commissariat Officer	Captain C. M. Fitzgerald, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General.
Assistant Commissariat Officer	Captain D. M. Thompson, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General.
Chief Transport Officer	Captain J. Willcocks, D.S.O., Leinster Regiment (Station Staff Officer, Delhi).
Principal Medical Officer	Deputy Surgeon-General C. P. Costello, Indian Medical Service, Administrative Medical Officer, Assam District.
Veterinary Surgeon	Veterinary Surgeon S. M. Smith, Army Veterinary Department (Assistant Superintendent, Army Veterinary School, Poona).

The Silchar Column.

To Command	Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. F. Rennick, 18th Bengal Infantry.
Orderly Officer	Captain G. F. Willes, 15th Bengal Lancers (Adjutant, Surma Valley Light Horse).
Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General.	Captain E. W. Dun, D.S.O., 38th Bengal Infantry (Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Army Head-quarters).
Assistant Field Engineer	Lieutenant P. H. du P. Casgrain, Royal Engineers.
Commissariat Officer	Captain C. V. W. Williamson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General.

The Tamu Column.

To Command	Brigadier-General T. Graham, C.B., Royal Artillery, Commanding the Myingyan District.
Orderly Officer	Second Lieutenant C. J. Sackville-West, King's Royal Rifle Corps.
Assistant Adjutant-General	Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. B. Ternan, 44th Bengal Infantry (Assistant Adjutant-General, Myingyan District).
Commissariat Officer	Lieutenant F. H. S. Thomas, 15th Madras Infantry (Deputy Assistant Commissary-General).
Transport Officer	Lieutenant B. W. Marlow, 23rd Madras Infantry (Deputy Assistant Commissary-General).
Superintendent of Army Signalling.	Second Lieutenant R. C. R. Owen, Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
Principal Medical Officer	Surgeon-Major P. N. Mookerjee, Indian Medical Service, Madras.

No. 229.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 10th April 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

No. 343.—The following reversions will take place, in consequence of the completion by Major W. R. L. Anderson of his tenure of the appointment of Deputy Accountant-General, Military Department :—

Names.	From	To	Date.
Colonel F. W. Major	Military Accountant, 2nd class.	Military Accountant, 3rd class.	1st April 1891.
Captain H. F. Cadell	Military Accountant, 3rd class.	Military Accountant, 4th class.	Do.
Captain H. M. Prior	Military Accountant, 4th class.	Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class.	Do.
Captain H. E. Passy	Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class.	Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class.	Do.
Captain G. W. S. Fryer	Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class.	Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd class.	Do.

No. 344.—The following promotions are made, *vice* Captain W. J. B. Bird, *seconded* on appointment as Deputy Accountant-General, Military Department :—

Names.	From	To	Date.
Captain H. F. Cadell	Military Accountant, 4th class.	Military Accountant, 3rd class.	1st April 1891.
Captain H. M. Prior	Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class.	Military Accountant, 4th class.	Do.
Captain H. E. Passy	Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class.	Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class.	Do.
Captain G. W. S. Fryer	Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd class.	Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class.	Do.

No. 230.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 11th April 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 8th April 1891.

No. 184.—The services of Lieutenant G. Rippon, M.S.C., 29th Madras Infantry, Assistant Commandant, Burma Military Police, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 14th instant.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 231.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 24th March 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 24th March 1891.

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The Royal Irish Regiment—Second Lieutenant G. F. R. Forbes, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 25th March 1891.

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The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers—The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 5th February 1891 :—

Bernard Scott, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, *vice* C. H. Stuart, seconded.

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The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 6th March 1891 :—

H. P. Ainslie, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, *vice* E. S. Strickland.

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Second Lieutenant Leslie J. G. Lavie is seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps Dated 3rd February 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels of the Indian Staff Corps to be Colonels :—
Robert Græme Elphinstone-Dalrymple, Madras. Dated 20th December 1890.
Colin Charles Campbell, D.S.O., Madras. Dated 22nd December 1890.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 232.—NATIVE ARMY—

30th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Mootoosawmy to be Subadar-Major	Dated 13th March 1891.
Jemadar Escof Ally to be Subadar	Dated 6th November 1890.
Havildar, No. 335, Hussain Homed to be Jemadar ..	

RESTORATION TO THE EFFECTIVE LIST.

No. 233.—Surgeon E. R. da Costa, Half-pay, Indian Medical Service, is restored to the Effective List, with effect from the 6th April 1891, the date of his arrival at Bombay (*vide* G.O.G. No. 226 of 1891).

RETIREMENTS.

No. 234.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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 W. S. Fox, Indian Medical Service, ordinary pension, £500 per annum, *plus* the extra pension of £100 per annum,—18th April 1891.

No. 235.—STAFF CORPS—

Colonel C. J. B. Harris, Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £783-5-0 per annum, with effect from the 27th April 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 236.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 230 of 1891, the services of Lieutenant G. Rippon, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 237.—APPOINTMENTS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. Arthur George Romilly to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant J. F. Somers-Eve, placed on the Supernumerary List.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, the 13th April 1891.

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 :—

Names of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, Serjeant J., European Infantry Veteran Company.	Caroline Brooks. Dennis Brooks.
Clarkson, Carnatic Artificer S., Ordnance Department ..	Anne Clarkson.
Cosser, Sub-Conductor John, Ordnance Department ..	John Cosser.
Carroll, Serjeant James, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll. Joseph Carroll. Agnes Carroll.
Crawley, Serjeant George, Effective Supernumeraries ..	George Wellington Crawley.
Doyle, Gunner John, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery ..	James Doyle.
Danford, Gunner Samuel, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery ..	Amelia *alias* Emma Danford.

Names of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Furlong, Corporal John, 3rd Madras European Regiment ..	John Furlong.
Flynn, Corporal John, 1st Madras Fusiliers ..	James Flynn. John Flynn. William Flynn. Joseph Flynn.
Grimstone, Serjeant R., 3rd Madras European Regiment	Virginia Grimstone. Richard Grimstone.
Hensy, Gunner John, European Artillery Veteran Company.	Thomas J. Hensy.
Hawkins, Private R., European Infantry Veteran Company.	Jeremiah Mitchell (foster son). George Hawkins.
Hunsley, Sub-Conductor William, Ordnance Department ..	Charles Hunsley.
Hutchins, Gunner J., 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins.
Hatherill, Drummer George, 1st Madras Fusiliers ..	William Edward Hatherill.
Healey, Hospital Serjeant Patrick	Edward Healey. Frank Healey.
Kelcher, Bombardier Timothy, 3rd Battalion, Artillery ..	Henry Kelcher.
Knowles, Half-pay Bugler W. S., D Company, 1st Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew James Knowles.
McDonald, Second 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., 3rd Royal Horse Brigade ..	Arabella Hannah Nicholson.
Rourke, Apothecary John, Subordinate Medical Department.	John Scully. Eleanor Scully.
Rothe, Corporal R., 3rd Madras European Light Infantry ..	Catherine Rothe.
Smith, Color Serjeant M., 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith.
Smither, Serjeant R., 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smither.
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, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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.

Ootacamund, 24th April 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 238.—Army Staff—

Major J. E. Porteous, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District, *vice* Colonel S. E. Atkinson, Staff Corps, retired. Dated 17th April 1891.

Captain G. J. Shaw, Staff Corps, Additional Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District, *vice* Major J. E. Porteous, Staff Corps, promoted. Dated 17th April 1891.

Major J. H. Sewell, Norfolk Regiment, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District, and Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Mandalay District, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Mandalay District, *vice* Major T. Harris, vacated. Dated 17th April 1891.

Captain G. A. P. Evans, 7th "Queen's Own" Hussars, Station Staff Officer, Bellary, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Belgaum District, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Belgaum District, *vice* Major J. H. Sewell, promoted. Dated 17th April 1891.

No. 239.—Staff Corps—

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

Lieutenant M. A. B. Kappey, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 26th Madras Infantry,—19th December 1889.

Lieutenant A. Playfair, Royal Irish Rifles, Wing Officer, 15th Madras Infantry,—3rd February 1890.

Lieutenant F. Jollie, 20th Hussars, Squadron Officer, 2nd Madras Lancers,—23rd October 1889.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 240.—The undermentioned officer has been granted furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major D. Sinclair, Indian Medical Service, Inspector-General of Jails, Burma, (p.a.) for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 241.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel W. J. Seaton, Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Lieutenant H. T. H. Hay, Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Surgeon-Major A. F. Dobson, Indian Medical Service, ten days, u.p.a.

No. 242.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain G. S. Kerrich, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 243.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Conductor E. Stevens, Commissariat Department, for one year.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 244.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 17th April 1891, are republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

Miranzai.

No. 355.—The Governor-General in Council has been pleased to sanction the despatch of a force, as detailed below, for operations in Miranzai and on the Kohat border.

2. The force will be styled the "Miranzai Field Force," and the appointments of the officers detailed for the staff thereof will have effect from the dates on which they respectively enter on their duties.

To Command the Force ..	Brigadier-General Sir W. S. A. Lockhart, K.C.B., C.S.I., Bengal Infantry, Commandant of the Punjab Frontier Force.
Orderly Officer	Lieutenant the Hon'ble C. G. Bruce, 5th Gurkha Regiment.
Assistant Adjutant-General ..	Major C. C. Egerton, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Assistant Adjutant-General, Punjab Frontier Force.
Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General.	Captain D. W. Hickman, 34th Bengal Infantry (Pioneers).
Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General for Intelligence.	Captain A. H. Mason, Royal Engineers.
To Command the Artillery ..	Lieutenant-Colonel E. J. de Lautour, Royal Artillery.
Commanding Engineer ..	Major W. T. Shone, D.S O., Royal Engineers.
Assistant Field Engineers ..	Lieutenant E. D. Haggitt, Royal Engineers. Lieutenant A. J. H. Swiney, Royal Engineers. Lieutenant C. DeW. Crookshank, Royal Engineers. Second Lieutenant L. H. Close, Royal Engineers.
Assistant Superintendent of Army Signalling.	Lieutenant C. P. Down, Wiltshire Regiment.
Principal Medical Officer ..	Brigade Surgeon R. Harvey, M.D., Indian Medical Service.
Chief Commissariat Officer ..	Captain E. C. C. Sandys, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General.
Divisional Transport Officer ..	Captain H. Wharry, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General.
Veterinary Surgeon	Veterinary Surgeon W. A. Crow, Army Veterinary Department.
Provost-Marshal	Captain L. H. Reid, 27th Bengal Infantry.

First Column.

To Command	Colonel J. M. Sym, C.B., 5th Gurkha Regiment.
Brigade Major	Major B. J. C. Doran, Royal Irish Regiment.

Troops.

No. 3 Mountain Battery, Royal Artillery.
1st Battalion, King's Royal Rifle Corps.
27th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
1st Regiment of Punjab Infantry, P.F.F.
1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Regiment, P.F.F.

Second Column.

To Command	Lieutenant-Colonel A. H. Turner, 2nd Punjab Infantry.
Brigade Major	Captain W. du G. Gray, 4th Punjab Infantry.

Troops.

No. 2 (Derajat) Mountain Battery (three guns).
15th (The Ludhiana Sikh) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
3rd Regiment of Sikh Infantry, P.F.F.
2nd Regiment of Punjab Infantry, P.F.F.

Third Column.

To Command	Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. Brownlow, 4th Sikh Infantry.
Brigade Major	Captain C. F. Gambier, 5th Punjab Cavalry.

Troops.

No. 3 (Peshawar) Mountain Battery, P.F.F.
18th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
29th (Punjab) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.
6th Regiment of Punjab Infantry, P.F.F.

Divisional Troops.

19th Regiment of Bengal Lancers.
5th Regiment of Punjab Cavalry, P.F.F. (two squadrons).
5th Company, Bengal Sappers and Miners.

MANIPUR.

No. 356.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 340 of 1891, Major F. S. Gwatkin, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Kohima Column, Manipur Field Force, is appointed Assistant Adjutant-General of the Force under the command of Brigadier-General Collett, C.B., on the junction of the several columns.

No. 245.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th April 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 358.—Lieutenant A. Mullaly, Staff Corps, 5th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 18th February 1891. (Joined his appointment 17th March 1891.)

No. 246.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th April 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 370.—In G.G.O. No. 333 of 1891 (*vide* Madras G.O.G. No. 215 of 1891), granting leave to Major T. E. Rowan, Royal Artillery, *for* "(p.a.)" *read* "(m.c.)."

No. 247.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 18th April 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 11th April 1891.

No. 191.—The services of the undermentioned officers of the Upper Burma Military Police are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

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Lieutenant H. D. M'Intyre, Madras Staff Corps,—11th April 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 248.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 31st March 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 31st March 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers are placed on retired pay. Dated 1st April 1891 :—

General Robert White, C.B., Colonel, 21st Hussars.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 249.—NATIVE ARMY—

1*st Madras Infantry* (*Pioneers*).

Jemadar Shurfoordeen to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 1st April 1891.
Havildar, No. 386, Davasagoyem to be Jemadar .. .. }

13*th Madras Infantry.*

Havildar, No. 1022, Secunder Khan to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st March 1891.

19*th Madras Infantry.*

Havildar, No. 3344, Poonoosawmy to be Jemadar .. Dated 20th March 1891.

31*st Madras Light Infantry.*

Havildar, No. 963, Abdool Curreem to be Jemadar .. Dated 6th February 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 250.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified:—

Colonel R. Bullock, Indian Staff Corps,—19th April 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 251.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant G. Rippon, Staff Corps, 29th Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, the 13th April 1891.

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:—

Names of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, Serjeant J., European Infantry Veteran Company.	Caroline Brooks. Dennis Brooks.
Clarkson, Carnatic Artificer S., Ordnance Department	Anne Clarkson.
Cosser, Sub-Conductor John, Ordnance Department	John Cosser.
Carroll, Serjeant James, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll. Joseph Carroll. Agnes Carroll.
Crawley, Serjeant George, Effective Supernumeraries	George Wellington Crawley.
Doyle, Gunner John, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle.
Danford, Gunner Samuel, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery	Amelia *alias* Emma Danford.
Furlong, Corporal John, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong.
Flynn, Corporal John, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn. John Flynn. William Flynn. Joseph Flynn.
Grimstone, Serjeant R., 3rd Madras European Regiment	Virginia Grimstone. Richard Grimstone.
Hensy, Gunner John, European Artillery Veteran Company.	Thomas J. Hensy.
Hawkins, Private R., European Infantry Veteran Company.	Jeremiah Mitchell (foster son). George Hawkins.
Hunsley, Sub-Conductor William, Ordnance Department	Charles Hunsley.
Hutchins, Gunner J., 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins.
Hatherill, Drummer George, 1st Madras Fusiliers	William Edward Hatherill.
Healey, Hospital Serjeant Patrick	Edward Healey. Frank Healey.
Kelcher, Bombardier Timothy, 3rd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Kelcher.
Knowles, Half-pay Bugler W. S., D Company, 1st Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew James Knowles.
McDonald, Second 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., 3rd Royal Horse Brigade	Arabella Hannah Nicholson.
Rourke, Apothecary John, Subordinate Medical Department.	John Scully. Eleanor Scully.

Names of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Rothe, Corporal R., 3rd Madras European Light Infantry ..	Catherine Rothe.
Smith, Color Serjeant M., 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith.
Smither, Serjeant R., 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smither.
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, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 5th May 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 252.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the 16th May 1891 or subsequent date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Dale, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 1st Madras Pioneers, for 138 days. Pension service,—30th year, commenced 25th February 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 253.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 24th April 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 404.—Lieutenant Edward Watkin Wall, Devonshire Regiment, Officiating Squadron Officer, 17th Bengal Cavalry, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 22nd September 1889, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 405.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 295 of 1891,* Second Lieutenant P. G. W. Eckford, Royal Irish Rifles, is posted to the Bengal instead of to the Madras Army.

* *Vide* Madras G.O.G. No. 198 of 1891.

No. 254.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th April 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 416.—Honorary Captain and supernumerary Deputy Commissary G. Chooet to be absorbed in the grade of Deputy Commissary ;

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary C. Stone to be Assistant Commissary ;

Honorary Lieutenant and supernumerary Deputy Assistant Commissary J. A. Dickson to be absorbed in the grade of Deputy Assistant Commissary ;

Sub-Conductor and supernumerary Conductor J. Haddock to be absorbed in the grade of Conductor ;

Sergeant (sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Conductor) W. H. Francke to be Sub-Conductor,—

with effect from the 28th January 1891, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary R. Butler, transferred to the Pension Establishment.

No. 255.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th April 1891, is republished :—

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 421.—Lieutenant A. J. Pilcher, Royal Engineers, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, supernumerary, employed on submarine mining duty, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, supernumerary, with effect from the 12th January 1891.

PENSIONS.

No. 256.—First-grade Senior Apothecary Thomas Ward, Subordinate Medical Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a retiring pension of Rupees 200 per mensem or £200 per annum, with effect from the 22nd March 1891.

PROMOTIONS

No. 257.—NATIVE ARMY—

26th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Kurreem Khan to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 25th January 1891.
Havildar, No. 797, Cundasawmy to be Jemadar .. .. }

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 258.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 247 of 1891, the services of Lieutenant H. D. M'Intyre, Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 259.—The services of Second Lieutenant G. F. R. Forbes, 30th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 260.—APPOINTMENTS—

Kistna Volunteer Reserve.

Surgeon-Major Edward Levinge to be Honorary Surgeon.

No. 261.—PROMOTIONS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Albert Mervyn Smith to be Captain, *vice* Gilchrist transferred to the Unattached List.

Lieutenant Alexander Rea to be Captain, *vice* J. W. Hayes appointed Honorary Paymaster.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, the 13th April 1891.

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 :—

Names of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Brooks, Serjeant J., European Infantry Veteran Company.	Caroline Brooks. Dennis Brooks.
Clarkson, Carnatic Artificer S., Ordnance Department	Anne Clarkson.
Cosser, Sub-Conductor John, Ordnance Department	John Cosser.
Carroll, Serjeant James, 2nd European Light Infantry	Elizabeth Carroll. Joseph Carroll. Agnes Carroll.
Crawley, Serjeant George, Effective Supernumeraries	George Wellington Crawley.
Doyle, Gunner John, 4th Battalion, Madras Artillery	James Doyle.
Danford, Gunner Samuel, 3rd Battalion, Madras Artillery	Amelia *alias* Emma Danford.
Furlong, Corporal John, 3rd Madras European Regiment	John Furlong.
Flynn, Corporal John, 1st Madras Fusiliers	James Flynn. John Flynn. William Flynn. Joseph Flynn.
Grimstone, Serjeant R., 3rd Madras European Regiment	Virginia Grimstone. Richard Grimstone.
Hensy, Gunner John, European Artillery Veteran Company.	Thomas J. Hensy.
Hawkins, Private R., European Infantry Veteran Company.	Jeremiah Mitchell (foster son). George Hawkins.

Names of Warrant, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers deceased.	Claimants.
Hunsley, Sub-Conductor William, Ordnance Department ..	Charles Hunsley.
Hutchins, Gunner J., 2nd Battalion, Artillery	George Henry Hutchins.
Hatherill, Drummer George, 1st Madras Fusiliers ..	William Edward Hatherill.
Healey, Hospital Serjeant Patrick	Edward Healey. Frank Healey.
Kelcher, Bombardier Timothy, 3rd Battalion, Artillery ..	Henry Kelcher.
Knowles, Half-pay Bugler W. S., D Company, 1st Battalion, Artillery.	Andrew James Knowles.
McDonald, Second 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., 3rd Royal Horse Brigade ..	Arabella Hannah Nicholson.
Rourke, Apothecary John, Subordinate Medical Department.	John Scully. Eleanor Scully.
Rothe, Corporal R., 3rd Madras European Light Infantry ..	Catherine Rothe.
Smith, Color Serjeant M., 1st Madras Fusiliers	Mary Ann Smith.
Smither, Serjeant R., 2nd Battalion, Artillery	Henry Smither.
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, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 12th May 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 262.—Colonel H. W. Blair, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India, under article 738 (*b*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, from or after the 4th June 1891. Pension service,—34th year, commenced 14th September 1890.

No. 263.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India :—

Colonel J. W. Swifte, Staff Corps, on vacating regimental command on the 2nd June 1891.

No. 264.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (to Central Africa) on private affairs, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Captain C. M. Maguire, Staff Corps, Attaché, Military Department, for one year. Pension service,—15th year, commenced 11th September 1890.

No. 265.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer are granted furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant E. Y. Watson, Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department (m.c.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

Conductor T. Grant, Manager, Office of the Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery (m.c.), for 182 days, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 266.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Brigade Surgeon S. B. Hunt, Indian Medical Department, for six months, m.c.

No. 267.—So much of G.O.G. No. 110 of 1891 as refers to Surgeon-Major H. G. Hall, Indian Medical Service, is cancelled.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 268.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 1st May 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 423.—Colonel D. V. Shortland, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Colonel on the Staff, Royal Artillery. Dated 9th April 1891.

No. 424.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, the undermentioned officers, who were promoted to half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcies with effect from the dates specified below, are continued in their staff appointments :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. James, Durham Light Infantry, Inspector of Gymnasia, Madras and Bombay. Dated 8th October 1890.

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COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 425.—Colonel E. A. Bruce, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class, to officiate as a Commissary-General, with effect from the 29th March 1891.

No. 426.—Major E. E. Kenny, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, *vice* Colonel R. H. T. Hill, General List, Infantry, retired;

Captain G. F. Watson, Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 4th class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 3rd class, *vice* Major Kenny;

Captain W. H. D. Rich, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 4th class, *vice* Captain Watson;

Lieutenant C. E. Lloyd, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class, *vice* Captain Rich;—

with effect from the 6th March 1891.

No. 427.—Lieutenant F. C. Rynd, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class, *vice* Lieutenant H. N. Taylor, resigned, with effect from the 1st March 1891.

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No. 429.—Lieutenant A. H. Allenby, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 15th April 1890.

No. 430.—Lieutenant R. M. Bell, Staff Corps, 24th Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, with effect from the 16th March 1891. (Joined his appointment 11th April 1891.)

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 431.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, the undermentioned Officers, who were promoted to half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcies with effect from the dates specified below, are continued in their appointments:—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. Empson, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 2nd class. Dated 28th March 1890.

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No. 269.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st May 1891, is republished:—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

MANIPUR.

No. 433.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 340 of 1891,* Lieutenant G. Rippon, Wing Officer, 29th Madras Infantry, is appointed Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Tamu Column, Manipur Field Force.

No. 270.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st May 1891, is republished:—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 440.—Surgeon-Major E. M. Damla, Indian Medical Service, Madras Establishment, Medical Officer, 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave within Indian limits (m.c.) for six months, under Rule X of the Regulations of 1875, the first sixty days being on full staff pay under Subsidiary Rule III.

No. 271.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 1st May 1891, are republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 444.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary C. Stone to be Deputy Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary H. Hann to be Assistant Commissary;

Conductor O. J. Smiles to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

Supernumerary Conductor F. S. Dunk to be absorbed in the grade of Conductor;

Supernumerary Sub-Conductor C. Wilson to be absorbed in the grade of Sub-Conductor,—

with effect from the 15th March 1891, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary G. Chooet, transferred to the pension establishment.

No. 445.—Supernumerary Conductor E. Stevens to be absorbed in the grade of Conductor, *vice* Conductor W. Maddocks, transferred to the pension establishment;

Serjeant (sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Conductor) Samuel Margate to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Sub-Conductor and Supernumerary Conductor Stevens, absorbed,—

with effect from the 26th March 1891.

* *Vide* Madras G.O.G. No. 228 of 1891.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 446.—With reference to clause 38, India Army Circulars, 1891, introducing changes in the organization of the Contingent, the following promotions are made, with effect from the 1st April 1891 :—

* * * * * *

1st Infantry.

Captain G. C. C. Shakespear, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander.

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5th Infantry.

Captain T. H. Plumer, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander.

6th Infantry.

Captain D. W. Purdon, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander.

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No. 272.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st May 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS.

No. 453.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men of the Madras Army are granted medals with annuities and gratuities, for meritorious service and good conduct for the year ending 31st March 1892, under the provisions of clause 115, India Army Circulars, 1888 :—

Medals inscribed "For Meritorious Service," with annuity.

No. 457, Color-Havildar Saiyid Jáfar, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 430, Havildar Pitchiah, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 3003, Havildar Naganah, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 562, Color-Havildar Nursamooloo, 26th Madras Infantry.

Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," with gratuity.

No. 1206, Private Muhammad Amín, 1st Madras Lancers.
No. 1200, Private Muhammad Sulaimán, 1st Madras Lancers.
No. 1133, Private Muhammad Akbar, 2nd Madras Lancers.
No. 1146, Private Shaikh Dáúd, 2nd Madras Lancers.
No. 98, Private Muhammad Yúsuf, 3rd Madras Cavalry.
No. 94, Private Muhammad Faríd, 3rd Madras Cavalry.
No. 1243, Private Shaikh Haidar, 4th (Prince of Wales' Own) Madras Cavalry.
No. 2870, Sapper Abboo, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.
No. 184, Sapper Samuel, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.
No. 186, Private Hayát Khan, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 210, Private Shaikh Ibrahím, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 485, Private Bázid Sharíf, 2nd Madras Infantry.
No. 455, Private Veeriah, 2nd Madras Infantry.
No. 486, Private Muhiyuddin Khan, 3rd Madras Light Infantry.
No. 563, Private Lutchmiah, 3rd Madras Light Infantry.
No. 658, Private Jugiah, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 682, Private Miquel, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 2713, Private Muhammad Raza, 5th Madras Infantry.
No. 2793, Private Kásim Khan, 5th Madras Infantry.
No. 1447, Private Coopoosawmy, 6th Madras Infantry.
No. 2150, Private Venketrumniah, 6th Madras Infantry.
No. 382, Private Jáfar Khan, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 963, Private Kasiah, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 329, Private Nursimloo, 8th Madras Infantry.
No. 229, Private Shaikh Husain, 8th Madras Infantry.
No. 627, Private Muhammad Usmán, 9th Madras Infantry.
No. 726, Private Chunkeramoorthee, 9th Madras Infantry.
No. 397, Private Abdul Husain, 11th Madras Infantry.
No. 347, Private Lutchmiah, 11th Madras Infantry.
No. 411, Private Appiah, 13th Madras Infantry.
No. 522, Private Saiyid Haidar, 13th Madras Infantry.
No. 2460, Private Saiyid Karím, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 2611, Private Shaikh Haidar, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 371, Private Pardesi, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 416, Private Manuel, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 626, Private Erasawmy, 16th Madras Infantry.
No. 1009, Private Naganah, 16th Madras Infantry.

No. 2765, Private Muhammad Yúsuf, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 2246, Private Saiyid Husain, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 2678, Private Shaikh Bare, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 3060, Private Muhammad Háshim, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 488, Private Abdullal. Sharíf, 20th Madras Infantry.
No. 618, Private Appanah, 20th Madras Infantry.
No. 1273, Private Venketdoss, 21st Madras Infantry.
No. 567, Private Soorianarrainswamy, 21st Madras Infantry.
No. 42, Private Muhammad Yúsuf, 22nd Madras Infantry.
No. 35, Private Gooriah, 22nd Madras Infantry.
No. 1332, Private Ramasawmy, 23rd Madras Light Infantry.
No. 873, Private Thowtiah, 23rd Madras Infantry.
No. 186, Private Shaikh Farid, 24th Madras Infantry.
No. 482, Private Coomaraswamy, 24th Madras Infantry.
No. 499, Private Veerasamy, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 523, Private Curpannah, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 433, Private Shaikh Ahmad, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 447, Private Abdul Majid, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 442, Private Gooriah, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 448, Private Thummiah, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 193, Private Shaikh Ibrahim, 29th Madras Infantry.
No. 194, Private Abdul Kádir, 29th Madras Infantry.
No. 92, Private Shaikh Guru, 30th Madras Infantry.
No. 113, Private Shaikh Adam, 30th Madras Infantry.
No. 578, Private Rungasawmy, 31st Madras Infantry.
No. 738, Private Muhammad Shaliah, 31st Madras Infantry.

Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," without gratuity.

No. 2328, Sapper Mootoosamy, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.
No. 183, Private Shaikh Dáúd, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 11, Drummer Andrew Held, 2nd Madras Infantry.
No. 481, Private Kistna Rao, 3rd Madras Light Infantry.
No. 2579, Private Ramiah, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 370, Private Seetanah, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 1902, Private Veerasamy, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 481, Private Abdul Kádir, 21st Madras Infantry.
No. 1559, Private Súba Rao, 23rd Madras Light Infantry.
No. 900, Private Sawmy, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 315, Private Asad Khan, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 351, Private Pír Ahmad, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 169, Private Narriah, 29th Madras Infantry.

No. 273.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st May 1891, is republished:—

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 460.—The following permanent promotions are made in the Engineer Establishment of the Military Works Department, with effect from the dates specified:—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Lieutenant R. A. G. Shelley, Royal Engineers.	Attached	Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.	20th November 1890.

No. 274.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 2nd May 1891, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 30th April 1891.

No. 649-*G.*—

General Sir H. N. D. Prendergast, K.C.B., V.C., R.E., Resident of the 2nd Class and Governor-General's Agent at Baroda, is appointed to officiate 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, *vice* Colonel Sir O. B. C. St. John, K.C.S.I., R.E.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 275.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon William Frederick Thomas	Dated 31st March 1891.
Surgeon Henry George Luther Wortabet, M.D. ..	
Surgeon Edulji Palanji Frenchman	
Surgeon Richard James, M.B.	
Surgeon Sarkies Carrapiet Sarkies	
Surgeon David Stuart Erskine Bain	

RETIREMENTS.

No. 276.—Surgeon-Major H. G. Hall, Indian Medical Service, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval, on a pension of £365 per annum, with effect from the 1st May 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 277.—TRANSFERS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Major A. J. Molloy is transferred to the Supernumerary List. (So much of G.O.G. No. 242 of 1890 as refers to Major Molloy is accordingly cancelled.)

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 19th May 1891.

CANTONMENTS.

No. 278.—TAXATION—

The following Notification is published for general information :—

In exercise of the power conferred by section 17, sub-section (1), clause (*a*) of the Cantonments Act, XIII of 1889, the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to direct that from and after 1st April 1891, the following taxes shall be imposed in the Cantonment of Wellington, viz. :—

(i) A yearly tax on arts, professions, trades and callings, and on offices and appointments, at the rates specified in Schedule A to Madras Act IV of 1884.

(ii) A yearly tax on buildings at the rate of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the annual value of such buildings.

(iii) A half-yearly tax on vehicles with springs, palanquins and animals at the rates respectively specified in Schedule B to Madras Act IV of 1884.

(iv) A half-yearly tax on carts and other vehicles without springs at the rate of Rs. 2 for each half-year in respect of every such vehicle.

No. 279.—The following Notification is published for general information :—

In exercise of the power conferred by section 17, sub-section (2), of the Cantonments Act, XIII of 1889, the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to direct that such of the provisions of sections 50 to 74, 77 to 90, and 97 to 111 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, as relate to the assessment and recovery in Municipalities of the taxes referred to in Notification No. 278 of this date shall apply to the Cantonment of Wellington, with effect from the 1st April 1891.

No. 280.—The following Notification is published for general information in substitution of Notification No. 88, dated 11th February 1890 :—

In exercise of the power conferred by section 17, sub-section (2), of the Cantonments Act, XIII of 1889, the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to direct that such of the provisions of sections 50 to 74, 77 to 90, and 97 to 111 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, as relate to the assessment and recovery in Municipalities of the taxes referred to in Notification No. 87 of the 11th February 1890, shall apply to the Cantonments of Saint Thomas' Mount, Pallavaram and Poonamallee, with effect from the 1st April 1890.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 281.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Colonel C. R. Bradstreet, General List, Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 9th August 1890.

No. 282.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Major M. W. Saunders, Royal Artillery, Assistant Adjutant-General, Belgaum District (m.c.), for six months, under Article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, with effect from the 9th May 1891.

No. 283.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India :—

Colonel W. C. Plant, Indian Staff Corps, on vacating civil appointment on 28th April 1891.

No. 284.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain G. P. M. Prichard, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 285.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain F. W. J. Caulfeild, Indian Staff Corps, Burmah Police, five months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 286.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th May 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

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No. 463.—*No.* 1 *Field Battery*—

Captain R. Percy-Smith, Royal Artillery, to officiate as Commandant, *vice* Lieutenant H. S. Langhorne, Royal Artillery, who reverts to the post of Subaltern in the Battery. Dated 15th March 1891.

No. 287.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 8th May 1891, are republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 476.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary W. Brotherston, attached to the Reserve Remount Depôt, Hosur, to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 18th January 1891.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 477.—Sub-Conductor Henry Albert Randolph Blake, on probation, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 24th February 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 288.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 17th and 28th April 1891, are republished :—

India Office, 17th April 1891.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps, and admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Charles Warren Walker. Dated 31st January 1891.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 31st January 1891.

Frederick Gardner Bradley.

* * * *

Charles Henry Macintire Hitchins.

* * * *

Dated 25th February 1891.

* * * *

Edward Leigh Holloway.

* * * *

To be Lieutenants.

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Lieutenant Creighton McCrea Poulter, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 22nd December 1889, but to rank from 1st February 1885.

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Lieutenant Stannus Geoghegan, from the Royal Irish Regiment. Dated 22nd November 1889, but to rank from 29th August 1885.

Second Lieutenant Godfrey Maxwell Morris, from the South Lancashire Regiment. Dated 27th February 1889.

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Second Lieutenant Henry Lawrence Dingwall Fordyce, from the Royal Artillery. Dated 28th June 1889.

* * * *

Second Lieutenant Bernard Scott, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated 26th August 1889.

Second Lieutenant Harry Morris Mitchelson Brooke, from the Essex Regiment. Dated 22nd October 1889.

Second Lieutenant Armine Brereton Dew, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated 16th December 1889.

Second Lieutenant Frederick William Barton Gray, from the Royal Berkshire Regiment. Dated 22nd January 1890.

The Queen has also approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Stephen Edward Atkinson. Dated 10th February 1891.
Colonel William John Pickance. Dated 28th February 1891.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 28th April 1891.

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Colonel T. VanStraubenzee, C.B., from the command of an Artillery District in India, to command a Second-class District in India, with the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, *vice* Major-General G. J. Smart, Royal Artillery, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 28th February 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

The appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel E. H. Eyre, Indian Staff Corps, to be Quartermaster-General of the Madras Army, with the local rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, bears date 12th October 1890, and not as stated in the Gazette of 24th February 1891.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 289.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Rajahlingum, Sirdar Bahadoor, to be Subadar-Major.
Jemadar Kalsapen to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 5th April 1891.
Havildar, No. 795, Mootooveeren to be Jemadar .. Dated 8th January 1891.

11th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 529, Appulsawmy to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 6th September 1890.
Havildar, No. 945, Annasawmy to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 16th December 1890.

No. 290.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The undermentioned First-grade Assistant Apothecaries to be Second-grade Apothecaries, with effect from the 14th May 1891 :—

D. Wooten.
R. C. D. Prince.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 291.—OFFICERS—

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

Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. B. Ternan, Assistant Adjutant-General, Myingyan District.
Lieutenant W. R. Stone, 31st Madras Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 292.—APPOINTMENTS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain R. A. Bell to officiate as Adjutant, with effect from the 1st May 1891, *vice* Captain H. V. Cox.

No. 293.—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Mr. Charles Donald Macleane, C.S., to be Captain.
Mr. James Hume Munro, C.S., to be Second Lieutenant.
Mr. Cecil Scott to be Second Lieutenant.

No. 294.—PROMOTIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Second Lieutenant J. H. Munro to be Lieutenant.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants to complete the establishment :—

F. A. Pawley.
E. E. Lefébure.
C. A. Pogson.

No. 295.—TRANSFERS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Second Lieutenant W. St. J. McIlwaine is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain W. Chamier is transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the 1st May 1891.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 26th May 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 296.—ARMY STAFF—

Captain R. F. Clothier, Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District, to be additional Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District, *vice* Captain G. J. Shaw, promoted. Dated 30th April 1891.

No. 297.—STAFF CORPS—

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

Lieutenant W. C. S. Prince, Middlesex Regiment, Wing Officer, 13th Madras Infantry, —20th April 1890.

No. 298.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months' probationary service, are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps with effect from the date specified, subject to the approval of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Second Lieutenant B. J. Petre, 18th Hussars, Squadron Officer, 4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry,—26th October 1889.

Second Lieutenant J. C. Sherer, Dorsetshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 24th Madras Intantry,—3rd November 1889.

Second Lieutenants Petre and Sherer will rank as Lieutenants in the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 26th October 1889 and 3rd November 1889, respectively, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 299.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to reside out of India :—

Colonel W. Peyton, Staff Corps.

No. 300.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant J. C. Erck, Staff Corps, 23rd Light Infantry, for six months. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 9th September 1890.

No. 301.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant C. E. Lloyd, Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 3rd July 1890.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 302.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th May 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 494.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. Empson, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 2nd Class, is granted leave in India, (p.a.) for four months.

No. 303.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th May 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 498.—In G.G.O. No. 476 of 1891,* promoting Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary William Brotherston to the grade of Deputy Commissary, supernumerary, *for* "18th January 1891" *read* "28th January 1891."

* Madras G.O.G. No. 287 of 1891.

No. 304.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th May 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS.

No. 502.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men of the Madras Army are granted medals, with annuities and gratuities, for meritorious service and good conduct for the year ending 31st March 1892, under the provisions of clause 115, India Army Circulars, 1888 :—

Medal inscribed "For Meritorious Service," with annuity.

No. 683, Havildar Saiyid Kádir, 28th Madras Infantry.

Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," with gratuity.

No. 963, Private Arikum, 28th Madras Infantry.
No. 951, Private Muhammad Ibrahim, 28th Madras Infantry.

No. 305.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 16th May 1891, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 11th May 1891.

No. 233.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as Assistant Commandants in the Upper Burma Military Police :—

* * * * *

Lieutenant W. R. Stone, Indian Staff Corps, 31st Madras Infantry.

The 13th May 1891.

No. 242.—The services of Captain D. S. Lewis, 7th Madras Infantry, Second in Command, Mogaung Levy, Upper Burma Military Police, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 306.—The date of retirement of Brigade Surgeon W. S. Fox, Madras Retired List, notified in G.O.G. No. 234 of 1891, is altered from 18th April 1891 to 7th May 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 307.—OFFICERS—

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

Lieutenant F. F. Major, Staff Corps, 5th Madras Infantry.
Lieutenant J. C. Sherer, Staff Corps, 24th Madras Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 308.—APPOINTMENTS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Color-Sergeant Edward Charles Edwards to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* McIlwaine transferred to the Supernumerary List.

No. 309.—TRANSFERS—

Bellary Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant G. F. Thompson 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 2*nd June* 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 310.—Pension Department—

Captain T. C. Sherwood (Retired), late Superintendent, Army Schools, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Vizagapatam and Vizianagrum, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Powis, deceased.

No. 311.—Mr. G. Richter, late Inspector of Schools in Coorg, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Mercara, *vice* Colonel Cox, who vacates on proceeding on furlough.

No. 312.—Mr. W. Gibbs, late Army Schoolmaster, Bolarum, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Vellore, *vice* Colonel Bradstreet, who vacates on proceeding on furlough.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 313.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted four months' leave on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.G. No. 652 of 1890 :—

Lieutenant W. Donnan, Staff Corps, 19th Madras Infantry.

No. 314.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant A. T. Young, Staff Corps, 2nd Regiment, Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 315.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 158, dated 17th March 1891, Second Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, has been granted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India leave out of India for six months, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he left India.

No. 316.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon A. F. Dobson, Indian Medical Service . . { Arrived at Bombay on the 18th May 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 317.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd May 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Quartermaster-General's Department.

Intelligence Branch.

No. 508.—Captain G. V. Burrows, Officiating Paid Attaché, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General for Burma, *vice* Captain N. A. Bray, deceased. Dated 5th April 1891.

No. 318.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd May 1891, is republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

Manipur.

No. 511.—In G.G.O. No. 340 of 1891,* opposite "Transport Officer" under "The Tamu Column," *for* "Lieutenant B. W. Marlow, 23rd Madras Infantry (Deputy Assistant Commissary-General)," *substitute* "Major H. E. C. Kitchener, The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry."

* Madras G.O.G. No. 228 of 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 319.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 5th and 12th May 1891, are republished :—

MEMORANDA.

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The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are cancelled, these Officers having been transferred to the Indian Staff Corps with anterior dates :—

* * * * *

F. W. Daniell, the Bedfordshire Regiment.

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B. Scott, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
H. M. M. Brooke, the Essex Regiment.

The undermentioned Officers are granted the honorary rank of Captain :—

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Foster, Madras Establishment. Dated 24th February 1891.

INDIAN ARMY.

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Colonel Herbert Coningham, Madras Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 17th April 1891.

War Office, Pall Mall, 12th May 1891.

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Staff, The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels and Colonels, Indian Staff Corps, to be Colonels on the Staff in India :—

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F. C. St. John. Dated 14th July 1890.
J. H. Prendergast. Dated 12th April 1890.

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MEMORANDA.

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain William Paterson Carson, Madras Establishment, Chief Clerk of the Office of the Director-General of Ordnance in India, is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st April 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 320.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Supernumerary Second-grade Senior Apothecary (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) E. Gillson to be First-grade Senior Apothecary, with effect from the 22nd March 1891, *vice* First-grade Senior Apothecary T. Ward, retired.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 321.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain D. S. Lewis, Indian Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 322.—

The Right Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a Company of Volunteers shall be enrolled with Head-quarters at Masulipatam and sections at Bezvada and Guntur, the whole to form part of the "East Coast Rifle Volunteers."

This will absorb the greater portion of the "Kistna Volunteer Reserve" which will no longer be maintained as a separate corps. Such members of that body who may be unwilling to enrol themselves as Volunteers will, however, continue to be borne on the rolls as Reservists, and be attached to the "East Coast Rifle Volunteers" for administrative purposes.

No. 323.—APPOINTMENTS—

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Captain John Logan to be Major Commandant, with effect from the 1st June 1891, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Cox, resigned.

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Gordon Thomson Mackenzie, C.S., from the Kistna Volunteer Reserve, to be Captain.

Second Lieutenant John William Maiden, from the Kistna Volunteer Reserve, to be Lieutenant.

Second Lieutenant Lionel Maling Wynch, C.S., from the Kistna Volunteer Reserve, to be Second Lieutenant.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Honorary Colonel Francis Baker Hanna, to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Trevithick, resigned.

No. 324.—PROMOTIONS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, to fill existing vacancies :—

R. H. Shipley, C.S.
C. D'A. McArthy.

No. 325.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Second Lieutenant H. John is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

No. 326.—TRANSFERS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant S. B. Murray is transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the 16th May 1891.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 9th June 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 327.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India :—

Colonel Henry Fraser, Madras Cavalry, on attaining Colonel's allowances.

No. 328.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel F. Smalley, General List, Infantry, 1 year, p.a.
Captain J. H. Jones, Staff Corps, 5 months, m.c.
Lieutenant R. F. R. Formby, Staff Corps, 5 months, m.c.

No. 329.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Captain L. J. Torrie, Staff Corps, 22nd Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—19th year, commenced 19th October 1890.

No. 330.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain C. W. W. Burton, Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. H. Lewin, Staff Corps.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 331.—NATIVE ARMY—

5th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Saiyid Husain to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 6th April 1891.
Jemadar Narrainsawmy to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 6th April 1891.
Jemadar Sonamootoo to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 6th April 1891.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Nizámud-dín to be Subadar .. .. .. Dated 28th March 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 332.—OFFICERS—

So much of G.O.G. No. 291 of 1891 as refers to Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. B. Ternan, Assistant Adjutant-General, Myingyan District, is cancelled.

No. 333.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department :—

Surgeon-Major P. N. Mookerjee, Indian Medical Department.
Surgeon F. J. Dewes, Indian Medical Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 334.—APPOINTMENTS—

Southern Mahratta Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Joseph Campbell, Esq., Agent, Southern Mahratta Railway, to be Honorary Colonel.

No. 335.—TRANSFERS—

Lieutenant Robert Morris is retransferred from the Malabar Volunteer Rifles to the South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 9th June 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Date up to which claims will be received.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number if a soldier.							
27th May 1891.	Bombardier.	Courtney, J.	E.A.V. Company.	2607	12th Sept. 1887.	Testate.	RS. A. P. 2 9 6	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 2 9 6	9th Aug. 1891.	George and John Courtney, children of the deceased.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 16*th June* 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 336.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.

No. 337.—With reference to G.O.G. Nos. 384, 458 and 627 of 1890, Lieutenant G. M. Morris, Staff Corps, is granted an extension of 10 days' leave, from the 19th to the 28th December 1890 inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

No. 338.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant T. B. Hawks, Staff Corps, 22nd Madras Infantry. Rejoined his Regiment on the 6th May 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 339.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th May 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 558.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the admission of the undermentioned individual to the 3rd class of the Order of Merit :—

Armourer-Havildar Peter Durand, 33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry.—For conspicuous gallantry at Fort Stedman, Burma, on the 11th February 1891, in that, while unarmed himself, he closed with the murderer of Major Nixon, the Commandant of the regiment, and eventually arrested the man, who was armed with a rifle and bayonet.

No. 340.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 6th June 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 5*th June* 1891.

No. 793.—*Appointment.*—General Sir H. N. D. Prendergast, K.C.B., V.C., R.E., Officiating Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner of Coorg, to officiate also as Judicial Commissioner of Coorg.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 341.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th May 1891, is republished :—

India Office, 15*th May* 1891.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Medical Services and admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants:

Second Lieutenant Francis Forbes Major, from the Dorsetshire Regiment. Dated 10th October 1889.

Second Lieutenant William Beauchamp Staunton, from the Royal Dublin Fusiliers. Dated 15th February 1890.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major (ranking as Lieutenant-Colonel) Arthur Luke Hackett. Dated 27th January 1891.

MADRAS SUBORDINATE MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Senior Apothecaries, Second Grade (ranking as Honorary Lieutenants).

Apothecary, First Grade, Samuel Charles White. Dated 16th January 1891.

Apothecary, First Grade, Theophilus Todd. Dated 11th March 1891.

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The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officers:

Colonel Robert Bullock, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 19th April 1891.

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The Queen has also approved of the date of retirement of Colonel William John Pickance, Indian Staff Corps, being altered to 1st March 1891.

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PENSIONS.

No. 342.—Conductor H. Frankland, Public Works Department, Madras, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on an invalid pension of Rupees 68 per mensem, with effect from the 6th March 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 343.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the date specified:—

Colonel C. J. Pearse, Staff Corps,—20th June 1891.

No. 344.—NATIVE ARMY—

22nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 279, Venkatachellum to be Jemadar .. Dated 28th March 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 345.—Honorary Major and Deputy Commissary William Paterson Carson, Ordnance Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a retiring pension of £216 per annum, or Rupees 200 per mensem, with effect from the date following that on which this order is received at the station where he is serving.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 346.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon W. L. Gray, Medical Staff, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from 1st June 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 347.—APPOINTMENTS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Mr. John Herbert Robertson, C.S.
Mr. John Twigg, C.S.
Mr. Ernest Harry Black.
Mr. Frederick Charles Roth.

To be Captain.

Mr. William Neill Black.

No. 348.—PROMOTIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

To be Lieutenants.

Second Lieutenant J. H. Robertson.
Second Lieutenant J. Twigg.
Second Lieutenant E. H. Black.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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 HONOURABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 23rd June 1891.

CANTONMENTS.

No. 349.—Taxation—

The following Notification is published for general information :—

In exercise of the power conferred by section 17, sub-section (1), clause (*a*), of the Cantonments Act, XIII of 1889, the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to direct that, from and after the 1st April 1891, the following taxes shall be imposed in the Cantonment of Vizianagrum, viz. :—

i. A yearly tax on arts, professions, trades and callings, and on offices and appointments, at the rates specified in Schedule A to the Madras District Municipalities Act IV of 1884.

ii. A yearly tax on buildings at the rate of 7 per cent. on the annual value of such buildings.

iii. A half-yearly tax on vehicles with springs, palanquins and animals at the rates respectively specified in Schedule B to Madras Act IV of 1884.

iv. A half-yearly tax on carts and other vehicles without springs at the rate of Rs. 2 for each half year in respect of every such vehicle.

No. 350.—The following Notification is published for general information :—

In exercise of the power conferred by section 17, sub-section (2), of the Cantonments Act, XIII of 1889, the Governor in Council, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to direct that such of the provisions of sections 50 to 74, 77 to 90, and 97 to 111 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, 1884, as relate to the assessment and recovery in Municipalities of the taxes referred to in Notification No. 349 of this date, shall apply to the Cantonment of Vizianagrum, with effect from the 1st April 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 351.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India on vacating regimental command :—

Colonel J. K. Clubley, Staff Corps.

No. 352.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain P. G. Huggins, D.S.O., Staff Corps.

No. 353.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Surgeon-Major J. J. Moran, M.D., Indian Medical Department, 6 months, m.c.

No. 354.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Captain A. B. Murray, Staff Corps, 10th (1st Burma Battalion) Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—13th year, commenced 10th September 1890.

Lieutenant H. M. Allen, Staff Corps, 5th Punjab Cavalry, for six months. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 14th September 1890.

No. 355.—First-grade Apothecary G. B. Fonseca, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for 90 days, under Article 920F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 356.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th June 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 565.—Lieutenant E. Codrington, Wiltshire Regiment, appointed by the Secretary of State for India to be a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, is posted to the Madras Army, with effect from the date of his arrival in India.

No. 357.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th June 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 570.—Lieutenant H. A. K. Jennings, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 3rd class, Madras, is granted leave in India, (m.c.) for 137 days, with effect from the 24th April 1891.

No. 358.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 12th June 1891, are republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 580.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 71 of 1891, the honorary rank of Lieutenant is conferred on the undermentioned Deputy Assistant Commissaries, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Commissariat-Transport Department.

* * * *

George Watson Mills (Madras).

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No. 581.—The Governor-General in Council, in recognition of the conspicuous bravery and devotion displayed by the Native officers, soldiers, and followers of the detachment of the 43rd Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment of Bengal Infantry and the 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry under Lieutenant (now Major) C. J. W. Grant,—which advanced towards Manipur on the 28th March 1891 to attempt the relief of the British captives, and captured Thobal on the 31st, holding it against large forces of the enemy,—is pleased to confer on them the following rewards :—

1. To be admitted to the 2nd class of the Order of British India, with the title of *Bahadur*—

Subadar Shaikh Mahtab Din, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry.
Jemadar Birbal Nagarkoti, 43rd Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment of Bengal Infantry.

2. To be granted the 3rd class of the Order of Merit—

Hospital Assistant Govinda Swami Pillai and all the non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the detachment.

The nominal roll of the above will be published hereafter.

3. A step of rank to be granted to all Native officers and non-commissioned officers who are eligible and fit for promotion.

4. A donation of six months' pay and allowances to be granted to all ranks, including followers.

No. 359.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 13th June 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 10th June 1891.

No. 312.—The services of the undermentioned Medical Officers of the Madras Establishment are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma :—

Surgeon-Major P. N. Mookerjee.
Surgeon F. J. Dewes.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 360.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 22nd, 26th and 30th May 1891, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd May 1891.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Evelyn Medows Norie is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 2nd May 1891.

War Office, May 26, 1891.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross upon the undermentioned Officer of Her Majesty's Army, whose claim has been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for the conspicuous bravery displayed by him during the recent operations in Manipur, Assam, commencing on 27th March 1891, as recorded against his name :—

Corps.	Name.	Act of Courage for which recommended.
Indian Staff Corps.	Lieutenant Charles James William Grant.	For the conspicuous bravery and devotion to his country displayed by him in having, upon hearing on the 27th March 1891, of the disaster at Manipur, at once volunteered to attempt the relief of the British captives, with 80 Native soldiers, and having advanced with the greatest intrepidity, captured Thobal, near Manipur, and held it against a large force of the enemy. Lieutenant Grant inspired his men with equal heroism, by an ever-present example of personal daring and resource.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to approve of the following promotions being conferred upon this Officer, in recognition of his services in Manipur as detailed above :—

India Office, May 26, 1891.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Charles James William Grant to be Captain. Dated 10th May 1891.

War Office, May 26, 1891.

BREVET.

Captain Charles James William Grant, Indian Staff Corps, to be Major. Dated 11th May 1891.

War Office, 30*th May* 1891.

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the celebration of Her Majesty's Birth-day, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath :

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—

* * * *

General Sir Charles Patton Keyes, K.C.B., Indian Staff Corps.

* * * *

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

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel William Popham Dicken, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Joseph Gabbett, Indian Staff Corps.

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The Queen has further been pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order, viz. :—

* * * *

Colonel Elphinstone Waters Begbie, Madras Infantry, Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras.

* * * *

India Office, 30*th May* 1891.

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Her Majesty has been further pleased to nominate and appoint Colonel George Herbert Trevor, Madras Staff Corps, Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana, to be a Companion of the said Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 361.—NATIVE ARMY—

14*th Madras Infantry.*

Jemadar Muhammad Abbas to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 9th April 1891.
Havildar, No. 3089, Moonesawmy to be Jemadar .. }

No. 362.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Apothecary T. Todd to be Second-grade Senior Apothecary (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval) with effect from the 11th March 1891, *vice* Senior Apothecary C. Trutwein, deceased. (This cancels G.O.G. No. 166 of 1891.)

No. 363.—The date of promotion of Sub-Assistant Apothecary S. A. Cartman should be 30th June 1886 and not 30th July 1886 as notified in G.O.G. No. 445 of 1886.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 364.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant H. L. B. Acton, Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 365.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Surgeon-Major John Maitland, M.D., to be Honorary Surgeon, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 366.—PROMOTIONS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Second Lieutenant Harry Chaney to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant W. Frechville, resigned.

Second Lieutenant John Albert Alexander Gow to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant A. Rea, promoted.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 15th June 1891.

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 months of April and May 1891:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Place of decease.	Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.
General List, Infantry.	Lieutenant-Colonel F. T. Powis.	Waltair ..	5th April 1891 ..	Intestate.
Do. ..	Colonel H. T. H. Baber ..	Gungaw ..	24th May ,, ..	....
2nd Battalion, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.	Captain N. A. Bray ..	Endawgyi ..	5th April ,, ..	....
1st Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.	Lieutenant S. Nicholson ..	Between Endawgyi and Mansi (Burma).	19th ,, ,, ..	....
Barrack Department ..	Sub-Conductor M. J. Croghan.	Rangoon ..	18th ,, ,, ..	....

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 30th June 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 367.—Personal Staff—

The following appointment is made on the Personal Staff of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Captain (Brevet-Major) C. J. W. Grant, V.C., 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) Madras Infantry, to be Aide-de-Camp and Interpreter. Dated 13th June 1891.

No. 368.—Staff Corps—

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

Lieutenant A. B. Murray, Royal Artillery, Wing Officer, 7th Madras Infantry,—2nd February 1890

Lieutenant F. H. Domenichetti, Leicestershire Regiment, Wing Officer, 28th Madras Infantry,—24th February 1890.

No. 369.—The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months' probationary service, are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the approval of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant A. F. Johnson, Somersetshire Light Infantry, Wing Officer, 13th Madras Infantry,— 11th November 1889.

Lieutenant E. R. Foord, Royal Irish Rifles, Wing Officer, 30th Madras Infantry, —17th November 1889.

Second Lieutenant G. L. P. Clarke, Cheshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 9th Madras Infantry,—27th November 1889.

Lieutenant W. H. Brown, Royal West Kent Regiment, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry,—2nd December 1889.

Second Lieutenant Clarke will rank as Lieutenant in the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 27th November 1889, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 370.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel J. O. Goldie, Staff Corps, 3 months, p.a.

No. 371.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on urgent private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant J. R. Mathewes, Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 2nd Madras Lancers, for six months. Pension service,—10th year, commenced 10th May 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 372.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 19th June 1891, are republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

Manipur.

No. 585.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the subjoined letter from the Adjutant-General in India, submitting, under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India, despatches from Major-General H. Collett, C.B., commanding the Manipur Field Force, and from Major-General T. Graham, C.B., and Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. F. Rennick, commanding respectively the Tamu and Silchar Columns

of the Force. These despatches report the particulars of the simultaneous advance on Manipur of the three columns from Kohima, Tamu, and Silchar, which were sent to restore order in Manipur and to exact retribution for the murder of the Chief Commissioner of Assam and other British officers in March last.

2. The Governor-General in Council cordially endorses the approval expressed by the Commander-in-Chief in India of the indomitable energy displayed by the troops in overcoming the difficulties and hardships of an advance without tents through a mountainous and unhealthy country, exposed as they were to much suffering from intense heat and heavy rain. The association with the regular troops of the volunteer soldiers of the Calcutta Rifle Corps and Surma Valley Light Horse in this expedition is a matter of especial gratification to His Excellency in Council, who also notices with much satisfaction the services of the Assam Military Police with the Kohima and Silchar Columns. The Governor-General also wishes to record his appreciation of the good work done by the Commissariat-Transport Department.

3. The services of Major H. St. P. Maxwell, Deputy Commissioner, Kachar, Mr. A. W. Davis, C.S., Deputy Commissioner, Kohima, and Mr. C. A. Soppitt, Political Officer with General Graham, have been especially valuable, while Mr. Dalrymple-Clark has done good work in connection with the transport on the Nigriting-Nichuguard road.

4. His Excellency in Council desires to convey to Major-General Collett, the Officers commanding the Tamu and Silchar Columns, and to all the officers and troops the acknowledgments of the Government of India for the excellent manner in which the expedition was carried out.

No. 375-M.—"*Field Operations—Manipur*,"—dated Simla, 11th June 1891.

From—Major-General W. Galbraith, C.B., Adjutant-General in India,
To—Major-General E. H. H. Collen, C.I.E., Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.

I have the honour, by direction of the Commander-in-Chief, to submit, for the information of the Government of India despatches from Major-General H. Collett, C.B., commanding the Manipur Field Force, and Major-General T. Graham, C.B., and Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. F. Rennick, commanding respectively the Tamu and Silchar Columns.

2. On receipt of authentic intelligence of the seizure by the Durbar of the Chief Commissioner of Assam, orders were issued on the 29th and 30th March for the formation of three columns at Kohima, Tamu, and Silchar, and for their simultaneous advance on Manipur.

3. Considerable difficulty was experienced in the concentration and advance of the force, the troops for the Tamu and Silchar Columns being furnished from Burma and India, whilst the movements of the Kohima Column were seriously retarded by the difficulty of obtaining cooly transport.

4. The columns moved from their respective bases at Silchar, Kohima, and Tamu on the 5th, 20th, and 23rd April. The advance of the Tamu force was preceded by a gallant attempt on the part of Lieutenant C. J. W. Grant of the 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry to rescue the captives, a detailed report of which has already been submitted for the information of Government.

On the 13th April Captain Presgrave, 12th Madras Infantry, routed 300 of the enemy near Palel, Lieutenant Grant having his charger shot under him while leading the mounted infantry in pursuit.

On the 25th April an advanced reconnoitring party from the Tamu Column encountered a considerable number of Manipuris strongly posted near the village of Bapam. On the arrival of a reinforcement of 200 rifles and two mountain guns under Captain F. M. Rundall, 4th Gurkha Rifles, the position was stormed and carried after an obstinate hand-to-hand combat with a loss of one native officer and one sepoy killed, and four British officers,* two Native officers, two non-commissioned officers, and five sepoys wounded. A report by Captain Rundall of this brilliant affair is attached for the information of Government.†

* Captain F. M. Drury, Captain P. M. Carnegy, Lieutenant C. J. W. Grant, Lieutenant F. W. H. Cox, } 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Regiment. } 12th Madras Infantry.

† Not published.

The other two columns met with no serious opposition from the enemy, and the whole force arrived before Manipur on the 27th April, the date appointed for the concentration.

5. His Excellency heartily endorses the high opinion expressed by Major-General Collett and the commanders of the Tamu and Silchar Columns of the indomitable energy and cheerfulness displayed by the troops in overcoming the difficulties and discomforts of an advance through unhealthy country without tents, and exposed to much suffering from intense heat and heavy rain.

6. Sir Frederick Roberts desires to bring to the notice of the Government of India the services of Major-General Collett, C.B., commanding the Field Force, Major-General Graham, C.B., commanding the Tamu Column, Lieutenant-Colonel Renfick, commanding the Silchar Column, and the officers mentioned by them, especially Major H. St. P. Maxwell, Deputy Commissioner, Kachar, and Mr. A. W. Davies, C.S., Deputy Commissioner, Kohima, whose hearty co-operation and personal influence were invaluable in procuring transport for the Silchar and Kohima Columns, and facilitating their advance.

7. A list of officers recommended for special rewards will be submitted separately.

No. 59, dated the Palace, Manipur, the 2nd May 1891.

From—Major-General H. COLLETT, C.B., Commanding the Manipur Field Force,
To—The Adjutant-General in India.

I have the honour to report, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, that the Kohima Column of the Manipur Field Force, strength as detailed in the margin, marched from Kohima under my command on the 20th April.

3 guns, No. 8 (Bengal) Mountain Battery, under Captain A. H. C. Birch, R.A.
100 rifles, 13th Bengal Infantry, under Lieutenant A. Giles.
200 rifles, 42nd Gurkha Rifles, under Captain H. W. Priestley, 44th Gurkha Rifles.
400 rifles, 43rd Gurkha Rifles, under Colonel H. M. Evans.
300 rifles, 44th Gurkha Rifles, under Major R. K. Ridgeway, V.C.
200 rifles, Assam Military Police, Naga Hills Battalion, under Captain D. C. F. Macintyre.

2. The column arrived at Manipur at ten o'clock on the 27th April, having experienced no opposition on the way except a few shots, which were fired at the advanced guard on the 24th April.

3. The only stockade which the Manipuris had erected on the road was at Kaithimabi, and this was found deserted.

4. We arrived at Sengmai, a small village at the northern end of the Manipur Valley, and eleven miles from the capital, on the 26th April, and I endeavoured to get into communication with the Burma and Silchar Columns, then supposed to be at Thobal and Bishenpur, but owing to unfavourable weather was unsuccessful. I also sent letters by messengers (both of which reached their destination) to the commanders of these columns informing them that I would take up a position about 9 A.M. the next morning on the Ching Maikong Ridge, about 2,000 yards north of and commanding the palace enclosure, and requesting them to halt at a suitable distance from the palace walls, and get into communication with me with a view to concerting any further operation that might appear necessary.

5. During the night of the 26th information was received that the Regent with the three princes, his brothers, had fled from Manipur that evening.

6. The three columns of attack, viz., the Burma Column, under the Command of Brigadier-General T. Graham, C.B., the Silchar Column, under Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. F. Rennick, and the Kohima Column, arrived at Manipur by 11 A.M. on the 27th April, the date which had been previously fixed for the concentration.

7. The villages in the immediate neighbourhood of the capital, the city itself, and the palace enclosure were deserted.

8. The sixty-two British subjects (natives) who had been held in captivity by the Regent were found safe and well.

9. Ample accommodation for the troops of the three columns was found in the palace and the adjacent buildings. This was very acceptable, as it had been raining heavily since the early morning.

10. The spirit and behaviour of the troops have been throughout excellent. Much rain fell during the march, and as we had no tents the men suffered considerable discomfort in bivouac, but it was cheerfully borne as became good soldiers. The only complaint I ever heard was that the enemy did not stay to fight.

11. The transport of the Kohima Column consisted of Naga coolies, and it is entirely owing to the unremitting exertions of Mr. A. W. Davis, C.S., Deputy Commissioner of Kohima, and to the personal influence which he exercises over these wild people, that the column was enabled to concentrate at Kohima and march to Manipur.

I venture to hope that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief may be pleased to bring the very valuable services rendered to us by this officer to the special notice of the Government of India.

12. I enclose a despatch, dated Manipur, 29th April, from Brigadier-General T. Graham, C.B., commanding the Burma Column, detailing the events which occurred on his march from Tamu; and I beg most cordially to endorse the terms of praise in which he writes of the officers and troops engaged in the brilliant action of the 25th April near Palel. I also enclose a report by Captain F. M. Rundall, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, describing that action.*

* Not published.

13. Brigadier-General Graham has throughout this short campaign handled his command in a thoroughly satisfactory manner, and I recommend this distinguished officer, and the officers and troops he has named in his despatch, to the particular notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

14. Lieutenant-Colonel Rennick brought up his column from Silchar to Manipur, in spite of the serious sickness and great natural difficulties he had to overcome, with admirable energy and promptitude.

15. The following guns, ammunition, &c., were captured in the palace arsenal:—

Four 7-pounder rifled muzzle-loading guns, presented to the Maharaja by the British Government.
Eight 3-pounder smooth-bore bronze guns.
One 2-pounder muzzle-loading bronze gun.
Four 2-pounder muzzle-loading iron guns.
One 4½" mortar.
A large number of *jinjals*.
1,290 fire-arms of various patterns, chiefly smooth-bore.

940,000 * rounds smooth-bore balled musket ammunition, in boxes.
972,000 percussion caps for smooth-bore muskets in box.
180 barrels of powder.
Elephant gear for the four 7-pounder mountain guns.

16. Fire-arms are still in course of collection. I have issued a proclamation disarming the population of the Manipur Valley and of the neighbouring hill tracts formerly subject to the Manipur Durbar, the penalty for the possession of arms without a license being death or transportation. There are a very large number of fire-arms in this district, and I hope that after a few weeks the greater proportion of them will have been got in.

17. We have also obtained possession of 26 elephants, the property of the Durbar, which have been made over to the Transport Department, and about 50 ponies.

18. I beg to bring the services of the following officers to the favourable consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Deputy Surgeon-General C. P. Costello.—Has done good administrative work in organizing the medical service on the Silchar line. His advice and assistance are always valuable.

Major F. S. Gwatkin, Assistant Adjutant-General—Has given me much valuable assistance and advice. Has great field experience. Particularly recommended for favourable consideration.

Captain G C. Kitson, The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General—An able Staff officer. Has been of great use to me.

Captain C. M. Fitzgerald, Chief Commissariat Officer—A thoroughly competent and experienced officer. Has managed his departmental business to my entire satisfaction.

Captain R. F. Allen, Royal Engineers, Field Engineer—Has made an excellent report on the Kohima-Manipur road, and is now engaged in arranging for the accommodation of the troops at Manipur. A very capable officer.

Captain J Willcocks, D.S.O., Leinster Regiment, Chief Transport Officer—A very energetic and intelligent officer; of good tact. His former experience in transport work in these hills has been most valuable.

Lieutenant L G. N. Eales, East Kent Regiment, Signalling Officer—The circumstances of the march from Kohima and the unfavourable weather have not allowed much scope for signalling. Lieutenant Eales is zealous and energetic.

Mr. J. H. W. Dalrymple-Clark, Assam Police Department—Was placed at my disposal by the Assam Government to organize and work the cart train on the Nigriting-Nichuguard road. In this work he has been indefatigable, and has succeeded admirably. A very intelligent and zealous officer.

Surgeon H. C. Banerji, Indian Medical Service, Civil Surgeon of Sibsagar—Was temporarily placed at my disposal by the Assam Government to organize the medical arrangements from the river base to Nichuguard. His services have been most useful.

Surgeon-Major C. H. Beatson, Indian Medical Service—Took over charge from Surgeon Banerji on the 19th April, and is now doing good service as Principal Medical Officer on the Kohima line.

Surgeon H. C. Hudson, Indian Medical Service.—Was senior medical officer with the Kohima Column on the march to Manipur. An able officer, with considerable field experience and power of organization.

The following officers commanded their respective battalions and detachments with great credit to themselves and to my entire satisfaction in every respect :—

Colonel H. M. Evans, 43rd Gurkha Rifles
Major R. K. Ridgeway, V.C., 44th Gurkha Rifles.
Captain H. W. Priestley, 44th Gurkha Rifles, temporarily commanding the 42nd Gurkha Rifles.
Captain A. H. C. Birch, No. 8 (Bengal) Mountain Battery.
Captain D. C. F. Macintyre, Assam Military Police.
Lieutenant A. Giles, 13th Bengal Infantry.

The advice and assistance I received from Colonel Evans and Major Ridgeway in particular were most useful.

19. I leave to Brigadier-General Graham, C.B., and Lieutenant-Colonel Rennick the duty of bringing to His Excellency's notice the services rendered by the officers and others in their respective columns.

20. It is a subject of much regret to me that, owing to the pressure on supplies and transport, I was unable to bring up the 36th (Sikh) Regiment of Bengal Infantry under the command of Colonel J. Cook in time to march from Kohima with the column of advance.

21. For the same reason, I was unable to take more than 100 rifles of the 13th Bengal Infantry with the column. The remainder of the regiment, under the command of Major Bingham, did very useful work at Kohima and at Nichuguard. Both regiments were eager to be taken, and both were in every respect thoroughly fit for field service.

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* 250,000 rounds of Government manufacture; remainder local manufacture.

No. 181-M, dated Camp Manipur, the 29th April 1891.

From—Brigadier-General T. GRAHAM, C.B., Commanding the Tamu Column, Manipur Field Force,

To—The Assistant Adjutant-General, Manipur Field Force.

I have the honour to submit the following report of the operations of the Tamu Column for the information of the Major-General Commanding the Manipur Field Force.

2. A report was received from Tamu on the 25th March that the telegraph wire had been cut 25 miles from Tamu, and that the Manipuris were rising. On the 27th March a detachment of the 43rd Gurkha Rifles arrived at Tamu from Manipur, and stated that a revolt had taken place in Manipur, and that the Chief Commissioner of Assam and many other officers were prisoners in the hands of the Manipur Durbar.

3. Lieutenant Grant, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, who was commanding at Tamu, communicated this information by telegraph, and requested permission to take 50 rifles of his own regiment and the detachment of the 43rd Gurkha Rifles (35 rifles), and proceed at once towards Manipur to endeavour to render assistance to the prisoners. His proposal having been sanctioned, he left Tamu on the 28th March. On arriving near Thobal, he found about 800 Manipuris in position there to arrest his advance. Lieutenant Grant immediately attacked the enemy, and drove them out, killing about 50 of them. He then established himself in a defensible position, where he was attacked by 2,000 of the enemy with two guns, whom he defeated, inflicting heavy loss, and held his position until ordered to retire from it on the 9th April.

4. In the meantime Captain Presgrave, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, with 100 rifles, had been pushed up from Auktaung to Tamu, and was sent out to enable Lieutenant Grant to withdraw his small force. Captain Presgrave having relieved Lieutenant Grant, the whole party started for Tamu; but Major Sir C. H. Leslie, *Bart.*, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, having arrived at Tamu with his regiment, was ordered to push on, and also to direct Captain Presgrave to go back and occupy Palel, and to hurry up to that place himself. During Captain Presgrave's second advance on Palel he came across the enemy, who were evidently following up Lieutenant Grant's detachment. He attacked and defeated the enemy with heavy loss. In the pursuit which followed, Lieutenant Grant's charger was shot under him. Captain Presgrave then occupied Palel, where he was joined subsequently by Major Sir Charles Leslie with the 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, and this place was held as the advanced position till the arrival of the remainder of the Tamu Column on the 25th April 1891.

5. Orders had been received on the 31st March for a force from the Myingyan District, Upper Burma, to proceed to Manipur to co-operate with columns from Silchar and Kohima. The constitution of the Tamu Column was as follows:—

Four guns, No. 2 Mountain Battery, Royal Artillery.
Head-quarters and wing, 4th Battalion, King's Royal Rifles.
2-4th Gurkha Regiment.
12th (Burma) Madras Infantry.
With the 32nd (Burma) Madras Infantry in reserve at Tamu.

The main body of the column concentrated at Tamu on the 21st April, and advanced on the 23rd April, it having been arranged that the columns from Kohima, Silchar, and Tamu should concentrate on Manipur on the 27th April 1891.

6. The column advanced without opposition to Palel. On the 24th April, while the main body was at Tinghaphul, information was received from Palel that the enemy had entrenched themselves in a position about six miles north of Palel, and orders were issued for a reconnaissance to be made on the 25th April to ascertain their strength, &c. On the arrival of the head-quarters of the column at Palel on the 25th April, information was received from Captain Drury, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, who was commanding the reconnaissance party, that he had hemmed in a large number of the enemy in their entrenchment about six miles north of Palel, so that they could not escape, and asking permission to turn them out. As Captain Drury had only 100 rifles of the 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, 50 rifles of the 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, and 44 mounted infantry of the 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry with him, and as I did not think this force strong enough for the purpose, I ordered two guns of No. 2 Mountain Battery and 200 rifles of the 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, the whole under the command of Captain Rundall, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, to reinforce Captain Drury. Captain Rundall, on arrival at the scene of action, placed his guns on a hill about 1,000 yards from the entrenchment, and commenced to shell it. In the meantime Captain Drury with his detachment of the 2-4th Gurkha Regiment and Lieutenant Grant with the 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry gradually approached the entrenchment from the north, while Captain Carnegy with his Gurkhas approached it from the south. The guns ceased firing as the infantry approached, and finally both Captain Drury's and Captain Carnegy's parties, the former accompanied by the detachment of the 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry under Lieutenant Grant, rushed the entrenchment. A regular hand-to-hand fight ensued, when most of the enemy in the work were killed. The mounted infantry of the 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry under Lieutenant Cox cut off the retreat of those who tried to escape, and killed many of them.

Our losses were as follow:—

Jemadar Kiruram Gurung, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, killed.
No. 939, Sepoy Dalia Thapa, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, killed.
Captain Drury and Captain Carnegy, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, severely wounded.

Lieutenant Grant and Lieutenant Cox, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, severely wounded.
Subadar-Major Kalpatti Gurung, 2-4th Gurkhas, severely wounded.
Jemadar Birbal Nagarkoti, 43rd Gurkhas, severely wounded.
No. 112, Havildar Jitman Rai, 2-4th Gurkhas, severely wounded.
No. 523, Naik Pirthidhan Rai, 2-4th Gurkhas, severely wounded.
No. 656, Sepoy Mahadal Limbu, 2-4th Gurkhas, severely wounded.
No. 575, Sepoy Dan Singh Chand, 2-4th Gurkhas, severely wounded.
No. 290, Sepoy Dhan Singh Khattri, 2-4th Gurkhas, severely wounded.
No. 637, Sepoy Dayal Singh, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, severely wounded.
No. 271, Sepoy Bhola Singh, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, severely wounded.

Of the enemy, 76 dead bodies were found in the entrenchment and 52 outside, while the mounted infantry killed many more. Amongst the killed were two Minzawraws, named Meah and Senna Mypa (a prince), who are stated by the Manipuris of all the adjacent villages to have been among the actual murderers of the late Mr. Quinton.

The force remained for the night in huts close to the scene of the fight.

The enemy on this occasion made a most stubborn resistance, which may be accounted for by the fact that they had no loophole for escape left them.

The behaviour of the troops was magnificent.

7. On the 26th April the head-quarters of the column marched to Thobal, picking up Captain Rundall's column *en route*. No opposition was met with on the way, and the force was all in quarters in the Thobal village by about 12 noon. The bridge made by Lieutenant Grant over the Arong stream had to be made stronger to allow the battery and transport animals to cross, and this delayed the column for about an hour. Heavy rain fell during the afternoon and night.

8. The column started for Manipur at 4-30 A.M. on the 27th April, and, meeting with no opposition on the way, arrived at the *pát* at 11 A.M. having been delayed by the very bad state of the roads and bridges. Heavy rain fell throughout the march, which made the road very slippery.

The villagers along the route seemed friendly, and in no way seemed to object to the passage of the column.

9. The behaviour of the troops has on all occasions been all that could be desired; severe marches and intense heat have been endured in a most cheerful manner, and all ranks appeared to be only too anxious to get a chance of showing their mettle.

10. In conclusion, I would beg to mention the following officers:—

Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. B. Ternan, my Assistant Adjutant-General, whose knowledge of all details, promptness in meeting all difficulties, and great experience have been of the most invaluable assistance to me.

Lieutenant C. J. Sackville-West, King's Royal Rifles, my Orderly Officer, has shown himself to be a most useful and intelligent officer.

Lieutenant G. Rippon, Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, took up his work at Kendat, and by his hard work and the quick way in which he has acquired a knowledge of his duties has proved himself useful.

Lieutenant F. H. S. Thomas, Staff Corps, Chief Commissariat Officer, has had very heavy and trying work in arranging for and getting up supplies for the column, and has earned my thanks.

Major H. E. C. Kitchener, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Chief Transport Officer, has had very hard work, and by his tact and judgment, especially in the management of the Panthay mule-drivers, has proved himself very useful.

To Mr. C. A. Soppit, Political Officer with my column, my warmest thanks are due for the great assistance he rendered me all through the march from Kendat to Manipur in obtaining guides and interpreters, and inducing the villagers of deserted villages to come in, thus reassuring the inhabitants of the country passed through.

Major O. S. Smyth, D.S.O., commanded No. 2 Mountain Battery, Royal Artillery, and throughout the trying march from Kendat to Manipur showed himself able to overcome all difficulties. Two guns of his battery were engaged in the affair of the 25th April north of Palel, and made excellent shooting.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Chalmer, commanding the 4th Battalion, King's Royal Rifles, has by his disregard of all difficulties and excellent example of cheerfulness to his men been of the greatest assistance to me. The march to Manipur has been a very trying one; the heat between Kendat and Tamu was intense, and the men under his command suffered much from it, but there was no diminution in the eagerness of the men to get to the front, and I am very sorry this well disciplined and keen regiment had no opportunity of showing the enemy what the British soldier can do.

Major Sir Charles H. Leslie, *Bart.*, commanding the 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, was in command of the advanced post at Palel for some days before the head-quarters of the column arrived there, and by his tact in the treatment of the villagers and promptness in dispersing all gatherings of the enemy in the vicinity of the post showed great judgment.

Captain F. M. Rundall, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, commanded the troops operating north of Palel on the 25th April, and (as he has done in many previous instances in the Chin Hills) proved himself a most excellent officer and fit for any command.

Captain F. M. Carnegy, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, led the attack of his men on the 25th April with great gallantry, and was severely wounded.

Captain F. M. Drury, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, led the attack of his men on the 25th April with great pluck, and was badly wounded in a hand-to-hand fight with the enemy inside their entrenchment.

Subadar-Major Kalpatti Gurung, 2-4th Gurkha Regiment, a very fine old soldier of upwards of forty years' service, ably seconded his officers in the attack on the 25th April, and was severely wounded.

Jemadar Birbal Nagarkoti, 43rd Gurkha Rifles, took part in the attack on the 25th April, and was badly wounded.

Major A. Howlett, commanding the 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, under great difficulties pushed on his men from the Kubo Valley, and by his promptness enabled me to reinforce Captain Presgrave and Lieutenant Grant on the frontier and hold our advanced posts. The discipline and good tone of this new regiment reflect great credit on him.

Lieutenant C. J. W. Grant, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry.—This officer has already been reported upon for the excellent service done by him on and after the 28th March, when he held his own at Thobal against 2,000 of the enemy and two guns, although his detachment numbered only about 80 men, having previously turned 800 of them out of the entrenchment he afterwards held. Again at Palel he had his pony shot under him whilst pursuing the enemy on the 13th April, and he also led his men to the attack on the 25th April, when he was badly wounded.

Lieutenant F. W. H. Cox, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, was in command of the mounted infantry of his regiment on the 25th April, and in his pursuit of the enemy did excellent service, killing many of them, being badly wounded by one of the fugitives.

Surgeon R. O. Cusack, Medical Staff, has been senior medical officer with the column, and has carried out all his duties very satisfactorily.

Dated Nongba, the 3rd May 1891.

From—Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. F. RENNICK, Commanding the Silchar Column, Manipur Field Force,

To—The Assistant Adjutant-General, Manipur Field Force.

I have the honour to submit, for the information of the General Officer commanding the Manipur Field Force, a brief report on the Silchar Column from the 6th April to the 27th April 1891. Its composition and strength is given in the margin.

	British officers.	Native officers.	Rifles.	Followers.
No. 8 (Bengal) Mountain Battery ..	1	1	62	27
18th Bengal Infantry	2	6	364	51
42nd Gurkha Rifles	3	4	99	..
43rd Gurkha Rifles	3	7	275	28
44th Gurkha Rifles	1	2	112	19
1-2nd Gurkha Regiment	9	15	708	67
Calcutta Volunteer Pioneers ..	2	2	48	2
Surma Valley Military Police ..	1	5	202	18
Total ..	22	42	1,870	212

2. On arrival at Silchar on the 6th April, I found the 18th Bengal Infantry holding the frontier posts of Jirighat, Baladhan, and the Barak bridge. From that time until the 15th April, in conjunction with Major Maxwell, Deputy Commissioner of Kachar, who afforded me most cordial and invaluable assistance, I was engaged in collecting carriage, storing rations, repairing bridges, and other subsidiary arrangements.

3. On the 7th April, as the 3rd Bengal Infantry, who were approaching Silchar, were suffering badly from cholera, I considered it prudent to push forward the detachments of 42nd, 43rd, and 44th Gurkha Rifles, as well as the Surma Valley Military Police, as a pioneer force to open up the road, construct shelters, &c.

4. The guns of the mountain battery arrived at Silchar on the afternoon of the 12th April and left the following morning. The 1-2nd Gurkha Regiment and half the Pioneer Company of the Calcutta Volunteers arrived at Silchar on the 13th April, halted the 14th April, and marched out with me on the 15th April. My advanced party under Captain Cowley, 43rd Gurkha Rifles, had on the previous day surprised a party of Kukis engaged in cutting down the suspension bridge over the Irang river. After exchanging a few shots, the bridge was seized. The floating bridge had already been cut adrift.

5. On the 20th April I occupied a position two miles and a half east of the Kaopam Valley with—

2 guns, No. 8 Mountain Battery.
100 rifles, 18th Bengal Infantry.
100 „ 42nd Gurkha Rifles
283 „ 43rd Gurkha Rifles.
180 „ Surma Valley Military Police.

I held the Irang bridge with 100 rifles of the 18th Bengal Infantry and 100 rifles of the 44th.

6. On the 21st April, having reconnoitred towards the Kaopam ridge, I decided to occupy the Laimatak and the Kaopam Valleys respectively with the abovementioned details, while the 1-2nd Gurkha Regiment held the Irang bridge.

7. On the 23rd April, being anxious to visit the 1-2nd Gurkha Rifles at Koapam, who were directed to halt as they were suffering very severely from cholera, I entrusted to Captain Boileau the task of forcing the Laimatak defile with the aforementioned details, 100 rifles of the 18th Bengal Infantry being told off to escort the commissariat convoy and reserve ammunition. Starting at 6 A.M., this operation was successfully carried out by 3 P.M., three stockades as well as several positions being successfully turned without loss to ourselves. The enemy lost ten men, their commander, who was wounded, being taken prisoner. The same evening I occupied Naraingaon, a village four miles from Bishenpur.

8. On the 25th April from Bishenpur the Foyging river and adjacent villages were reconnoitred.

9. On the 26th April the troops were served out with rations for the 27th, and in the afternoon the column moved on Foyging. Having failed to communicate with either General Collett or General Graham, I determined to advance on Manipur at 3 A.M. the following morning.

10. On the 25th April, the 1-2nd Gurkhas, who had halted for a couple of days to shake off their attack of cholera, having come up, I advanced against Manipur. I occupied the gateways of the *pát*, secured the temple and magazine from being exploded and drove the Manipuri incendiaries from the enclosure. I then received the copy of a letter in French addressed by General Collett to the General Officer commanding the Tamu Column. I thereupon sent Lieutenant-Colonel Michell towards Kohima to communicate with him.

11. The Pioneer Company of the Calcutta Volunteers having left half their strength foot-sore at Silchar, and having been attacked with cholera, nevertheless did most useful work on the line of communications. The Surma Valley Light Horse did excellent service in carrying despatches, escorting officers, mails, &c.

12. The line of communications from Godamghat to Irang bridge was held by detachments of the 18th Bengal Infantry, and from the Irang bridge to Bishenpur by detachments of the Surma Valley Military Police, under Lieutenant-Colonel Browne. Signalling stations were opened at Silchar, Namota, Jirighat, Kalanaga, Nongba, and Laimatak ridge by Captain Thomson. A base hospital was established at Silchar, with cholera and rest hospitals at Dilkush, Godamghat, Kalanaga, and Nongba.

13. In conclusion, I wish to place on record my appreciation of the splendid behaviour of both officers and men of the Silchar Column under the most trying circumstances. Exposed throughout the march to the inclemencies of the season, to hardship, sickness, and privation, all answered cheerfully to the call of duty, and worked with a zeal and energy rarely surpassed.

Where the conduct of all was admirable, it is difficult to single out any particular officers or men with a view to bring forward their names for the favourable notice of His Excellency the Commander-in Chief. I would, however, beg leave to mention specially the following in connection with the advance :—

Major H. St. P. Maxwell	Chief Political Officer.
Captain E. W. Dun, D.S.O.	Assistant Quartermaster-General (Intelligence).
Captain St. G. L. Steele, 2nd Bengal Lancers.	Brigade-Major.
Lieutenant H. W. Iles, Royal Artillery.	Commanding division of guns of No. 8 (Bengal) Mountain Battery.
Captain J. W. Cowley	Commanding the 43rd Gurkha Rifles.
Lieutenant H. W. G. Cole	Commanding the Surma Valley Military Police.
Captain A. J. M. MacLaughlin ..	Commanding the detachment of the Surma Valley Light Horse.
Mr. D. J. Clancey, C.E.	Executive Engineer, Silchar.

No. 586.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 581, dated the 12th June 1891, notifying the rewards which the Governor-General in Council had been pleased to bestow upon the Native officers, soldiers, and followers of the detachment under the command of Lieutenant (now Major) C. J. W. Grant, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry, in recognition of the conspicuous bravery and devotion displayed by them at Thobal, in Manipur, in March and April last, and to G.G.O. No. 597 of this date republishing the *London Gazette* of the 26th May 1891, in which it is notified that the Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross upon that officer for his conduct on the same occasion, His Excellency in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the subjoined letter from the Adjutant-General in India, with which is submitted a report from Lieutenant Grant describing the operations of the detachment under his command from the 28th of March to the 10th April 1891.

No. 369-M,—"*Field Operations—Manipur*,"—dated Simla, the 5th June 1891.

From—Major-General W. GALBRAITH, C.B., Adjutant-General in India,
To—Major-General E. H. H. COLLEN, C.I.E., Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.

I have the honour, by direction of the Commander-in-Chief, to forward a letter from His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army, enclosing a report from Lieutenant

C. J. W. Grant, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry, describing the operations of the detachment under his command from the 28th March to the 10th April 1891.

2. The Commander-in-Chief has already noted in this office letter No. 236-M, dated 24th April 1891, his high opinion of Lieutenant Grant's conspicuous personal daring and unfailing resource, and of the endurance and heroism displayed by all ranks under his leading, and this estimate is fully borne out by the enclosed report, which, in His Excellency's opinion, may be published as an example of what it is possible for one British officer with a handful of devoted Native soldiers to accomplish by prompt initiative, resolute courage, and soldier-like skill.

3. Sir Frederick Roberts trusts that the rewards already recommended for the Native officers, rank and file, and followers in this office letter above quoted may, as a special case, be granted, and notified at an early date.

No. 2132-W.—"*Field Operations—Burma*,"—dated Ootacamund, the 26th May 1891.

From—His Excellency Lieutenant-General The Hon'ble Sir J. C. DORMER, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army,

To—Adjutant-General in India.

In forwarding Lieutenant Grant's report of his operations, as called for in your telegram No. 303-M of the 11th instant, I beg to enclose copy of letter No. 2079-W, dated the 7th April last, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, and to say that I cordially agree with the remarks of the Brigadier-General Commanding the Tamu Field Force and of the General Officer commanding the Burma District recorded on the report.

2. I consider that the admirable conduct of the expedition by Lieutenant Grant marks that young officer out as a soldier of rare military acquirements, and I strongly recommend him for the rewards specified in my letter to the Government of Madras referred to above.

3. I trust, moreover, that the promotions and rewards recommended by Lieutenant Grant for all the Native officers and non-commissioned officers mentioned in his despatch may be approved, and that every man of the small force under his command who fought so splendidly may be given some signal reward.

Dated Palél, the 13th April 1891.

From—Lieutenant C. J. W. GRANT, 12th (Burma) Regiment of Madras Infantry, Commanding Advanced Party, Manipur,

To—The Adjutant, 12th Madras Infantry.

I have the honour to submit this my report of operations from 28th March 1891 to 10th April 1891.

In consequence of my telegrams of 27th March 1891, I received orders from the Assistant Adjutant-General, Myingyan, at 10-30, 27th March 1891, to march on Manipur with all speed.

At 5-30 A.M., *28th March* 1891, I marched from Tamu, strength as per margin. About four miles a small party of Chins tried to ambush us, but my advanced guard flanked them, and their shots did no harm. They escaped in jungle. Arrived at Lockchau river at 5 P.M., the elephants unable to carry their 600 lb. faster than one mile an hour.

43rd Gurkha Rifles.
1 jemadar, 30 rifles,—60 rounds per man.
12th (Burma) Madras Infantry.
1 subadar, 50 rifles,—160 rounds per man.

29th March 1891.—Marched at 2 A.M., arriving at Kogaung; signal shots were fired by enemy, who retired over ridge near Tunglebun. About 20 shots were fired at us by Manipuri picket. Arrived at water at 2 P.M., 12 hours' march. Found camp burnt and prepared for defence, but not held. Elephant useless in these hills with over 300 lb. load.

Marched at 11 P.M., moon rise. Order of march,—Gurkha Light Infantry 10, 12th Burma 30; fighting party,—Gurkha Light Infantry 20; 12th Burma 20; baggage guard and reserve. Found wire cut and twisted across road all along, causing great delay; 8 or 10 shots fired from hills at 12 midnight. Found road blocked by number of trees felled across; impassable for elephants and ponies. The 10 Gurkhas cut away with *kukris*, while 20 of 12th Burma scrambled over and through for covering party; suddenly heavy fire broke out above, but we were too close under to be hurt; covering party going to right front took enemy on their left flank, and after few shots we rushed them. But the Manipuri sepoys were too quick for us, and they bolted into thick jungle, and we couldn't find them in the moonlight. Found ourselves in a shelter trench 90 yards along commanding the road below. While in trench were fired on from above; rushing up found two small trenches empty. Hunted about, finding three guns, lots of ammunition, and eight or nine rough *pharwas*, which we took along. Heard what we supposed to be wounded moving in thick jungle below, but it was pitch dark, and found nothing. Found traces of a considerable camp. Enemy must have been all asleep and surprised. Marched on at 1 A.M.

30th March 1891.—Passed deserted Naga village Aimool down to Manipur plain, arriving in sight Palel 6 A.M. Extended fighting party of 40 as company, and advanced over open plain, with high grass here and there. But the Manipuri sepoys retreated after emptying their guns, and we did them little damage; though we pursued for three miles, we couldn't catch them up; only found one sepoy in long grass and a man who stated he was cook to the "Appral Minga" or "Maja," the member of the Durbar who ranks next to the princes, and who has charge of the country from Manipur to Tamu. He states:—Maja got letter from capital stating 5 British

officers and 30 sepoys killed and 2 sahibs and 10 sepoys prisoners of Maharaja; that Mrs. Grimwood had escaped for the present, and that all the British army had fled to Assam: could not say whether or not they had made a stand anywhere; that his Maja had been sent with 6 officers, 35 havildars, and 150 men to stop us coming from Tamu, and these men were in the trenches above Tunglebun (or Tignoban). Marched from Palel at 11 P.M. and made fair pace in moonlight for 4 or 5 miles at foot of hills, and then on to an embankment road across swampy field till 12-30 A.M., on the—

31*st March* 1891,—when we came to a bridge over a bit of *jhil*, where an elephant trying to cross got bogged, and we had to go into the water up to our breasts to unload him. Hearing of a track 2 miles back along the foot of hills to east, I sent the elephant back and round by it with 30 men, while we waited till they rejoined us again on the road half a mile beyond the bridge. At 5-30 A.M. came to some villages of the usual Manipur sort, *i.e.*, a good wattle-and-daub thatched house about 30′ × 20′, with 4 or 5 straw huts near surrounded by a wall, ditch, and hedge, about 200 yards by 100 yards or smaller. Sometimes compounds like this stretch for miles 2 or 3 deep along a stream. We met with slight resistance from behind these walls, but soon flanked and passed through. Beyond these compounds an open plain on each side of road 1,000 yards wide. Beyond we saw a bridge burning and a line of hedges stretching away from the bridge to the south-west, the road now running north-west; and country to right of road quite open. We advanced across the plain with two sections, 10 men each, firing line; two sections, 10 rifles each, on flanks in support; remainder (40 rifles) 600 yards behind with baggage. We advanced rapidly to save the bridge, and were met by a heavy fire from the opposite bank of the stream when within 300 yards. Halting and lying down, we opened section volleys, and advanced by alternate rushes to within 100 yards, losing one man. Then the supports reinforced to the flanks, and we all rushed to the bank of the river and poured in a heavy fire on the enemy, who were perfectly concealed on their right behind loopholes and on their left in deep trenches. Then the old firing line dashed into the water, covered by the fire of the support, and to my utter astonishment the enemy began to give way. Some of us went in over our heads in the water and weeds, but others found places with water only up to their chests, and were across and into the enemy's trenches with a splendid dash twenty minutes after their first shot. Our left hunted them from wall to wall, covered by flanking fire from our right, till we crossed five lines of walls and hedges, the enemy making very little stand. On arrival at the further line of walls we rallied, and saw a line of the Manipur sepoys in white jackets and black turbans and *dhotis* mostly—some in red jackets and white turbans—in full retreat to the hills and villages 1,000 and 800 yards away. The enemy's line was 1½ miles long, and I estimated them at from 800 to 1,000 in number. I did not follow up my advantage, as all my baggage and half my men were on the other side of the river, and 200 or so of the enemy in the villages 800 yards to my right rear; but from what I now know of the enemy I might have put aside all caution and taken the hills 1,000 yards in front with little further expenditure of ammunition. Leaving the 40 men at the line of walls, I went back and put the rear party into the compound at the east corner of the village, carrying the baggage over on the men's heads.

The enemy's loss was 8 shot through the head in the trenches during our advance, 6 bayonetted in the trenches on their left, and 6 shot during their retreat. Our loss—No. 399 Muhammad Hayát shot through the head with a snider bullet; none wounded; I only grazed by bullet, which gave me no trouble. Expenditure of ammunition 1,200 rounds up to date. Spent evening preparing "12th Burma Fort" for defence and clearing field of fire, making abattis, and collected over a ton of *dhan* and five or six *chattis* of *gúr*, and put men on half *ata* and *dal*; told off stations, &c., &c. Night passed quietly; pickets did not fire a shot.

The men's conduct was simply splendid; they required no leading at any time, and paid the closest attention to orders under the hottest fire.

1*st April* 1891, 6 A.M.—Enemy advancing in force. Sent out 30 men to meet them in front at the line of walls to the picket there. We only fired three shots at a group on the road and dropped two. They bolted behind hill and walls. Measured ranges up to 600 yards in front of fort; found blood all about from yesterday's action. Some countrymen from south came, and we called to them, but they only shouted not to burn their houses, and we could get no information. Yesterday I had written a letter to Tamu for reinforcements, but put nothing in it which could help the enemy in event of their capturing it. I sent it by the Apprai Maja's cook, swearing him on a sword, promising his Rs. 20, and telling him that if he did not deliver it, I would kill the other prisoners. They gave him minute directions as to roads. They were released on my return to Palel. I sent him off at dark, and he delivered the letter faithfully, but was captured on return and taken to the Maharaja (Regent), who sent him on to me with the orders to retire on Presgrave, which I got on 9th.

At 3 P.M on 1st, patrols reporting enemy advancing, we occupied the line of walls 400 yards in front of fort. The enemy opened a hot fire from Martinis, Sniders, and Enfield rifles from a line over a mile long. We reserved our fire till they came to 600 yards, and drove them back with a few volleys at their densest parts. Then from the low hill, 1,000 yards from the line of walls, two guns opened fire,—at first with five common shell, time and percussion fuze, and then with 20 of 25 shrapnel. At first their practise was very good, the first bursting over head, and the third on striking the wall. Then we got the range by "sound," and concentrated our fire on the guns (muzzle-loading 9 lb. rifled guns); and in 30 minutes both guns retired; only one turned up again on the further hill, 1,500 yards from the line of walls, and made wilder practice, only running the gun up to the crest to fire and wasting no time over laying, as the Martinis reached them there. All this time the enemy kept up a hot fire, but were always driven off on

reaching 600 yards. At dark they were working round to our left flank, and when nearly quite dark I closed in on our fort, the men being sent back one by one, 50 yards between each, not one doubling. The behaviour of the men, all but ten of mine eight months' recruits, and the Gurkhas, also very young soldiers, was simply magnificent. I cannot express my admiration of them.

The scream and bursting report of the shells was most unpleasant to me, who knew the small loss they could inflict, but the men, who must have had a greatly exaggerated idea of their powers, paid most careful attention to their aim, and obeyed all directions as to sighting and wind when firing on the guns.

We spent the night behind our walls in the main fort, the enemy keeping up a long range fire till 2 A.M., which was not replied to. We tied white rags to our foresights, but the enemy did not close.

2nd April 1891.—At 3 A.M. in moonlight we commenced work, strengthening position with large *dhan* baskets of earth, ration-sack and pillow-case sand-bags, and making abattis, and continued hard at work making cover for transport till evening. At 5 P.M. I went with the patrol to the line of walls. Enemy all in position. Saw a man signalling with white flag. Went to meet him with white flag. Turned out to be a Gurkha of the 44th Gurkha Light Infantry with letter from babu prisoners imploring me to retire or they would all be killed. If I retired, prisoners would be released and sent to Cachar. Answered that if all the prisoners who wished to go with me were given to me, I would retire to Tamu. Asked for letter from Maharaj. Returned saying Mahâraj would send letter. Said till I got letter I would not attack.

3rd, 4th and 5th.—Negotiated for prisoners, I demanding at least all Gurkha prisoners, saying as all babus and civilians wouldn't come to Burma, they could go to Cachar and Gurkhas must come with me, and I would never retire empty-handed. Then they said all the prisoners had started for Assam, and I must retire. Refused to retire without a Maja (or one of the four *wazirs*) as hostage for prisoners. They offered me a subadar as hostage. Refused, demanding Apprai Maja (whose flag we captured at Thobal), who is in charge of country from Manipur to Tamu. Two babus of Manipur came to meet me. Said 500 lb. of *ata* and 50 lb. of *dal* and *ghi* were ready for me to take. Refused to take without the hostage. Said I had lots to eat. Babus said Samoan Juba, Regent's fourth brother, had commanded Thobal when I took it, and third brother, Senapati, Commander-in-Chief, commanded attack on 1st. That 800 men had held Thobal on 31st and 2,000 attacked on 1st, and I had killed four of their gunners.

6th April.1891.—On 6th the enemy attacked at dawn, and I closed in on my fort, which by now was greatly strengthened. At 8 A.M. their shell fire ceased, and enemy had gained the hedges and walls from 1 to 200 yards on my front and left. Crept out with ten Gurkhas, and attacked the enemy on my left on their right flank and drove them off with loss, killing six or seven, and bolted back to fort without loss. At 11 A.M. crept out to front under my right wall and up to enemy with one havildar and six Gurkhas, and, after driving enemy from one hedge, found a party of about 60 in a corner behind a wall 20 yards off. After a very hot two minutes we got to wall, and drove them out of their corner, leaving ten or eleven dead. A double-barrelled gun with buck-shot most effective on their heads as they showed up to fire. Then we bolted in again, but the 43rd Gurkha Light Infanty Havildar, Gunbire Rai, had his hand shot through; no other loss to us.

I now found we had only 50 rounds per man left and the Gurkhas only 30, and we had to submit to a purely passive defence. The men lay down behind walls, one in every six keeping a watch. I gave orders that not a man was to fire till the enemy were half way across our field of fire, but they preferred to remain behind hedges, where they kept up their fire till dark; but it was very wild, and they dare not show themselves to aim after one or two crack shots had hit their heads. At dark they retired, and we had a quiet night in the trenches.

I think it was after 12 noon on this day that the men really showed the best soldier's qualities, lying down to be fired at (and the few men on two sides were exposed to reverse fire), and one of each six taking his half hour's watch more or less exposed.

7th April 1891.—Enemy all retired behind hill, but large parties seen going to our right rear: busy strengthening defences.

Our loss on 6th—Havildar Gunbir Rai, 43rd Gurkha Light Infantry, wounded by rifle; Private Mirán-bakhsh, 12th Burma Regiment, wounded by shell (slightly); 1 driver by bullet slightly; 1 pony killed, 2 wounded, and 2 elephants wounded (one severely and one slightly).

On 7th with patrol found in "11 A.M., counter-attack corner" 20 Martini cartridges and one ·500 express cartridge and lot of blood, but no bodies.

9th April 1891.—At 12 noon the enemy brought out a white flag, and, putting a letter on a stick on road, retired. Brought it in, and found orders to retire on Presgrave forwarded by the Maharaj. Started at 7 P.M., bringing away 20 enemy's guns and rifles, but we drowned about 1,000 rounds of their ammunition, all of Government make. An awful night, dark except for lightning, pouring with rain, but perfect for retreat. At 2 P.M. met Presgrave with 75 men and nine boxes ammunition coming to Thobal without kits or rations. We returned to Palel, not reaching there till 6 A.M., about one mile an hour, but unmolested, and having brought off everything.

I recommend every man of the party for the Order of Merit. I think they have all well earned it, not only in attack and defence, but also by their cheerfulness in the fort for 13 days on 6 days rations and every man on guard every night. I never heard a complaint or doubt; they only asked to be allowed to take those guns, and they would have done it with another 100 rounds a man, all to make a "name" for regiment.

I recommend Subadar Shaik Mahtáb Din in addition for the title of Sirdar Bahadur.

I recommend Havildar Chaughatta in addition for early promotion. He was first across the river, and his experience in five former campaigns, beginning with the Afghan, and his example to the men, were most valuable.

I recommend Naik Taliamand for early promotion He suffered from fever most of the time, but would not go sick, and many other men suffering severely from Chin fever followed his example.

I recommend Lance-Naik Fazl Ahmad for early advancement. He has all the best qualities of the Pathan.

I recommend Hospital Assistant Govindu Swamy Pillai to the notice of the Surgeon-General. He attended to Private Muhammad Hayat as soon as he was hit on the 31st under a hot fire from the enemy, who were under cover, and he was always cheerful and active. His conduct was most gallant.

I recommend Jemadar Birbal Nagarkoti, " H " Company, 43rd Gurkha Light Infantry, to the notice of his commanding officer. His conduct of the retreat from Langthobal and in subsequent operations was perfect.

Havildar Gunbir Rai was wounded in a most valuable counter-attack, but stuck to his rifle with his broken hand. I think all the men deserve reward.

A great reason of our success was the fact of the enemy wearing white coats. Every movement could be seen from afar and anticipated. Their musketry is, of course, contemptible.

I attach rough sketches herewith.

Forwarded to Myingyan District.

(Signed) E. R. J. PRESGRAVE, Captain,
for *Officer Commanding* 12*th* (*Burma*) *Madras Infantry.*

Forwarded.

(Signed) A. HOWLETT, Major,
Commanding 12*th* (*Burma*) *Madras Infantry.*

No. 146-M.

Forwarded. I consider that Lieutenant Grant and the men under his command have done such excellent service as will, I trust, be recognized by the Government of India. I would specially bring to notice Lieutenant Grant's own services, which show that he is an officer far above the average and deserving of reward.

I trust that the Major-General will also be able to submit the names of some of the men mentioned for Order of Merit for the favourable consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

I have called upon Lieutenant Grant to submit the names of such men as in his opinion particularly distinguished themselves.

(Signed) T. GRAHAM, Brigadier-General,
Commanding Tamu Column,
Manipur Field Force.

Camp Tamu,
The 21st April 1891.

No. 2250-B—" Field Operations"—Manipur.

I most cordially endorse every word General Graham has said in praise of Lieutenant Grant and his detachment.

I think his resolution to advance against all opposition to what he then considered was the relief or the assistance of the prisoners, his gallantry in action, and his fortitude in holding on to his position is only equalled by the modesty with which he relates his story. I think him worthy of the Victoria Cross, or of any reward the Government chose to give him.

I trust some mark of the approbation of Government may be given to every man who was with Lieutenant Grant.

(Signed) R. C. STEWART, Major-General,
Commanding Burma District.

Rangoon, the 15th May 1891.

No. 373.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th June 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Intelligence Branch.

No. 588.—The appointment of Captain G. V. Burrows as Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General for Burma will have effect from the 20th May 1891 and not as notified in G.G.O. No. 508 of 1891.*

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* Madras G.O.G. No. 317 of 1891.

No. 374.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th June 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 591—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Captain F. J. Winter, Royal Artillery, Commandant, No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent (p.a.), for 181 days, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 375.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th June 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 600.—Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary T. Wynn, attached to the Reserve Remount Depôt, Hosur, to be Assistant Commissary, supernumerary, with effect from the 28th January 1891.

No. 376.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 19th June 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 602.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion in and admission to the Order of British India, with effect from the dates specified :—

MADRAS.

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Muhammad Alam, *Bahadur*, 3rd Madras Light Cavalry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Shaikh Husain, *Sirdar Bahadur*, deceased,—28th March 1891.

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

Subadar Ramasamy, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers), *vice* Subadar-Major Muhammad Alam, *Bahadur*, promoted,—28th March 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 377.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant Thomas Stone .. .. Dated 30th June 1891.

No. 378.—NATIVE ARMY—

5th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 3112, Ramchendroodoo to be Jemadar .. } Dated 6th April 1891.
Havildar, No. 3085, Rajagopaul to be Jemadar .. .. }

7th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Kamarud-dín to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 16th March 1891.
Havildar, No. 979, Coopoosawmy to be Jemadar .. }

No. 379.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Brigade-Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major P. R. Martin, M.D. .. .. .. Dated 7th May 1891.

No. 380.—STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Joseph Henry Newill .. .. .. Dated 4th July 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 381.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the date specified, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Surgeon-Major M. Robinson, Indian Medical Department,—11th June 1891.

No. 382.—The date of retirement of Honorary Major and Deputy Commissary W. P. Carson, notified in G.O.G. No. 345 of 1891, is ante-dated to the 22nd May 1891.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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 HONOURABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 7th July 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 383.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, C.B., General List, Infantry, Commandant, 14th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 9th May 1891.

No. 384.—Colonel H. C. Wright, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India, under Article 738 (*c*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I. Pension service,—37th year, commenced 23rd May 1891.

No. 385.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant R. M. Rainey, Staff Corps, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.—Rejoined his Regiment on the 25th March 1891.

No. 386.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Surgeon-Major A. H. Leapingwell, Indian Medical Department, 6 months, m.c.

No. 387.—The date of arrival at Bombay of Surgeon E. R. daCosta, Indian Medical Department, is 5th April 1891, and not as notified in G.O.G. No. 226 of 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 388.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 26th June 1891, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 626.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Sir Alexander Mackenzie, K.C.S.I., Chief Commissioner of Burma, to be Honorary Colonel, *vice* Sir C. H. T. Crosthwaite, K.C.S.I., resigned.

No. 627.—*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles*—

Sir Alexander Mackenzie, K.C.S.I., Chief Commissioner of Burma, to be Honorary Colonel, *vice* Sir C. H. T. Crosthwaite, K.C.S.I., resigned.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 389.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th June 1891, are republished :—

India Office, 12th June 1891.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * *

To be Captains.

Dated 17th April 1891.

Lieutenant Henry Bathurst Vaughan.

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To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Francis Jollie, from the 20th Hussars. Dated 23rd October 1889, but to rank from 30th January 1886.

Lieutenant Max Albert Burns Kappey, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 19th December 1889, but to rank from 1st February 1886.

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Lieutenant Alan Playfair, from the Royal Irish Rifles. Dated 3rd February 1890, but to rank from 4th December 1889.

Second Lieutenant Charles Rattray, from the Devonshire Regiment. Dated 27th February 1890.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Brigade Surgeon Charles Edwin McVittie. Dated 7th March 1891.

To be Brigade Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major Henry James Hazlett. Dated 7th March 1891.

The Queen has also approved of the restoration of the undermentioned Officer from the Half-pay List to the Effective List :—

Surgeon Edward Ronald daCosta. Dated 6th April 1891.

The Queen has also approved of the retirement of the undermentioned Officers from the Service :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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Colonel Charles John Birch Harris. Dated 27th April 1891.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Brigade Surgeon William Smyth Fox. Dated 18th April 1891.

Surgeon-Major Mark Robinson. Dated 11th June 1891.

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

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Major J. E. Porteous, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Colonel S. E. Atkinson, retired. Dated 17th April 1891.

Major J. H. Sewell, Norfolk Regiment, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Major T. Harris, vacated. Dated 17th April 1891.

Captain G. J. Shaw, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Major J. E. Porteous. Dated 17th April 1891.

Captain G. A. P. Evans, 7th Hussars, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Major J. H. Sewell. Dated 17th April 1891.

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The following appointments have been made to the Personal Staff of the Commander-in-Chief in Madras :—

Major R. G. Kekewich, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Military Secretary. Dated 6th March 1891.

Captain A. H. B. Cavaye, King's Own Scottish Borderers, to be Aide-de-Camp. Dated 6th March 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 390.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

The undermentioned Officer is admitted to the Colonel's allowance with effect from the date specified :—

Colonel W. W. Pemberton, Staff Corps,—13th July 1891.

No. 391.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—

To be Conductor.

Sub-Conductor A. C. Lord .. .. Dated 6th March 1891.

No. 392.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Second-grade Senior Apothecary J. I. Laffrey to be First-grade Senior Apothecary (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval) with effect from the 9th July 1891, *vice* First-grade Senior Apothecary Ashworth, retired.

First-grade Apothecary S. Chalke to be Second-grade Senior Apothecary (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval) with effect from the 9th July 1891 *vice* Second-grade Senior Apothecary Laffrey, promoted.

RESTORATION TO EFFECTIVE LIST.

No. 393.—The date of restoration of Surgeon E. R. daCosta, Indian Medical Department, from the Half-pay List to the Effective List, has effect from the 5th April 1891, and not as notified in G.O.G. No. 233 of 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 394.—First-grade Senior Apothecary James George Ashworth, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £175 per annum or Rupees 175 per mensem, with effect from the 9th July 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 395.—RESIGNATIONS—

Coimbatore Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant T. T. Logan 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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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 HONOURABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Ootacamund, 14*th July* 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 396.—Subordinate Medical Department—

The undermentioned Native Military Pupils, having passed their final examination, are admitted into the service as Sub-Hospital Assistants and promoted to the rank of Hospital Assistants, Third Grade, with effect from 1st July 1891 :—

Mahomed Fakruddin, No. 1220.
V. N. Govindaraju, No. 1221.
T. R. Cunniah Naidu, No. 1222.
Mahomed Abdul Samath, No. 1223.
M. A. Thomas, No. 1224.
M. I. Sivaraju Pillai, No. 1225.
P. G. Manikam Pillai, No. 1226.
R. Gopaulsawmy Naidu, No. 1227.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 397.—Manipur—

The following Proceedings of Government, No. 3874, dated 13th July 1891, are published for general information :—

Read the following papers—

From Colonel A. C. TOKER, C.B., *Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to Brigadier-General A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department; dated Simla, 22nd June* 1891, *No.* 271-*MK.*

Rewards—Victoria Cross.

I am desired to forward herewith an advance copy of a paragraph of a despatch from the Secretary of State, forwarding the decoration of the Victoria Cross for Lieutenant (now Major) C. J. W. Grant, Indian Staff Corps, and to request that, under the orders of the Governor in Council, the necessary steps may be taken for the presentation of the Cross to that Officer, a report of the proceedings adopted being forwarded to the Government of India for transmission to the India Office.

Copy of a paragraph of a proposed Military (General) Despatch to the Government of India.

Her Majesty having been pleased to confer the Victoria Cross upon Lieutenant (now Major) C. J. W. Grant, Indian Staff Corps, the decoration is forwarded herewith, together with a copy of a letter from the War Office, and its enclosure. I request that I may be duly furnished, for transmission to the War Office, with a report of the proceedings adopted at the presentation of the Cross, and with a copy of the General Order which may be issued.

No. $\frac{82049}{3 \& 5}$ War Office,
27*th May* 1891.

To

The Under Secretary of State,
India Office, S.W.

Sir,

With reference to your letters of the 7th and 19th instant, recommending Lieutenant (now Brevet Major) Charles James William Grant, Indian Staff Corps, for the grant of the Victoria Cross for his conspicuous bravery during the recent operations in Manipur, Assam, I am directed by the Secretary of State for War to acquaint you, for the information of the Secretary of State for India in Council, that this Officer's name having been submitted to the Queen, Her Majesty has been pleased to confer upon him the decoration of the Victoria Cross, and, in transmitting the same for presentation to Major Grant, in such a public and formal manner as Viscount

Cross may consider best adapted to evince Her Majesty's sense of his courageous conduct on the occasion referred to, I have to request that you will be good enough to forward to me, as soon as practicable, a report of the proceedings which may be adopted at the presentation of the enclosed Cross, together with copies of any General Order which may be issued, with a view to the same being recorded in the Registry of the Decoration, in accordance with Her Majesty's Warrants of the 29th January 1856.

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

NOTIFICATION.

WAR OFFICE, *May 26th*, 1891.

THE QUEEN has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross upon the undermentioned Officer of Her Majesty's Army, whose claim has been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for the conspicuous bravery displayed by him during the recent operations in Manipur, Assam, commencing on 27th March 1891, as recorded against his name:—

Corps.	Name.	Act of courage for which recommended.
Indian Staff Corps.	Lieut. Charles James William Grant.	For the conspicuous bravery and devotion to his country displayed by him in having, upon hearing on the 27th March 1891 of the disaster at Manipur, at once volunteered to attempt the relief of the British captives with 80 Native soldiers, and having advanced with the greatest intrepidity captured Thobal near Manipur, and held it against a large force of the enemy. Lieutenant Grant inspired his men with equal heroism by an ever present example of personal daring and resource.

Reference memorandum to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief; dated 1st July 1891, *No.* 3661.

Letter from the Adjutant-General, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department; dated Ootacamund, 2nd July 1891, *No.* 513-*R.*

In returning the enclosures received with Military Department memorandum No. 3661 of the 1st instant, having reference to the presentation of the Victoria Cross to Captain (Major) Grant, I am desired to say that the Commander-in-Chief would suggest that His Excellency the Governor might be pleased to present this decoration himself to Major Grant at Government House, on Monday next, the 6th July (if convenient to His Excellency), at 12-30 P.M., in presence of the Commander-in-Chief, Officers of the Head-quarters Staff, and all Officers on duty at the station.

2. His Excellency will also propose to bring over from Wellington one Company, as Guard of Honour, of the Suffolk Regiment (to which Major Grant lately belonged) to be present at the ceremony.

3. The favour of a very early reply is solicited, in order that a General Order on the subject may be issued as soon as possible.

ORDER THEREON.—No. 3693, dated 3rd July 1891.

Government approves of the arrangements proposed by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant-General.

General Order by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief; dated Head-quarters, Ootacamund, 4th July 1891, *No.* 314.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross on Lieutenant C. J. W. Grant, Indian Staff Corps, for the conspicuous bravery displayed by him during the recent operations in Manipur, commencing on 27th March 1891.

G.O.G. 360 of 1891.

II. The decoration will be presented to Lieutenant (now Major) C. J. W. Grant by His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor, at Government House, Ootacamund, on Monday, the 6th July, at 12-30 P.M.

III. All Officers on duty at Ootacamund are requested to attend. Dress—"Review Order."

IV. A Guard of Honour of 50 rank and file of the Suffolk Regiment with three Officers and proper complement of Non-Commissioned Officers, with Regimental Color, will parade at Government House at 12-15 P.M. on the above date.

(By Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.)

(Signed) HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

Notice issued by the Honourable the Chief Secretary to Government; dated Ootacamund, 4th July 1891.

Major Grant will be decorated with the Victoria Cross, by His Excellency the Governor, on Monday next at Government House, at 12-30 P.M.

His Excellency the Governor expects Secretaries and Under Secretaries to Government to be present on the occasion.

(Signed) J. FREDERICK PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

Note.—Steps were taken by the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor to invite the general public to be present at the ceremony.

Report by the Secretary to Government, Military Department, of the proceedings adopted at the presentation of the Victoria Cross to Captain (Brevet Major) Grant at Government House, Ootacamund, on the 6th July 1891.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and the Members of Council being present, and the Secretaries to Government, the Officers of the Army Head-quarters Staff, and all Officers at Ootacamund having assembled in accordance with the foregoing orders, at 12-30 o'clock P.M. on the 6th July 1891, His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor, accompanied by the Officers of his Personal Staff, proceeded to the platform which had been erected upon the terrace immediately below the south-western front of Government House. The Band played the National Anthem, and the Guard of Honour, drawn up on the terrace below, presented arms.

2. The Secretary to Government, Military Department then proceeded to read the correspondence forwarded with Government of India letter, Military Department, No. 271-M K, dated Simla, 22nd June 1891.

3. This having been done, the decoration of the Victoria Cross was handed to His Excellency the Governor, and the Adjutant-General of the Army conducted Major Grant to the front of the platform, the Band playing "See the conquering Hero comes."

4. His Excellency the Governor then addressed Major Grant as follows:—

MAJOR GRANT,

It now becomes my pleasant duty, as representing Her Majesty the Queen-Empress in this Presidency, to bestow upon you, on Her behalf, the reward which She has been most graciously pleased to confer upon you in consequence of your splendid achievements during the late operations in Manipur. It is not necessary for me to enlarge upon your gallant conduct on this occasion; the despatches which we have just heard read, and the news which is now common property, have told us how gallant had been your conduct, how brave your devotion, and how fertile you had been in resource during those trying days, in doing your utmost to relieve your unfortunate countrymen, who were imprisoned in the Fort of Manipur.

Her Majesty the Queen has been pleased to confer upon you two great distinctions, to mark Her appreciation of your conduct; one—the most honourable in the records of the British Army—the Victoria Cross; the other, a substantial advance both in promotion and rank. It must be now to you, Sir, a matter of sincere gratification at this, the proudest moment of your life, to see yourself surrounded by a Guard of Honour from the regiment which you first joined, that you should have around you many of your own brother Officers, and that you should find yourself in the centre of the Presidency in whose Army you serve. It is a great satisfaction to me, Sir, as representing the Queen in this Presidency, that I should have the opportunity given to me to confer upon you this great distinction,—this special mark of honour, which has been sent to you by Her Majesty Queen Victoria.

Though I say that it gives me great satisfaction to be able to do this, I cannot but regret, for your own part, that you were not able to go home yourself and receive the distinction at the hands of Her Majesty. However this may be, I trust you will bear it on your bosom as a mark of honour conferred upon you for the excellent manner in which you have behaved. You have thus early in life gained a most enviable distinction, and I hope that you will be spared long, in the interests of your country and your Queen, to carry on the career which you have commenced so auspiciously and so honourably. I have now, Sir, much pleasure in presenting to you this Cross, on behalf of the Queen.

5. His Excellency then fixed the Victoria Cross upon Major Grant's left breast, the Band played the National Anthem, and the Guard of Honour presented arms.

6. His Excellency lastly called for three cheers for Major Grant, and the proceedings terminated.

ORDER THEREON, 13th July 1891, No. 3874.

Ordered that the above Proceedings be communicated to the Government of India for information.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant-General.

FUNDS.

No. 398.—MEDICAL—

The two large annuities and one small annuity allotted on the 1st July 1891 have not been taken up by subscribers.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 399.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant C. H. F. Binsteed, Staff Corps, 4th P.W.O. Light Cavalry, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 11th April 1891.

Lieutenant G. M. MacHutchin, Staff Corps, 16th Madras Infantry, for six months. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 5th February 1891.

No. 400.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Major M. H. Smith, Indian Medical Department.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 401.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd July 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY STAFF.

No. 633.—The appointment of Colonel D. V. Shortland, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, as Colonel on the Staff, Royal Artillery, notified in G.G.O. No. 423 of 1891,* will have effect from the 8th and not the 9th April 1891.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 268 of 1891.

No. 402.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd July 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 638.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

* * * *

Captain F. J. Winter, Royal Artillery, Commandant, No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent (p.a.), for 181 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868. (This cancels G.G.O. No. 591 * of 1891.)

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* Madras G.O.G. No. 374 1891.

No. 403.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd July 1891, is republished in continuation of G.O.G. No. 358 of 1891 :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 647.—In continuation of G.G.O. No. 581 of 1891, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the subjoined nominal rolls of non-commissioned officers and men who have been admitted to the 3rd class of the Order of Merit in recognition of the gallantry and devotion displayed by them while serving under the command of Lieutenant (now

Major C. J. W. Grant, V.C., 12th (Burma) Regiment of Madras Infantry, during the advance on and defence of Thobal from the 28th March to the 9th April last :—

* * * * *

12th (Burma) Regiment of Madras Infantry.

No. 28, Havildar Chaughatta.
No. 254, Naick Taliamand.
No. 132, Lance-Naick Fazl Ahmad.
No. 623, Sepoy Shádi.
No. 150, Sepoy Bali.
No. 630, Sepoy Mahi Khan.
No. 638, Sepoy Gama.
No. 643, Sepoy Suháwa.
No. 646, Sepoy Fateh-dád.
No. 224, Sepoy Karam-dín.
No. 338, Sepoy Mirán-bakhsh.
No. 378, Sepoy Chendu.
No. 379, Sepoy Rangu.
No. 380, Sepoy Guláb.
No. 383, Sepoy Daulát Khan.
No. 384, Sepoy Muhammad-bakhsh.
No. 386, Sepoy Sadr-dín.
No. 389, Sepoy Hira.
No. 391, Sepoy Khaisu.
No. 395, Sepoy Dín Muhammad.
No. 396, Sepoy Wazír.
No. 399, Sepoy Muhammad Hayát (killed in action at Thobal, 31st March 1891).
No. 401, Sepoy Fazl-dín.
No. 402, Sepoy Fakír Muhammad.
No. 405, Sepoy Ghulám Husain.
No. 406, Sepoy Karam-dín.
No. 407, Sepoy Muhammad Alam.
No. 408, Sepoy Ghulám Muhammad.
No. 411, Sepoy Shams-dín.
No. 415, Sepoy Kashu.
No. 417, Sepoy Sultán Sháh.
No. 425, Sepoy Juma.
No. 426, Sepoy Karam-Iláhí.
No. 428, Sepoy Ratta.
No. 429, Sepoy Muhammad-dín. (Since deceased.)
No. 432, Sepoy Sultán Muhammad.
No. 437, Sepoy Búti.
No. 439, Sepoy Mirán-bakhsh.
No. 443, Sepoy Nawáb Sháh.
No. 449, Sepoy Ghulám Muhammad.
No. 450, Sepoy Mir Hasan Sháh.
No. 454, Sepoy Saif Ali.
No. 456, Sepoy Amír.
No. 457, Sepoy Sáhib-dín.
No. 458, Sepoy Karam-dín.
No. 460, Sepoy Mahtáb-dín.
No. 259, Sepoy Mihr-dín.
No. 277, Sepoy Mangu
No. 799, Sepoy Imám-dín.
No. 468, Sepoy Raj Muhammad.

No. 404.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 4th July 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 1st July 1891.

No. 374.—First-grade Apothecary O. W. Jones, M.D., Civil Surgeon, Basim, is transferred from the Subordinate Medical Service, Madras, to the Uncovenanted Medical Service, with effect from the 17th February 1887.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 405.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 23rd June 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd June 1891.

* * * * *

Staff. Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel D. V. Shortland, Royal Artillery, to be a Colonel on the Staff for Royal Artillery in India. Dated 9th April 1891.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 406.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Havildar, No. 367, Shaikh Ismail to be Jemadar .. Dated 29th January 1891.
Havildar, No. 620, Govindoorajoo (Jemadar in the Burma Company) to be Jemadar. } Dated 1st April 1891.
Havildar, No. 915, Sivalingum to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 1st April 1891, *vice* Jemadar Govindoorajoo, seconded.

1st Madras Lancers.

Havildar, No. 1312, Shaikh Mahmud to be Jemadar .. Dated 6th June 1891.

29th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 421, Sayyid Abdul Ghffar to be Jemadar .. Dated 21st May 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 407.—Captain E. J. P. Warden, Staff Corps, has been transferred by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to the temporary Half-pay List, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 7th July 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 408.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain L. G. Oliver, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, with effect from the 24th June 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 409.—APPOINTMENTS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain F. G. Bradley, Staff Corps, 5th Madras Infantry, to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain H. V. Cox, vacated. Dated 3rd July 1891.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Captain A. B. Elton, 2nd Battalion, Yorkshire Regiment, to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain L. G. Oliver, vacated. Dated 27th June 1891.

No. 410.—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Mr. John Twigg, C.S.
Mr. Ernest Harry Black.
Mr. John Herbert Robertson, C.S.
Mr. Frederick Charles Roth.

To be Captain.

Mr. William Neill Black.

(G.O.G. No. 347 of 1891 is cancelled.)

No. 411.—PROMOTIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

To be Lieutenants.

Second Lieutenant J. Twigg.
Second Lieutenant E. H. Black.
Second Lieutenant J. H. Robertson.
(G.O.G. No. 348 of 1891 is cancelled.)

No. 412.—RESIGNATIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant N. R. Fleming is permitted to resign his commission at his own request, with effect from the 21st May 1891.

No. 413.—TRANSFERS—

Coimbatore Volunteer Corps.

Captain W. A. Symonds is transferred from the Supernumerary List to the Unattached List.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 21*st July* 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 414.—Major-General C. J. East. C.B., Commanding Secunderabad District, has been granted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India three months' leave on medical certificate in supersession of the sixty days' privilege leave granted him in G.O.C.C. No. 134, dated 20th March 1891.

No. 415.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel A. W. L. Anderson, General List, Infantry, two months, p.a.

No. 416.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain C. W. W. Burton, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District.—Rejoined his appointment on the 1st July 1891.

No. 417.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant F. W. Lethbridge, 2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles, for six months. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 28th September 1890.

No. 418.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to England on medical certificate under para. 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II :—

Lieutenant A. de C. Scott, Probationer, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, sub. *pro tem.*, 22nd Madras Infantry. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 9th May 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 419.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th July 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

1*st Infantry.*

No. 657.—Lieutenant F. F. Major, 5th Madras Infantry, to be Officiating Wing Officer, *vice* Lieutenant H. Lowther on furlough, with effect from the 26th June 1891.

No. 420.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 11th July 1891, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 6th July 1891.

No. 1008-*G.*—Colonel V. E. Law, Madras General List, Cavalry, Officiating Political Agent of the 1st Class, is, on return from privilege leave, posted as Political Officer with the ex-Amir Muhammad Yakub Khan of Kabul, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 421.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 26th June 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 26*th June* 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Charles Stone, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 15th March 1891.

Deputy Assistant Commissary Oswald John Smiles, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 15th March 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 422.—Native Army—

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Ahmad Husain to be Subadar . . . . . } Dated 1st March 1891.
Havildar, No. 1309, Kullian Sing to be Jemadar . . }

No. 423.—Unattached List—

To be Sub-Conductor.

Sergeant Henry Gould, Chief Warder, Military Prison, Bangalore. } Dated 21st July 1891.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 8th July, 1891.

Statement showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of			General number if a soldier.	Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation baths due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.							
7th July 1891.	Major.	Langley, L.	Royal Engineers.	..	18th April 1890.	Intestate.	Rs. A. P. 13,001 12 0 30 5 0	Rs. ..	Rs. A. P. 14,995 8 0	(Father) General Sir G. C. Langley, K.C.B., Royal Marines (Retired List), St. Helens, Queen's Crescent, Southsea, England.
Do. ..	Brigade Surgeon.	McCarthy, D. J.*	Indian Medical Service, attached to 1st M. Lancers.	..	27th Jan. 1891.	Do.	8,740 5 0	..	10,276 13 5	(Brother) G. McCarthy, Esq., 74, McKian St., Clifton Hill, N. Fitzroy, Melbourne, Australia. (Sister) Miss Mary Anne McCarthy, Limerick, Ireland.

* Claims against this Estate should be preferred to the Administrator-General, Madras.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 28th July 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 424.—Staff Corps—

The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months' probationary service, are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the approval of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant H. E. Norman, West Riding Regiment, Wing Officer, 2nd Madras Infantry, 4th December 1889.

Lieutenant J. S. Hodding, South Staffordshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 20th Madras Infantry,—1st November 1889.

Second Lieutenant J. J. P. Quinn, Royal Berkshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 28th Madras Infantry,—26th October 1889.

Second Lieutenant J. S. Dallas, Royal West Kent Regiment, Wing Officer, 19th Madras Infantry,—18th November 1889.

Second Lieutenants Quinn and Dallas will rank as Lieutenants in the Indian Staff Corps with effect from the 26th October 1889 and 18th November 1889 respectively, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 425.—Colonel T. J. Cotton, Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India, from or after the 19th August 1891, under Article 738 (*a*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I. Pension service,—34th year, commenced 9th February 1891.

No. 426.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel H. M. Vibart, R.E., three months, m.c.

No. 427.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant E. W. Harris, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant A. S. Arnold, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 428.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Indian Staff Corps, 20th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 14th September 1890.

No. 429.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India (Australia and Europe) :—

Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon F. G. Shaw, Indian Veterinary Department, p.a., for 18 months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from the 17th April 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 430.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 17th July 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Commissariat-Transport Department.

No. 675.—Lieutenant A. R. Burlton, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 18th June 1890.

MILITARY SECRETARIAT.

No. 676.—Captain and Brevet-Major H. F. S. Ramsden, Staff Corps, Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class, to be an Assistant Secretary, with effect from the 13th July 1891.

No. 431.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th July 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 685.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary T. Wynn, attached to the Reserve Remount Depôt, Hosur, to be Deputy Commissary, supernumerary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 15th March 1891.

No. 432.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 18th July 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 16th July 1891.

No. 420.—The services of Lieutenant H. A. F. Magrath, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Sikh Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as an Assistant Commandant in the Upper Burma Military Police.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 433.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd July 1891, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd July 1891.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Generals are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 13th June 1891 :—

* * * *

Douglas Gordon Seafield St. John Grant.

* * * *

The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 13th June 1891 :—

George Andrew Walker.

* * * *

The undermentioned Colonels to be Major-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 13th June 1891 :—

Hugh Gordon Thomson.
Thomas Ross Church, C.I.E.

* * * *

INDIAN ARMY.

* * * *

Colonel Henry Riversdale Elliot, Madras Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 13th June 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 434.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Havildar, No. 666, Francis to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 5th April 1891.

12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shiama to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 7th May 1891.
Havildar, No. 69, Báryam Singh to be Jemadar .. .. }

14th Regiment Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Soonkalloo to be Subadar .. .. .. }
Havildar, No. 3046, Sunkeriah to be Jemadar .. .. } Dated 11th July 1891.
Havildar, No. 3004, Sayyid Kadir to be Jemadar .. }

No. 435.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—

To be Sub-Conductor.

Sergeant D. Mackintosh, Royal Engineers, Supervisor, First Grade, Military Works Department. Dated 6th March 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 436.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon C. Adams, Indian Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 437.—RESIGNATIONS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant C. E. M. Russell 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 4th August 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 438.—Pension Department—

The tenure of appointment of Colonel S. Leigh Hunt, Indian Staff Corps, Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, Madras, is extended to 29th September 1892.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 439.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Colonel H. R. Shelley, General List, Infantry, for one year, from or after 5th September 1891. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 22nd August 1890.

No. 440.—Colonel C. T. P. Luxmoore, Indian Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India, under Article 738 (*c*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, from or after the 16th August 1891. Pension service,—34th year, commenced 7th September 1890.

No. 441.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to reside out of India from or after the 15th August 1891 :—

Colonel W. Hill, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 442.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel H. E. D. Bayley, General List, Infantry, 3 months, m.c.
Colonel R. G. E. Dalrymple, Indian Staff Corps, 2 days (without pay), u.p.a.
Captain W. H. D. Rich, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, p.a.
Lieutenant F. C. Logan-Home, Indian Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.

No. 443.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel R. G. E. Dalrymple, Indian Staff Corps.
Second Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 444.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain P. G. Huggins, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, 21st Madras Infantry.—Rejoined his appointment on the 6th July 1891.

No. 445.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Captain F. Glanville, R.E., Company Commander, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners (m.c.), for 182 days, under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 446.—Lieutenant W. Donnan, Indian Staff Corps, 19th Madras Infantry, has been granted six months' leave out of India on medical certificate, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that granted him in G.O.G. Nos. 652 of 1890 and 313 of 1891. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 11th February 1891.

No. 447.—Lieutenant A. F. W. Johnson, Indian Staff Corps, 13th Madras Infantry, is granted ten days' leave, viz., from the 19th to the 28th March 1891, in extension of that granted him in G.O.G. Nos. 664 and 689 of 1890.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 448.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 25th July 1891, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 21st July 1891.

No. 401.—The services of Surgeon C. Adams, M.B., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Coorg, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 24th July 1891.

No. 1102-*G.*—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department :—

* * * *

Consequent on the appointment of Mr. G. R. Irwin, Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to be Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, substantive *pro tempore*, and with effect from the 1st April 1891—

Captain W. E. Evans-Gordon, Staff Corps, Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to be a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, substantive *pro tempore*.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 449.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd October 1890, page 5268, is republished :—

Admiralty, 30th September 1890.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Lieutenant Anthony Heyland Brabazon has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th August 1890.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 450.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

Colonel W. Hill, Indian Staff Corps, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 15th August 1891.

No. 451.—NATIVE ARMY—

10th Regiment (1st Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 736, Runjit Gurung to be Jemadar .. Dated 28th February 1891.

11th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaikh Ibrahim to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 21st June 1891.
Havildar, No. 1159, Venketsawmy to be Jemadar .. }

27th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Appulrajoo to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 6th July 1891.
Havildar, No. 688, Muhammad Is-hâk to be Jemadar .. }

No. 452.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Brigade-Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major James Smith, *vice* Brigade Surgeon B. T. Suffrein, retired. Dated 12th October 1890.

No. 453.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary W. Sheriff to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect from the 28th July 1891.

First-grade Assistant Apothecary H. Hesterlow to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect from the 4th August 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 454.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel C. T. P. Luxmoore, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 16th August 1891.

No. 455.—The services of Lieutenant R. W. Burton, Indian Staff Corps, 23rd Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India..

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 456.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Second Lieutenant W. G. Barnes to be Lieutenant to fill an existing vacancy.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant P. R. Allen to be Captain, *vice* Chamier transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the 1st May 1891.

No. 457.—TRANSFERS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Captain W. V. Davy is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain C. E. Plunkett is transferred from the Supernumerary to the Unattached List.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 11th August 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 458.—PERSONAL STAFF—

The following appointment has been made on the Personal Staff of Major-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., A.D.C., Commanding, Burma District :—

Lieutenant W. MacL. Campbell, Royal Highlanders, to be Aide-de-Camp. Dated 26th October 1890.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 459.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain H. Lawson, Indian Staff Corps.
Surgeon-Major H. Allison, M.D., Indian Medical Department.

No. 460.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain R. H. C. Tuffnell, Indian Staff Corps, till 28th February 1892, M.C.

No. 461.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Captain H. L. B. Acton, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers, for one year in continuation of the leave in India granted him in G.O.C. No. 71 of 1891. Pension service,—12th year, commenced 11th August 1891.

Lieutenant E. H. Bernard, Indian Staff Corps, 6th Punjab Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 14th July 1891.

No. 462.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major M. H. Smith, Indian Medical Service, 3rd Light Infantry. } Arrived at Madras on the 31st July 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 463.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st July 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 719.—Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary D. G. Mootham, attached to the Remount Depôt at Ahmadnagar, to be Assistant Commissary, supernumerary, with effect from the 15th March 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 464.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 14th July 1891, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 14th July 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant, William Brotherston, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 28th January 1891.

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INDIAN ARMY.

Major-General Edward Melville Lawford, Madras Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-General on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 19th June 1891.

India Office, 14*th July* 1891.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Medical Services and admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * *

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Edward Watkin Wall, from the Devonshire Regiment. Dated 22nd September 1889, but to rank from 30th January 1886.

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Second Lieutenant Bernard James Petre, from the 18th Hussars. Dated 26th October 1889.

* * * *

Second Lieutenant John Currie Sherer, from the Dorsetshire Regiment. Dated 3rd November 1889.

* * * *

Lieutenant William Charles Stuart Prince, from the Middlesex Regiment. Dated 20th April 1890, but to rank from 22nd January 1890.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Surgeons to be Surgeons-Major.

Dated 31st March 1891.

William Frederick Thomas.
Henry George Luther Wortabet, M.D.
Edulji Palanji Frenchman.
Richard James.
Sarkies Carrapiet Sarkies.
David Stuart Erskine Bain.

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The Queen has approved of the transfer of the undermentioned Officer to the Half-pay List :—

Captain Edmund James Peach Warden, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 7th July 1891.

The Queen has approved of the retirement of the undermentioned Officers from the service

* * * *

Surgeon-Major Henry George Hall, Madras Medical Establishment. Dated 1st May 1891.

The Queen has approved of the date of retirement of Brigade Surgeon William Smyth Fox, Madras Medical Establishment, being altered to 7th May 1891.

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

Captain G. V. Burrows, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, *vice* Captain N. A. Bray, deceased. Dated 5th April 1891.

* * * *

The following Officers are continued in their appointments on promotion on half-pay :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. James, Inspector of Gymnasia, Madras and Bombay. Dated 8th October 1890.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 465.—NATIVE ARMY—

20th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdul Kadir to be Subadar . . . . . } Dated 4th May 1891.
Havildar, No. 767, Paupiah to be Jemadar . . . . .

32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion) Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Chaudri Khan to be Subadar . . . . . } Dated 1st February 1891.
Havildar-Major, No. 239, Ghulam Mustafa Khan to be Jemadar.

No. 466.—STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Donald Robertson	Dated 8th August 1891.
Major William George Currie Johnstone	

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Wilfred Hale Lewin	Dated 11th August 1891.
Lieutenant George Rippon	
Lieutenant Hugh Thornton	
Lieutenant John Jackson	
Lieutenant Edmund Charles Thwaytes	
Lieutenant Henry Lowry Barnwell Acton	

RETIREMENTS.

No. 467.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the date specified, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Colonel G. F. E. S. Neill, Indian Staff Corps,—20th July 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 468.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant-General H. McLeod, Royal Artillery, are placed at the disposal of the Political Department, with reference to notification No. 6, dated 7th August 1891.

No. 469.—The services of Lieutenant F. W. B. Gray, Indian Staff Corps, 17th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 470.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Mr. John Booth Duncan to be Second Lieutenant.

No. 471.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain C. E. Plunkett is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Captain A. W. Darke is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

No. 472.—TRANSFERS—

Coimbatore Volunteer Corps.

Captain G. B. Lambert 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 18th August 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 473.—Colonel S. Leigh Hunt, Indian Staff Corps, Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, Madras, is granted privilege leave for 60 days from the 25th August 1891 or date of departure.

No. 474.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel D. McNeill, Indian Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, Central Provinces, p.a. for 1 year and 180 days, under rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain D. S. Lewis, Indian Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry, m.c., for one year, under rule 1 of the Regulations of 1875, with effect from the 17th July 1891.

No. 475.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India : —

Surgeon-Major R. V. Power, M.D , Indian Medical Service, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Battalion) Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—25th year; commenced 6th July 1891.

Surgeon G. G. Giffard, Indian Medical Service, 182 days. Pension service,—2nd year, commenced 27th June 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA

No. 476.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th May 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 554.—Lieutenant H. F. Head, Royal Artillery, supernumerary Subaltern, No. 1 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India (p.a.), for six months, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 477.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 7th August 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

* * * *

No. 736.—Lieutenant H. L. D. Fordyce, Staff Corps, 29th Regiment, Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, with effect from the 19th June 1891. (Joined his appointment on 18th July 1891.)

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 737.—The following appointments are made in the undermentioned regiments :—

* * * *

3rd Lancers.

Lieutenant A. L. Harries, Officiating Squadron Officer, to be Squadron Officer, *vice* Captain R. Wapshare, promoted, with effect from the 1st April 1891.

1st Infantry.

Lieutenant F. F. Major, Officiating Wing Officer, to be Wing Officer, *vice* Captain G. C. C. Shakespear, promoted, with effect from the 26th June 1891.

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No. 478.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th August 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 747.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

* * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Tomkins, C.I.E., Royal Engineers, Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, Military Works Department, Madras Command (p.a.), for 1 year and 139 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

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No. 479.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 8th August 1891, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 1st August 1891.

No. 1134-*G.*—Colonel K. J. L. Mackenzie, Staff Corps, Judicial Commissioner, is appointed to officiate also as Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, with effect from the date of assuming charge, and during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. T. Chichele Plowden, or until further orders.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 480.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 21st July 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 21st July 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

* * * *

The undermentioned Deputy Assistant Commissaries are granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 16th January 1891 :—

* * * *

George Watson Mills, Madras Establishment.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 481.—NATIVE ARMY—

3rd Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Shaikh Ibrahim to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 1st July 1891.
Havildar, No. 1072, Nagabooshanum to be Jemadar .. }

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 482.—APPOINTMENTS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Donald William McPherson, from the "Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Rifle Corps" to be Captain, with effect from the 1st April 1891, *vice* Captain F. G. M. Pascal, resigned.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Ootacamund, 12th August 1891.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned European Commissioned Officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Estate Department during the months of June and July 1891 :—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
2nd Batcn., "P.W.O." Yorkshire Regiment.	Lieutenant W. S. Brooksbank.	18th June 1891 ..	Bangalore ..	....
Indian Staff Corps ..	Captain J. H. H. Ansley ..	3rd July ,, ..	Tammu ..	....

Ootacamund, 17*th August* 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number if a soldier.						
11th Aug. 1891.	Lieut.	Edmund Walter Jamieson.	33rd Regt. (3rd Burma Battn.) M.I.	..	11th Feb. 1891.	Intestate.	RS. A. P. 579 2 8	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 579 2 8	(Father) Captain James Jamieson, late Royal Engineers, 107, Grove Street, Liverpool. (Brother) Fred. Jamieson, Esq., care of Jamieson and Co., 9, Mincing lane, London, E.C.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 25th August 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 483.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel E. Swinton-Skinner, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 484.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant W. N. M. Cooke, Indian Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry, for 182 days. Pension service,—10th year, commenced 10th May 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 485.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th August 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 764.—

* * * *

Captain H. Wharry, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st class, to be Assistant Commissary-General, 4th class, *vice* Peile ;

* * * *

with effect from the 13th June 1891.

No. 486.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th August 1891, is republished in continuation of G.O.G. No. 372 of 1891 :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

MANIPUR.

No. 772.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, in continuation of G.G.O. No. 585 of 1891, of the subjoined correspondence :—

No. 428-M., dated Simla, 17th July 1891.

Memo. by the Adjutant-General in India.

The following is submitted for the information of the Government of India, in the Military Department, in continuation of this office No. 375-M., dated 11th June 1891.

No. 411-M, dated Camp Manipur, 3rd July 1891.

From—The General Officer Commanding the Manipur Field Force,

To—The Adjutant-General in India.

When I had the honour of submitting, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, my letter (No. 59-M., dated 2nd May), reporting the occupation of Manipur, I made no references to the services rendered by the Telegraph Department and by the Postal Department, because up to that date it had not been possible for either department to get into working order.

2. I beg permission now to record that the Telegraph Department opened office at Manipur on the 11th May, and that in my opinion great credit is due to Mr. H. T. Pinhey, Assistant Superintendent in charge, and to his subordinates, for the energy and resource they displayed in effecting so rapid a reconstruction of the line.

3. Up to Kairong (two marches within Manipur territory) the wire was found nearly intact, and an office was opened at that place on the 24th April, the morning after our arrival; but between Kairong and Manipur it had been almost entirely destroyed, many of the posts even having been broken down or pulled up.

4. The Postal Department was somewhat longer in perfecting its arrangements on the lines of communication; but it is now working very well, and I am glad to acknowledge the services rendered by Mr. F. P. Williams, the Superintendent in charge, and by Mr. J. W. Pilkington, the Deputy Postmaster-General, Assam.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 487.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 28th July and 4th August 1891, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th July 1891.

INDIAN ARMY.

Lieutenant-General Charles Annesley Benson, Madras Infantry, is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st July 1891.

The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st July 1891:—

Henry Ellenborough Dyneley, Madras Cavalry.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 4th August 1891.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Charles John Pearse is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 20th July 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 488.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Havildar, No. 649, Chinnasamy to be Jemadar . . . . . Dated 5th August 1891.

REWARDS.

No. 489.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With the sanction of the Government of India, Third-grade Hospital Assistant A. Govindasawmy Pillay is granted a step of departmental rank under the provisions of para. 3 of G.G.O. No. 581 of 1891 * for services with Lieutenant (now Brevet-Major) Grant's detachment in Manipur.

* *Vide* Madras G.O.G. No. 358 of 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 490.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel W. Hill, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 15th August 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 491.—PROMOTIONS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Second Lieutenant E. C. Edwards to be Lieutenant, *vice* Russell, resigned.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 492.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel J. C. Doveton, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant E. P. Wood, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant R. F. Sorsbie, Royal Engineers.

No. 493.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel C. J. Smith, Royal Engineers, 6 months, m.c.
Lieutenant U. W. Evans, Royal Engineers, 6 months, m.c.
Lieutenant E. W. Harris, Indian Staff Corps, 10 days, u.p.a.

No. 494.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain H. Lawson, Indian Staff Corps, 14th Madras Infantry. Rejoined his appointment on the 11th August 1891.

No. 495.—Lieutenant J. H. Whitehead, Wiltshire Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, is permitted to proceed to England (m.c.), under Article 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 2nd August 1890.

No. 496.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Surgeon P. C. H. Strickland, Indian Medical Service, for one year. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 18th December 1890.

Surgeon W. Molesworth, Indian Medical Service, for 182 days. Pension service,—2nd year, commenced 27th June 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 497.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st August 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

No. 795.—The following promotions are made, *vice* Colonel C. T. P. Luxmoore, Staff Corps, Military Accountant, 2nd class, who vacated his appointment under the operation of article 38, clause 1V, Army Regulations, India, vol. I, part I, with effect from the date specified :—

Names.	From	To	Date.
Colonel F. W. Major, Staff Corps ..	Military Accountant, 3rd class.	Military Accountant, 2nd class.	16th August 1891.
Lieutenant B. W. Marlow, Staff Corps.	....	Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd class, on probation.	

No. 498.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st August 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 802.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 10th November 1881, the name of Major-General C. J. Smith, Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals

on the Indian Gradation List in consequence of the transfer to the unemployed supernumerary list on the 1st July 1891 of Lieutenant-General C. A. Benson, Madras Infantry.

NAMES AND DESIGNATIONS.

No. 499.—The name of Jemadar Mootooveeren, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, will hereafter be entered in the returns of the Army as Mootoosamy.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 500.—INDIAN STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Charles Chamier .. .. .. Dated 1st September 1891.

No. 501.—NATIVE ARMY—

7th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Francis Augustine to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 6th April 1891.
Havildar, No. 645, Muhammad Ianuddin to be Jemadar .. }

8th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Vurdarajloo to be Subadar .. .. .. }
Havildar-Major, No. 788, Muhammad Amirullah to be Jemadar. } Dated 1st August 1891.

No. 502.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Hospital Assistant P. Daniel, No. 845, to be Senior Hospital Assistant, with effect from the 21st August 1891, *vice* Senior Hospital Assistant M. Soondrum, pensioned.

REWARDS.

No. 503.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With the sanction of the Government of India, Third-grade Hospital Assistant J. E. D'Cruiz is promoted to the Second Grade in recognition of the meritorious services rendered by him during the cholera epidemic amongst the Gurkha coolies at Prome.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 504.—APPOINTMENTS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Charles William Martin to be Captain.
Mr. David George Hatchell to be Second Lieutenant.
Lance-Sergeant Ernest Vincent Dupen to be Second Lieutenant.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Mr. Louis Samuel Moss to be Major, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 505.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Second Lieutenant J. S. Cook is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

No. 506.—TRANSFERS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Captain (Honorary Major) F. O. Sherman 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,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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APPOINTMENTS.

No. 507.—Army Staff—

Colonel E. W. Begbie, D.S.O., General List, Infantry, Assistant Adjutant-General, Rangoon District, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Army Head Quarters, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel M. H. Wratislaw, vacated. Dated 7th September 1891.

Major F. W. Bromfield Cheshire Regiment, Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Bangalore District, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Bangalore District, *vice* Colonel E. W. Begbie. Dated 7th September 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 508.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. S. McLeod, D.S.O., General List, Cavalry, Commandant, 3rd Light Cavalry, for one year. Pension service,—31st year, commenced 28th August 1891.

Captain H. L. B. Acton, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—12th year, commenced 11th August 1891. (So much of G.O.G. No. 461 of 1891 as refers to this officer is cancelled).

No. 509.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant E. W. Harris, Indian Staff Corps, seven days, u.p.a.

No. 510.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel C. H. Grace, Indian Staff Corps.
Captain C. Stevens, Indian Staff Corps.
Surgeon-Major John Lancaster, Indian Medical Department.
Lieutenant J. R. Mathewes, Indian Staff Corps.
Conductor H. Adutt, Ordnance Department.
Sub-Conductor R. Saunders, Commissariat Department.

No. 511.—Surgeon-Major M. S. Eyre, M.B., Indian Medical Service, 28th Madras Infantry, is granted six days' leave, viz., from the 15th to the 20th March 1891 inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that allowed in G.O.G. No. 78 of 1890.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 512.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th August 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Commissariat-Transport Department.

No. 817.—Lieutenant R. C. Cockerill, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd class, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 7th August 1890.

No. 513.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 28th August 1891, is republished :—

Staff Corps.

No. 819.—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

Lieutenants—

W. Beadon, King's Own Scottish Borderers.
A. H. Russell, Border Regiment.
W. R. Walker, Derbyshire Regiment.

Second Lieutenants—

A. G. Crocker, Royal Artillery.
L. E. Fagan, Royal Lancaster Regiment.
L. K. Carlyon, North Staffordshire Regiment.
W. C Nicholson, Connaught Rangers.

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No. 514.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 29th August 1891, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 27th August 1891.

No. 1264-*G.*—Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, Staff Corps, Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, is, on return from furlough, appointed to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and is posted temporarily as Political Agent in Bhopawar, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 515.—Colonel J. S. Blaxland, General List, Infantry, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 6th October 1891, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 15th September 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 516.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel M. H. Wratislaw, General List, Infantry, Second in Command, 15th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—31st year, commenced 8th April 1891.

No. 517.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Robertson, Indian Staff Corps, 22 days, p.a.
Lieutenant F. A. Loudon, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.

No. 518.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant *Lord* D. J. C. Compton, 9th Lancers, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor, (p.a) for four months, under Article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 519.—In G.O.G. No. 495 of 1891, Lieutenant Whitehead's pension service should be read as " 3rd year, commenced 22nd August 1890."

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 520.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th September 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 839.—*4th Lancers*—

Lieutenant F. J. Nelson, officiating Squadron Officer, to be Squadron Officer to complete the establishment, with effect from the 1st April 1891.

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No. 841.—*5th Infantry*—

Lieutenant R. W. Burton, officiating Wing Officer, 23rd Madras Infantry, to be officiating Wing Officer to fill a vacancy created by the operation of clause 38, India Army Circulars, 1891.

No. 521.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th September 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 862.—

* * * *

His Excellency in Council is also pleased to sanction the admission of the undermentioned Native officer, non-commissioned officers, and sepoy to the 3rd class of the Order of Merit :—

Subadar-Major Gopal Singh, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry. —For conspicuous gallantry in leading on his men at the action of Bapam, near Palel, in the Manipur country, on the 25th April 1891.

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PENSIONS.

No. 522.—Conductor Charles McQuire, Ordnance Department, Madras, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, with effect from the 5th September 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 523.—NATIVE ARMY—

33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion) Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 18, Dewa Singh to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 17th June 1891.

No. 524.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary R. Selvey to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect from the 15th September 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 525.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) A. G. B. Ternan, 44th Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, with effect from the 6th September 1891.

No. 526.—The services of Captain J. H. Ensor, 12th Lancers, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 10th September 1891.

No. 527.—The services of Captain H. V. Cox, 21st Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, with effect from or after the 15th September 1891.

No. 528.—The services of Second Lieutenant E. G. Jones, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 529.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant R. E. Pigott.
Lieutenant T. Wake.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 22nd September 1891.

CANTONMENTS.

No. 530.—TAXATION—

The following Notification is published for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.

With reference to G.O.G. Nos. 278, 279, 349 and 350 of 1891, it is hereby notified that the taxes imposed in the Cantonments of Wellington and Vizianagrum shall have effect from the 1st October 1891 and not 1st April 1891 as therein stated.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 531.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel E. J. Watson, Indian Staff Corps.
Colonel J. O. Goldie, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Dale, General List, Infantry.
Lieutenant W. B. Young, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 532.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India : --

Lieutenant C. D. Sandford, Indian Staff Corps, 20th Madras Infantry, for 182 days. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 30th January 1891.
Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Indian Staff Corps, 20th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 14th September 1891.
Lieutenant J. S. Hodding, Indian Staff Corps, 20th Madras Infantry, for 182 days. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 11th February 1891.

No. 533.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 418, dated 21st July 1891, Lieutenant A. de C. Scott, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, has been granted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India leave out of India for six months, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he left India.

No. 534.—The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant C. W. Wilkieson, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, p.a.
Conductor G. Evans, Ordnance Department, 3 months, m.c.
Sub-Conductor N. Smith, Commissariat Department, 2 months, p.a.

No. 535.—The undermentioned Warrant Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate for one year, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Conductor Harry Sears, Ordnance Department, Madras.
Sub-Conductor R. J. Jellie, Ordnance Department, Madras.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 536.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th September 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

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No. 866.—The following appointments are made in the undermentioned regiments :—

1st Infantry.

Captain G. C. C. Shakespear, Wing Commander, to be 2nd-in-command, *vice* Captain A. Hatton, deceased.

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with effect from the 20th August 1891.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 537.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes*, dated 21st August and 1st September 1891, are republished :—

India Office, 21*st August* 1891.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

* * * * *

Major Joseph Henry Newill. Dated 4th July 1891.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Francis Henry Domenichetti, from the Leicestershire Regiment. Dated 24th February 1890, but to rank from 30th January 1886.

Lieutenant Walter Henry Brown, from the Royal West Kent Regiment. Dated 2nd December 1889, but to rank from 25th August 1886.

Lieutenant Alured FitzWilliam Johnson, from the Somersetshire Light Infantry. Dated 11th November 1889, but to rank from 25th August 1886.

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Second Lieutenant Edward Russell Foord, from the Royal Irish Rifles. Dated 17th November 1889.

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Second Lieutenant George Lecot Philip Clarke, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 27th November 1889.

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Second Lieutenant Alan Beville Murray, from the Royal Artillery. Dated 2nd February 1890.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade-Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major Patrick Richard Martin, M.D. Dated 7th May 1891.

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The Queen has also approved of the date of restoration to the Effective List of Surgeon Edward Ronald DaCosta, Madras Medical Establishment, being altered to 5th April 1891.

The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers :—

Colonel George Fraser Eric Smith Neill, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th July 1891.

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The following appointment has been made to the Personal Staff of the Commander-in-Chief in Madras :—

Captain and Brevet Major C. J. W. Grant, V.C., Indian Staff Corps, to be Aide-de-Camp. Dated 13th June 1891.

The appointment by the Government of India of Captain G. V. Burrows, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, has effect from the 20th May 1891, and not as notified in the *London Gazette* of the 14th July 1891.

Vide Madras G.O.G. No. 464 of 1891.

War Office, Pall-Mall, 1st September 1891.

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MEMORANDA.

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The appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel D. V. Shortland, Royal Artillery, to be a Colonel on Staff for Royal Artillery in India, bears date the 8th April 1891, instead of the 9th April 1891, as stated in the Gazette of the 23rd June 1891.

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The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are cancelled, those Officers having been transferred to the Indian Staff Corps with anterior dates:—

* * * * *

E. R. Foord, the Royal Irish Regiment.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 538.—INDIAN STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major James Edward Porteous .. .. .. Dated 22nd September 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 539.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Mr. Grierson William Mitchell to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Second Lieutenant J. S. Cooke, resigned.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Messrs. George Wallington and Richard Greenall to be Second Lieutenants.

No. 540.—PROMOTIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant Robert Morris to be Captain from the 15th August 1891, to complete the establishment.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Ootacamund, 15th September 1891.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned European Commissioned Officers and Soldier on the dates specified were received in the Military Estate Department during the month of August 1891:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
Staff Corps	Captain A. Hatton ..	19th Aug. 1891 ..	Ellichpur ..	..
Do.	Lieutenant W. L. Fair ..	25th ,, ,, ..	Died while *en route* from Tammu.	..
European Artillery Veteran Company.	Bombardier J. Shearer * ..	19th July ,, ..	Pallavaram ..	Testate.

* Estate made over to the deceased's widow under the provisions of section VIII of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863.

Ootacamund, 22nd September 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number if a soldier.						
9th Sept. 1891.	Major.	L. Langley.	Royal Engineers.	..	13th Apl. 1890.	Intestate.	Rs. A. P. 698 12 0	Rs. *Nil.*	Rs. A. P. 698 12 0	(Father) General Sir G. C. Langley, K.C.B., Royal Marines (Retired List), St. Helen's, Queen's Crescent, Southsea, England.
Do.	Hony. Captain.	George Dempster.	Ordnance Dept.	..	23rd Feb. 1891.	..	1,081 8 7	*Nil.*	1,081 8 7*	..

* Claims against this estate should be preferred to the Administrator-General, Madras.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Ootacamund, 29th September 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 541.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following extract, paras. 1 and 2, from a Military Letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 33, dated 3rd September 1891, 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 :—

James Entrican, M.D.
Walter George Pridmore.
Charles Donovan, M.D.
Jeremiah Penny.
Arthur Thomas Brown.
Douglas Henry McDonell Graves.
Stuart Alexander Charles Dallas.
Charles Henry Leet Palk.

"2. Their commissions will be dated 28th July 1891, the date of their passing out of the Army Medical School, from which date will also reckon their service for pension."

No. 542.—PERSONAL STAFF—

The Right Honorable the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff :—

Lieutenant H. G. Holmes, Yorkshire Regiment, Extra Aide-de-Camp, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp during the absence on leave of Lieutenant Lord Douglas Compton. Dated 15th September 1891.

No. 543.—STAFF CORPS—

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

Second Lieutenant A. W. H. Lee, Gordon Highlanders, Wing Officer, 16th Madras Infantry,—28th August 1890.

Second Lieutenant Lee will rank as Lieutenant in the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 28th August 1890, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 544.—The undermentioned Officer having completed 18 months' probationary service is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Second Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Hampshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry,—19th November 1889.

Second Lieutenant Pigou will rank as Lieutenant in the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 19th November 1889, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 545.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel A. W. L. Anderson, General List, Infantry.
Captain C. C. Tennant, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant E. Peach, Indian Staff Corps.
Conductor George Wagstaff, Ordnance Department.

No. 546.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Dale, General List, Infantry, seven days, p.a.
Captain H. S. Hudson, Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Lieutenant R. F. Sorsbie, R.E., till arrival of the "Euphrates" at Bombay (due 28th September).

No. 547.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel J. C. Doveton, Indian Staff Corps	Arrived at Bombay on the 12th September 1891.

No. 548.—Captain H. Lawson, Indian Staff Corps, 14th Madras Infantry, is granted one day's leave, viz., 10th August 1891, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that allowed in G.O.G. No. 172 of 1891.

No. 549.—Conductor G. Jones, Ordnance Department, Madras, is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate for one year, under Article 920-F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 550.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th September 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 8th September 1891.

MEMORANDA.

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Thomas Wynn, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 15th March 1891.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 551.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary J. Fischer, to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect the 1st October 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 552.—Colonel C. R. Bradstreet, General List, Infantry, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 24th August 1891, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 25th September 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of depos	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number if a soldier.						
August 1891.	Captain.	Bernard Edward Mumm.	7th Hussars.	..	5th Feb. 1891.	Intestate.	Rs. A. P. 3,927 2 1	Rs. *Nil.*	Rs. A. P. 3,927 2 1	(Widow) Adelaide Louise Mumm. (Children) Violet Louise and Dorothy Juliet. (Brother) R. J. Mumm, Esq., 3 and 4, Mark Lane, London, E.C.
Do. ..	Lieut.	B. A. James	Royal Engineers.	..	2nd Jan. 1891.	..	809 9 9	*Nil.*	809 9 9	..
16th Sept. 1891.	Sub-Conductor.	M. J. Croghan.	Barrack Dept.	..	18th Apl. 1891.	..	..	..	Packet said to contain good conduct medal.	..

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

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,
HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Fort St. George, 6th October 1891.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 553.—The 19th (Princess of Wales's Own) Hussars is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the 28th September 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 554.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel E. Swinton Skinner, Indian Staff Corps, Judge Advocate-General's Department. Rejoined his appointment on the 15th September 1891.

Lieutenant R. F. Sorsbie, R.E., "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners. Arrived at Bombay on the 28th September 1891.

No. 555.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant F. W. H. Cox, Indian Staff Corps, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 6th February 1891.

Lieutenant H. W. C. Colquhoun, Indian Staff Corps, 24th Regiment, Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 23rd May 1891.

Lieutenant The Honorable C. G. Bruce, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles, for six months. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 4th May 1891.

No. 556.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Sub-Conductor James Shepherd, Commissariat Department, for one year.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 557.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th September 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 908.—*5th Infantry*—

Surgeon H. Greany, M.D., Officiating Medical Officer, to be Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon E. H. Browne, appointed Resident Surgeon, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta. Dated 25th August 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 558.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 15th September 1891, is republished :—

India Office, 15th September 1891.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Medical Services and admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

To be Lieutenants.

* * * * *

Lieutenant James Sweet Hodding, from the South Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 1st November 1889, but to rank from 26th June 1889.

Second Lieutenant John James Patrick Quinn, from the Royal Berkshire Regiment. Dated 26th October 1889.

Second Lieutenant Julian Stuart Dallas, from the Royal West Kent Regiment. Dated 18th November 1889.

Second Lieutenant Henry Erasmus Norman, from the West Riding Regiment. Dated 4th December 1889.

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MADRAS SUBORDINATE MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Senior Apothecaries, First Grade.

Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, Edward Gillson. Dated 22nd March 1891.

Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, Jonas Isaac Laffrey. Dated 9th July 1891.

To be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant.

Apothecary, First Grade, Stephen Chalke. Dated 9th July 1891.

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APPOINTMENTS.

The following appointment has been made by the Government of India to the Military Secretariat:—

Major H. F. S. Ramsden, Indian Staff Corps, to be an Assistant Secretary. Dated 13th July 1891.

The following appointment has been made to the Personal Staff of the Governor of Bombay:—

Captain J. Fowle, 21st Hussars, to be Aide-de-Camp. Dated 1st June 1891.

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ERRATA.

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Lieutenant E. R. Foord, whose admission to the Indian Staff Corps was notified in the *London Gazette* of the 21st August 1891,* should have been described as of the Royal Irish Regiment, instead of as of the Royal Irish Rifles.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 537 of 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 559.—NATIVE ARMY—

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

Jemadar Abdullah Beg to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 26th July 1891.
Havildar, No. 1325, Abdul Kadir to be Jemadar .. }

RETIREMENTS.

No. 560.—Colonel J. S. F. Mackenzie, Indian Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 7th October 1891, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 561.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant H. E. Pritchard, Indian Staff Corps, 22nd Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 562.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Mr. Frederick Eustace Dunn to be Second Lieutenant,
Mr. Frederick Alexander Carson to be Second Lieutenant, } to fill existing vacancies.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 13th October 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 563.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain D. W. Purdon, Indian Staff Corps, Hyderabad Contingent, 6 months m.c.

No. 564.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Lieutenant W. G. Nisbett, Indian Staff Corps, 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension Service,—4th year, commenced 16th November 1890.

No. 565.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major H. Allison, M.D., Indian Medical Service.. } Arrived at Madras on the
Surgeon-Major J. Lancaster, M.B., Indian Medical Service. } 3rd October 1891.
Lieutenant E. W. Harris, Indian Staff Corps. Rejoined his appointment on the 15th September 1891.

No. 566.—Second Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Indian Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry, has been granted two days' leave, viz., 5th and 6th September 1891, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that allowed in G.O.G. Nos. 158 and 315 of 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 567.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd October 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 938.—Major T. E. Rowan, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 4th Class, to be Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class;

Lieutenant C. R. Hodgins, Royal Artillery, Officiating Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, to be Ordnance Officer, 4th Class,—

with effect from the 14th September 1891, *vice* Captain H. A. K. Jennings, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, appointed Assistant to the Inspector-General of Ordnance, Madras Circle, and placed on the seconded list.

No. 568.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd October 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 943.—Captain H. A. K. Jennings, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 3rd class, Madras, is granted leave in India to the 13th September 1891 inclusive, in extension of that allowed in G.G.O. No. 570 of 1891.*

* Madras G.O.G. No. 357 of 1891.

No. 569.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd October 1891, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

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ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 947.—Sub-Conductor Charles Walter McMorran to be Conductor and Store Sergeant George Arthur D. Hamilton to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 5th September 1891, *vice* Conductor Charles McQuire, transferred to the Pension Establishment.

PENSIONS.

No. 570.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Apothecary M. Seetharamiah Naidoo is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, with effect from the 24th September 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 571.—NATIVE ARMY—

20th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Teeroomallay to be Subadar-Major .. ..
Jemadar Venketsawmy to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 16th September 1891.
Havildar-Major, No. 1086, Nursimloo to be Jemadar .. }

25th Madras Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 1020, Veeragoo to be Jemadar .. Dated 7th September 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 572.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain H. Thornton, Indian Staff Corps, 31st Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 573.—APPOINTMENTS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Captain L. C. Arbuthnot, 2nd Battalion, Suffolk Regiment, to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain J. H. Ensor, vacated. Dated 30th September 1891.

No. 574.—TRANSFERS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Major Thomas Henry Baker is transferred to the Supernumerary List with effect from the 23rd July 1891.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 20th October 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 575.—The undermentioned Commissioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Stokoe, General List, Infantry.
Major M. W. Saunders, Royal Artillery.
Captain W. H. D. Rich, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant J. C. Erck, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant U. W. Evans, Royal Engineers.
Lieutenant H. J. Macleod, Indian Staff Corps.
Brigade Surgeon James Smith, Indian Medical Department.
Surgeon-Major W. H. Thornhill, M.D., Indian Medical Department.
Conductor T. Grant, Adjutant-General's Department.

No. 576.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Heming, General List, Infantry, 4 months, m.c.
Captain F. B. Deane, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.
Captain M. A. Tuite, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.
Lieutenant R. F. R. Formby, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.
Lieutenant A. F. P. Paxton, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

No. 577.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 495, dated 1st September 1891, the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has granted Lieutenant J. H. Whitehead, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, leave out of India for 6 months under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he left India.

No. 578.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel C. H. Grace, Indian Staff Corps. Arrived at Bombay on the 8th October 1891.

No. 579.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major J. H. Ritchie, M.D., Indian Medical Service, Senior Medical Officer, General Hospital, and Principal, Medical College, Madras, (m.c.) for 1 year under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 580.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th October 1891, is republished, with reference to G.O.G. No, 372 of 1891 :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

MANIPUR.

No. 955.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 585, dated the 19th June 1891, the Right Honorable the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

No. 137 (Military), dated 10th September 1891.

From—The Secretary of State for India.
To—The Government of India.

I have considered in Council Your Excellency's Despatch in the Military Department, No. 113, dated the 23rd June 1891, forwarding papers relating to the operations of the Kohima, Tamu, and Silchar Columns of the Manipur Field Force under the command respectively of Major-General Collett, C.B., Major-General Graham, C.B., and Lieutenant-Colonel Rennick, which resulted in the occupation of Manipur on the 27th April 1891.

2. I concur in the acknowledgments which you have conveyed to the Officers Commanding the Columns, and to all the Officers and Troops, for the excellent manner in which the expedition was carried out.

3. The papers have been forwarded for the information of the Secretary of State for War and His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, and your General Order No. 585, dated the 19th June 1891, has been published in the *London Gazette*.

No. 581.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 9th October 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

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No. 957.—*4th Lancers*—

Second Lieutenant E. G. Jones, Officiating Wing Officer, 8th Madras Infantry, to be Officiating Squadron Officer on probation, with effect from the 16th September 1891.

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No. 959.—*6th Infantry*—

Second Lieutenant G. E. J. Perry, Suffolk Regiment, a candidate for the Indian Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer on probation, with effect from the 21st September 1891.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 582.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 22nd September 1891, is republished :—

India Office, 22*nd September* 1891.

The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are cancelled, those Officers having been transferred to the Indian Staff Corps with anterior dates :—

H. E. Norman, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment).

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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Colonel William Peyton to be Major-General on the Unemployed Supernumerary List Dated 1st September 1891.

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ORGANIZATION.

No. 583.—NATIVE ARMY—

The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India having sanctioned the conversion of the 21st Regiment, Madras Infantry, into a Pioneer Corps, it will, in future, be styled the 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), and be linked with the 1st and 4th Regiments of Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

PROMOTIONS.

No. 584.—NATIVE ARMY—

22*nd Madras Infantry.*

Havildar, No. 641, Sayyid Aminuddin to be Jemadar .. Dated 4th August 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 585.—Honorary Major and Deputy Commissary William Paterson Carson, Ordnance Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a retiring pension of £216 per annum, with effect from the 22nd May 1891, subject to the conditions specified in Article 864, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I (G.O.G. No. 345 of 1891 is hereby cancelled).

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 27th October 1891.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 586.—The 49th Field Battery, Royal Artillery, is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the 13th October 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 587.—STAFF CORPS—

The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months' probationary service, are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant R. H. M. Currie, West Riding Regiment, Wing Officer, 2nd Sikh Infantry, —15th March 1890.

Second Lieutenant L. H. Ricketts, Welsh Regiment, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry, —26th March 1890.

Second Lieutenant Ricketts will rank as Lieutenant on the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 26th March 1890, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 588.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel A. T. Fraser, Royal Engineers.
Captain J. H. Jones, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant H. T. H. Hay, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 589.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain W. H. D. Rich, Indian Staff Corps, one day, p.a.

No. 590.—The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel A. W. L. Anderson, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 3rd Regiment, Light Infantry. Rejoined his appointment on the 16th October 1891.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Dale, Indian Staff Corps. Rejoined his appointment on the 8th October 1891.

Conductor G. Wagstaff, Ordnance Department
Conductor H. Adutt, Ordnance Department
Sub-Conductor R. Saunders, Commissariat-Transport Department } Arrived at Bombay on the 13th October 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 591.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th October 1891, is republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

BURMA.

No. 985.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the subjoined correspondence and despatch relating to the operations carried on in the Wuntho territory from February to April 1891 by the forces under the command of Brigadier-General G. B. Wolseley, C.B.

No. 5642-A—"*Field Operations—Burma*,"—dated Simla, 22nd August 1891.

From—Major-General W. Galbraith, C.B., Adjutant-General in India,
To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department.

In submitting, for the consideration of the Government of India, the accompanying report on the operations carried on in the Wuntho territory from the 16th February to the end of April 1891, I have the honour, by direction of the Commander-in-Chief, to state that His Excellency concurs in the commendation bestowed by

From the Commander-in-Chief, Madras, No. W-2170, dated 30th July 1891 (with enclosures.)

the Commander-in-Chief, Madras, on Brigadier-General Wolseley, C.B., and the officers and troops employed under his command in the suppression of the rebellion in that State; and in the high terms in which Sir James Dormer speaks of the services of Captain H. D'U. Keary, Commandant, Shwebo Military Police Battalion, and of the other officers specially mentioned by Brigadier-General Wolseley.

No. 2170-W, dated Ootacamund, 30th July 1891.

From—Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble Sir J. C. Dormer, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army,

To—The Adjutant-General in India.

I have the honour to forward, for submission to the Commander-in-Chief in India, the report on the operations carried on in the Wuntho territory by Brigadier-General Wolseley, C.B., from February to the end of April.

2. I fully endorse Major-General Stewart's appreciation of the manner in which the operations were conducted; for, although the capture of the Sawbwa was not effected, the rebellion in his territory was effectually stamped out.

3. Captain Keary, of the Military Police, seems to be an officer of great intrepidity and decision; for, at a most critical moment, he assumed with a portion of his Mounted Infantry the *rôle* of cavalry, and dispersed the enemy who were attacking Kawlin on three sides—a result which justified this mode of employing Mounted Infantry.

4. The death of Captain Bray, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General for Intelligence for Upper Burma, was a great loss to the column, as he was a most valuable and capable officer.

5. In conclusion, I submit that credit is due to Brigadier-General Wolseley, ably assisted as he was by all the officers and troops under him, for the successful termination of the operations, which were unavoidably carried on at a most trying time in the year; and I would desire to bring to notice specially the conduct of the officers and men of the Military Police who assisted in the operations and materially contributed towards the result attained.

No. 333-E., dated Rangoon, 9th July 1891.

From—Major-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., Commanding the Burma District,

To—The Adjutant-General, Madras Army.

I have the honour to submit, for the information of the Commander-in-Chief, a report by Brigadier-General G. B. Wolseley, C.B., and enclosures as per margin,* of the operations in the Wuntho territory, which commenced on the 16th February and terminated on the 30th April.

A.—Report by Colonel C. R. Macgregor, D.S.O., 10th Regiment (1st Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.
B.—Report by Captain T. A. H. Davies, 2nd Devon Regiment.
C.—Report by Captain H. D'U. Keary, Shwebo Military Police.
D.—Report by Captain H. O'Donnell, D.S.O., 44th Bengal Infantry.

2. General Wolseley's report leaves me little to say but to express my appreciation of his conduct of the operations, which, though short, were perhaps, from the rapidity with which the troops took the field, and from the fact that the operations commenced at a very late season, of even a more trying nature than is usual in Burma.

3. General Wolseley's forces were successful throughout, except in the capture of the Sawbwa, who fled precipitately on the approach of our troops; and his advance on the jade mines, as having opened out a hitherto unknown country and anticipating an expedition which would have been forced upon us at a very early date, has been of very great advantage.

4. I cordially endorse General Wolseley's opinion of the conduct of the troops under his command, and I cannot too strongly bring to favorable notice the admirable conduct of the Military Police,—the Inspector-General, Brigadier-General Stedman, C.B., and subsequently Major Peile, having done their utmost to co-operate with the Military authorities.

5. I fully concur in the recommendation of the officers named by General Wolseley, and I would specially mention for services worthy of recognition Captain H. D'U. Keary, Commandant, Shwebo Police, and Second Lieutenant H. C. Holman, of the Devonshire Regiment.

6. In conclusion, I cannot say how fully appreciate the assistance and advice rendered by Mr. G. D. Burgess, C.S.I., Commissioner, Northern Division, who, from his knowledge of the circumstances which necessitated the expedition, his appreciation of the situation at the earliest date, and his control of the political operations, helped so much to bring the expedition to a satisfactory and speedy conclusion.

Dated Rangoon, 6th June 1891.

From—Brigadier-General G. B. Wolseley, C.B., Commanding Wuntho Expedition,

To—The Adjutant-General, Madras Army (through the General Officer Commanding the Burma District).

I have the honour to submit the following report upon the operations of the Northern, Southern, and Mogaung columns of the Wuntho expedition.

* Not published.

2. The objects of the expedition, as defined for my guidance, were briefly—

Firstly.—To suppress a sudden outburst of rebellion which had broken out almost simultaneously in the extreme northern and southern limits of the hitherto independent State of Wuntho.

Secondly.—To depose and, if possible, capture the Sawbwa and his father; failing which, to drive them and all their adherents out of the country.

Thirdly.—To annex, disarm, and permanently secure the future peaceful administration of the country.

3. To enable me to carry out these objects, the following troops were placed at my disposal:—

Northern Column.

	Rifles.
Two guns, No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery	
1st Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry	100
10th Regiment (1st Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry	200
Karen Police Battalion	100
Total ..	400

Southern Column.

	Rifles.
Two guns, No. 2 Mountain Battery	
2nd Battalion, Devonshire Regiment	100
1st Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry	150
2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry	200
11th Madras Infantry	100
20th Madras Infantry	650
Total ..	1,200

In addition to these regular troops, the Katha Battalion of Military Police and portions of the Ye-u, Shwebo, and Môn-ywa Battalions of Military Police, as well as all military and civil police holding posts in, or bordering on, the Wuntho State, were placed under my orders.

4. The first pressing necessity was the immediate despatch of troops to Kawlin, which was reported to be in a state of siege, surrounded by hundreds of temporarily emboldened rebels, who had burnt Kawlin and other Government police posts and numerous bordering villages.

5. The first intelligence of this alarming state of affairs reached Mandalay on the 15th February, and within three days of that date Lieutenant Nesbitt, with 100 rifles of the 20th Madras Infantry, arrived in Kawlin from Ti-gyaing, followed on the 19th of the same month by Captain Keary with a detachment of the Shwebo Battalion of Military Police, and on the 21st by 105 rifles of the Devonshire Regiment under Captain Davies, 100 rifles of the 20th Madras Infantry under Lieutenant Sandford, 25 mounted infantry of the 20th Madras Infantry under Lieutenant Hodding, and 50 mounted infantry of the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry under Captain Custance, and finally, on the 23rd, by Major Smyth, Royal Artillery, with a section of his battery, 50 rifles of the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry under Captain Evelegh, and 50 mounted infantry of the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry under Lieutenant the Hon'ble W. J. H. de Montmorency. Meanwhile Captain Hutchinson with 130 rifles of the Ye-u Battalion, and Captain Hodges with 134 rifles of the Môn-ywa Battalion, were marching on Kawlin, and reached Okkan on the 22nd and 23rd February respectively.

6. The arrival at Kawlin of Captain Keary with his detachment on the afternoon of the 19th February may be regarded as the critical turning point of this southern outburst, as the enemy was actually at the time of his arrival engaged in attacking Kawlin on three sides; and Captain Keary's gallant charge on their centre was a brilliant feature in the campaign, which, followed as it was by a dismounted party of his men, under Subadar Prakasa Rai, attacking and capturing a strongly stockaded position in which the enemy, dispersed by the charge, had sought refuge, and killing every man inside it, completely changed the whole aspect of affairs.

In this engagement our losses were.

Shwebo Battalion, Military Police.

1 sepoy killed.
4 sepoys severely wounded.
1 sepoy slightly wounded.

Katha Battalion, Military Police.

1 sepoy mortally wounded.

20th Madras Infantry.

1 sepoy mortally wounded.
1 sepoy severely wounded.

On the enemy's side 18 dead bodies were found on the ground, but 30 were reported to have been killed.

The enemy were vain enough to think that, although their attacking powers had been crushed, they still might oppose us in fortified positions. The simultaneously successful attacks on the 22nd February upon their entrenched and stockaded positions at Kyaingkwintaung and

near Okkan must undoubtedly have convinced them even of this folly, for after that date they never again really stood against us, and after the turning movement on their final position on the Mankin pass between Wuntho and Pinlebu on the 25th February, and the subsequent shelling of the stockaded village of Mankin on the same day, all armed resistance in Southern Wuntho ceased.

7. In the engagements on the 22nd I regret to say our losses were heavy.

At Okkan.

Captain Hutchinson, commanding the Ye-u Battalion, Military Police, mortally wounded.
1 sepoy killed.
2 sepoys dangerously wounded.
3 sepoys severely wounded.
2 sepoys slightly wounded.

Whilst Captain Pond, who successfully concluded the fight after Captain Hutchinson was wounded, narrowly escaped a similar fate by receiving a bullet through his helmet.

At Kyaingkwintaung.

Devon Regiment.

3 privates killed.
1 private dangerously wounded.
6 privates severely wounded.
Second-Lieutenant H. C. Holman slightly wounded.
Sergeant-Major Birch slightly wounded.
1 private slightly wounded.

Commissariat Department.

Sergeant A. G. Seaward severely wounded.

Shwebo Battalion, Military Police.

3 sepoys severely wounded.

20th Madras Infantry.

1 sepoy severely wounded.

Enemy's losses.

At Kyaingkwintaung 53 dead bodies were counted, and at Okkan the enemy lost 27 killed. Number of wounded in both actions unknown.
Our losses on the 25th were *nil*.

8. Thus, within ten days of the first outbreak of hostilities at Kawlin, the first object of the expedition had been successfully accomplished in Southern Wuntho before even the expeditionary force had been regularly organized. This unique feature of the expedition—namely the suddenness with which it had to take the field—rendered it necessary for me to remain in Mandalay until the 24th February to make all those preliminary arrangements which should ordinarily be made before any concentration of troops for field service is effected. Luckily the General Officer Commanding in Burma was in Mandalay at the time, and, thanks to his advice and help, and the liberal manner in which he supported all my demands, I was enabled to facilitate the equipment and organization of the force. It was decided that for the troops operating in Southern Wuntho, Tigyaing, a military post on the right bank of the Irrawaddy, 180 miles from Mandalay and 41 from Kawlin, should become the base; whilst Katha, a military police station some 40 miles higher up, on the same bank of the Irrawaddy, was chosen as the base for the Northern Column.

9. At this time the Mogaung Column was working altogether independently, and operating beyond the sphere of Wuntho territory; so it had not to be taken into consideration.

10. Meanwhile the Northern Column was being concentrated at Katha, and pushed on as rapidly as possible to Mawteik, where Colonel Macgregor assumed command on the 26th February.

11. The delay in the concentration of this column was owing to the increasd distance of its base—Katha—from Mandalay, whence the greater portion of its troops had to be drawn. On the 27th February the advance guard of this column was opposed soon after leaving Mawteik on the road to Banmauk, but easily overcame the resistance after interchanging a few shots. Further on fire was again opened on it from the stockaded village of Banmauk, which it was found necessary to shell, and, on flanking parties being sent out, the enemy retired, and the column occupied it without any casualties on our side. On the morning of the 28th Lieutenant Caulfeild advanced on Kyauktônlôn, where the Wuntho Sawbwa's father, Maung Shwe Tha, was reported to be holding a strong position. It was successfully carried by flank attacks, with a loss on our side of only one Karen slightly wounded, whilst on the enemy's side nine dead bodies were found and 25 wounded were reported. In this engagement the old *ex*-Sawbwa narrowly escaped capture, and it was the last occasion on which any opposition was offered to our troops throughout the expedition.

12. I assumed the personal control of the operations at Wuntho on the night of the 26th February, and proceeded next day with Major Smyth's column towards Pinlebu.

13. My first care on arriving in the country was to circulate freely throughout the country the proclamation in Burmese which had only just been got ready in time to be taken with me on leaving Mandalay on the 24th, and to encourage the people to return to their villages and bring their arms into Wuntho. This, I found, they had already begun to do on my arrival there.

14. On my arrival at the deserted village of Pinka next afternoon, I found a letter in the village from the young Sawbwa, asking me not to proceed further, and offering to pay any reasonable fine I might think fit to impose for the damage already done by his people; also informing me that he had forbidden his people to offer any further resistance to our troops.

15. To this I sent on at once a reply to the effect that, until he surrendered to me in person, I was precluded from making any terms with him beyond offering him his life and protection to his family and private property. His object in addressing me in these terms may have been, as he stated in his letter, to give him time to induce his father to surrender or to gain time to further strengthen his and his father's powers of resistance. But as I was impressed with the conviction that he had tried to dissuade his father in the first instance from hostilities, and had himself only taken up arms against us because of his having failed to influence his father, my duty seemed clearly to accept the latter interpretation of his letter.

16. Whatever his real object was, the fact remains that he bolted from Pinlebu on the morning of the 27th, which was occupied the same afternoon by Captain Hodges and Captain Pond with their military police. From information subsequently received, it appears that he was actually reading a letter from Mr. Fowle, who, previous to my arrival in Wuntho, had written to him in the same terms as I did on the 27th, when he received information of the fight at Okkan, and that that column was pushing on to his capital.

17. On my arrival at Pinlebu on the morning of the 1st March, I found Captain Hodges and his men in occupation of this very strongly stockaded position. Many of the people had returned to the village and others were coming in freely with their arms; but I could obtain no reliable information as to the Sawbwa's line of retreat beyond the fact that he fled from the place on the morning of the 27th. Here the great difficulty faced me that, before I could proceed northwards in pursuit of the *ex*-Sawbwa, I must again return to Wuntho to obtain fresh supplies; for so urgent was the necessity for pouring troops into Kawlin and Wuntho, and so great was our difficulty in obtaining transport, that our troops were obliged to advance with only a few days' rations carried on such mules and coolies as could be impressed at Tigyaing, whilst the troops from Shwebo brought only ten days' rations with them carried on carts, which were useless beyond Wuntho.

18. However, even had I been able to despatch a column at once in pursuit of the *ex*-Sawbwa, I believe it could not have overtaken him, as during my advance on Pinlebu on the 28th February the mounted infantry under Captain Custance and the Shwebo Mounted Police under Captain Keary had been given a free hand, and had pushed well forward in a northerly direction without finding any trace of the *ex*-Sawbwa or his followers.

19. This great difficulty of rationing the troops and improvising transport had engaged the earnest attention of the General Officer Commanding the Burma District and myself before I left Mandalay, and with the help of the civil authorities we were enabled to procure hired Panthay mules; but these animals had to be brought from Bernardmyo to the Irrawaddy, a distance of 65 miles by land, and then by steamer from Thabeitkin to Tigyaing and Katha. All this took considerable time.

20. Meanwhile, rations had to be poured into both these bases of operations, which, together with the already existing strain on our marine transport in conveying troops from Mandalay to Tigyaing and Katha, considerably hampered my movements.

21. However, on the 4th March, having satisfied myself as to the peacefulness of Pinlebu and the people round about, and having arranged for the establishment of certain posts along that frontier as well as around Wuntho, I was enabled to proceed with a small column—110 rifles of mounted troops—towards Mansè, where I felt mounted troops were then more required than in Southern Wuntho, and making forced marches reached that place, a distance of 71 miles, on the 7th to find all quiet there and the place in possession of Colonel Macgregor's advance guard. The first object of the expedition had been accomplished throughout the country by the 28th February; the second and third were so intimately connected that whilst engaged in the one I was giving effect to the other. Thus by the 30th March I was enabled to report that the whole country south of Mansè had been disarmed, and was so peaceful as to be ripe for civil administration. During this time posts had been established throughout the country, and all old Wuntho officials who had accepted the terms of our proclamation deposing the Sawbwa and annexing the country, and established their claims to office, had been reinstated, and other appointments made.

22. In order to bring about this peaceful state of affairs and thoroughly restore confidence, troops were kept moving throughout the country—notably a column under Lieutenant-Colonel Clark, consisting of 100 rifles of the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, a few of whom were mounted, which was despatched from Banmauk on 16th March towards Mawnaing, and thence, travelling southward, scoured the whole western frontier of the country, reaching Wuntho on the 3rd April *viâ* Mettaung.

23. Two other columns were despatched from Mansè in pursuit of the *ex*-Sawbwa and his father—one under Lieutenant-Colonel Macgregor, D.S.O., to Indawgyi, to open up communication with the Mogaung column under Captain O'Donnell; and the other, consisting of mounted infantry, under Captain Custance, to Shwe-dwin *viâ* Seyua, at which place it was then reported that the young *ex*-Sawbwa was hiding; whilst a third column, with 50 Karens, under Mr.

Prendergast, and 30 Gurkhas, proceeded under Lieutenant Owen, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to the top of Taungtônlôn, 5,652 feet high, to endeavour to establish a signalling station there. This was found to be impracticable owing to the density of the jungle and the utter absence of water within five or six miles from the summit.

24. During these movements I found my presence needed at Mansè for the organization of transport, and for making the necessary arrangements (in the event of neither of these columns succeeding in capturing the *ex*-Sawbwa or his father) for continuing the pursuit on to the jead mines.

25. The Northern and Mogaung Columns first joined hands at Payani on the 30th March without, I regret to say, effecting the capture of either the young or the old *ex*-Sawbwa, who were then both reported to have taken refuge at the jade-mines.

26. From this place I found it necessary to despatch the Mogaung Column to punitively visit the Sana Sawbwa in his capital, whilst the Northern Column, under Lieutenant-Colonel Macgregor, marched by the direct route to Indawgyi.

27. Captain O'Donnell having satisfactorily carried out his instructions with regard to Sana, where no opposition was offered and the place found deserted, both columns concentrated at Indawgyi on April 7th. From this the two columns marched by converging routes on to Sauka jade-mines, where I arrived on the 15th without any opposition, and was well received by the people.

28. Next day I marched a column to Tawmaw, one of the workings of the jade-mines, but finding no ground suitable for an encampment, I returned the same day to Sauka. Having selected a good site on which to construct the new post. I detailed the following garrison to hold it:—Two guns of No. 6 (Bombay) Mountain Battery and 132 rifles of the Mogaung Levy under Captain O'Donnell. Here, as elsewhere throughout the pursuit, I could obtain no reliable information as to the whereabouts of the *ex*-Sawbwa or his father beyond the fact that they had fled towards China, having failed to obtain assistance or protection from the Kansi Sawbwa and other officials in and about the jade-mines.

29. It being impossible to follow up the pursuit, I made a final attempt at cutting off their retreat by blocking the road at Laban, through which the only direct road from the jade-mines to China passes, with a column of the Mogaung Levy under Inspector Grawther; but, from information received there, it appears that the fugitives avoided all main tracks, and were making for China by the roundabout road *via* the amber-mines, whither it was impossible to follow them.

30. The movement of the Northern and Mogaung Columns on the jade-mines, and the establishment at that place of a military post brought the operations of the Wuntho expedition, I think, to a satisfactory conclusion, as the establishment of this fort forms a connecting link in the chain of posts on our northern frontier, extending from the Irrawaddy to the Chindwin river, and thence to Kohima. The Northern Column returned to Katha *via* Mohnyin, thus opening up another bit of hitherto unexplored country, whilst the rest of the troops returned *via* Mogaung, where, in personal consultation with the Commissioner, Northern Division, and with the sanction of the General Officer Commanding the Burma District, field operations were closed on the 30th April.

31. Although the *ex*-Sawbwa and his father have not been captured, I still confidently claim for the troops engaged that all three objects of the expedition were successfully accomplished. No troops could have behaved better, and throughout the operations but one single case of undiscipline came under my notice.

From start to finish they evinced throughout a cheerful and willing spirit, which, considering the hard and trying marches, reflects great credit upon all the officers and men concerned.

32. From the time the troops took the field to the close of the operations not a single village was burnt or damaged which had not offered resistance to us, with the solitary exception of Sana, which, for political reasons, it has long been intended to have destroyed, and it was at the time of its destruction abandoned.

Bearing in mind the heat of the sun by day and the heavy dews which usually prevailed by night, the absence of camp equipage and all other shelter usually found in Burma, beyond such temporary cover as the men themselves could hastily improvise after long fatiguing marches, often not reaching camp till five and six in the evening, the health of the force was, I think, on the whole satisfactory.

33. The medical and sanitary arrangements were, as I knew they would be, thoroughly well worked out, at first by Surgeon R. S. F. Henderson, and subsequently by Surgeon G. E. Hale. I cannot speak in too high terms of these valuable medical officers.

I am also pleased to endorse Lieutenant-Colonel Macgregor's warm approval of the good services rendered to his column by Surgeon R. H. Castor, Indian Medical Service (Madras).

34. The commissariat arrangements were well looked after by Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. M. Francklyn at Mandalay, and rations admirably supplied to the different troops in the field under the careful supervision of Lieutenant Taylor, Chief Commissariat officer to the expedition.

35. The transport and general supervision along the line of communications were energetically and intelligently conducted by Major H. E. C. Kitchener, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. My special thanks are due to Captain Barwick, of Her Majesty's Indian Marine, for the energetic and eminently successful way in which he conducted the marine transport during the expedition.

36. The lateness of the season at which the operations were begun precluded all hope of constructing new roads, but the services of the Public Works Department were conspicuous by

the energetic and willing way in which Mr. Richard, Superintending Engineer, met all my wishes with regard to the construction of posts and the improvement of the roads between Tigyaing and Wuntho and between Wuntho and Pinlebu, in which work he was ably assisted by Mr. Bligh, Lieutenant Fraser, Royal Engineers, and Mr. Walling. This latter officer is also brought prominently to my notice by Lieutenant-Colonel Macgregor. The Queen's Own Sappers and Miners under Lieutenant L. P. Chapman, Royal Engineers, also rendered valuable service in the construction of other posts.

37. My thanks are also due to the Telegraph Department for the speed with which they completed the line of wire to Wuntho, and hurried on the opening up of the line from Katha to Mansè; and to the Postal Department for the arrangements made by them for the speedy delivery of letters and papers to the several columns engaged in the operations.

38. My duties as Chief Political Officer to the expedition were materially lightened by the ever-willing and energetic manner in which Mr. E. Fowle assisted me throughout. This officer joined me at Wuntho on my assuming personal control of the operations, and remained with me till they closed. I cannot speak too highly of the valuable services he rendered to the expedition. Colonel Macgregor brings to notice the good service rendered to him and his column by Mr. Emile Martini, and my personal experience of that officer enables me, I am happy to say, to endorse Colonel Macgregor's favorable report. I am also much indebted to Mr. Collins for his assistance to the Northern Column and advice and help afforded to me throughout the operations. My thanks are also due to the civil officers acting under him, all of whom have done well.

39. I would here also mention the good services rendered by Mr George, Survey of India, who volunteered to remain in Kawlin during the trying times when it was in a state of siege, and actively employed himself in the defence of the place.

40. I desire to bring to special notice the services of the Military Police. They have been associated with regular troops throughout the operations, and have invariably done well. This was the first occasion on which men of the Karen Police were associated with regular troops on fieldservice. They were always very keen to fight.

41. I have much pleasure in furthering Colonel Macgregor's wishes that the names of Mr. Prendergast and Mr. Folger should be brought to favorable notice whilst respectively in command of this detachment of the Karen Battalion. Had Captain Hutchinson lived, it would have been my pleasing duty to have specially mentioned him for favorable consideration. Captain A. D. C. Pond, who succeeded him in command of the Ye-u Battalion, deserves mention; also Lieutenant W. G. H. Stirling, Katha Battalion, and Inspector Trotter, Burma Police.

42. I desire to bring prominently to notice the brilliant services of Captain H. D'U. Keary, Commanding the Shwebo Battalion of Military Police. I consider that the advancement of this officer would be to the benefit of the service. The spirit of dash and confidence inspired by his presence at Kawlin, and the prompt manner in which he grappled with the situation and turned the hitherto needlessly cautious state of defence into one of vigorous and determined attack, is worthy of special acknowledgment.

43. I submit the names of the following officers for favorable consideration for good service during the operations :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Macgregor, D.S.O., who commanded the Northern Column throughout the operations; Major O. S. Smyth D.S.O., who commanded the Southern Column; and Captain H. O'Donnell, D.S.O., 44th Bengal Infantry, who commanded the Mogaung Column. These officers maintained the high reputation they have already gained for good and gallant service. Captain T. A. H. Davies, Devonshire Regiment, for the gallant manner in which he conducted the attack on the enemy's entrenched position at Kyaingkwintaung on the 22nd February, as also for the determined manner in which he hurried up with his ever-willing men from Shwebo to Kawlin, covering nearly 100 miles, with cart transport within five days. Captain S. Custance, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, for excellent service when in command of the Mounted Infantry of his regiment. He and his men had, perhaps, harder work than any other men during the operations, and their services deserve special recognition.

44. Had Captain N. A. Bray, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, lived, I should have brought his name to notice as deserving special recognition, as I cannot overrate his valuable services to the expedition.

45. The health of Captain A. B. Murray, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, my senior Staff officer, I regret to say broke down soon after arrival in Wuntho, but he struggled bravely to carry on his duties, although his health would not admit of his doing so. He was always keen and willing.

46. My orderly officer, Second-Lieutenant Bruce, Royal Artillery, ably and energetically performed his varied duties, and I consider him an officer of much promise.

47. Since the death of Captain Bray, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, the official diary of the campaign has been admirably carried on by Second Lieutenant H. C. Holman, Devonshire Regiment. I have tried this gallant young officer in many duties, and for one so young I have never met one who so successfully achieved all that he was called upon to perform. I anticipate a brilliant career for this young officer, and I commend his good services to special notice.

48. In conclusion, I beg to offer my special thanks to Mr. G. D. Burgess, C.S.I., Commissioner, Northern Division. I could never have carried out my orders so expeditiously and, I trust, satisfactorily had it not been for the invariable help and support I received from this

officer. I therefore desire to close this despatch by soliciting that his valuable services on this occasion may be brought specially to the notice of the Local and Supreme Governments.

No. 592.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th October 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 998.—The following corrections are made in the list of non-commissioned officers and men of the 12th (Burma) Regiment of Madras Infantry published in G.G.O. No. 647 * of 1891 :—

For "No. 623, Sepoy Shádi," *read* "No. 624, Sepoy Shádi."
For "No. 646, Sepoy Fateh-dád," *read* "No. 646, Fateh-dín."
For "No. 224, Sepoy Karam-dín," *read* "No. 242, Karam-dád."

* Madras G.O.G. No. 403 of 1891.

No. 593.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 17th October 1891, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 14th October 1891.

No. 641.—The services of Lieutenant H. E. Pritchard, Indian Staff Corps, 22nd Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as an Assistant Commandant in the Upper Burma Military Police.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 594.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

To be Conductor.

Sub-Conductor Joseph Buxton .. .. .. Dated 27th October 1891.

No. 595.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon James Cort Marsden .. .. ..
Surgeon Francis Casement Reeves .. .. ..
Surgeon John Leopold Poynder .. .. ..
Surgeon John Hoey .. .. } Dated 31st October 1891.

No. 596.—NATIVE ARMY—

4th Madras Infantry Pioneers.

Jemadar Abdul Aziz to be Subadar .. .. ..
Jemadar Mir Abbas to be Subadar .. .. ..
Havildar, No. 1861, Ramasamy to be Jemadar .. ..
Havildar, No. 1560, Streeramooloo to be Jemadar .. } Dated 28th October 1891.

REMOVAL FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 597.—The 79th Field Battery, Royal Artillery, is struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the 21st October 1891.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 598.—Colonel E. G. Blenkinsop, Indian Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £700 per annum, with effect from the 5th November 1891, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 599.—APPOINTMENTS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 521 of 1890, the Christian names of Lieutenant Lefebure should be "Edouard Elie" and not "Elie Edouard" as therein notified.

No. 600.—PROMOTIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant A. D. Adams, to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Lieutenant W. H. Scott to be Captain to complete the establishment.

No. 601.—RESIGNATIONS—

Vercaud Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant C. K. Short is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

No. 602.—TRANSFERS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Stewart Binny Murray is transferred from the Supernumerary to the Effective List.

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

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 21st October 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number, if a soldier.						
							Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
25th Sept. 1891.	Lieut.-Col.	F. T. Powis.	General List, Infy.	..	5th April 1891.	Intestate.	3,214 7 0	*Nil.*	3,214 7 0*	(Widow) Alice Metcalfe Powis, care of Clement Smith, Esq., Assistant Superintendent of Police, Vizagapatam. (Children) Alicia Beatrice Linda Martin. Katie Edgell Smith. Nina Elsie Powis.
21st Oct. 1891.	Lieut.	B. A. James	Royal Engineers.	..	2nd Jan. 1891.	Unknown	247 7 9	..	779 7 3 247 7 9	(Brother) H. R. James Bankipore.
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Do. ..	Lieut.-Col.	F. T. Powis.	General List, Infy.	..	5th April 1891.	Intestate.	5 0 0	..	5 0 0	..

* Claims against this estate should be preferred to the Administrator-General, Madras.

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

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 3rd November 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 603.—Army Staff—

Colonel E. W. Begbie, D.S.O., General List, Infantry, Assistant Adjutant-General, Army Head-quarters, to be Deputy Adjutant-General, Army Head-quarters, *vice* Colonel H. R. Hope, vacated. Dated 29th October 1891.

Colonel G. C. Bird, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Rangoon District, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District, *vice* Colonel A. B. Morgan, vacated. Dated 1st November 1891.

Colonel A. S. Grove, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 15th Madras Infantry, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. E. Porteous, vacated. Dated 22nd October 1891.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Stainforth, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 21st Madras Infantry, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, Army Head-quarters, *vice* Colonel E. W. Begbie, promoted. Dated 29th October 1891.

No. 604.—Military Secretariat—

Colonel Hugh Richard Hope, General List, Cavalry, Deputy Adjutant-General, Army Head-quarters, to be Secretary to Government, Military Department, *vice* Brigadier-General A. R. Konney-Herbert, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 31st October 1891.

No. 605.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 604 of 1891, the local and temporary rank of Brigadier-General is conferred on Colonel H. R. Hope, Secretary to Government, Military Department, with effect from the 31st October 1891.

No. 606.—Pension Department—

Garrison Sergeant-Major R. Rowland to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates, Secunderabad, *vice* Captain J. A. Wyllie. Dated 29th October 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 607.—Colonel A. W. L. Anderson, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 3rd Light Infantry, has been granted four days' leave, viz., from the 12th to the 15th October 1891, both days inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that allowed in G.O.G. No. 434 of 1890 and No. 415 of 1891.

No. 608.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India:—

Colonel H. Smalley, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, Superintending Engineer, No. III Circle, Bellary (p.a.), for one year and three days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 609.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty:—

Colonel H. E. D. Bayley, General List, Infantry.
Brigade-Surgeon S. B. Hunt, Indian Medical Department.
Surgeon-Major A. H. Leapingwell, Indian Medical Department.
Sub-Conductor N. Smith, Commissariat Department.

No. 610.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Captain J. S. E. Western, Indian Staff Corps, from 20th July to 30th November 1891, m.c.

No. 611.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has granted Captain E. S. Hastings, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, furlough out of India for 5 months on medical certificate, under the Regulations of 1875, in commutation of privilege leave.

No. 612.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant G. W. Lilly, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Light Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 14th May 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 613.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd October 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

No. 1005.—The following promotions are made, *vice* Colonel J. S. F. Mackenzie, Staff Corps, Military Accountant, 3rd Class, who has retired from the service, with effect from the 7th October 1891 :—

Names.	From	To	Date.
Captain H. Melvill	Military Accountant, 4th Class.	Military Accountant, 3rd Class.	7th October 1891.

No. 614.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 24th October 1891, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 20th October 1891.

No. 1386.—The services of Captain H. Thornton, 31st Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as Cantonment Magistrate, Rangoon.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 23rd October 1891.

No. 1519-*G.*—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department :—

* * * * *

Consequent on the appointment of Colonel H. P. Peacock, Political Agent of the 1st Class, to be a Resident of the 2nd Class and Political Resident in Turkish Arabia, and with effect from the 31st October 1891,—

* * * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Newill, Staff Corps, Political Agent of the 3rd (Officiating 2nd) Class, to be a substantive Political Agent of the 2nd Class.

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No. 1523-G.—Lieutenant-Colonel D. Robertson, Staff Corps, Additional Political Agent of the 1st Class and Political Agent in Baghelkhand and Superintendent of the Rewah State, is, on return from furlough, appointed temporarily to officiate as a Political Agent of the 1st Class, and is posted as Political Agent in Bhopal, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 615.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 6th October 1891, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 6th October 1891.

* * * * *

Staff, Colonel H. C. Lewes, from half-pay, to be a Colonel on the Staff, to command an Artillery Circle in India. Dated 30th January 1891.

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TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 616.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 604 of 1891, the services of Brigadier-General A. R. Kenney-Herbert, General List, Cavalry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 31st October 1891.

No. 617.—The services of Captain J. A. Wyllie, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 29th October 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 618.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Alexander Gordon Cardew, C.S., to be Captain.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 10*th November* 1891.

EQUIPMENT.

No. 619.—NATIVE ARMY—

With the sanction of the Government of India the ranks, as per margin, of the 3rd Madras Light Cavalry, will be armed with lances in addition to their present equipment.

Havildars.
Naigues.
Privates.

The above regiment will, in future, be designated the "3rd Madras Lancers."

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 620.—Colonel W. J. Seaton, Indian Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India under Article 738 (*b*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, with effect from the 10th October 1891.

No. 621.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel A. R. Kenney-Herbert, General List, Cavalry (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain N. S. Swanston, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department (m.c.), for one year,—275 days under Rule I and the remainder under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

Surgeon-Major P. H. Benson, Indian Medical Department, Officiating Senior Surgeon to the Government of Mysore (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 622.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel E. J. Watson, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 24th Regiment, Madras Infantry. — Rejoined his appointment on the 19th October 1891.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Robertson, Indian Staff Corps .. — Arrived at Bombay on the 28th October 1891.

Conductor Thomas Grant, Manager, Office of Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery. — Arrived at Bombay on the 26th October 1891.

No. 623.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Quin, Indian Staff Corps, for one year. Pension service,—28th year, commenced 9th June 1891.

No. 624.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India under Article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I :—

Major J. W. Thruston, West York Regiment, Adjutant, Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles (m.c.), for 90 days.

No. 625.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant O. G. Ievers, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 626.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant H. W. Lowry, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c., till 20th February 1892.

No. 627.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (New Zealand) on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant F. Jollie, Indian Staff Corps, attached 2nd Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 15th October 1891.

No. 628.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Surgeon F J. Dewes, Indian Medical Service, for 182 days. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 18th December 1890.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 629.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th October 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

No. 1033.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the promotion of the following Warrant Officers of the Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, under the provisions of Clause 48, India Army Circulars, 1884, for services with the Manipur Expedition :—

Second-grade Apothecary Stephen Freeman Michael to be First-grade Apothecary.

First-grade Assistant Apothecary James Francis Curran to be Second-grade Apothecary, subject to his passing the prescribed examination within twelve months.

No. 630.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 31st October 1891, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 28th October 1891.

No. 660.—The services of Lieutenants C. A. Wilding, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, and J. H. Whitehead, 11th Madras Infantry, were placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma, with effect from the 30th March and 17th April 1891, respectively, to the 29th May 1891, for employment in the Upper Burma Military Police.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 28th October 1891.

No. 1541-*G.*—Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Fraser, Staff Corps, Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is, on return from furlough, posted as Political Agent in Ulwar, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

The 29th October 1891.

No. 1560-*G.*—Colonel K. J. L. Mackenzie, Staff Corps, Judicial Commissioner, is appointed to officiate as Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Mr. T. Chichele Plowden.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 631.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

Colonel *Sir* E. R. C. Bradford, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., A.D.C., Indian Staff Corps, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 13th November 1891.

No. 632.—INDIAN STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) William Cooke. Dated 7th November 1891.

No. 633.—NATIVE ARMY—

12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 28, Chaughatta, to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 12th June 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 634.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon W. B. Bannerman, M.D., Indian Medical Department, 22nd Regiment, Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 635.—APPOINTMENTS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. Henry William Holland to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Second Lieutenant H. Chaney, promoted.

No. 636.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Lieutenant J. W. Reynolds is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 3rd November 1891.

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 September and October 1891:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
Medical Staff ..	Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel G. B. Mouat, M.D.	20th Oct. 1891 ..	Belgaum ..	....
Indian Staff Corps ..	Lieutenant A. FitzW. Johnson.	31st ,, ,, ..	Bangalore ..	....
European Artillery Veteran Company.	Gunner T. Byrne*	1st Sept. ,, ..	Pallavaram ..	Testate.

* Estate made over to Mr. James Byrne under the provisions of section 8 of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Fort St. George, 17th November 1891.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 637.—The 23rd and 33rd Field Batteries of Royal Artillery are brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 26th October 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 638.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Colonel A. Chaplin, General List, Infantry, Judge Advocate-General's Department, for one year. Pension service,—31st year, commenced 22nd December 1890.

Major F. C. Maltby, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—26th year, commenced 16th October 1891.

No. 639.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain J. Vans Agnew, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant F. A. Loudon, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 640.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant H. M. Allen, Indian Staff Corps, 5th Punjab Cavalry. } Rejoined his appointment on the 13th October 1891.

Lieutenant U. W. Evans, R.E., "Queen's Own," Sappers and Miners. } Arrived at Bombay on the 7th November 1891.

No. 641.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major F. H. Blenkinsop, Indian Medical Service, Civil Surgeon and Superintendent of Jail, Trichinopoly, (m.c.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 642.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Honorary Surgeon R. S. Dawson, Madras Establishment, six months, m.c.

No. 643.—Sub-Conductor W. Symons, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for 90 days, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 644.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th November 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1037.—The undermentioned Officers having completed eighteen months' probationary service are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenants—

* * * *

Harington Owen Parr, East Surrey Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 7th (The Duke of Connaught's Own) Regiment of Bengal Infantry,—26th March 1890.

No. 645.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th November 1891, is republished:—

ORGANIZATION.

NATIVE ARMY.

No. 1042.—The Most Honorable the Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify that, with the sanction of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, the Cavalry of the Madras Army shall, with effect from the 1st January next, be reorganized in three regiments of four squadrons each.

2. In view of carrying out this reorganization, the 4th Regiment of Madras Light Cavalry will be disbanded on the date above named, and, at the same time, the three remaining regiments (the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Regiments of Madras Lancers) will be augmented from three to four squadrons each, with the following establishment per regiment:—

British Officers.

1	Commandant.
4	Squadron Commanders.
4	Squadron Officers.
1	Medical Officer.
Total ..	10

Native Ranks.

8	Subadars.	1	Farrier-Major.
8	Jemadars.	8	Farrier-Havildars.
1	Havildar-Major.	4	Shoeing-smiths.
40	Havildars.	506	Privates.
40	Naicks.		
1	Trumpet-Major.	Total ..	625
8	Trumpeters.		

3. The following additional establishment of non-combatants and followers is sanctioned for each regiment of Madras Cavalry, viz.:—

1	Veterinary pupil.	1	Chuckler (muchi).
1	Regimental lascar.	2	Pakalis.

4. The Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men now serving in the 4th Madras Light Cavalry will cease to be borne on the rolls thereof from the 1st January 1892, and will be disposed of as follows:—

(*a*) Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men who have served for pension for twenty-five years and upwards will be transferred to the pension establishment on the superior rate of pension of their rank (irrespective of the period they may have served therein), *plus* rice compensation, or will have the option of being transferred to other regiments of Madras Cavalry.

(*b*) Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men of fifteen years' service and upwards will be transferred to the pension establishment on the ordinary pension of their rank (irrespective of the period they may have served therein), *plus* rice compensation, or will have the option of being transferred to other regiments of Madras Cavalry.

(*c*) Native officers, non-commissioned officers and men of more than ten and less than fifteen years' service will be transferred to the pension establishment on two-thirds of the ordinary rate of pension of their rank (irrespective of the period they may have served therein), *plus* rice compensation, or will have the option of being transferred to other regiments of Madras Cavalry.

(*d*) Non-commissioned officers and men of more than five years' and less than ten years' service will be discharged with a gratuity of one month's pay (including good-conduct pay) for each year of service, or will have the option of being transferred to other regiments of Madras Cavalry.

(*e*) Non-commissioned officers and men of less than five years' service will have the option of being transferred to other regiments of Madras Cavalry, or of taking their discharge with a gratuity of three months' pay (including good-conduct pay).

5. Transfers to the Body-Guard and to the other regiments of Madras Cavalry will be allowed to such extent as may be required to complete those corps.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 646.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 16th and 27th October 1891, are republished:—

India Office, 16th October 1891.

The Queen has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Medical Service and admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Thomas Quin, from the Madras Staff Corps, *vice* Leslie, who exchanges. Dated 18th November 1887, but to rank from 1st July 1881.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant David Silvanus Lewis. Dated 11th May 1889.
Lieutenant Arthur Malcolm Lloyd. Dated 11th May 1889.
Lieutenant Montague Ernest O'Donoghue. Dated 11th May 1889.
Lieutenant William Harry Derville Rich. Dated 5th October 1889.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Thomas Dowglasse Leslie, from the Bengal Staff Corps, *vice* Quin, who exchanges. Dated 18th November 1887, but to rank from 9th September 1882.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

* * * * *

Major Donald Robertson. Dated 8th August 1891.
Major William George Currie Johnstone. Dated 8th August 1891.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 11th August 1891.

* * * * *

Wilfred Hale Lewin.

* * * * *

George Rippon.

* * * * *

Hugh Thornton.
John Jackson.

* * * * *

Edmund Charles Thwaytes.

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Henry Lowry Barnwell Acton.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade-Surgeon.

Surgeon-Major James Smith. Dated 12th October 1890.

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The Queen has approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers:

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

Colonel James Stuart Fraser Mackenzie. Dated 7th October 1891.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

Colonel Charles Robert Bradstreet. Dated 24th August 1891.
Colonel John Salmon Blaxland. Dated 6th October 1891.

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

* * * * *

Lieutenant W. MacL. Campbell, Royal Highlanders, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., Commanding a District of the Madras Army. Dated 26th October 1890.

India Office, 27th October 1891.

The Queen has approved of the following Admissions to the Indian Medical Service :—

To be Surgeons, ranking as Captains.

Dated 28th July 1891.

MADRAS.

James Entrican, M.D.
Walter George Pridmore.
Charles Donovan, M.D.
Jeremiah Penny.
Arthur Thomas Brown.
Douglas Henry McDonell Graves.
Stuart Alexander Charles Dallas.
Charles Henry Leet Falk.

REMOVALS FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 647.—The 38th and 61st Field Batteries of Royal Artillery are struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 4th November 1891.

PENSIONS.

No. 648.—Conductor George Kennedy, Quartermaster-General's Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of £90 per annum, with effect from the 20th November 1891.

REWARDS.

No. 649.—With the sanction of the Government of India, First-grade Assistant Apothecary Peter Arthur Winckler, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is promoted to the rank of Second-grade Apothecary, in recognition of the valuable services rendered by him during the cholera epidemic among a party of the Gurkha coolies while returning from the Chin Hills.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 650.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

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

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 24th November 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 651.—District Staff—

Colonel M. W. E. Gosset, C.B., *h.p.*, British Service, to command a District of the 2nd class, with the local and temporary rank of Brigadier-General, *vice* Brigadier-General H. M. Bengough, C.B., whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 13th November 1891.

No. 652.—Indian Staff Corps—

The undermentioned Officers having completed 18 months' probationary service are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India : —

Lieutenant H. H. Harington, Welsh Regiment, Wing Officer, 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry,—4th April 1890.

Second Lieutenant C. R. Kauntze, Suffolk Regiment, Wing Officer, 31st Madras Light Infantry,—2nd April 1890.

Second Lieutenant Kauntze will rank as Lieutenant in the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 2nd April 1890, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 653.—The undermentioned Officers are granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant W. G. Grey, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Light Infantry, for 66 days from 1st August 1891. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 15th October 1890.

Lieutenant A. J. Shaw, Indian Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate, Benares, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 19th December 1890.

No. 654.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain W. H. D. Rich, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department. Captain C. C. Tennant, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department. Lieutenant C. H. Clements, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department.	Arrived at Bombay on the 8th November 1891.
Surgeon-Major W. H. Thornhill, M.D., Indian Medical Service, Medical Officer, 27th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 31st October 1891.

No. 655.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant A. A. Jones, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant G. M. MacHutchin, Indian Staff Corps.
Surgeon J. Scott, Indian Medical Department.

No. 656.—Conductor F. S. Dunk, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate for one year, under Article 920F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 657.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th November 1891, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 1055.—Lieutenant D. R. Adye, Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India, (m.c.) for three months, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 21st October 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 658.—INDIAN STAFF CORPS—

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

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major George Carew Fenwick .. .. .. Dated 21st November 1891.

No. 659.—NATIVE ARMY—

9th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaikh Ibrahim to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 6th July 1891.
Havildar-Major, No. 1237, Abdur Rahman to be Jemadar .. }

No. 660.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary T. Kiddle, to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect from the 13th November 1891.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 661.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant R. W. C. Keays, Indian Staff Corps, 31st Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, for appointment to the Military Accounts Department (on probation).

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 662.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Mr. Charles Herbert Higginbotham to be Second Lieutenant to fill an existing vacancy.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
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Fort St. George, 1st December 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 663.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India : —

Colonel R. G. E. Dalrymple, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, Resident's Escort, Hyderabad.	Rejoined his appointment on the 8th September 1891.
Major M. W. Saunders, R.A., Assistant Adjutant-General, Belgaum District.	Arrived at Bombay on the 1st November 1891.
Lieutenant J. R. Mathewes, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers.	Rejoined his appointment on the 24th October 1891.
Lieutenant A. S. Arnold, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers.	Rejoined his appointment on the 20th October 1891.

No. 664.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on medical certificate for one year, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I ; the leave to have effect in India from the date of being struck off duty till the date of sailing ; the specified period to count from the date of leaving India :—

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary D. Mootham, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, attached to the Remount Depôt at Ahmednagar.

No. 665.—First-grade Assistant Apothecary Muhammad Zahur, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for 182 days, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 666.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th November 1891, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1063.—Lieutenant William Noble Evans, 21st Hussars, Officiating Squadron Officer, 10th (The Duke of Cambridge's Own) Regiment of Bengal Lancers, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 21st April 1890, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 667.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st November 1891, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 19th November 1891.

No. 1656-*G.*—

* * * * *

Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, is posted as Assistant to the Governor-General's Agent in Central India.

PENSIONS.

No. 668.—Conductor H. Frankland, Public Works Department, Madras, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on an invalid pension of Rupees 100 per mensem, with effect from the 6th March 1891. (This cancels G.O.G. No. 342 of 1891.)

PROMOTIONS.

No. 669.—NATIVE ARMY—

15th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 795, Moonesawmy to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 1st November 1891.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 670.—Colonel W. J. Pickance, Madras Retired List, Commandant, Coimbatore Volunteer Rifles, having overstayed the leave granted him in G.O.C. No. 111 of 1891, for a period of over three months, is struck off the strength of the corps.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 18th November 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number, if a soldier.						
18th Nov. 1891.	Colonel.	H. T. H. Baber.	General List, 28th Regt., M.I	..	24th May 1891.	..	RS. A. P. 335 10 11	RS. *Nil.*	RS. A. P. *335 10 11	..
Do. ..	Captain.	A. J. R. Hutchinson.	Indian (Bengal) Staff Corps.	..	27th Feb. 1891.	Testate.	2,479 4 0	,,	2,479 4 0	General A. Hutchinson, Retired B.S.C., Fiddington House, Stafford-on-Avon, Warwickshire, England.
Do. ..	Sub-Condr.	M. J. Croghan.	Barrack Dept.	..	18th April 1891.	Intestate.	387 9 3	,,	387 9 3	(Widow) Mrs. C. Croghan, care of the Barrack Master, Fort St. George.

* Claims against this estate should be preferred to the Administrator-General, Madras.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
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Fort St. George, 8th December 1891.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 671.—ARMY STAFF—

Major H. B. Jeffreys, R.A., Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Belgaum District, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the Establishment, *vice* Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. B. Ternan, vacated. Dated 12th November 1891.

No. 672.—PENSION DEPARTMENT—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Stokoe, General List, Infantry, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at St. Thomas' Mount and Pallavaram, *vice* Captain J. H. Smith in temporary charge.

No. 673.—Mr. R. Weaver, Retired List (late Sub-Conductor, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras), to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Rajahmundry, Ellore and Samulcottah from 15th January 1892, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel E. Quin, who vacates on proceeding on furlough.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 674.—Colonel M. Furlong, Indian Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India, under Article 738, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, with effect from the 1st March 1891.

No. 675.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel H. M. Vibart, R.E., 3 months, m.c.
Captain K. M. Foss, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, p.a.
Captain F. Glanville, D.S.O., R.E., 3 months, m.c.
Surgeon W. Molesworth, Indian Medical Service, 184 days, m.c.

No. 676.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Major B. H. Pollard, Indian Staff Corps, 20th Madras Infantry, for six months. Pension service,—24th year, commenced 25th December 1890.

No. 677.—Surgeon-Major W. H. Thornhill, M.D., Indian Medical Service, 27th Madras Infantry, is granted leave for four days, viz., from the 27th to the 30th October 1891, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that allowed in G.O.G. No. 189 of 1891.

No. 678.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Major S. L. Dobie, Indian Medical Service.
Captain E. S. Hastings, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.

No. 679.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain J. H. Jones, Indian Staff Corps	Arrived at Bombay on the 29th November 1891.
Lieutenant E. P. Wood, Indian Staff Corps	Arrived at Rangoon on the 25th September 1891.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 680.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 27th November 1891, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

No. 1089.—The following Officers are appointed Assistant Military Accountants, 3rd Class, on probation, to fill existing vacancies :—

* * * * *

Lieutenant R. W. C. Keays, 31st Madras Infantry, with effect from the 2nd November 1891.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 1090.—Lieutenant L. C. Gordon, R.A., to officiate as an Ordnance Officer, 4th Class, to fill an existing vacancy, with effect from the 9th November 1891.

No. 681.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 28th November 1891, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 24th November 1891.

No. 746.—The services of Surgeon J. C. Marsden, Civil Surgeon of Coorg, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

No. 747.—Surgeon-Major R. Pemberton, Madras Establishment, is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Coorg, *vice* Surgeon J. C. Marsden.

PENSIONS.

No. 682.—First-grade Senior Apothecary Thomas Everard, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of Rupees 200 per mensem or £200 per annum, with effect from the 9th December 1891.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 683.—COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE—

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel W. P. Dicken, C.B., D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps ..	Dated 9th December 1891.
Colonel T. Weldon, C.I.E., Indian Staff Corps	
Colonel H. I. Lugard, Indian Staff Corps	Dated 14th December 1891.
Colonel J. K. Clubley, Indian Staff Corps	

No. 684.—NATIVE ARMY—

6th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1783, Narrainsawmy to be Jemadar .. Dated 26th October 1891.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 25th November 1891.

STATEMENT showing the details of Deposits on account of Estates of deceased Officers and others received by the Pay Examiner, Fort St. George.

Date of deposit.	On account of				Date of decease.	Testate or intestate.	Amount of deposit.	Amount of donation batta due to estate.	Total of unclaimed amount deposited.	Names and addresses of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number, if a soldier.						
25th Nov. 1891.	Captain.	J. H. H. Ansley.	5th Regt., M.I., Indian Staff Corps.	..	4th July 1891.	Intestate.	RS. A. P. 452 15 7	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 452 15 7	Wife, Mrs. Charlotte Fanny Ansley, Messrs. Grindlay, Groom and Co., London. Children, (1) Edgar Howland Comyn Ansley, (2) Reginald Ansley.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
Adjutant-General.

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Fort St. George, 15th December 1891.

ADMISSION ON THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 685.—The following Batteries and Companies of Royal Artillery are brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 16th November 1891 :—

No. 7 Mountain Battery.
No. 4 Company, Eastern Division.
Nos. 5 and 18 Companies, Southern Division.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 686.—PERSONAL STAFF—

The Right Honorable the Governor is pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff :—

Subadar-Major Muhammad Hanif, *Sirdar Bahadur*, of the Body Guard, to be Native Aide-de-Camp, *vice* Subadar-Major Usman Khan, *Sirdar Bahadur*, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 9th December 1891.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 687.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain C. Stevens, Indian Staff Corps, 4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 18th November 1891.
Brigade-Surgeon S. B. Hunt, Indian Medical Service ..	Arrived at Madras on the 20th November 1891.

No. 688.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps ; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant T. S. Young, Indian Staff Corps, 4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry, for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 23rd May 1891.

No. 689.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 533, dated 22nd September 1891, the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has granted Lieutenant A. deC. Scott, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, a special extension of leave on medical certificate for six months without forfeiture of his probationary appointment.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 690.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th December 1891, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS.

No. 1138.—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 10th December 1890, in room of Colonel A. T. Cox, C.B., Staff Corps, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance :—

MADRAS.

COLONEL WILLIAM POPHAM DICKEN, C.B., D.S.O., STAFF CORPS.

	Dates of Commissions.
Ensign	9th December 1853.
Lieutenant	23rd November 1856.
Captain	9th December 1865.
Major	9th December 1873.
Lieutenant-Colonel	9th December 1879.
Colonel	9th December 1883.

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1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

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2nd Madras Infantry.

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Jemadar Safdar Khan to be Subadar .. ..
Havildar, No. 1160, Muhammad Aminuddin to be Jemadar. Dated 24th December 1890.
Havildar, No. 1190, Sultan Khan to be Jemadar ... Dated 21st August 1891.

REMOVAL FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT.

No. 692.—The following Batteries and Companies of Royal Artillery are struck off the strength of the Madras Establishment with effect from the 27th November 1891 :—

No. 2 Mountain Battery.
Nos. 1 and 13 Companies, Eastern Division.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
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