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, 10*th January* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 1.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Brigadier-General T. VanStraubenzee, C.B., R.A., General Officer Commanding Madras District.	Rejoined his appointment on the 16th December 1892.
Colonel R. E. Cox, General List, Infantry	Arrived at Madras on the 19th December 1892.
Lieutenant-Colonel F. C. Maltby, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 16th October 1892.
Surgeon-Major D. S. E. Bain, Indian Medical Service ..	Arrived at Bombay on the 6th October 1892.
Captain C. E. Poynder, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd-in-Command, 25th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 22nd November 1892.
Captain F. B. Deane, Indian Staff Corps, Squadron Commander, 2nd Madras Lancers.	Rejoined his appointment on the 9th December 1892.
Captain H. L. B. Acton, Indian Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 1st Madras Lancers.	Rejoined his appointment on the 22nd December 1892.
Lieutenant W. G. Nisbett, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 32nd (4th Burma Battalion) Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 19th October 1892.
Lieutenant H. W. C. Colquhoun, Indian Staff Corps, Adjutant, 24th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 14th December 1892.
Lieutenant W. N. M. Cooke, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander (sub. *pro tem.*), 8th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 13th December 1892.

No. 2.—In G.O.G. No. 652 of 1892 granting Surgeon-Colonel W. H. Roberts, M.D., Indian Medical Service, Principal Medical Officer, Secunderabad District, leave out of India, *for* "8th November 1892" *read* "9th November 1892."

No. 3.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel J. W. Macdougall, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, M.C.
Colonel A. Chaplin,* General List, Infantry, 9 months, P.A.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. MacGregor, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, till 9th June 1893, P.A.
Major D. D. Pryce, Indian Staff Corps, 4 months, P.A.
Captain N. A. K. Burne, Indian Staff Corps, one month, M.C.
Lieutenant E. Wintour, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, P.A.
Conductor H. Sears, Ordnance Department, Madras, 3 months, M.C.

* *Note.*—This officer's permission to return to duty, notified in G.O.G. No. 605 of 1892, has been cancelled.

No. 4.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel H. J. Hazlett, Indian Medical Service.
Surgeon-Captain T. C. Moore, Indian Medical Service.
Lieutenant T. Ffrench, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant F. W. H. Cox, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 5.—So much of G.O.G. Nos. 486 and 593 of 1892 as refers to Major Welch and Captain Dawes, respectively, is hereby cancelled.

No. 6.—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 A. W. N. Taylor, Indian Staff Corps, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 16th June 1892.

Lieutenant E. W. Grimshaw, Indian Staff Corps, 24th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 10th November 1892.

No. 7.—The leave granted to Sub-Conductor D. Mackintosh, Military Works Department, in G.O.G. No. 278 of 1892, is extended to the 6th November 1892.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 8.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th December 1892, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 1172.—*3rd Infantry*—

Lieutenant J R. Kennedy, Bedfordshire Regiment, a candidate for the Indian Staff Corps in the Madras Presidency, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 19th July 1892. (G.G.O. No. 780 of 1892 is cancelled.)

No. 9.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th December 1892, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1187.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Mr. Octavius Sidney Parsons to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Ollenbach, promoted.

No. 10.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 23rd December 1892, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

2nd Infantry.

No. 1196.—Surgeon-Captain C. H. L. Palk, Madras Medical Service, to be Officiating Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon-Major C. L. Swaine, M.D., who has been appointed to officiate as Sanitary Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts. Dated 10th December 1892.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1200.—Second Lieutenant George Elliot Reid, R.A., Officiating Squadron Officer, 2nd Madras Lancers, having completed 18 months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 28th May 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 11.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd December 1892, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 1212.—Colonel Edmund Faunce, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 20th December 1892.

No. 12.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd December 1892, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1218.—*Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps*—

Major William Innes to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, *vice* Rigg, transferred to the Supernumerary List.

No. 13.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th December 1892, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1224.—Second Lieutenant Edmund Gunning Jones, South Wales Borderers, Officiating Wing Officer, 16th Madras Infantry, having completed 18 months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 8th May 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 14.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 24th and 31st December 1892, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 22nd December 1892.

No. 708.—The services of the undermentioned Medical Officers of the Madras Establishment are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces :—

Surgeon-Captain P. C. H. Strickland.
Surgeon-Captain W. D. Sutherland.

POLICE.

The 21st December 1892.

No. 652.—The services of Lieutenant F. J. Nelson, I.S.C., 4th Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent, an Assistant Commandant in the Upper Burma Military Police, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from this date.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 21st December 1892.

No. 2069-*G.*—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the dates on which they may be struck off the strength of the regiments with which they have been officiating :—

Lieutenant A. G. W. Moore, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer and Adjutant, Deoli Irregular Force.
Lieutenant M. G. Young, Officiating Adjutant, Malwa Bhil Corps.

The 23rd December 1892.

No. 2310-*E.*—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 21st December 1892 :—

Captain H. G. C. Swayne, R.E., Madras Sappers and Miners.

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The 24th December 1892.

No. 4726-*I.*—Captain A. S. Rooke, Indian Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate of Nowgong and *ex-officio* Assistant to the Political Agent in Bundelkhand, is appointed to officiate, temporarily, as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and is placed on special duty under the orders of the Governor-General's Agent in Central India, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

The 30th December 1892.

No. 2125-*G.*—The following reversions are made in the graded list of the Political Department :—

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Consequent on the appointment of Captain A. S. Rooke, Indian Staff Corps, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and with effect from the date on which he was, or may be, placed on special duty under the orders of the Governor-General's Agent in Central India :—

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, reverts, from Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to Officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 15.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 13th December 1892, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 13th December 1892.

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Delme Mootham, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st July 1892.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel William Walker Pemberton is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 26th November 1892.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 16.—Native Army—

1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Havildar, No. 478, Cundasawmy to be Jemadar .. Dated 15th December 1892.

9th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Veerasawmy to be Subadar-Major .. ..
Jemadar Abdul Karim to be Subadar .. ..
Jemadar Francis to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 12th November 1892.
Havildar, No. 1614, Venketsoobiah to be Jemadar ..
Havildar, No. 1270, Karim Khan to be Jemadar ..

22nd Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Manikalloo to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 16th November 1892.
Havildar, No. 494, Rahman Khan to be Jemadar ..

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 17.—Appointments—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Alfred Thomas Winn to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

Madras Artillery Volunteers.

Gunner Horace John Gould to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 18.—Resignations—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Major J. Fortune is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Bellary Volunteer Rifles.

Captain R. Sewell (Supernumerary List, Madras Railway Volunteers) is permitted to resign his appointment as Officiating Commandant of the Corps, at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, 21st December 1892.

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.						
21st Dec. 1892.	Second Lieutenant.	Beauchamp Urquhart Hill.*	1st Battalion, The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.	..	2nd July 1892.	..	Rs. A. P. 134 6 3	Rs. ..	Rs. A. P. 134 6 3	....

*Claims against this estate will be received in the Military (Estate) Department up to 21st February 1893.

Fort St. George, 10*th January* 1893.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that report of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers and Soldier on the dates specified were received in the Military (Estate) Department between the 19th December 1892 and 10th January 1893 :—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
2nd Battalion, Royal Scots.	Lieutenant C. F. Gisborne ..	27th December 1892.	Deolali ..	....
Indian Staff Corps, 1st Regiment, Madras Infantry (Pioneers).	Lieutenant H. J. Macleod ..	2nd January 1893. .	Trichinopoly ..	....
European Infantry Veteran Company.	Corporal Canneen Michael, General No. 2670.	23rd November 1892.	Vizagapatam ..	....

(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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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, 17*th January* 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 19.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel D. F. Bateman, Indian Medical Service, Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras, to officiate, with the temporary rank of Surgeon-Colonel, as Principal Medical Officer of a District in the Madras Command, during the absence of Surgeon-Colonel W. H. Roberts on leave, or until further orders. Dated 27th December 1892.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 20.—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. S. Grove, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District, for one year. Pension service,—35th year, commenced 16th September 1892.

Colonel J. O. Goldie, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 20th Madras Infantry, for sixty-eight days. Pension service,—35th year, commenced 12th October 1892.

Colonel W. Stainforth, General List, Infantry, Assistant Adjutant-General, Army Headquarters, for nine months. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 10th December 1892.

Major A. W. Cockburn, R.E., "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, for one year. Pension service,—22nd year, commenced 2nd August 1892.

No. 21.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel V. E. Law, Madras General List, Cavalry, Political Officer in charge of the *ex* Amir of Cabul (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Newill, Indian Staff Corps, Political Agent, 2nd Class (p.a.), for ten months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 22.—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 :—

Captain F. C. Logan-Home, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—12th year, commenced 23rd April 1892.

No. 23.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (New Zealand) 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 L. E. Fagan, Royal Lancaster Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, attached 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, for six months. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 21st December 1892.

No. 24.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain C. R. Keate, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

No. 25.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major A. J. Sturmer, Indian Medical Service ..	Arrived at Bombay on the 1st January 1893.
Captain W. M. Dawes, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 28th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 24th December 1892.
Lieutenant T. Ffrench, Indian Staff Corps	Arrived at Bombay on the 2nd January 1893.
Lieutenant E. Y. Watson, Indian Staff Corps	Arrived at Madras on the 21st November 1892.

No. 26.—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 J. Henry Aggas, Ordnance Department, Madras Circle, for one year.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 27.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th January 1893, is republished:—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 5.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been granted extensions of furlough or leave by the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Tomkins, C.I.E., Royal Engineers, Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, Madras Command, Military Works Department (p.a.), for four days.

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No. 28.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th January 1893, is republished:—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 13.—Colonel Wyndham Hughes-Hallett, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate-General, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 6th January 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 29.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th January 1893, is republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 17.—*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles*—

Messrs. Otway Fortescue Luke Wheeler Cuffe and Herbert Lovely Eales to be Second Lieutenants, *vice* respectively O'Bryen and McDonald, promoted.

No. 30.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 7th January 1893, are republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Calcutta, the 6th January 1893.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 9.—The services of Colonel H. I. Lugard, Deputy Commissioner, Central Provinces, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 7th January 1893.

The 3rd January 1893.

POLICE.

No. 1.—The services of Lieutenant J. W. Orchard, I.S.C., 11th 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.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 31.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 16th December 1892, is republished:—

India Office, 16th December 1892.

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.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

* * * * *

Dated 16th October 1892.

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Francis Crichton Maltby.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 19th October 1892.

* * * * *

Lawrence Jameson Torrie.

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Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 22nd October 1892.

Benjamin Holloway.

Arthur Nicholls.

Henry Gerard Burton.

Albert Edward Woods.

Oliver Goldsmith Ievers.
Edward Henry Bernard.
Folliott Churchill.
Walter Edward Brett.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Harold Robert Baker, from the West India Regiment. Dated 1st February 1891, but to rank from 31st July 1889.

Lieutenant Frederick Charles Rampini, from the South Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 13th March 1891, but to rank from 27th October 1889.

Lieutenant Ernest Codrington, from the Wiltshire Regiment. Dated 22nd June 1891, but to rank from 7th January 1890.

Second Lieutenant Edward William Keily, from the Connaught Rangers. Dated 7th April 1891.

Second Lieutenant Guy Moberly, from the Middlesex Regiment. Dated 15th July 1891.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Surgeon-Majors to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels.

Dated 1st October 1892.

Augustus Napoleon Rogers-Harrison.
Lionel Beech.
Henry Plunkett Esmonde-White.

Surgeon-Captains to be Surgeon-Majors.

Dated 2nd October 1892.

John Lawrence Van Geyzel.
Hastings Norman Victor Harington.
Gerard Macklin Eccles McKee.
Kavasji Cursetji Sanjana.
Hormasji Merwanji Hakim.
John Adolphus Burton.
Francis Joseph Doyle.
Manekshaw Jamshedji Kelawala.
Mervanji Pestanji Kharegat.

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

To be Paid Attachés in the Intelligence Branch of the Quartermaster-General's Department.

Lieutenant E. Peach, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th August 1892.

PENSIONS.

No. 32.—Conductor F. Bradbury, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of £90 per annum, with effect from the 1st March 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 33.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 30 of 1893, the services of Colonel H. I. Lugard, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 34.—APPOINTMENTS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Harry Seymour Mullins, to be Second Lieutenant.
Volunteer Alfred Joyce to be Honorary Lieutenant and Quartermaster.

No. 35.—RESIGNATIONS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Robert Tyndall Gibbs is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1893.

The following instructions are published for general information, in continuation of the notification that appeared on page 1518, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 29th November 1892:—

Instructions for competitors submitting designs and models for a two-mule army service cart.

1. The premia offered are for the preparation of such drawings and models showing details to scale, and of such specifications as shall enable the jury to form an accurate judgment of the merits of the different cart designs proposed. On the selection of the six best designs and models, a full-sized specimen cart of each will be constructed under the orders of the Government of India; and after trial, the prizes detailed in the notice of international competition will be awarded.

2. Such a design would, *ipso facto*, have a great advantage, as would admit of the cart proposed being selected by the jury, and without further reference being readily constructed by the ordinary agency of the Government of India. In other words, credit will *pro tanto* be given for a simple design, only requiring such material, plant, and workmanship as are available in a well-fitted Government arsenal.

3. Where, however, the designer foregoes the above advantage and proposes the use of materials, plant, and workmanship only to be obtained by special agency or in special localities, he must clearly indicate the arrangements under which the proposed cart could best be constructed. Whilst the necessity for special arrangements will in no way debar a design from a premium, any proposals tending to a monopoly will in themselves be considered a disadvantage.

4. The object sought is a design for a military transport cart for a mountainous country with absolutely no local resources in the way of skilled labour or constructive material. The few existing unmetalled roads are steep, narrow, and rough. Carts would further be largely employed on unbridged and unmetalled tracks newly opened along hill sides and stony river beds to meet the exigencies of military operations. The roughest handling is unavoidable. With abnormally dry air, scorching sun, freezing wind, and a temperature varying from 185° above to 15° below zero (of Fahrenheit), the consequent shrinking and warping of wood, however well it may be seasoned, absolutely debars the use of that material except, perhaps, in the poles or shafts, floor boards, and sides. Further, the use of wood, even in such secondary parts, is objectionable, as it is liable to be stolen and burnt as fuel. Teak is the best wood for sides or floor boards. Poles or shafts, if of wood, might be well supported by iron plates and bolts.

5. The cart, therefore, with the possible but undesirable exceptions noted above, must be entirely made of metal or of combinations of metals. As the effects of rough handling and jolting on loose joints and fittings, and bad workmanship generally, combined with the difficulty of making efficient and timely repairs, are the main causes of carts breaking down, machine boring and turning with perfect fit and interchangeability of parts is absolutely indispensable, so that every broken part in any cart could be immediately replaced by a similar part without shaping, fitting or skilled labour whatever. Every designer should specify the standard of accuracy, $\frac{1}{64}$, $\frac{1}{32}$, $\frac{1}{16}$, inch, &c., he could guarantee in interchangeable parts. The effect upon the prime cost due to guaranteeing such different classes of workmanship should be fully specified.

6. Whilst no restrictions are placed upon the use of any metals whatever, designers are warned that whereas mild steel, wrought, cast, and malleable cast iron, copper and brass are familiar to native workmen, these materials are more suitable than special qualities of steel, phosphorous, and Uchatius bronze, &c., in such parts as tyres, forgings, boxes, &c., which it may require specially skilled labour to manipulate without injury from overheating or burning.

7. As the merits of a design will be largely judged from its prime cost, competitors will consider how far light and strong but possibly very expensive metals should be used in place of commoner material, having especial regard to the importance in the matter of durability of the cart itself not being unduly light with reference to the load it has to carry. In this connection 656 English pounds as a maximum, and 492 lb. as a minimum, are indicated as generally suitable limits of weight for an empty cart. This remark, however, in no sense need restrict designers' ingenuity in devising a lighter cart if of sufficient strength.

8. The cart to have only two wheels to be provided with a brake or drag and to be drawn by two mules. The standard load to be carried is fixed at 656 lb. (six hundred and fifty-six English pounds). The pole system of harnessing suspended from a curricle bar, and adaptable to mules varying from 13·1 to 13·3 hands in height, or from 40 to 42 English inches at the withers, is preferred to the system of shafts and collar-bars, which is not, however, excluded. The mules to be led by a man on foot, a driving seat being inadmissible. No kind of overhead covering is necessary. Laden carts will practically never be driven faster on level ground than at four miles an hour.

9. Meshes are allowable in the floor and sides of the cart, which need not be closed throughout, whilst the sides may be left open at both ends or merely closed by a chain, the smallest size of package to be provided for in the mesh is 20″ by 7″ by 8″. The most convenient height of cart-floor for the loading of military stores is from 2′ 9″ to 3′ 3″, according to the size of wheel. For meshes in the floor and sides hoop-iron, diagonally bracing the cart, has been found suitable.

10. As a guide to dimensions convenient for army purposes, but which need not, however, be necessarily adhered to, an extreme width of 4′ 6″ over tyres of wheels, and outside diameter of wheel of from 4 to 5 feet and a width of tyre of from 2½ to 3 inches is suggested. For clear room for packing in the body of the cart the cubic space averaged by 5′ 6″ in length, 3′ 3″ in width, and 1′ 9″ in height would be generally suitable. Although the army cart now in use, which is chiefly made of wood, is a very unsatisfactory one, it may be useful to competitors to know that its average cost and its weight when empty is Rs. 190 (one hundred and ninety) and 615 (six hundred and fifteen) English lb., respectively.

11. Although it is not debarred, the easing of the draught by springs and by bent axles providing for higher wheels is not, in the interests of simplicity, generally recommended. Where springs are proposed, the alternative cost of a similar cart without springs might with advantage be given. The solidity, which under rough handling is scarcely attainable without sufficient weight and mass in the cart itself, should not be sacrificed to lightness and appearance. For similar reasons spider wheels, as being further too narrow in the tyre for sandy soil, are not recommended.

12. A grease box, spanner, hammer, and such small stores as may be necessary, have to be suitably provided for and carried on the cart. The proposed lubricant should be mentioned. Where washers, linch-pins, bolts, &c., are liable to shake out and be lost, they must be attached to the vehicle. As carts will often be loaded in railway trains by night, special importance attaches to ease and rapidity in dismantling and re-erecting of the carts, and to facilities for the compact railway packing of constituent parts. This would indicate the use of removable poles or shafts. Great stress will be laid upon facilities for tightening up parts on the march, and for replacing tyres, spokes, &c., with ease and rapidity and without skilled labour.

The models, the proper handling of which, if at all complicated, should be duly explained, will be expected to most fully illustrate the facilities for interchangeability, and for repairing, tightening, and replacing different parts.

13. Each design and model, in addition to the fullest specification, description and estimate of cost, including that of two coats of best red lead as priming, and one of specified finishing paint should, besides giving the total weight, be accompanied by a measurement book showing by calculation the weight and cost of each constituent interchangeable part. This will enable the jury to check the estimate, and to decide upon relative merits with reference to the cost of providing certain numbers of spare interchangeable parts, such as wheels, axles, poles, &c., on different systems, to replace breakages with each organized unit of cart transport. Bolts, nuts and screws to be of standard English pattern, Whitworth or others.

14. Each designer will state in describing his cart whether he is willing to enter into a contract for its supply, and, if so, within what time and at what cost he is prepared to furnish a single specimen cart, 12 carts, 100 carts, or from 500 to 2,000 carts, free on board in London, or delivered in Calcutta, Bombay or Allahabad.

15. Each specification, drawing and model must be prominently marked by a motto or device, and be accompanied by a sealed cover to be opened after the award of the premia, and to contain the full name and address of the competitor. Successful competitors will be directly notified of their success by letter, and on the premia being awarded, the names and addresses of the successful competitors, and the devices or mottoes on all the unsuccessful designs received, will be duly notified in four successive weekly issues of the official *London Gazette* and *Gazette of India*. All designs and models will remain unconditionally the property of the Government of India, which will obtain the full right to manufacture carts wholly or partially after one or all of the patterns proposed.

16. All specifications, descriptions, letters, &c., must be written on foolscap paper. No drawing will be accepted except on sheets of strong tracing cloth, of a uniform size of 24 inches by 18 inches. General drawings to be on a scale of 1 (one) inch to the foot, and drawings of details on 2½ (two-and-a-half) inches to the foot. Models, which must be thoroughly working models, are to be made on the scale of 2½ (two-and-a-half) inches to the foot. All the letters, documents, tracings, drawings and models appertaining to any one design to be securely packed, and sent post paid by overland parcel post in a solid cover and in a box addressed to—

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Military Department,
Calcutta,
India.

Different letters and boxes belonging to the same competitor should be clearly marked "Cart competition," with the designer's distinctive motto or device on the upper left hand corner, so as to prevent confusion and mistakes.

17. The English language, although not obligatory, as German and French may be used, will necessarily have an advantage in the competition. English measures, weights and prices are alone admissible in the specifications, drawings and models.

18. The strictest adherence to the details laid down as above for the conditions of the competition is earnestly invited.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

N.B.—All future enquiries from intending competitors in India *should* be addressed to the Quarter Master General in India.

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, 24th January 1893.

FUNDS.

No. 36.—MEDICAL—

It is hereby notified that the three large annuities and one small annuity allotted from the Madras Medical Fund on the 1st January 1893 have not been taken up by subscribers.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 37.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. Stokoe, General List, Infantry, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates, St. Thomas' Mount and Pallavaram, is granted privilege leave for one month from the 16th February 1893,—M.R.Ry M. Venketaprasath Tewari, Head Assistant, Office of Superintendent of Pensions, Madras, performing the duties of the appointment on Lieutenant-Colonel Stokoe's responsibility.

No. 38.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Tomkins, C.I.E., Royal Engineers. { Arrived at Bombay on the 14th January 1893.

No. 39.—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. W. E. Georges, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—16th year, commenced 19th March 1892.

Captain C. H. Roe, Royal Engineers, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, for one year Pension service,—9th year, commenced 15th February 1892

No. 40.—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. H. B. Clark, Indian Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 23rd March 1892.

No. 41.—The undermentioned Warrant Officers are 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 A. Cheverton, Ordnance Department, Madras, for one year.
Sub-Conductor E. Pluckrose, Barrack Department, Madras, for one year.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 42.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th January 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 31.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 11th January 1893.

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Bowes Thorpe Montague Gompertz.

No. 43.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th January 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS.

No. 35.—It is notified that, on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer good service pensions on the undermentioned officers, with effect from the dates specified :—

I.—In place of Colonel F. J. Keen, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, who succeeded to the Colonel's allowance on the 4th August 1892 :

COLONEL ARTHUR POWER PALMER, C.B., INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Dates of Commissions.

Ensign	20th February 1857.
Lieutenant	30th April 1858.
Captain	20th February 1869.
Major	20th February 1877.
Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel	22nd November 1879.
Lieutenant-Colonel	20th February 1883.
Colonel in the Army	22nd November 1883.

Appointments.

Regimental duty,—37th and 5th Bengal Native Infantry, April to August 1857.
Attached to a Native Battery of Artillery, 1857–58.
In command of a Sikh Levy, March to June 1858.
Regimental duty,—Hodson's Horse, as Adjutant and Officiating 2nd-in-Command, 1858–60.
Regimental duty,—With the 5th Bengal European Regiment, 12th Irregular Cavalry, and other Corps, 1860–62.
Regimental duty,—10th Bengal Lancers, as Adjutant, 1862–69.
Regimental duty,—9th Bengal Cavalry, as Squadron Commander, 1869–72.
Brigade-Major, Multán, Umballa, and Daphla Field Force, 1872–76.
On special duty (under the Foreign Department) in Achin, 1876-77.
Regimental duty,—9th Bengal Cavalry, as Squadron Commander and Officiating 2nd-in-Command, 1877-78.
Superintendent, Transport Department, Kurram Valley, 1878-79.
Regimental duty,—9th Bengal Cavalry, as Officiating Commandant, June to September 1879.
Road Commandant, Kurram Valley, 1879-80.
Assistant Adjutant-General, Kurram Force, April to October 1880.
Assistant Adjutant-General, Meerut and Allahabad, 1880–85.
Regimental duty,—9th Bengal Cavalry, as Commandant, 1885–88.
Colonel on the Staff, Faizabad and Sialkot, 1888–92.
Commanding the Myingyan District, with the rank of Brigadier-General, 1892.

War Services.

India, 1857–59.—Campaign in Oudh, including the action of Nawabganj and several minor affairs (slightly wounded).—(Mentioned in Despatches: medal.)
North-West Frontier, 1863-64.—Action with the Mohmands at Shabkadar.—(India medal and clasp.)
Abyssinia, 1868.—(Medal.)
North-East Frontier, 1874-75.—Expedition against the Daphlas.—(Mentioned in Despatches.)
Achin, 1876-77.—On special duty under the Foreign Department, attached to the Dutch forces in the field.—(Mentioned in the Dutch General's Despatches: medal and two clasps.)
Afghanistan, 1878–80.—Forcing of the Peiwar Kotal (in command of Turi Levies) and expedition into the Khost Valley.—(Mentioned in Despatches: Brevet of Lieutenant-Colonel: medal and clasp).
Soudan, 1885.—Operations at Suakin.—(Mentioned in Despatches: medal and clasp: C.B.)

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No. 44.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 13th January 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 41.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Mr. Henry Hoyne-Fox to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Elrington.

No. 42.—*Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps*—

Mr. Herbert Cecil Vincent Sage to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Anderson, resigned.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 44.—*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles*—

Lieutenant A. D. Anthony resigns his commission.

No. 45.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 14th January 1893, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 10th January 1893.

No. 109-*I.*—Captain H. V. Cox, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 21st Madras Infantry, is appointed to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, Imperial Service Troops, with effect from the 5th September 1892.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 46.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 27th December 1892, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 27th December 1892.

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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 —

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G. Moberly, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals. Dated 10th December 1892 :—

William Osborn.

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The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 10th December 1892 :—

* * * * *

Charles Cherry Minchin.

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David Shaw.
Rowland Farrer.

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Douglas Standen.

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William Henry Greenwell Palmer.
William Hands.

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Thomas Trevor Turton.
Arthur Matcham Davies.

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The undermentioned Colonels to be Major-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 10th December 1892 :—

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Nowell Swanston.

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Henry Annesley Justice.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 47.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Lancers.

Jemadar Rahman Khan to be Subadar ... ... } Dated 11th December 1892.
Regimental Havildar-Major, No. 1489, Muhammad Beg to be Jemadar.

24th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 951, S. David to be Jemadar ... ... Dated 16th October 1892.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 48.—OFFICERS—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 14 of 1893, the services of the undermentioned Officers are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Lieutenant A. G. W. Moore, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant M. G. Young, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 49.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Colonel R. E. Cox, General List, Infantry, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel H. F. H. Sewell, vacated. Dated 20th January 1893.

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Volunteer Charles Herbert Parker to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 50.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Second Lieutenant M. A. Clementson is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1893.

The following instructions are published for general information, in continuation of the notification that appeared on page 1518, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 29th November 1892 :—

Instructions for competitors submitting designs and models for a two-mule army service cart.

1. The premia offered are for the preparation of such drawings and models showing details to scale, and of such specifications as shall enable the jury to form an accurate judgment of the merits of the different cart designs proposed. On the selection of the six best designs and models, a full-sized specimen cart of each will be constructed under the orders of the Government of India; and after trial, the prizes detailed in the notice of international competition will be awarded.

2. Such a design would, *ipso facto*, have a great advantage, as would admit of the cart proposed being selected by the jury, and without further reference being readily constructed by the ordinary agency of the Government of India. In other words, credit will *pro tanto* be given for a simple design, only requiring such material, plant, and workmanship as are available in a well-fitted Government arsenal.

3. Where, however, the designer foregoes the above advantage and proposes the use of materials, plant, and workmanship only to be obtained by special agency or in special localities, he must clearly indicate the arrangements under which the proposed cart could best be constructed. Whilst the necessity for special arrangements will in no way debar a design from a premium, any proposals tending to a monopoly will in themselves be considered a disadvantage.

4. The object sought is a design for a military transport cart for a mountainous country with absolutely no local resources in the way of skilled labour or constructive material. The few existing unmetalled roads are steep, narrow, and rough. Carts would further be largely employed on unbridged and unmetalled tracks newly opened along hill sides and stony river beds to meet the exigencies of military operations. The roughest handling is unavoidable. With abnormally dry air, scorching sun, freezing wind, and a temperature varying from 185° above to 15° below zero (of Fahrenheit), the consequent shrinking and warping of wood, however well it may be seasoned, absolutely debars the use of that material except, perhaps, in the poles or shafts, floor boards, and sides. Further, the use of wood, even in such secondary parts, is objectionable, as it is liable to be stolen and burnt as fuel. Teak is the best wood for sides or floor boards. Poles or shafts, if of wood, might be well supported by iron plates and bolts.

5. The cart, therefore, with the possible but undesirable exceptions noted above, must be entirely made of metal or of combinations of metals. As the effects of rough handling and jolting on loose joints and fittings, and bad workmanship generally, combined with the difficulty of making efficient and timely repairs, are the main causes of carts breaking down,

machine boring and turning with perfect fit and interchangeability of parts is absolutely indispensable, so that every broken part in any cart could be immediately replaced by a similar part without shaping, fitting or skilled labour whatever. Every designer should specify the standard of accuracy, $\frac{1}{64}$, $\frac{1}{32}$, $\frac{1}{16}$, inch, &c., he could guarantee in interchangeable parts. The effect upon the prime cost due to guaranteeing such different classes of workmanship should be fully specified.

6. Whilst no restrictions are placed upon the use of any metals whatever, designers are warned that whereas mild steel, wrought, cast, and malleable cast iron, copper and brass are familiar to native workmen, these materials are more suitable than special qualities of steel, phosphorous, and Uchatius bronze, &c., in such parts as tyres, forgings, boxes, &c., which it may require specially skilled labour to manipulate without injury from overheating or burning.

7. As the merits of a design will be largely judged from its prime cost, competitors will consider how far light and strong but possibly very expensive metals should be used in place of commoner material, having especial regard to the importance in the matter of durability of the cart itself not being unduly light with reference to the load it has to carry. In this connection 656 English pounds as a maximum, and 492 lb. as a minimum, are indicated as generally suitable limits of weight for an empty cart. This remark, however, in no sense need restrict designers' ingenuity in devising a lighter cart if of sufficient strength.

8. The cart to have only two wheels to be provided with a brake or drag and to be drawn by two mules. The standard load to be carried is fixed at 656 lb. (six hundred and fifty-six English pounds). The pole system of harnessing suspended from a curricle bar, and adaptable to mules varying from 13·1 to 13·3 hands in height, or from 40 to 42 English inches at the withers, is preferred to the system of shafts and collar-bars, which is not, however, excluded. The mules to be led by a man on foot, a driving seat being inadmissible. No kind of overhead covering is necessary. Laden carts will practically never be driven faster on level ground than at four miles an hour.

9. Meshes are allowable in the floor and sides of the cart, which need not be closed throughout, whilst the sides may be left open at both ends or merely closed by a chain, the smallest size of package to be provided for in the mesh is 20″ by 7″ by 8″. The most convenient height of cart-floor for the loading of military stores is from 2′ 9″ to 3′ 3″, according to the size of wheel. For meshes in the floor and sides hoop-iron, diagonally bracing the cart, has been found suitable.

10. As a guide to dimensions convenient for army purposes, but which need not, however, be necessarily adhered to, an extreme width of 4′ 6″ over tyres of wheels, and outside diameter of wheel of from 4 to 5 feet and a width of tyre of from 2½ to 3 inches is suggested. For clear room for packing in the body of the cart the cubic space averaged by 5′ 6″ in length, 3′ 3″ in width, and 1′ 9″ in height would be generally suitable. Although the army cart now in use, which is chiefly made of wood, is a very unsatisfactory one, it may be useful to competitors to know that its average cost and its weight when empty is Rs. 190 (one hundred and ninety) and 615 (six hundred and fifteen) English lb., respectively.

11. Although it is not debarred, the easing of the draught by springs and by bent axles providing for higher wheels is not, in the interests of simplicity, generally recommended. Where springs are proposed, the alternative cost of a similar cart without springs might with advantage be given. The solidity, which under rough handling is scarcely attainable without sufficient weight and mass in the cart itself, should not be sacrificed to lightness and appearance. For similar reasons spider wheels, as being further too narrow in the tyre for sandy soil, are not recommended.

12. A grease box, spanner, hammer, and such small stores as may be necessary, have to be suitably provided for and carried on the cart. The proposed lubricant should be mentioned. Where washers, linch-pins, bolts, &c., are liable to shake out and be lost, they must be attached to the vehicle. As carts will often be loaded in railway trains by night, special importance attaches to ease and rapidity in dismantling and re-erecting of the carts, and to facilities for the compact railway packing of constituent parts. This would indicate the use of removable poles or shafts. Great stress will be laid upon facilities for tightening up parts on the march, and for replacing tyres, spokes, &c., with ease and rapidity and without skilled labour.

The models, the proper handling of which, if at all complicated, should be duly explained, will be expected to most fully illustrate the facilities for interchangeability, and for repairing, tightening, and replacing different parts.

13. Each design and model, in addition to the fullest specification, description and estimate of cost, including that of two coats of best red lead as priming, and one of specified finishing paint should, besides giving the total weight, be accompanied by a measurement book showing by calculation the weight and cost of each constituent interchangeable part. This will enable the jury to check the estimate, and to decide upon relative merits with reference to the cost of providing certain numbers of spare interchangeable parts, such as wheels, axles, poles, &c., on different systems, to replace breakages with each organized unit of cart transport. Bolts, nuts and screws to be of standard English pattern, Whitworth or others.

14. Each designer will state in describing his cart whether he is willing to enter into a contract for its supply, and, if so, within what time and at what cost he is prepared to furnish a single specimen cart, 12 carts, 100 carts, or from 500 to 2,000 carts, free on board in London, or delivered in Calcutta, Bombay or Allahabad.

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(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

N.B.—All future enquiries from intending competitors in India *should* be addressed to the Quarter Master General in India.

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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, 31*st January* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 51.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel G. A. Strover, Indian Staff Corps, Commissioner, Pegu Division (p.a.), for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain G. N. Caulfeild, Indian Staff Corps, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry (p.a.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 52.—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. Shaw, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Judge Advocate-General, Third Circle, for one year. Pension service, – 36th year, commenced 11th December 1892.

Surgeon-Major C. H. Bennett, M.D., Indian Medical Service, 20th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—16th year, commenced 30th December 1892. (So much of G.O.G. No. 641 of 1892 as refers to this officer is cancelled.)

No. 53.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain N. A. K. Burne, Indian Staff Corps.
Honorary Lieutenant C. McCarthy, Ordnance Department, Madras.

No. 54.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Sub-Conductor T. Stone, Barrack Department, Madras, 2 months, m.c.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 55.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 2nd January 1893, is republished :—

India Office, 2*nd January* 1893.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire :—

* * * *

To be Companions.

* * * * *

Colonel Kenneth James Loch Mackenzie, Indian Staff Corps, Commissioner of Berar.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 56.—NATIVE ARMY—

3rd Madras Lancers.

Havildar, No. 313, Saiyid Nathar to be Jemadar .. Dated 21st July 1892.

23rd Regiment, Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Jemadar Habib Khan to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 9th November 1892.
Havildar, No. 1310, Sooreej Bahn Sing to be Jemadar .. }

33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Nihal Singh to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 1st December 1892.
Havildar, No. 19, Mangal Singh to be Jemadar .. }

No. 57.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—

To be Sub-Conductor.

Sergeant Samuel Ainley, with effect from the 24th December 1892, *vice* Sub-Conductor D. Mackintosh, pensioned.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 58.—Colonel Shelley Leigh-Hunt, Indian Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, from the 1st January 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 59.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary Henry Foster, Ordnance Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of Rs. 240 per mensem, with effect from the 28th January 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 60.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant S. A. Pearse, Indian Staff Corps, 17th Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Political Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 61.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Second Lieutenant H. B. Bryant 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, 31*st January* 1893.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Warrant Officer on the date specified was received in the Military (Estate) Department on the 30th January 1893:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
Public Works Department.	Conductor William Cames ..	20th January 1893..	Madras ..	....

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George, 17*th January* 1893.

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5. The cart, therefore, with the possible but undesirable exceptions noted above, must be entirely made of metal or of combinations of metals. As the effects of rough handling and jolting on loose joints and fittings, and bad workmanship generally, combined with the difficulty of making efficient and timely repairs, are the main causes of carts breaking down, machine boring and turning with perfect fit and interchangeability of parts is absolutely indispensable, so that every broken part in any cart could be immediately replaced by a similar part without shaping, fitting or skilled labour whatever. Every designer should specify the standard of accuracy, $\frac{1}{64}$, $\frac{1}{32}$, $\frac{1}{16}$, inch, &c., he could guarantee in interchangeable parts. The effect upon the prime cost due to guaranteeing such different classes of workmanship should be fully specified.

6. Whilst no restrictions are placed upon the use of any metals whatever, designers are warned that whereas mild steel, wrought, cast, and malleable cast iron, copper and brass are familiar to native workmen, these materials are more suitable than special qualities of steel, phosphorous, and Uchatius bronze, &c., in such parts as tyres, forgings, boxes, &c., which it may require specially skilled labour to manipulate without injury from overheating or burning.

7. As the merits of a design will be largely judged from its prime cost, competitors will consider how far light and strong but possibly very expensive metals should be used in place of commoner material, having especial regard to the importance in the matter of durability of the cart itself not being unduly light with reference to the load it has to carry. In this connection 656 English pounds as a maximum, and 492 lb. as a minimum, are indicated as generally suitable limits of weight for an empty cart. This remark, however, in no sense need restrict designers' ingenuity in devising a lighter cart if of sufficient strength.

8. The cart to have only two wheels to be provided with a brake or drag and to be drawn by two mules. The standard load to be carried is fixed at 656 lb. (six hundred and fifty-six English pounds). The pole system of harnessing suspended from a curricle bar, and adaptable to mules varying from 13·1 to 13·3 hands in height, or from 40 to 42 English inches at the withers, is preferred to the system of shafts and collar-bars, which is not, however, excluded. The mules to be led by a man on foot, a driving seat being inadmissible. No kind of overhead covering is necessary. Laden carts will practically never be driven faster on level ground than at four miles an hour.

9. Meshes are allowable in the floor and sides of the cart, which need not be closed throughout, whilst the sides may be left open at both ends or merely closed by a chain, the smallest size of package to be provided for in the mesh is 20″ by 7″ by 8″. The most convenient height of cart-floor for the loading of military stores is from 2′ 9″ to 3′ 3″, according to the size of wheel. For meshes in the floor and sides hoop-iron, diagonally bracing the cart, has been found suitable.

10. As a guide to dimensions convenient for army purposes, but which need not, however, be necessarily adhered to, an extreme width of 4′ 6″ over tyres of wheels, and outside diameter of wheel of from 4 to 5 feet and a width of tyre of from 2½ to 3 inches is suggested. For clear room for packing in the body of the cart the cubic space averaged by 5′ 6″ in length, 3′ 3″ in width, and 1′ 9″ in height would be generally suitable. Although the army cart now in use, which is chiefly made of wood, is a very unsatisfactory one, it may be useful to competitors to know that its average cost and its weight when empty is Rs. 190 (one hundred and ninety) and 615 (six hundred and fifteen) English lb., respectively.

11. Although it is not debarred, the easing of the draught by springs and by bent axles providing for higher wheels is not, in the interests of simplicity, generally recommended. Where springs are proposed, the alternative cost of a similar cart without springs might with advantage be given. The solidity, which under rough handling is scarcely attainable without

sufficient weight and mass in the cart itself, should not be sacrificed to lightness and appearance. For similar reasons spider wheels, as being further too narrow in the tyre for sandy soil, are not recommended.

12. A grease box, spanner, hammer, and such small stores as may be necessary, have to be suitably provided for and carried on the cart. The proposed lubricant should be mentioned. Where washers, linch-pins, bolts, &c., are liable to shake out and be lost, they must be attached to the vehicle. As carts will often be loaded in railway trains by night, special importance attaches to ease and rapidity in dismantling and re-erecting of the carts, and to facilities for the compact railway packing of constituent parts. This would indicate the use of removable poles or shafts. Great stress will be laid upon facilities for tightening up parts on the march, and for replacing tyres, spokes, &c., with ease and rapidity and without killed labour.

The models, the proper handling of which, if at all complicated, should be duly explained, will be expected to most fully illustrate the facilities for interchangeability, and for repairing, tightening, and replacing different parts.

13. Each design and model, in addition to the fullest specification, description and estimate of cost, including that of two coats of best red lead as priming, and one of specified finishing paint should, besides giving the total weight, be accompanied by a measurement book showing by calculation the weight and cost of each constituent interchangeable part. This will enable the jury to check the estimate, and to decide upon relative merits with reference to the cost of providing certain numbers of spare interchangeable parts, such as wheels, axles, poles, &c., on different systems, to replace breakages with each organized unit of cart transport. Bolts, nuts and screws to be of standard English pattern, Whitworth or others.

14. Each designer will state in describing his cart whether he is willing to enter into a contract for its supply, and, if so, within what time and at what cost he is prepared to furnish a single specimen cart, 12 carts, 100 carts, or from 500 to 2,000 carts, free on board in London, or delivered in Calcutta, Bombay or Allahabad.

15. Each specification, drawing and model must be prominently marked by a motto or device, and be accompanied by a sealed cover to be opened after the award of the premia, and to contain the full name and address of the competitor. Successful competitors will be directly notified of their success by letter, and on the premia being awarded, the names and addresses of the successful competitors, and the devices or mottoes on all the unsuccessful designs received, will be duly notified in four successive weekly issues of the official *London Gazette* and *Gazette of India*. All designs and models will remain unconditionally the property of the Government of India, which will obtain the full right to manufacture carts wholly or partially after one or all of the patterns proposed.

16. All specifications, descriptions, letters, &c., must be written on foolscap paper. No drawing will be accepted except on sheets of strong tracing cloth, of a uniform size of 24 inches by 18 inches. General drawings to be on a scale of 1 (one) inch to the foot, and drawings of details on 2½ (two-and-a-half) inches to the foot. Models, which must be thoroughly working models, are to be made on the scale of 2½ (two-and-a-half) inches to the foot. All the letters, documents, tracings, drawings and models appertaining to any one design to be securely packed, and sent post paid by overland parcel post in a solid cover and in a box addressed to—

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Military Department,
Calcutta,
India.

Different letters and boxes belonging to the same competitor should be clearly marked "Cart competition," with the designer's distinctive motto or device on the upper left hand corner, so as to prevent confusion and mistakes.

17. The English language, although not obligatory, as German and French may be used, will necessarily have an advantage in the competition. English measures, weights and prices are alone admissible in the specifications, drawings and models.

18. The strictest adherence to the details laid down as above for the conditions of the competition is earnestly invited.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

N.B.—All future enquiries from intending competitors in India *should* be addressed to the Quarter Master General in India.

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

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

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Fort St. George, 7th February 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 62.—District Staff—

Major C. M. T. Western, Royal Artillery, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Major M. W. Saunders, who has completed his tenure of appointment Dated 25th January 1893.

Captain H. Finn, 21st Hussars, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Major C. M. T. Western, promoted. Dated 25th January 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

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

Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, C.B., General List, Infantry.
Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. C. H. Spencer, Indian Medical Service.
Lieutenant E. Wintour, Indian Staff Corps.
Honorary Lieutenant G. W. Mills, Commissariat Department, Madras.

No. 64.—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, 6 months, m.c.
Lieutenant F. H. S. Thomas, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 65.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain A. B. Murray, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry. } Rejoined his appointment on the 30th December 1892.

Surgeon-Major J. L. VanGeyzel, Indian Medical Service. } Arrived at Madras on the 2nd October 1892.

No. 66.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to England under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps to appear before a Medical Board :—

Captain E. E. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers. Pension service,—18th year, commenced 11th February 1892.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 67.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th January 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 93.—*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles*—

Second Lieutenant Allan Stopford Fleming to be Lieutenant, *vice* Anthony, resigned.
Mr. Percy Earle Raven to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Fleming, promoted.
Mr. David Michael Litster to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 68.—Native Army—

14th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdur Rahman to be Subadar .. .. Dated 5th December 1892.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 69.—APPOINTMENTS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Volunteer Percy Bingham Arbuthnot to be Captain, *vice* Captain R. T. Gibbs, resigned.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. John Gerald Ferguson to be Second Lieutenant.

(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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Fort St. George, 14*th February* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 70.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel C. J. O. Chambers, Indian Staff Corps (p.a.), for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 6th April 1893.

Colonel W. G. Cumming, Royal (late Indian) Engineers, Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Public Works Department, Burma (p.a.), for one year and four days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 3rd April 1893.

No. 71.—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 D. G. L. Shaw, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Punjab Cavalry, for one year. Pension service,—14th year, commenced 21st June 1892.

No. 72.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Veterinary Lieutenant-Colonel F. G. Shaw, Indian Veterinary Department.	Arrived at Madras on the 1st February 1893.
Captain D. W. Purdon, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, Officiating 2nd-in-Command, 6th Regiment, Hyderabad Contingent.	Rejoined his appointment on the 31st October 1892.
Surgeon-Captain T. C. Moore, Indian Medical Service ..	Rejoined his appointment at Madras on the 27th January 1893.

No. 73.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain J. S. G. Manera, Indian Staff Corps.
Captain R. K. Teversham, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. H. W. Mercer, Indian Staff Corps.
Conductor G. Hallet, Ordnance Department, Madras.

No. 74.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant W. R. Stone, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 75.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd February 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 108.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 28th January 1893.

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Ernest William Stuart King Maconchy, D.S.O.
Hugh Neufville Taylor.

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John Thornhill.
Arthur Robert Denne.

No. 76.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 3rd February 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 115.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Mr. John Simeon to be Captain, to complete the establishment.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 117.—*Rangoon Naval Volunteers*—

Sub-Lieutenant Peter Henry Moore to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 77.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 13th January 1893, is republished :—

India Office, 13*th January* 1893.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

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Dated 9th November 1892.

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Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Stewart Erskine Rolland.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Shelley Leigh-Hunt. Dated 1st January 1893.

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The following appointments have been made to the Staff on the Madras Establishment :—

Captain H. T. King, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, *vice* Major W. H. Riddell, who has vacated the appointment. Dated 1st November 1892.

Captain T. A. H. Davies, Devonshire Regiment, to be a Station Staff Officer, First Class, *vice* Captain J. L. Armitage, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 20th October 1892.

The following appointment has been made to the Personal Staff of the Governor of Madras :—

Lieutenant Lord D. J. C. Compton, 9th Lancers, to be Aide-de-Camp. Dated 16th November 1892.

ERRATA.

The names of the undermentioned Officers, whose promotions were notified in the *London Gazette* of the 16th December 1892, are as follows, and not as stated in that Gazette :—

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Henry FitzLawrence Plunkett French Esmonde-White.

PENSIONS.

No. 78.—Conductor E. W. Bennett, Public Works Department, is transferred to the pension establishment on a pension of Rs. 100 per mensem, with effect from the 3rd January 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 79.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain A. H. Kellie, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Political Department with effect from the 13th April 1893.

No. 80.—The services of Surgeon-Major W. G. King, Indian Medical Service, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 81.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

The Revd. Arthur Acheson Williams, M.A., to be Honorary Chaplain, *vice* the Revd. John Black, who rejoins his appointment of Honorary Chaplain, Madras Volunteer Guards.

No. 82.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain A. D. Adams, out of India, for one year, from 20th March 1893.

No. 83.—PROMOTIONS—

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Lieutenant A. F. Clifford to be Captain, *vice* Captain D. T. Brett, resigned.

No. 84.—RESIGNATIONS—

Bellary Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant J. C. Cobbe (Unattached List) is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Captain D. T. Brett 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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Fort St. George, 21*st February* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 85.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps :—

Colonel D. McNeill, Indian Staff Corps, on vacation of Civil appointment on the 29th January 1893.

No. 86.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Colonel C. Sibthorpe, Indian Medical Service.
Lieutenant R. H. Dewing, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 87.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel H. J. Hazlett, Indian Medical Service. } Arrived at Bombay on the 12th February 1893.

No. 88.—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 R. Stokoe, General List, Infantry (p.a.), for one year. Pension service,—31st year, commenced 25th March 1892.

Captain J. H. Smith, Indian Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate, St. Thomas' Mount, for one year. Pension service,—14th year, commenced 13th August 1892.

No. 89.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. E. Johnson, M.D., Indian Medical Service, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners (u.p.a.) for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain R. G. Iremonger, Indian Staff Corps, 33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry (m.c.), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 90.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel L. Beech, Indian Medical Service, 3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Walker, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.
Captain G. V. Burrows, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.
Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 91.—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 J. S Dallas, Indian Staff Corps, attached 19th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 9th May 1892.

No. 92.—Sub-Conductor R. W. Ward, Public Works Department, is granted leave in India (p.a.), for ten months, with effect from the 12th April 1893, pending retirement, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 93.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th January 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 51.—Lieutenant Donald Ogilvy Morris, Royal Artillery, Officiating Wing Officer, 5th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, from the 19th October 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 94.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 10th February 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 125.—Lieutenant Malcolm Graeme Young, Liverpool Regiment, Wing Officer, 24th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 5th August 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 127.—The undermentioned officers, appointed to the Unattached List of the British Army for service in the Indian Staff Corps, are posted as follows, with effect from the dates of their arrival in India :—

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Madras.

Second Lieutenant J. S. Bogle.

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No. 95.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th February 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 135.—Captain H. V. Biggs, Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Military Works Department, is granted an extension of furlough out of India (p.a.) till the 29th November 1892.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 96.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 2nd, 20th, 24th and 31st January 1893, are republished :—

India Office, 2nd January 1893.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire :—

* * * * *

To be Companions.

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Colonel William Gordon Cumming, R.E., Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Burma.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 20th January 1893.

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INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned Officers are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st January 1893 :—

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Major-General Robert Beatty, Madras Infantry.
Major-General George Wynne Cole, Madras Infantry.
Major-General Henry Hamer C. G. Warrington, Madras Infantry.
Major-General Francis Goring Rideout, Madras Infantry.

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The undermentioned Colonels to be Major-Generals. Dated 1st January 1893 :—

David Walter Williams, Madras Infantry.
James Cavan Berkeley, C.I.E., Madras Infantry.

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Francis H Tyrrell, Madras Infantry.
Josias Gordon Cloeté, Madras Infantry.

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The undermentioned Major-Generals to be Lieutenant-Generals on the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st January 1893 :—

Alexander Gordon Duff, Madras Infantry.

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William H. A. Butler, Madras Infantry.
George Alexander Arbuthnot, Madras Cavalry.

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Sussex William Lennox, Madras Infantry.

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The undermentioned Major-Generals are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st January 1893 :—

James Cavan Berkeley, C.I.E., Madras Infantry.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 24th January 1893.

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Hann, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st July 1892.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Officers are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List Dated 10th December 1892 :—

Lieutenant-General Clement John Smith.
Lieutenant-General Edward Lewis Hankin.

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War Office, 31st January 1893.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Distinguished Service Order, and promotions in the Army, in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during the recent operations in Burma and the Chin Hills :—

To be Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, viz. :—

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BREVET.

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To be Major.

Captain George Borlase Stevens, Indian Staff Corps.

The Brevet promotions to bear date of 5th October 1892.

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PENSIONS.

No. 97.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The undermentioned Apothecaries are transferred to the Pension establishment, with effect from the date following that on which this order is received at the stations where they are respectively serving :—

First-grade Apothecary P. J. Falconer, on a pension of Rs. 100 per mensem.
Second-grade Apothecary Muhammad Zahur on a pension of Rs. 85 per mensem.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 98.—NATIVE ARMY—

11th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 682, Audinaroydoo to be Jemadar .. Dated 22nd December 1892.

17th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Subadar Muhammad Husain to be Subadar-Major ..
Jemadar Bizanouth to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 26th January 1893.
Havildar, No. 2899, Seevaseethumbrum to be Jemadar ..

RETIREMENTS.

No. 99.—In G.O.G. No. 59 of 1893, notifying the retirement of Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary H. Foster, Ordnance Department, Madras, *for* "Rs. 240 per mensem" *read* "£216 per annum."

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 100.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon-Major A. J. Sturmer, Indian Medical Service, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 101.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Second Lieutenant F. L. Sharp, out of India, for one year, from the 28th February 1893.

(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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Fort St. George, 28th February 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 102.—Native Army—

10th Regiment (*1st Burma Rifles*), *Madras Infantry.*

Jemadar Partiman Thapa, who was appointed on probation in G.O.G. No. 77 of 1891, is confirmed in that rank, with effect from the 21st October 1890.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 103.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (*vid* Japan) 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 H. M. Dale, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), for one year. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 25th February 1893.

No. 104.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Major C. M. Thompson, M.B., Indian Medical Service.	Arrived at Bombay on the 14th January 1893.
Captain J. S. G. Manera, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd-in-Command, 7th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 15th February 1893.
Lieutenant G. W. Johnson, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Punjab Cavalry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 20th January 1893.

No. 105.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant T. S. Young, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, M.C.

No. 106.—Lieutenant J. W. H. Lyon, Leicestershire Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England (M.C.), under paragraph 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II. Pension service,—4th year, commenced 6th July 1892.

No. 107.—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 S. Geoghegan, Indian Staff Corps, 31st Regiment (6th Burma Battalion), Madras Light Infantry, for nine months. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 14th November 1892.

Lieutenant H. E. C. B. Nepean, Indian Staff Corps, 5th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 21st January 1893.

Lieutenant E. R. Foord, Indian Staff Corps, 23rd Madras Light Infantry, for nine months. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 11th February 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 108.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 17th February 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Commissariat-Transport Department.

No. 156.—Lieutenant R. M. Bell, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 16th March 1891.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 157.—*1st Infantry*—

Captain W. H. Lewin, Wing Officer, 2nd Infantry, and Officiating Wing Commander, 1st Infantry, to be Wing Commander, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Whittall, seconded, for service on the staff. Dated 28th June 1892.

No. 109.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th February 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 166.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Thomas Greenaway,—12th February 1893.

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No. 110.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 18th February 1893, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 16th February 1893.

No. 258-*G.*—Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Fraser, Indian Staff Corps, Political Agent of the 2nd (officiating 1st) Class, is appointed to officiate as an Additional Resident of the 2nd Class, and as Agent to the Governor-General of India in Khorassan and Seistan, with effect from the date of assuming charge, and during the absence on furlough of Mr. Ney Elias, C.I.E., or until further orders.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 111.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Surgeon-Colonel.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel S. B. Hunt, Indian Medical Service, with effect from the 1st March 1893, *vice* Surgeon-Colonel A. Porter, who vacates.

No. 112.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—

Sub-Conductor Thomas Burton Smith to be Conductor and Sergeant James Samuel Joyce to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 3rd January 1893, *vice* Conductor E. W. Bennett, pensioned.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 113.—Second-grade Senior Apothecary James Anderson, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of Rs. 150 per mensem, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the date following that on which this order is received at the station where he is serving.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 114.—APPOINTMENTS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Volunteer John Spencer Hay Ellis to be Second Lieutenant with effect from the 14th February 1893, to fill an existing vacancy.

Bellary Volunteer Rifles.

Captain W. J. Evans (Bangalore Volunteer Rifles) to be officiating Commandant.

No. 115.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain H. D. B. Mactaggart is granted leave for two years, on private affairs, with effect from the 24th February 1891.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Captain A. L. Alexander, out of India, (p.a.), for seven months, from the 15th March 1893.

No. 116.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Second Lieutenant F. E. Dunn is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

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

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

The resignation by Captain H. D. B. Mactaggart of his commission in the corps, notified in G.O.G. No. 117, dated 24th February 1891, is cancelled.

(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, 7th March 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 117.—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 E. A. Bruce, Indian Staff Corps, Commissary-General, Eastern Circle, Bengal, for one year. Pension service,—35th year, commenced 9th February 1893.

No. 118.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India:—

Surgeon-Colonel C. Sibthorpe, Indian Medical Service, Principal Medical Officer, Rangoon District. } Arrived at Bombay on the 25th February 1893.

No. 119.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India:—

Captain H. Finn, 21st Hussars, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District (p.a.), from 1st April to 18th October 1893 inclusive, under article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 120.—With reference to G.O.G No. 617, dated 29th November 1892, the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has granted Surgeon-Captain W. H. M. Ingham, Indian Medical Service, leave out of India for one year, on medical certificate, with effect from the 19th October 1892.

No. 121.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant-Colonel M. H. Wratislaw, General List, Infantry, five days (p.a.), pending retirement.

Captain G. B. Stevens, Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.

Surgeon-Captain R. B Roe, Indian Medical Service, Civil Surgeon, Hyderabad Assigned Districts, 6 months, m.c

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

No. 122.—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 W. Symons, Commissariat-Transport Department, for one year.

No. 123.—In G.O.G No. 106 of 1893, permitting Lieutenant J. W. H. Lyon, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, to proceed to England, *for* "Leicestershire Regiment" *read* "Leinster Regiment."

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 124.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th February 1893, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 175.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:—

Second Lieutenants—

Spencer Clay, Yorkshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 24th Madras Infantry,—26th September 1891.

Manners Ralph Willmot Nightingale, Cheshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 22nd Madras Infantry,—23rd December 1891.

Second Lieutenants Clay and Nightingale will rank as Lieutenants in the Indian Staff Corps from the above dates, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 125.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 24th February 1893, are republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 183.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Edward Brooke Anderson,—19th February 1893.

* * * * *

Lieutenant to be Captain.

George Edward Tempest Green,—22nd February 1893.

No. 184.—In G.G.O. No. 166 of 1893, *for* "Thomas Greenway" *read* "Thomas Greenaway."

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 185.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary John William Borthistle to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

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

Conductor William Rainford to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor Patrick J. O'Neill to be Conductor, and Store-Sergeant Thomas Gardiner to be Sub-Conductor,—

with effect from the 28th January 1893, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary H. Foster, transferred to the pension establishment.

No. 126.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 24th February 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 189.—*Rangoon Volunteer Artillery*—

Captain Alexander Fraser to be Major-Commandant, *vice* Temple, resigned.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 192.—*Rangoon Volunteer Artillery*—

Major R. C. Temple, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, resigns his appointment.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 127.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 7th and 14th February 1893, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th February 1893.

* * * * *

Deputy Assistant Commissary Charles J. Littlewood, Madras Establishment (since retired), is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 9th February 1892.

INDIAN ARMY.

The Officer promoted Lieutenant-General on the Unemployed Supernumerary List in the Gazette of 20th January 1893 * should have been described as W. H. A. Buttler, Madras Infantry.

* See Madras G.O.G. No. 96 of 1893.

War Office, Pall Mall, 14th February 1893.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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The undermentioned Colonels are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List :—

Alexander Temple Cox, C.B. Dated 29th January 1893.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 128.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Hospital Assistant Ram Singh, No. 855, to be Senior Hospital Assistant, with effect from the 9th September 1892, *vice* Senior Hospital Assistant Gulam Mustapha, pensioned.

No. 129.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant Edwin Winkworth, Barrack Department, Madras. Dated 7th March 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 130.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon-Captain T. C. Moore, Indian Medical Service, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 131.—APPOINTMENTS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

The Rev. Edward Tyrell Beatty to be Honorary Chaplain.

No. 132.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Lieutenant H. Scott, out of India, for one year, from 22nd March 1893.
Second Lieutenant F. A. Carson, in India, on private affairs, for one year, from the 15th February 1893.

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Surgeon P. Anderson, for six months, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.G. No. 522 of 1892.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain J. W. Hockin, out of India, on private affairs, from 1st March to 30th November 1893.
Lieutenant M. D. Taylor, out of India, on private affairs, from 1st April to 1st November 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ACQUISITION OF LAND.

Fort St. George, 1st March 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the bungalow and the outhouses situated on the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1 acre and 77 cents, be the same a little more or less, are needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the Remount Depôt at Mathigiri; and, under section 7 of the same Act, directs the Collector of Salem to take order for the acquisition of the said property :—

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land on which are situated the buildings required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
						ACS. CTS.
Salem..	Hosur.	Mathigiri.	Dry. Remount poramboke survey No. 139-A, measuring 286·73 acres.	Captain Brotherston.	North, by a plot of land, the property of Government, containing quarters for a subordinate. East, by Hosur-Denkencotta road. South, by Government land containing school and other buildings. West, by Depôt road.	1 77

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
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Fort St. George, 14*th March* 1893

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 133.—Native Army—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Rungasamy, seconded for service in the Burma Company, is brought on the establishment of the Corps with effect from the 18th February 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 134.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel W. B. Warner, General List, Cavalry, Commandant, 1st Madras Lancers (p.a.), for six months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 135.—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 F. C. Maltby, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—27th year, commenced 16th October 1892.

No. 136.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (to sea and Australia) 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. N. Priestley, Indian Staff Corps, attached 2nd Madras Lancers, for six months. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 5th February 1893.

No. 137.—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 C. V. N. Lyne, Indian Staff Corps, 16th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 11th February 1893.

No. 138.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant C. H. Williams, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 139.—Lieutenant G. M. Duff, R.E., Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Military Works Department, is granted furlough out of India (p.a.) for one year, under the Leave Rules applicable to officers of the British Army serving in India.

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

Lieutenant E. W. Carrick, Indian Staff Corps.
Sub-Conductor T. Stone, Barrack Department, Madras.

No. 141.—The undermentioned Honorary Commissioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under Article 220 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part II, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Captain J. W. Borthistle, Deputy Commissary, Ordnance Department, Madras, for 6 months.

No. 142.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd March 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 193.—Lieutenant H. L. D. Fordyce, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from 19th June 1891.

No. 143.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 3rd March 1893, are republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 194.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

* * * * *

Captain A. B. Shute, Royal Artillery, Commandant, No. 2 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent (p.a.), for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

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No. 195.—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 A. R. Burlton, Indian Staff Corps, 32nd Bengal Infantry, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, Commissariat-Transport Department in India, for six months. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 24th July 1892.

No. 144.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 3rd March 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 205.—*Rangoon Volunteer Engineers*—

John MacPherson, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 208.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Captain J. Simeon resigns his commission.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 145.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Kistnasamy to be Subadar-Major .. .. Dated 18th February 1893.

No. 146.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary T. C. Lawrence to be Second-grade Apothecary, with effect from the 23rd December 1890. (This cancels G.O.G. No. 102, dated 17th February 1891.)

No. 147.—First-grade Hospital Assistant C. Manickum, No. 895, to be Senior Hospital Assistant, with effect from the 20th February 1893, *vice* Senior Hospital Assistant V. Moonoosawmy, deceased.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 148.—Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel L. Beech, Indian Medical Service, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st March 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 149.—First-grade Apothecary J. J. Goggan, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 15th December 1892.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 150.—OFFICERS—

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

Lieutenant S. Clay, Indian Staff Corps, 24th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant K. E. Nangle, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 151.—APPOINTMENTS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. William Cuthbert Lewis to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Second Lieutenant H. B. Bryant, resigned.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Major F. W. Read to officiate as Commandant, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. L. Ansted proceeding on leave.

No. 152.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. L. Ansted, Commandant, out of India on private affairs for one year, from the 1st April 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 8th March 1893.

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.						
8th March 1893.	Second Lieutenant.	Beauchamp Urquhart Hill.	1st Battalion, The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.	..	2nd July 1892.	Intestate.	RS. A. P. 10 4 0	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 134 6 3 10 4 0 144 10 3	(Father) Colonel W. Hill, care of Messrs. King and Co., 45, Pall Mall, London, W.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secy. to Govt., Mily. Dept.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ACQUISITION OF LAND.

Fort St. George, 1st March 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the bungalow and the outhouses situated on the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1 acre and 77 cents, be the same a little more or less, are needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the Remount Depôt at Mathigiri; and, under section 7 of the same Act, directs the Collector of Salem to take order for the acquisition of the said property :—

SCHEDULE.

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Salem..	Hosur.	Mathigiri.	Dry. Remount poramboke survey No. 139-A, measuring 286·73 acres.	Captain Brotherston.	North, by a plot of land, the property of Government, containing quarters for a subordinate. East, by Hosur-Denkenecotta road. South, by Government land containing school and other buildings. West, by Depôt road.	1 77

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Fort St. George, 21*st March* 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 153.—Pension Department—

M.R.Ry. M. Venkataprasath Tiwari, late Head Assistant, Office of Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, Madras, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at St. Thomas' Mount and Pallavaram, with effect from the date of assuming charge from Lieutenant-Colonel R. Stokoe, who vacates on proceeding on furlough.

No. 154.—Medical Department—

The following extract, paras. 1 and 2, from a Military Letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 7, dated 23rd February 1893, is published :—

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 Surgeon-Lieutenants on the Madras Establishment :—

George Bidie,
John Plowden Morton.

2. Their commissions will bear date 30th January 1893, the day of their passing out of the Army Medical School, from which date they will also reckon their service for pension.

No. 155.—The date of appointment of Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel D. F. Bateman, as officiating Principal Medical Officer, Rangoon District, notified in G.O.G. No. 19 of 1893, should be 28th December 1892, and not as therein stated.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 156.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Blenkinsop, Indian Medical Service.	Arrived at Bombay on the 11th November 1892.
Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. C. H. Spencer, Indian Medical Service, Medical Officer, 7th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 28th February 1893.
Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary C. McCarthy, Ordnance Department, Madras.	Rejoined his appointment on the 2nd March 1893.
Conductor G. Hallett, Ordnance Department, Madras ..	Rejoined his appointment on the 4th March 1893.

No. 157.—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. V. Cox, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, Imperial Service Troops, for six months. Pension service,—14th year, commenced 14th January 1893.

No. 158.—Lieutenant W. H. F. Basevi, South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 23rd Regiment Light Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England (m.c.), under para. 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 22nd August 1892.

No. 159.—Lieutenant R. E. Tomlin, R.E., Public Works Department (Railway Branch), is granted furlough out of India (p.a.), for eight months, under the Leave Rules applicable to officers of the British Army serving in India.

No. 160.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant H. Vickers, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 161.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Conductor H. Sears, Ordnance Department, Madras, till 14th October 1893, m.c.

No. 162.—So much of G.O.G. No. 88 of 1893, as refers to Captain J. H. Smith's leave, is hereby cancelled.

No. 163.—In G.O.G. No 121 of 1893, *for* "Captain G. B. Stevens" *read* "Captain and Brevet-Major G. B. Stevens."

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 164.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th January 1893, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 75.—Lieutenant G. S. Ogg, Royal Artillery, to officiate as an Ordnance Officer, 4th Class, to fill an existing vacancy, with effect from the 17th January 1893.

No. 165.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 10th March 1893, are republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 211.—Lieutenant C. H. G. Moore, Indian Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, with effect from the 31st January 1893. (Joined his appointment on the 15th February 1893.)

STAFF CORPS.

No. 217.—Lieutenant Charles Douglas Field, Devonshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 28th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 22nd September 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 166.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th March 1893, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 225.—The undermentioned Colonels of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the dates specified:—

* * * * *

Charles Morris Moberly,—4th March 1893.

* * * * *

PENSIONS.

No. 167.—First-grade Apothecary M. Davanboo, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rs. 100 per mensem, with effect from such date as he may be struck off, under para. 243, Army Regulations, India, Vol. VI.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 168.—Lieutenant-Colonel M. H. Wratislaw, 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 8th April 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 169.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary Joseph Aloysius Power, Public Works Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of Rs. 240 per mensem, with effect from the 15th March 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 170.—OFFICERS—

With reference to Political Department Notification No. 3, dated 20th March 1893, the services of Lieutenant S. A. Pearse, Indian Staff Corps, 17th Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ACQUISITION OF LAND.

Fort St. George, 1*st March* 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the bungalow and the outhouses situated on the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1 acre and 77 cents, be the same a little more or less, are needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the Remount Depôt at Mathigiri; and, under section 7 of the same Act, directs the Collector of Salem to take order for the acquisition of the said property:—

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Fort St. George, 28th March 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 171.—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 :—

Major A. Howlett, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, for six months. Pension service,—25th year, commenced 22nd August 1892.

Major G. S. Baugh, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), for seven months. Pension service,—23rd year, commenced 12th November 1892.

No. 172.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant R. H. Dewing, Indian Staff Corps, for 3 weeks, u.p.a.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 173.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 17th March 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY REMOUNT DEPARTMENT.

No. 232.—Captain G. McMicking, R.A., is appointed to officiate as Presidency Remount Agent, Calcutta, with effect from the 24th February 1893, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel P. K. L. Beaver, on furlough.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 236.—The undermentioned officers appointed to the Unattached List of the British Army for service in the Indian Staff Corps are posted as follows, with effect from the date of their arrival in India :—

* * * * *

Madras.

Second Lieutenant R. W. S. Elliott.
Second Lieutenant S. M. Rice.
Second Lieutenant A. V. W. Hope.
Second Lieutenant R. W. E Knollys.
Second Lieutenant S. V. Byland.
Second Lieutenant E. M. Taylor.
Second Lieutenant C. L. Perrin.
Second Lieutenant C. R. Scott-Elliot.

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No. 174.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th March 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 244.—Colonel C. R. Matthews, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate-General, 9th Circle, Rangoon, has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India on obtaining Colonel's allowances on 20th March 1893.

No. 175.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th March 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 249.—The undermentioned Colonels of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the dates specified :—

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Charles McInroy,—17th March 1893.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 176.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 24th and 28th February 1893, are republished :—

India Office, 24th February 1893.

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.

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To be Lieutenants.

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Lieutenant Frederick Hugh Hiddingh Jeffcoat, from the Bedfordshire Regiment. Dated 22nd April 1891, but to rank from 4th January 1890.

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Lieutenant Charles Hesketh Grant Moore, from the West Yorkshire Regiment Dated 11th September 1891, but to rank from 24th September 1890.

Lieutenant Charles Levenax Haldane, from the West Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 21st April 1891, but to rank from 24th September 1890.

Lieutenant Alexander Moore, from the Connaught Rangers. Dated 4th April 1891, but to rank from 24th September 1890.

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Second Lieutenant Richard Watkins Burton, from the Lancashire Fusiliers. Dated 16th December 1890.

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Second Lieutenant Thomas George Pasley Lawrenson, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated 8th March 1891.

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Lieutenant Leslie John Germaine Lavie, from the North Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 10th April 1891, but to rank from 21st March 1891.

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Second Lieutenant Richard Anson Firth, from the East Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 2nd April 1891.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Vickers Alexander, from the Royal Irish Regiment. Dated 5th April 1891.

Lieutenant Piercy Greig, from the South Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 18th April 1891, but to rank from 15th April 1891.

Second Lieutenant Alexander William Nicholas Raven, from the South Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 15th April 1891.

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Second Lieutenant Frederick Welman Hawks, from the North Lancashire Regiment. Dated 4th August 1891.

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War Office, Pall Mall, 28th February 1893.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List :—

Barnard H. Preston. Dated 13th February 1893.

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PENSIONS.

No. 177.—Second-grade Apothecary R. Selvey, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of Rs. 51 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. 178.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel D. McNeill, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 25th January 1893.

No. 179.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Lieutenant M. G. Young, Indian Staff Corps, 24th Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant C. C. Jackson, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 27th Madras Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 180.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain J. W. Nice, out of India, on private affairs, for one year, with effect from the 20th February 1893, or date of departure.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain J. Twigg, out of India, on private affairs, for two years, from 1st April 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ACQUISITION OF LAND.

Fort St. George, 24th March 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 84·51 cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the Rifle Range for the South Indian Railway Volunteer Corps ; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Head Assistant Collector of Tanjore is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land :—

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
						CENTS.
Tanjore.	Negapatam.	Kadambadi, hamlet of Negapatam.	Nanja, manavari Government, 198.	Oothandi Chetti ..	North, road. East, land in possession of Oothandi Chetti. South, Vridhachala Pillai's land. West Periathambi Marikar's land.	31·51
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Do. 199 ..	Do. ..	Do. do. ..	17·03
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Do. 200 ..	Do. ..	Do. do. ..	5·03
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Punjah, Government 71.	Periathambi Maistri.	North, Ganapathi Pathan's land. East, Government land. South, road. West, Pariathambi Maistri's land.	30·94
					Total ..	84·51

(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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GENERAL ORDERS.

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

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Fort St. George, 11th April 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 181.—PENSION DEPARTMENT—

Mr. D. Pires, late Head Clerk, Cantonment Magistrate's Office, Cannanore, to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at Belgaum.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 182.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India:—

Colonel W. H. Hoskins, Indian Staff Corps, Civil Employ, Madras Police (p.a.), for two years, from or after the 20th April 1893, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 183.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India:—

Colonel J. W. S. Butler, Indian Staff Corps, on vacation of regimental command on the 27th September 1892.

No. 184.—In accordance with the instructions of the Secretary of State for India, Surgeon-Colonel A. Porter, M.D., Indian Medical Service, is granted furlough (p.a.), in or out of India, from 1st March 1893 to 10th July 1895, pending retirement, under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 185.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Quin, Indian Staff Corps, six months, p.a.
Major S. R. Rawlinson, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Captain A. R. Denne, Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Lieutenant A. P. D. C. Stuart, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, p.a.
Lieutenant B. A. G. Shelley, Royal Engineers, six months, m.c.
Conductor G. Cross, Commissariat Department, six months, m.c.

No. 186.—Captain C. C. East, Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Aide-de-Camp to the General Officer Commanding, Secunderabad District, is granted leave out of India (p.a.) for eight months, under Article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 187.—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 F. H. Yate, Indian Staff Corps, 5th Punjab Cavalry, for one year. Pension service,—15th year, commenced 22nd January 1893.

No. 188.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty:—

Captain C. R. Keate, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant J. A. Loudon, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. H. Johnson, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 189.—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. Arbuthnot, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—11th year, commenced 9th September 1892.

No. 190.—The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India (Australia) 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. E. Reid, Indian Staff Corps, attached 1st Madras Lancers, for six months. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 15th February 1893.

No. 191.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant E. Wintour, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Squadron Officer, 3rd Madras Lancers. | Rejoined his appointment on the 23rd March 1893.

No. 192.—Conductor H. Hollingsworth, Public Works Department, Madras, Supervisor, First Grade, is granted furlough in India (p.a.) for one year, under Rule 1 of the Regulations of 1875.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 193.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 24th March 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 262.—Captain C. Wood, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 4th Class (on duty in England), to be Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class ;

Captain W. C. A. Radcliffe, R.A., and Lieutenant H. A. Young, R.A., Officiating Ordnance Officers, 4th Class, are confirmed in that class ;

with effect from the 1st April 1893, to complete establishment.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 266.—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—

Arthur Jeffreys Ralph, Royal Irish Regiment, Wing Officer, 7th Madras Infantry,—12th August 1891.

Cyril Compton Jackson, Border Regiment, Wing Officer, 27th Madras Infantry,—26th August 1891.

No. 194.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th March 1893, is republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

BURMA.

No. 268.—In paragraph 6 of letter No. 179D, dated the 6th June 1892, from the General Officer Commanding Burma District, published in G.G.O. No. 1015 of 1892,* *for* "Captain R. M. Rainey, 12th (Burma) Madras Infantry, Staff Officer, Tashon Column," *read* "Lieutenant (now Captain) J. T. Evatt, 39th Bengal Infantry."

* Madras G.O.G. No. 586 of 1892.

No. 195.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th March 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 280.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion in the Order of British India, with effect from the date specified :—

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Shaikh Ahmad, *Bahadur*, 1st Madras Lancers, *vice* pensioned Subadar Peermaul, *Sardar Bahadur*, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, deceased,—26th October 1892.

No. 196.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th March 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 285.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Captain John Joseph Cronin, Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Watson, resigned.

No. 197.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 24th March 1893, is republished :—

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 288.—Major-General Beresford Lovett, C B., C.S.I., R.E., Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, and Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, *temporary*, is re-appointed to the Military Works Department temporarily in the same grade, with effect from the 1st November 1892.

No. 198.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st March 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 290 —The following appointments are made in the undermentioned regiments, in accordance with the provisions of clause 38 of India Army Circulars, 1891 :—

* * * * *

1st Infantry.

Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Officiating Wing Officer, to be Wing Officer.

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3rd Infantry.

Lieutenant J. R. Kennedy, Officiating Wing Officer on probation, to be Wing Officer on probation.

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5th Infantry.

Lieutenant R. W. Burton, Officiating Wing Officer, to be Wing Officer.

6th Infantry.

Lieutenant G. E. J. Perry, Officiating Wing Officer on probation, to be Wing Officer on probation.

With effect from 1st April 1893.

No. 199.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 31st March 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 297.—The undermentioned Officers of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the dates specified :—

* * * * *

Joseph Gabbett, C.B., Unemployed Supernumerary List,—30th March 1893.

No. 200.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 1st April 1893, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 30th March 1893.

No. 559-*G.*—The following appointments are made in and to local corps in Rajputana and Central India, with effect from dates of joining :—

* * * * *

Lieutenant S. Clay, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer, 24th Madras Infantry, to officiate as Wing Officer, Meywar Bhil Corps, *vice* Lieutenant Waller.

Lieutenant M. G. Young, Wing Officer (on probation), 24th Madras Infantry, to officiate as Wing Officer and Adjutant (on probation), Meywar Bhil Corps, during the absence on leave of Captain C. H. Dawson, or until further orders.

Lieutenant C. C. Jackson, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 27th Madras Infantry, to officiate as Wing Officer, Bhopal Battalion, during such time as Lieutenant C. B. Baldock may officiate as Adjutant, or until further orders.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 201.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 3rd and 7th March 1893, are republished :—

India Office, 3rd March 1893.

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

To be Surgeon-Lieutenants. Dated 30th January 1893.

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George Bidie.
John Plowden Morton.

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th March 1893.

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The undermentioned retired Officers are granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 8th March 1893 :—

* * * * *

Madras.

Subadar-Major Usman Khan, Sardar Bahadur, His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard.

Subadar-Major Vurdarajoo, Sardar Bahadur, 32nd Madras Infantry.

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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 : —

* * * * *

A. V. Alexander, the Royal Irish Regiment.
R. W. Burton, the Lancashire Fusiliers.
F. W. Hawks, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 202.—Medical Department—

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

To be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels.

Surgeon-Major William Richard Browne, M.D. . . . . } Dated 1st April 1893.
Surgeon-Major Arthur Henry Leapingwell . . . . }

No. 203.—Native Army—

24th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Subadar Coondiah to be Subadar-Major . . . .
Jemadar Abdul Karim to be Subadar . . . .
Jemadar Ahmad Sharif to be Subadar . . . .
Jemadar Moorthinaidoo to be Subadar . . . . } Dated 15th February 1893.
Havildar, No. 422, Venketsawmy to be Jemadar . .
Havildar-Major, No. 378, Pir Khan to be Jemadar . .
Havildar, No. 521, Rungiah to be Jemadar . . . .

26th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaikh Salar to be Subadar . . . . }
Havildar-Major, No. 924, Narrainsawmy Pillay to be Jemadar. } Dated 7th March 1893.

No. 204.—Public Works Department—

The second Christian name of Conductor T. B. Smith is "Barton" and not "Burton" as notified in G O.G. No. 112 of 1893.

No. 205.—Subordinate Medical Department—

First-grade Apothecary Henry Wells, to be Second-grade Senior Apothecary, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th March 1893, *vice* Second-grade Senior Apothecary James Anderson, retired.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 206.—Officers—

The services of Lieutenant G. M. MacHutchin, Indian Staff Corps, 16th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 207.—Appointments—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Sergeant Frederick William Grey and Mr. Arthur Llewellyn to be Lieutenants and Volunteer John Dixon Cosens to be Second Lieutenant, with effect from the 28th March 1893, to fill existing vacancies.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Charles Mussita Malcolm Stuart to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 208.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Captain F. D. Bird, in and out of India, for six months, with effect from the 15th April 1893, or date of departure.

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain P. H. Brown, for one year, from 15th April 1893.

Lieutenant S. B. Murray, out of India on private affairs for 7 months, from 18th April 1893.

No. 209.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Second Lieutenants J. B. Duncan, G. Wallington, R. Greenall and A. Corben to be Lieutenants, to fill existing vacancies.

No. 210.—RESIGNATIONS—

Madras Artillery Volunteers.

Captain Jonathan Nield Cook is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Second Lieutenant Lionel Latham Wickham 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, 11th April 1893.

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

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
5th Bombay Infantry ..	Lieutenant S. H. Westropp * ..	24th March 1893 ..	Yercaud, Shevaroy Hills.	Intestate.

* Estate made over to the deceased's brother, Captain G. R. C. Westropp, under the provisions of section 8 of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ACQUISITION OF LANDS.

Fort St. George, 7th April 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 48 cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for a cholera camping ground at Sanganakal, Bellary taluk ; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Head-quarter Deputy Collector, Bellary, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land :—

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Estimate sanctioning the work for which the estimates are required.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
							CENTS.
Bellary.	Bellary.	Sanganakal.	Dry, 203 B ..	P. M. G., No. 6831, of 2nd December 1891.	Konnapuram Bheemanna and Veerabhadrappah.	North, 204. East, 206 A. South, 203 C. West, 203 A.	24
Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 203 C ..		Chenna Basakka and Basappa.	North, 203 B. East, 206 B. South, 203 D. West, 203 A.	4
Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 203 D ..		Mareppa ..	North, 203 C. East, 206 C. South, 209. West, 203 A.	20
						Total ..	48

Fort St. George, 24*th March* 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 84·51 cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the Rifle Range for the South Indian Railway Volunteer Corps; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Head Assistant Collector of Tanjore is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land:—

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
						CENTS.
Tanjore.	Negapatam.	Kadambadi, hamlet of Negapatam.	Nanja, manavari Government, 198.	Oothandi Chetti ..	North, road. East, land in possession of Oothandi Chetti. South, Vridhachala Pillai's land. West Periathambi Marikar's land.	31·51
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Do. 199 ..	Do. ..	Do. do. ..	17·03
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Do. 200 ..	Do. ..	Do. do. ..	5·03
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Punjah, Government 71.	Periathambi Maistri.	North, Ganapathi Pathan's land. East, Government land. South, road. West, Pariathambi Maistri's land.	30·94
					Total ..	84·51

(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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GENERAL ORDERS.

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

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Ootacamund, 18th April 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 211.—ARMY STAFF—

Captain J. A. Wyllie, Indian Staff Corps, to be Superintendent, Army Schools, Madras. Dated 4th April 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 212.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India:—

Colonel J. H. Prendergast, Indian Staff Corps, Colonel on the Staff, Commanding Bhamo (p.a.), for eight months, under Article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Miller, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 17th Madras Infantry (p a), for one year and nine days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Fraser, Indian Staff Corps, Political Agent, 2nd Class (m.c.), for one year, under Rule XIV of the Regulations of 1868.

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

Colonel A. T. Rolland, Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.

Surgeon-Captain H. Greany, Indian Medical Service, two months, p.a.

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

Lieutenant W. A. Oswald, Indian Staff Corps.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 215.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th April 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 311.—The undermentioned Officers of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 4th April 1893 : —

* * * * *

Colonel Henry Charles Wright.

Colonel Thomas Henry Barstow Brooke.

No. 216.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 8th April 1893, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 7th April 1893.

No. 599-G.—The services of Captain C. V. F. Townshend, Indian Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,

Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ACQUISITION OF LANDS.

Fort St. George, 7th April 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 48 cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for a cholera camping ground at Sanganakal, Bellary taluk; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Head-quarter Deputy Collector, Bellary, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land:—

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Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 203 C ..		Chenna Basakka and Basappa.	North, 203 B. East, 206 B. South, 203 D. West, 203 A.	4
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Fort St. George, 24th March 1893.

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SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
						CENTS.
Tanjore.	Negapa-tam.	Kadambadi, hamlet of Negapa-tam.	Nanja, manava-ri Government, 198.	Oothandi Chetti ..	North, road. East, land in possession of Oothandi Chetti. South, Vridhachala Pillai's land. West Periathambi Marikar's land.	31·51
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Do. 199 ..	Do. ..	Do. do. ..	17·03
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Do. 200 ..	Do. ..	Do. do. ..	5·03
Do.	Do.	Do. ..	Punjah, Gov-ernment 71.	Periathambi Maistri.	North, Ganapathi Pathan's land. East, Government land. South, road. West, Pariathambi Maistri's land.	30·94
					Total ..	84·51

(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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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 25th April 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 217.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 154 of 1893, Surgeon-Lieutenant G. Bidie is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the 2nd April 1893, the date of his arrival at Madras.

No. 218.—PENSION DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 181, dated 11th April 1893, Mr. Pires' initials are M. D. and not as therein notified.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 219.—G.O.G. No. 186 of 1893, granting leave to Captain C. C. East, Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Aide-de-Camp to the General Officer Commanding Secunderabad District, is hereby cancelled.

No. 220.—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 H. P. Ainslie, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Light Infantry, for one year Pension service,—5th year, commenced 10th November 1892.

No. 221.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Second grade Apothecary P. A. Winckler, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, for one year.

No. 222.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain R. K. Teversham, D.S.O, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander and 2nd-in-Command, 3rd Light Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 12th April 1893.
Lieutenant W. H. W. Mercer, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 26th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 23rd March 1893.
Sub-Conductor T. Stone, Barrack Department, Madras ..	Rejoined his appointment on the 1st April 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 223.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th April 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 316.—Colonel A. Clarke-Kennedy, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, Commissariat-Transport Department (Madras), is appointed to officiate as Commissary-General, Eastern Circle, Bengal, with effect from the 22nd March 1893, *vice* Colonel E. A. Bruce, on leave.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 224.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Surgeon-Majors.

Surgeon-Captain Arthur George Edward Newland ..
Surgeon-Captain Arthur Theophilus Lodge Patch, M.B. ..
Surgeon-Captain Ronald Ross .. .. .. } Dated 2nd April 1893.
Surgeon-Captain Charles Adams, M.B. .. ..
Surgeon-Captain Jamshedji Khurshedji Kanga ..
Surgeon-Captain Alfred James O'Hara .. ..

No. 225.—NATIVE ARMY—

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

Havildar, No. 257, Ghulam Husain Shah to be Jemadar.. Dated 20th December 1892.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 226.—OFFICERS—

The services of Brigadier-General A. P. Palmer, C.B., Indian Staff Corps (Bengal), are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 227.—The services of Lieutenant F. H. Goldthorp, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, attached 21th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 228.—TRANSFERS—

Captain W. J. Evans is transferred from the "Bangalore Rifle Volunteers" to the "Bellary Volunteer Rifles."

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ACQUISITION OF LAND.

Fort St. George, 7th April 1893.

Under section 6, Act X of 1870, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 48 cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for a cholera camping ground at Sanganakal, Bellary taluk; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Head-quarter Deputy Collector, Bellary, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land:—

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Village.	Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Estimate sanctioning the work for which the estimates are required.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
							CENTS.
Bellary.	Bellary.	Sanganakal.	Dry, 203 B ..	P.M.G., No. 6831, of 2nd December 1891.	Konnapuram Bheemanna and Veerabhadrappah.	North, 204. East, 206 A. South, 203 C. West, 203 A.	24
Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 203 C ..		Chenna Basakka and Basappa.	North, 203 B. East, 206 B. South, 203 D. West, 203 A.	4
Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 203 D ..		Mareppa ..	North, 203 C. East, 206 C. South, 209. West, 203 A.	20
						Total ..	48

(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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APPOINTMENTS.

No. 229.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Blenkinsop, Indian Medical Service, District Surgeon, Trichinopoly, to be Principal Medical Officer, Myingyan District, until further orders. Dated 15th April 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 230.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, C.B., General List, Infantry, Commandant, 14th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 1st April 1893.
Lieutenant F. W. H. Cox, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 3rd March 1893.
Lieutenant H. Vickers, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 23rd Light Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 11th April 1893.

No. 231.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant A. P. How, Indian Staff Corps, six months, M.C.

Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Indian Staff Corps, three months, M.C.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 232.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 21st April 1893, are republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 340.—Lieutenant F. A. Tighe, Royal Artillery, to officiate as an Ordnance Officer, 4th Class, to fill an existing vacancy, with effect from the 5th March 1893.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 343.—Lieutenant William Robert Walker, Derbyshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 15th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 6th October 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 233.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st April 1893, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 356.—The undermentioned Officers of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 20th April 1893:—

* * * * *

Colonel John MacDonald Smith.

No. 234.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 21st April 1893, are republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 362.—*Rangoon Naval Volunteers*—

FitzCharles MacDonald, Gentleman, to be Chief Engineer, to complete the establishment.

No. 366.—*Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps*—

Edward George Mumford, Gentleman, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Carnell, promoted.

William Thomas Hall, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Wilson, transferred to the Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 235.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. Price, M.D. .. .. Dated 1st March 1893.

No. 236.—NATIVE ARMY—

2nd Madras Lancers.

Subadar Ghulam Husain, "Sirdar Bahadur," to be Subadar-Major.
Jemadar Shaikh Budruddin to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 26th March 1893.
Regimental Havildar-Major, No. 17, Venket Row to be Jemadar.

4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Jemadar Sholapoory to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 1st March 1893.
Havildar, No. 1455, Abdul Aziz to be Jemadar ..

14th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Muhammad Sultan to be Subadar .. .. Dated 16th January 1893.
Havildar, No. 3075, Abdur Rahim Khan to be Jemadar .. Dated 11th November 1892.
Havildar, No. 3181, Moonesawmy Naidoo to be Jemadar. Dated 5th December 1892.
Havildar, No. 3217, Mussalliah to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 16th January 1893.

No. 237.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—

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

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary John Lalor to be Assistant Commissary ;

Conductor James Cormac to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

Sub-Conductor Russell William Ward to be Conductor ;

Sergeant Samuel Hearne to be Sub-Conductor ;

with effect from the 15th March 1893, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary J. A. Power, retired.

No. 238.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Senior Apothecary (Supernumerary) E. Gillson (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) is absorbed in that grade with effect from the 12th April 1893, *vice* First-grade Senior Apothecary J. Chadwick, deceased.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 239.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant B. Scott, Indian Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 240.—The services of Lieutenant E. H. Boome, Indian Staff Corps, 17th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Political Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 241.—APPOINTMENTS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Volunteer John Nathaniel Atkinson, C S., to be Captain, to complete the establishment.

No. 242.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Second Lieutenant A. J. Verini, in India, on private affairs, for one year, from 19th April 1893.

No. 243.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Captain J. L. Taylor to be Major, to complete the establishment.

Lieutenants A. Butterworth, F. A. Pawley and E. E. Lefèbure to be Captains, to fill existing vacancies.

No. 244.—TRANSFERS—

Second Lieutenant H. J. C. Gompertz is transferred from the "Bellary Volunteer Rifles" to the "Madras Railway Volunteers."

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain G. T. Mackenzie is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 2nd May 1893.

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.						
19th April 1893.	Captain.	John St. John Knowles.	2nd Battalion, The Royal Irish Regiment.	..	9th Feb. 1892.	Intestate.	RS. A. P. 1,466 4 10	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 1,466 4 10	(Father) Sir Charles Knowles, (Mother) Mrs. Knowles.

(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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Ootacamund, 3rd May 1893.

No. 245.—With the deepest regret the Right Honorable the Governor in Council announces to the Army the death of His Excellency Lieutenant-General The Honorable Sir James Charlemagne Dormer, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army, which melancholy event took place at Ootacamund on the 3rd May 1893.

As a mark of respect the Flag of Fort St. George will be hoisted half-mast high from sunrise to sunset to-morrow.

Fifteen minute guns will be fired at Fort St. George to-morrow, the last gun being fired at sunset.

Similar marks of respect will be paid to the memory of the late Commander-in-Chief at Ootacamund and all the principal Military Stations within the Madras Command.

The Governor in Council further directs that all Officers of the Army on the Madras Establishment shall wear mourning for a fortnight from this date.

Ootacamund, 9th May 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 246.—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 J. W. Currie, Indian Staff Corps, Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for six months. Pension service,—18th year, commenced 12th February 1893.

No. 247.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel D. Sinclair, Indian Medical Department.
Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Indian Staff Corps.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 248.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th April 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Resignations.

No. 397.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. Johnson, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, resigns his appointment.

No. 249.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 29th April 1893, are republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 27th April 1893.

No. 701-*G.*—Foreign Department Notification No. 599-G., dated the 7th April 1893,* replacing temporarily at the disposal of the Military Department the services of Captain C. V. F. Townshend, Indian Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, is cancelled.

* Madras G.O.G. No. 216 of 1893.

The 28th April 1893.

No. 716-*G.*—

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Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, is posted as Assistant Commissioner of Merwara.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 250.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 7th April 1893, is republished :—

India Office, 7th April 1893.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Dated 11th January 1893.

* * * * *

Bowes Thorpe Montague Gompertz.

* * * * *

To be Lieutenants.

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Second Lieutenant Edward Henry Payne, from the Oxfordshire Light Infantry. Dated 8th November 1890.

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Second Lieutenant Edmund Gunning Jones, from the South Wales Borderers. Dated 8th May 1891.

Second Lieutenant G. Elliot Reid, from the Royal Artillery. Dated 28th May 1891.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Surgeon-Colonel.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Bradshaw Hunt. Dated 1st March 1893.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Wyndham Hughes Hallett. Dated 6th January 1893.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Lionel Beech. Dated 1st March 1893.

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The following appointments have been made to the Staff on the Madras Establishment :—

Major C. M. T. Western, Royal Artillery, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the Establishment, *vice* Major M. W. Saunders, who has completed his tenure of appointment. Dated 25th January 1893.

Captain H. Finn, 21st Hussars, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the Establishment, *vice* Major C. M. T. Western, promoted. Dated 25th January 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 251.—NATIVE ARMY—

20th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Saiyid Rasul to be Subadar-Major .. .. Dated 8th March 1893.

REMANDS.

No. 252.—COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT—

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 180, sub-section (2) (*f*), Army Act, 1881, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the undermentioned Warrant Officers be remanded to regimental duty in the regimental rank held by them immediately previous to their appointment to the Warrant grade :—

Sub-Conductor J. Shepherd.
Sub-Conductor W. H. Harwood.
Sub-Conductor S. Margate.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 253.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service, on the pension and from the date specified, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Thomas, Indian Medical Service, ordinary pension £500 per annum, *plus* the extra annuity of £100,—1st April 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 254.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon-Major E. M. Damla, Indian Medical Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief.

No. 255.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant G. Bidie, Indian Medical Service, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

(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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Ootacamund, 10*th May* 1893.

COMMANDS.

No. 256.—ARMY—

In consequence of the lamented death of His Excellency Lieutenant-General The Honorable Sir James Charlemagne Dormer, K.C.B., the Right Honorable the Governor in Council hereby notifies that, pending the return of Major-General C. J. East, C.B., from privilege leave, the Command of the Madras Army will temporarily devolve on Major-General Richard Campbell Stewart, C.B., Commanding the Burma District, the next senior officer, as Provisional Commander-in-Chief, with effect from 4th May 1893.

2. All returns to be made to Major-General Stewart accordingly.

Ootacamund, 16*th May* 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 257.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 154 of 1893, Surgeon-Lieutenant J. P. Morton is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the 26th April 1893, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 258.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Surgeon-Major H. St. C. Carruthers, Indian Medical Service.	Arrived at Bombay on the 11th March 1893.
Lieutenant W. H. Johnson, Indian Staff Corps, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.	Arrived at Rangoon on the 30th April 1893.
Lieutenant J. A. Loudon, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 27th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 2nd May 1893.
Lieutenant E. W. Carrick, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quarter Master, 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 22nd April 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 259.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 5th May 1893, are republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

DISTRICT STAFF.

No. 400.—Brigadier-General A. P. Palmer, C.B., Commanding a District of the Second Class on the Madras Establishment, is transferred from the 21st April 1893 to a similar command on the Bengal Establishment, *vice* Colonel Sir H. Collett, K.C.B., who has resigned.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 404.—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:—

Second Lieutenants—

William Christopher Warde Harrison, West Yorkshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 2nd Madras Infantry,—28th September 1891.

Alfred Gilbert Crocker, Royal Artillery, Squadron Officer, 2nd Punjab Cavalry,—5th October 1891.

Second Lieutenants Harrison and Crocker will rank as Lieutenants in the Indian Staff Corps from the above dates, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 260.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 5th May 1893, are republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 415.—Conductor Thomas Clarke, Overseer, Madras Arsenal, *seconded*, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

Conductor George Gibson Splane to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

Sub-Conductor Edmund Hallock Lee to be Conductor ;

Sub-Conductor Benjamin Edwin Smith, *seconded*, Clerk, Office of Inspector-General of Ordnance, Madras Circle, to be Conductor, *seconded* ;

Sub-Conductor Robert Kerwick to be Conductor ;

Store Sergeant James Bennett to be Sub-Conductor ;

Store Sergeant Noah Graham to be Sub-Conductor ;

Store Sergeant John Dempster to be Sub-Conductor,—

with effect from the 21st February 1893, to complete the establishment sanctioned permanently for the Fort Dufferin Ordnance Depôt.

No. 416.—Sub-Conductor Alfred Cheverton to be Conductor, with effect from the 1st March 1893, *vice* Conductor F. Bradbury, transferred to the pension establishment.

No. 261.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th May 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS.

No. 420.—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 :—

In place of Colonel (Brigadier-General) E. Faunce, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, succeeded to the Colonel's allowance. Dated 20th December 1892.

COLONEL JOHN MAWBY CLOSSY GALLOWAY, MADRAS CAVALRY.

Dates of Commissions.

Cornet	1st September 1857.
Lieutenant	10th March 1858.
Captain	31st May 1864.
Major	13th August 1874.
Lieutenant-Colonel	15th December 1880.
Colonel in the Army	15th December 1884.

Appointments.

Regimental duty,—February 1858 to May 1875.

Officiating Commandant, His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard,—May 1875 to February 1876.

Commandant, His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard,—March 1876 to December 1884.

Regimental duty,—January 1886 to April 1892.

War Services.

India, 1858–59—Employed in Central India.—(Medal and clasp.)

Burma, 1886.—(Medal and clasp.)

No. 262.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 6th May 1893, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 4th May 1893.

No. 539.—The services of Captain H. F. Farrant, Cantonment Magistrate, Mandalay, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

PENSIONS.

No. 263.—Conductor Henry Edward Dallison, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of £90 per annum, with effect from the date following that on which this order is received at the station where he is serving.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 264.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain H. F. Farrant, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 265.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence:—

Southern Mahratta Railway Rifle Corps.

Captain F. D. Topham, out of India, on medical certificate for one year, with effect from the 27th April 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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Ootacamund, 30th May 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 266.—Personal Staff—

The following appointments have been made on the Personal Staff of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief :—

Dated 4th May 1893.

Major R. G. Kekewich, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Military Secretary.

Captain A. H. B. Cavaye, "King's Own" Scottish Borderers, to be Aide-de-Camp and Interpreter.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 267.—Colonel C. H. Plowden, Indian Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India.

No. 268.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India :—

Colonel J. O. Goldie, Indian Staff Corps, on vacating Regimental Command on the 8th May 1893.

No. 269.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Harvey-Kelly, Indian Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.

No. 270.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Major D. D. Pryce, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 271.—Captain F. G. Bradley, Indian Staff Corps, Adjutant, South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is granted leave in India (p.a.) for sixty days, from the 20th May 1893, on full pay and allowances, under Rule X of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 272.—Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. C. H. Spencer, Indian Medical Service, is granted leave for two days, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that allowed him in G.O.G. No. 161 of 1892.

No. 273.—Second-grade Apothecary M. Veramahali Pillay, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for six months, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, with effect from the 1st March 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 274.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 12th May 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Judge Advocate-General's Department.

No. 429.—Colonel A. Chaplin, Assistant Judge Advocate-General, to be Deputy Judge Advocate-General;

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with effect from the 20th March 1893, *vice* Colonel C. R. Matthews, who has retired.

Staff Corps.

No. 436.—Lieutenant Thomas Ian Drever, Worcestershire Regiment, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 9th March 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 437.—Lieutenant Henry Anthony Carleton, Hampshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 22nd July 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 275.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th May 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 450.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

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Lieutenants to be Captains.

10th May 1893.

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John Rocke Mathewes.

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Francis Herbert Sullivan Thomas.

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George Benjamin Hodson.

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Francis Arthur Loudon.

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William Nevinson Macdonald Cooke.

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No. 276.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th May 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 458.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion in the Order of British India, with effect from the date specified :—

MADRAS.

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar Moonesawmi, *Bahadur*, 15th Madras Infantry, *vice* Pensioned Subadar Rungiah, *Sardar Bahadur*, deceased,—21st January 1893.

No. 277.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 19th May 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 468.—Lieutenant F. H. S. Thomas, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 1st Class, with effect from the 9th June 1892, to fill an existing vacancy.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 470.—*4th Lancers*—

Lieutenant F. H. Goldthorp, 5th Madras Infantry, to be Officiating Squadron Officer, *vice* Lieutenant E. A. W. Stotherd, on furlough. Dated 28th April 1893.

No. 471.—*4th Infantry*—

Lieutenant K. E. Nangle, 25th Madras Infantry, to be Officiating Wing Officer, *vice* Major F. D Welchman, on leave. Dated 30th April 1893.

Surgeon-Lieutenant G. Bidie, Indian Medical Service, Madras, to be Officiating Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon-Major E. M. Damla, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

No. 278.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 19th May 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 484.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

William Wemyss, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Mahon, promoted.

Joseph Henry Redmond, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 487.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Second Lieutenant Bernard Mahon to be Captain, *vice* Everton, transferred to the Supernumerary List.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 279.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 25th April and 2nd May 1893, are republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th April 1893.

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MEMORANDUM.

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

E. G. Jones, the South Wales Borderers.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List :—

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William L. N. Knyvett. Dated 1st April 1893.

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Henry C. Wright. Dated 4th April 1893.

War Office, Pall Mall, 2nd May 1893.

MEMORANDA.

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Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant William Cole Fuller, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 21st April 1893.

Deputy Commissary J. W. Borthistle, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 28th January 1893.

Deputy Assistant Commissary W. Rainford, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 28th January 1893.

INDIAN ARMY.

Major-General Edward G Dixon, Madras Infantry, is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 5th April 1893.

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India Office, 2nd May 1893.

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 :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Thomas Greenaway. Dated 12th February 1893.

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Edward Brooke Anderson. Dated 19th February 1893.

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Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 28th January 1893.

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Ernest William Stuart King Maconchy, D.S.O.

Hugh Neufville Taylor.

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John Thornhill.

Arthur Robert Denne.

George Edward Tempest Green. Dated 22nd February 1893.

To be Lieutenants.

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Lieutenant Malcolm Graeme Young, from the Liverpool Regiment. Dated 5th August 1891, but to rank from 16th January 1891.

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Second Lieutenant Spencer Clay, from the Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 26th September 1891.

Second Lieutenant Manners Ralph Willmot Nightingale, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 23rd December 1891.

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

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MADRAS INFANTRY.

Lieutenant-Colonel Marc Henry Wratislaw. Dated 8th April 1893.

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The Queen has approved of the transfer of the undermentioned Officer to the Half-Pay List :

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Thomas Dowglasse Leslie. Dated 24th March 1893.

PENSIONS.

No. 280.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 491, dated 30th August 1882, Conductor J. Minty, Retired List, Commissariat Department, is permitted to reside and draw pension (£90 per annum) in England.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 281.—NATIVE ARMY—

22nd Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 485, Narayan Swami to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st December 1892.

29th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Seetaramasawmy to be Subadar .. .. Dated 1st March 1893.
Jemadar Muhammad Yusuf to be Subadar .. .. Dated 9th March 1893.
Havildar, No. 533, Muhammad Sulaiman to be Jemadar. Dated 1st March 1893.
Havildar, No. 662, Venketsawmy to be Jemadar .. Dated 9th March 1893.

No. 282.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant George Henry Priest, Barrack Department, Madras. } Dated 30th May 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 283.—Lieutenant T. D. Leslie, Indian Staff Corps, has been transferred by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to the Half-Pay list, with effect from the 24th March 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 284.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel C. H. Plowden, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st April 1893.

No. 285.—The services of Surgeon-Captain C. F. Fearnside are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Department.

No. 286.—The services of the undermentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India :—

Lieutenant M. A. B. Kappey, Indian Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry.
Lieutenant E. Codrington, Indian Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 287.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Captain H. A. Williams, in and out of India, on private affairs, for one year, from 15th May 1893.

Honorary Surgeon T. J. O'Donnell, M.D., out of India, on private affairs, for six months, from 1st May 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 30th May 1893.

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.						
17th May 1893.	Lieutenant.	H. J. Macleod.	1st Madras Pioneers.	..	2nd Jan. 1893.	Testate.	RS. A. P. 2,677 12 9	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 2,677 12 9	(Mother) Mrs. C. Macleod, 4, Fettes Row, Edinburgh.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

By order of the Provisional 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, 6th June 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 288.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Colonel W. Vertue, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Betul, Central Provinces, (p a.), for one year and 182 days, from or after 1st September 1893, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain H. N. Taylor, Indian Staff Corps, 30th Regiment (5th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry (m.c), for one year, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

Captain G. F. Watson, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department (m.c.), for one year—65 days under Rule I and the remainder under Rule VI of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 289.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel B. T. M. Gompertz, Indian Staff Corps, 4 months, m.c.

Lieutenant J. F. Barry, Indian Staff Corps, 4 months, m c.

Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m c. (This officer's permission to return to duty notified in G.O G. No 247 of 1893 is cancelled.)

No. 290.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough, out of India :—

Captain C. R. Keate, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, 31st Regiment (6th Burma Battalion), Light Infantry. } Rejoined his appointment on the 5th May 1893.

No. 291.—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 :—

Captain R. C Andrews, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, 2nd District, for one year. Pension service,—17th year, commenced 28th October 1892.

No. 292.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 66, dated 7th February 1893, the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India has granted Captain E. E. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers, leave out of India for six months on medical certificate, with effect from the 11th February 1893.

No. 293.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain N. S Swanston, Indian Staff Corps.

Captain G. Rippon, Indian Staff Corps.

Honorary Captain D. Mootham, Commissariat Department.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 294.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th May 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 494.—Lieutenant Leslie Hawthorne Marriott, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 6th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 13th October 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 295.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th May 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS.

No. 507.—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 1894, under the provisions of clause 115, India Army Circulars, 1888 :—

Medals inscribed "For Meritorious Service," with annuity.

No 523, Havildar-Major Saiyid Husain, 3rd Madras (Light) Infantry, *vice* Bugle-Major C. Ring, pensioned.

No. 2785, Havildar Shaikh Buddhan, 5th Madras Infantry, *vice* Havildar-Major Muhammad Shaliah, pensioned.

No. 465, Havildar Nizámuddín, 7th Madras Infantry, *vice* Havildar Saiyid Jáfar, pensioned.

No. 882, Color-Havildar Abdur Razak Khan, 9th Madras Infantry, *vice* No. 873, Havildar Veeraragooloo, deceased.

No. 1051, Havildar-Major Muhammad Sáhib, 28th Madras Infantry, *vice* Havildar Saiyid Kadír, pensioned.

Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," with gratuity.

No. 1346, Naick Rámratan, 1st Madras Lancers.
No. 1248, Private Etojee Rao, 1st Madras Lancers.
No. 1121, Private Saiyid Ibráhím, 2nd Madras Lancers.
No. 1166, Private Gangajee Rao, 2nd Madras Lancers.
No. 115, Private Saiyid Abdur Rahmán, 3rd Madras Lancers.
No. 92, Private Shaikh Haidar, 3rd Madras Lancers.
No. 218, Sapper Daniel, Madras Sappers and Miners (The Queen's Own).
No. 2915, Sapper Múrti, Madras Sappers and Miners (The Queen's Own).
No. 245, Private Illias Khan, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 246, Private Lazarus Peter, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 459, Private Usmán Khan, 2nd Madras Infantry.
No. 697, Private Jugganaickooloo, 2nd Madras Infantry.
No. 740, Private Ghafúr Khan, 3rd Madras (Light) Infantry.
No. 598, Private Shaikh Míran, 3rd Madras (Light) Infantry.
No. 759, Private Abdul Kádir, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 750, Private Lála Meyán, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 2868, Private Kistnaswamy, 5th Madras Infantry.
No. 2916, Private Gangaswamy, 5th Madras Infantry.
No. 1504, Private Naráyanaswamy, 6th Madras Infantry.
No. 1565, Private Appanoo, 6th Madras Infantry.
No. 412, Private Rungiah, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 408, Private Shaikh Sulaimán, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 405, Private Muhammad Yásín, 8th Madras Infantry.
No. 346, Private Abdul-Karím, 8th Madras Infantry.
No. 916, Private Muhammad Shaliah, 9th Madras Infantry.
No. 887, Private Nursiah, 9th Madras Infantry.
No. 510, Private Sashiah, 11th Madras Infantry.
No. 888, Private Shaikh Latif, 11th Madras Infantry.
No. 632, Private Muhammad Yákúb, 13th Madras Infantry.
No. 2712, Private Yenkiah, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 2746, Private Gabriel, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 409, Private Naráyanswamy, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 575, Private Kásim Sharif, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 1033, Private Shaikh Míran, 16th Madras Infantry.
No. 822, Private Veerapen, 16th Madras Infantry.
No. 2379, Private Curpanen, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 2369, Private Shaikh Súltán, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 59, Drummer Michael Diaz, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 3077, Private Mustan Khan, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 332, Private Curpanen, 20th Madras Infantry.
No. 1240, Private Abdul Ghani, 20th Madras Infantry.
No. 652, Private Muhammad Hayát, 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 38, Private Muhammad Sáhib, 22nd Madras Infantry.
No. 59, Private Gangiah, 22nd Madras Infantry.
No. 1824, Private Muhammad Usmán, 23rd Madras (Light) Infantry.
No. 1320, Private Chelmiah, 23rd Madras (Light) Infantry.
No. 166, Private Shaikh Husain, 24th Madras Infantry.
No. 200, Private Venketchellum, 24th Madras Infantry.
No. 730, Private Ramanah, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 749, Private Chowreemootoo, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 1219, Private Lachhmiah, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 469, Private Lachmonan, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 529, Private Yenkojee Rao, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 1258, Private Ahmad Sharif, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 986, Private Muhammad Safdar, 28th Madras Infantry.

No. 1950, Private Atchanah, 28th Madras Infantry.
No. 250, Private Anthony Jacob, 29th Madras Infantry.
No. 308, Private Gooranah, 29th Madras Infantry.

Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," without gratuity.

No. 1147, Private Rajanah, 3rd Madras (Light) Infantry.
No. 701, Naick Haidar Khan, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 887, Private Shashiah, 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).
No. 776, Private Naganah, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 367, Private Shaikh Yúsuf, 27th Madras Infantry.

No. 296.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 26th May 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 512.—*Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers*—

Frederick William Richards Fryer, Esquire, C.S.I., Officiating Chief Commissioner of Burma, to be Honorary Colonel.

No. 297.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 27th May 1893, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 20th May 1893.

No. 340.—The services of Colonel C. H Plowden are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 1st April 1893.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 298.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Havildar, No. 823, Ramasamy to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 15th May 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 299.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The retirement of Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Thomas, Indian Medical Service, has effect from the 12th May 1893, and not 1st April 1893 as notified in G.O.G. No. 253 of 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 300.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon-Captain F. J. Dewes, Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department.

No. 301.—The services of Lieutenant E. C. Creagh, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 302.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Captain A. M. Smith, out of India, on urgent private affairs for one year, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C. No. 121, dated 4th March 1892.

No. 303.—PROMOTIONS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Second Lieutenant H. W. Holland to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 13th June 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 304.—District Staff—

Colonel W. L. Ranking, General List Infantry, Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras District, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel G. C. Fenwick appointed Commandant, 13th Madras Infantry. Dated 1st June 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 305.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Laing, M.D., Indian Medical Department, Sanitary Commissioner, Madras (p.a.), for eighteen months, with effect from or after the 14th August 1893, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 306.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Surgeon-Major J. C. Marsden, Indian Medical Department, 6 months, m.c.
Lieutenant W. B. Young, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, Indian Staff Corps, one month, p.a.
Lieutenant W. E. Banbury, Indian Staff Corps, two months, p.a.

No. 307.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Surgeon-Captain H. Greany, M.D., Indian Medical Department.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 308.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th May 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 407.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough or leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

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Major T. T. Vaughan, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, First Class (m.c.), for six months.

No. 309.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd June 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Staff Corps.

No. 519.—Second Lieutenant Thomas Lane Ormiston, King's Own Scottish Borderers, Officiating Wing Officer, 26th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 5th April 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 310.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2nd June 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

Order of British India.

No. 538.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion in and admissions to the Order of British India, with effect from the 2nd June 1893 :—

Madras.

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Shaikh Mahtábdín, *Bahadur*, 31st Regiment (6th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar Purvarush Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), deceased.

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

Subadar-Major Bhagwán Singh, 30th Regiment (5th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Kristamah, *Bahadur*, late 37th Madras Infantry, deceased.

Subadar-Major Muhammad Sálár, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers), *vice* pensioned Subadar Abdul Kadir, *Bahadur*, 14th Madras Infantry, deceased.

No. 311.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 2nd June 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 540.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Joseph Coutts, Esquire, to be Captain, with effect from the 6th May 1893, *vice* White, transferred to the supernumerary list.

No. 541.—*Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps*—

Cornelius Edward Cardew, Esquire, to be Major, *vice* Innes, promoted.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 542.—*Rangoon Volunteer Artillery*—

Lieutenant Walter Saunders Paterson to be Captain, *vice* Fraser, promoted.

Second Lieutenant George Collingwood Kynoch to be Lieutenant, *vice* Paterson, promoted.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 312.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Havildar, No. 706, Chinnasamy to be Jemadar .. Dated 16th May 1893.

24th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdul Kyoom to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 2nd May 1893.
Havildar-Major, No. 377, Singaravail to be Jemadar .. }

29th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdur Razzak to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 21st May 1893.
Havildar, No. 675, Audinaroydoo to be Jemadar .. }

RETIREMENTS.

No. 313.—Surgeon-Colonel W. H. Roberts, M.D., Indian Medical Department, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st July 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 314.—OFFICERS—

The services of Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Macgregor, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, 43rd Gurkha (Rifle) Regiment of Bengal Infantry, Commandant, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, with effect from the 7th June 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 315.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Captain A. F. Clifford, out of India, on medical certificate, for six months, from the 1st June 1893.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

The leave out of India granted to Lieutenant J. G. Findlay in G.O.G. Nos. 344 and 599 of 1892 is extended to the 30th September 1893.

No. 316.—TRANSFERS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant J. J. Clarke is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain R. T. Denne is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, 9th June 1893.

With reference to the notifications published on pages 1518 and 63, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 29th November 1892 and 17th January 1893, respectively, calling for designs and models for a two-mule-army-service cart, the Secretary of State for India has been pleased to extend the period of submission of designs by intending competitors to 30th September 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

By order of the Provisional 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, 19*th June* 1893.

COMMANDS.

No. 317.—ARMY—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 256 of 1893, Major-General C. J. East, C.B., Commanding Secunderabad District, having returned from privilege leave on the 19th instant, will assume Command of the Madras Army accordingly as Provisional Commander-in-Chief.

Ootacamund, 20*th June* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 318.—In G.O.G. No. 288 of 1893, granting Captain G. F. Watson furlough out of India, *for* "65 days" *read* "165 days."

No. 319.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 106, dated 28th February 1893, Lieutenant J. W. H. Lyon, Leinster Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry, has been granted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India leave out of India for six months on medical certificate, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he quitted India.

No. 320.—Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary G. W. Mills, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted leave from the 25th February to the 1st March 1893, both days inclusive, in extension of that allowed him in G.O.G. No. 79 of 1892.

No. 321.—Conductor S. Collard, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted leave in India (m c.), for 3 months, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 322.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th June 1893, is republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 554.—Second Lieutenant William Cumberland Nicholson, Connaught Rangers, Wing Officer, 3rd Madras Infantry, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 31st October 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 323.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 9th June 1893, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 564.—The undermentioned Officers of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the date specified:—

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9*th June* 1893.

Colonel William Charles Plant.

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No. 324.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th June 1893, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 8th June 1893.

No. 288.—The services of Surgeon-Captain F. J. Dewes, I.M.S. (Madras), are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma.

POLICE.

No. 262.—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 E. Codrington, I.S.C., 31st Madras Infantry.
Lieutenant M. A. B. Kappey, I.S.C., 26th Madras Infantry.

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No. 265.—The services of Lieutenant A. W. Leonard, I.S.C., 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, Commandant, Pakôkku Military Police Battalion, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 12th August 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 325.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

Conductor Patrick Kilcoin, 1st-Class Barrack Master, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 20th June 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 326.—OFFICERS—

The services of Second Lieutenant C. B. Monypenny, 16th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 327.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Captain H. J. Thompson, out of India, on private affairs, for fourteen months, from the 14th June 1893.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Lieutenant G. R. Pearse, out of India, for six months, from the 2nd June 1893, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.G. No. 269 of 1892.

No. 328.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Second Lieutenant H. J. C. Gompertz to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Second Lieutenant G. R. Pearse to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain A. G. Cardew, C.S., to be Major, to fill an existing vacancy.
Lieutenant J. G. Findlay to be Captain, *vice* Cardew, promoted.
Lieutenant A. C. Griffin to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy.
Second Lieutenant F. L. Sharp to be Lieutenant, *vice* Findlay, promoted.
Second Lieutenant L. Gordon to be Lieutenant, *vice* Griffin, promoted.
Second Lieutenants F. T. Fellowes Wilson and A. T. Winn to be Lieutenants, to fill existing vacancies.

No. 329.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Surgeon-Major J. Maitland, M.D., is permitted to resign his appointment as Honorary Surgeon at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, 9th June 1893.

With reference to the notifications published on pages 1518 and 68, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 29th November 1892 and 17th January 1893, respectively, calling for designs and models for a two-mule-army-service cart, the Secretary of State for India has been pleased to extend the period of submission of designs by intending competitors to 30th September 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
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By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

HUGH P. PEARSON, Brigadier-General,
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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 27th June 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 330.—Captain H. D. Gerrard, Indian Staff Corps, Station Staff Officer, Vellore, is granted leave to proceed out of India (British North America) for 288 days, with effect from the 15th July 1893 to the 28th April 1894 inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, pending retirement from the service on the 29th April 1894. Pension service,—20th year, commenced 29th April 1893.

No. 331.—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 G. A. Welman, Indian Staff Corps, 13th Madras Infantry, for six months. Pension service,—16th year, commenced 11th September 1892.

Lieutenant F. W. Bagshawe, Indian Staff Corps, 29th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 22nd August 1892.

No. 332.—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:—

Captain G. S. Kerrich, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—16th year, commenced 1st May 1893.

No. 333.—Lieutenant E. T. Browne, East Lancashire Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 6th Madras Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England (m.c.), under para. 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 4th February 1893.

No. 334.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty:—

Lieutenant A. P. D. C. Stuart, Indian Staff Corps.
Conductor T. Crouch, Barrack Department, Madras.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 335.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 12th May 1893, is republished:—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 448.—Lieutenant R. G. Ouseley, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 4 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India (p.a.) from the 10th June to the 30th September 1893, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 336.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1893, are republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 571.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant Aymer Acton Ainslie, Royal Scots Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 26th Madras Infantry,—18th May 1892.

Second Lieutenants—

Ernest Bird Barratt, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Officiating Wing Officer, 29th Madras Infantry,—7th December 1891.

Kenlis Edward Nangle, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Officiating Wing Officer, 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent,—5th March 1892.

Second Lieutenants Barratt and Nangle will rank as Lieutenants in the Indian Staff Corps from the above dates, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 573.—Second Lieutenant R. J. Ross, who has been appointed to the Unattached List of the British Army for service in the Indian Staff Corps, has been posted to the Madras Presidency, with effect from the date of his arrival in India.

No. 337.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS.

No. 590.—In continuation of G.G.O. No. 507, dated the 26th May 1893, the undermentioned sepoy of the Madras Army is granted a medal inscribed "for long service and good conduct," with gratuity, under the provisions of clause 115, India Army Circulars, 1888 :—

No. 722, Private Musliah, 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

No. 338.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 16th June 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 595.—*Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps*—

Bernard William Cantopher, Esquire, to be Captain, *vice* Phillips, transferred to the Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 596.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Second Lieutenant Henry Hoyne-Fox to be Captain, *vice* Clague, transferred to the Supernumerary List.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 598.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Second Lieutenant W. Spears resigns his commission.

No. 339.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 17th June 1893, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 16th June 1893.

No. 276.—The services of Lieutenant W. R. Stone, I.S.C., 25th Madras Infantry, Assistant Commandant, Katha Military Police Battalion, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 15th instant.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 340.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 30th May and 3rd June 1893, are republished :—

India Office, 30th May 1893.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

Lieutenant Cyril Compton Jackson, from the Border Regiment. Dated 26th August 1891, but to rank from 9th July 1890.

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Lieutenant Charles Douglas Field, from the Devonshire Regiment. Dated 22nd September 1891, but to rank from 25th March 1891.

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Lieutenant Arthur Jeffreys Ralph, from the Royal Irish Regiment. Dated 12th August 1891, but to rank from 29th April 1891.

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The Queen has approved of the retirement from the service of the undermentioned Officer of the Madras Subordinate Medical Department :—

Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, James Anderson. Dated 4th March 1893.

War Office, 3*rd June* 1893.

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of Her Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honorable Order of the Bath :

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Honorable Order, viz. :—

* * * * *

General Sir William Montagu Scott McMurdo, K.C.B.
General Lord Mark Kerr, K.C.B.

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honorable Order, viz. :—

* * * * *

General Robert White, C.B.

* * * * *

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

* * * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Theophilus Higginson, Indian Staff Corps.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel James Henry Gordon, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 341.—NATIVE ARMY—

28th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Sulaiman Khan to be Subadar .. .. Dated 1st June 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 342.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The retirement of Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Thomas, Indian Medical Service, has effect from the 13th May 1893 and not 12th May 1893, as notified in G.O.G. No. 299 of 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 343.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant G. L. Carter, Indian Staff Corps, 12th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 344.—The services of Lieutenant F. J. Wallis, Indian Staff Corps, 15th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 345.—APPOINTMENTS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Evans Ellis Davies to be Honorary Captain and Paymaster, *vice* Darling.

No. 346.—PROMOTIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain J. A. Dalziel to be Major, *vice* Macrae, promoted.
Honorary Captain and Paymaster R. W. L. Darling to be Captain, *vice* Dalziel, promoted.

No. 347.—RESIGNATIONS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain W. A. Symonds (Unattached List) is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Ootacamund, 9th June 1893.

With reference to the notifications published on pages 1518 and 68, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 29th November 1892 and 17th January 1893, respectively, calling for designs and models for a two-mule-army-service cart, the Secretary of State for India has been pleased to extend the period of submission of designs by intending competitors to 30th September 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
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Ootacamund, 4th July 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 348.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The date of arrival at Bombay of Surgeon-Lieutenant J. P. Morton is 22nd April 1893 and not 26th April 1893 as notified in G.O.G. No. 257 of 1893.

No. 349.—PERSONAL STAFF—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 317 of 1893, the following appointments have been made on the Personal Staff of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief :—

Dated 20th June 1893.

Major R. G. Kekewich, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Military Secretary.
Captain A. H. B. Cavaye, "King's Own" Scottish Borderers, to be Aide-de-Camp.

No. 350.—In so much of G.O.G. No. 266 of 1893 as refers to Captain A. H. B. Cavaye, "King's Own" Scottish Borderers, *dele* the words "and Interpreter."

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 351.—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 A. W. L. Anderson, General List, Infantry, Commandant, 3rd Madras Light Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—34th year, commenced 15th January 1893.

No. 352.—Colonel H. F. H. Sewell, Indian Staff Corps, Superintendent of Family Payments and Pensions, Madras, is granted privilege leave for sixty days, with effect from the 24th July 1893, or date of departure; Captain W. H. Lowry, Garrison Quarter Master, Fort St. George, performing the duties of the appointment on Colonel Sewell's responsibility.

No. 353.—Captain A. B. Elton, Yorkshire Regiment, Adjutant, Coorg and Mysore Rifles, is granted accumulated privilege leave for ninety days, with effect from 26th June 1893, or date of departure.

No. 354.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 158, dated 21st March 1893, Lieutenant W. H. F. Basevi, South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 23rd Regiment, Light Infantry, has been granted, by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, leave out of India for six months on medical certificate, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he quitted India.

No. 355.—The leave out of India granted to Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 7th Madras Infantry, in G.O.G. No. 207 of 1892, should reckon from the 14th March 1892 and not from the 13th idem as therein notified.

No. 356.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 357.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd June 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 603.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Second Lieutenants—

Henry Cecil Beadon, Derbyshire Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 17th Madras Infantry,—1st May 1892.

Sisley Richard Davidson, Somersetshire Light Infantry, Officiating Wing Officer, 27th Madras Infantry,—3rd June 1892.

Second Lieutenants Beadon and Davidson will rank as Lieutenants in the Indian Staff Corps from the above dates, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 358.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd June 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 607.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant A. R. Burlton, Indian Staff Corps, 32nd Bengal Infantry, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, Commissariat-Transport Department in India (m.c.), for four months.

No. 359.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd June 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 610.—Sub-Conductor John Williams, on probation, is confirmed in his present grade, with effect from the 1st March 1893.

No. 360.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 23rd June 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 613.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the admission to the 3rd Class of the Order of Merit of the undermentioned non-commissioned officer of the 10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry :—

No. 737, Havildar Harak Singh Gurung.—For conspicuous gallantry in action near old Fort White, in the Chin Hills, on the 9th October 1892, on which occasion, when the party of which he was in command fell into a Chin ambush and sustained heavy loss from the fire of the concealed enemy, he evinced great coolness and judgment, successfully extricated the survivors from a situation of great difficulty, and brought off all the wounded.

No. 361.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 24th June 1893, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 23rd June 1893.

No. 1078-*G.*—The following appointments are made in the Central India Horse :—

* * * * *

2nd Regiment.

* * * * *

Captain C. V. F. Townshend, Indian Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 1st Regiment, to be Squadron Commander, substantive *pro tempore*, *vice* Captain Robertson, and with effect from the 4th October 1892.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 362.—NATIVE ARMY—

Burma Company "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar Francis to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 18th February 1893.
Lance Havildar, No. 19, Maung Po Ton to be Jemadar .. }

2nd Madras Infantry.

Subadar Sulaiman Khan (38th Madras Infantry) to be Subadar-Major (with effect from the date of joining), in recognition of his distinguished conduct in the Chin Hills.

17th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 3778, Hem Singh to be Jemadar .. Dated 11th June 1893.

25th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Shaikh Imam to be Subadar .. .. }
Jemadar Abdur Rahman Sharif to be Subadar .. } Dated 1st June 1893.
Havildar, No. 1104, Raza Khan to be Jemadar .. }
Havildar-Major, No. 898, Abdul Karim to be Jemadar .. }
Havildar, No. 1184, Govindsawmy to be Jemadar .. Dated 3rd June 1893.

33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 24, Bariam Singh to be Jemadar .. Dated 15th February 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 363.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon-Captain C. L. Williams, Indian Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

No. 364.—The services of Lieutenant A. A. Jones, 2nd Madras Lancers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 365.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 339 of 1893, the services of Lieutenant W. R. Stone, Indian Staff Corps, 25th Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 366.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant H. Chaney, in India, on private affairs, from 7th January to 7th May 1893.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant Lawrie Gordon, in India, for six months, from 1st July 1893.

No. 367.—TRANSFERS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant H. Chaney is transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the 8th May 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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NO: 664. — Officers. —

The Services of Surgeon-Captains P. C. H. Strickland and W. D. Sutherland, Indian Medical Service, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department.

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Ootacamund, 11th July 1893.

FUNDS.

No. 368.—MEDICAL—

The two large annuities and one extra small annuity of the 1st July 1893 are disposed of as follows :—

Large Annuities.

Retired Surgeon-Colonel W. H. Roberts, M.D. .. .. From the 1st July 1893.

N.B.—One large and one extra small annuity of July 1893 are available.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 369.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain G. V. Burrows, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m c.
Lieutenant G. A. Ward, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

No. 370.—So much of G.O.G. No. 171 of 1893, as grants furlough out of India to Major G. S. Baugh, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is cancelled.

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 A. H. Williams, Indian Staff Corps, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 7th February 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 372.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 621.—Lieutenant F. C. Rampini, Indian Staff Corps, 14th Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, with effect from the 12th May 1893. (Joined his appointment on the 31st May 1893.)

No. 622.—Lieutenant F. W. Hawks, Indian Staff Corps, 19th Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, with effect from the 12th May 1893. (Joined his appointment on the 12th June 1893.)

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

1st Infantry.

No. 623.—Second Lieutenant A. T. Kirkwood, Leinster Regiment, a candidate for the Indian Staff Corps in the Madras Presidency, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 15th June 1893.

5th Infantry.

No 624.—Lieutenant C. G. R. Smith, Welsh Regiment, a candidate for the Indian Staff Corps in the Madras Presidency, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 19th June 1893.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 628.—Second Lieutenant William Robert Boyle Colan, West Yorkshire Regiment, Wing Officer, 13th Madras Infantry, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is

admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 14th December 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 373.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1893, is republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 644.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Captain L. L. Downes resigns his commission.

No. 374.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 1st July 1893, is republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 27th June 1893.

No. 341.—The services of Surgeon-Captain C. L. Williams, M.D., I.M.S. (Madras), are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 375.—NATIVE ARMY—

6th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Salia Beg to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 21st June 1893.
Havildar, No. 1795, Cawmiah to be Jemadar .. .. }

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 376.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Proudfoot, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st July 1893.

No. 377.—The services of Captain H. Thornton, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief.

No. 378.—The services of Second Lieutenant H. Macdonald, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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Ootacamund, 18*th July* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 379.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel J. W. Macdougall, Indian Staff Corps, three months, m.c.
Captain E. E. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

No. 380.—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 20th April 1893 :—

Captain H. Thornton, Indian Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—13th year, commenced 11th August 1892.

No. 381.—Sub-Conductor James Tully, Ordnance Department, Madras. is granted leave in India (m.c.), for one year, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 382.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 7th July 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 646.—Lieutenant G. Moberly, Indian Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, with effect from the 12th May 1893. (Joined his appointment on the 19th June 1893.)

No. 383.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 8th July 1893, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 7th July 1893.

No. 784.—The services of Captain H. Thornton, 7th Madras Infantry, late Cantonment Magistrate of Rangoon, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he relinquished charge of his office.

POLICE.

The 7th July 1893.

No. 319.—The services of the undermentioned Officers of the Indian Staff Corps are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as Assistant Commandants in the Upper Burma Military Police :—

* * * * *

Lieutenant F. J. Wallis, 15th Madras Infantry.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 384.—NATIVE ARMY—

20th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Appanah to be Subadar	Dated 21st February 1893.
Jemadar Muhammad Shamsher to be Subadar	Dated 11th March 1893.
Jemadar Shaikh Ismail to be Subadar	Dated 19th April 1893.
Havildar-Major, No. 839, Davasagoyem to be Jemadar ..	Dated 21st February 1893.
Havildar, No. 846, Venketsawmy to be Jemadar ..	Dated 11th March 1893.
Havildar, No. 1618, Venketsawmy to be Jemadar ..	
Havildar, No. 1975, Ahmad Sharif to be Jemadar ..	Dated 30th April 1893.

28th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1773, Lachmanarainah to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st June 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 385.—OFFICERS—

The services of Captain H. L. B. Acton, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 386.—The services of Lieutenant T. L. Ormiston, Indian Staff Corps, 26th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 387.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant E. C Edwards, in India, on private affairs, for one year, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.G. No. 344 of 1892.

No. 388.—TRANSFERS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Captain G. B. Lambert is transferred from the Supernumerary to the Unattached List, with effect from the 11th August 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 18th July 1893.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officer on the date specified has been received in the Military (Estate) Department :—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
European Artillery Veteran Company.	Bombardier James Murphy, No. 2746.*	16th June 1893 ..	Pallavaram ..	Testate.

* Estate made over to the deceased's widow 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 the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Ootacamund, 25th July 1893.

No. 389.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Colonel F. Smalley, General List, Infantry, 6 months, m.c.

No. 390.—Colonel G. Lecky, Indian Staff Corps, is permitted to reside out of India, under article 738 (*a*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, with effect from or after the 20th July 1893. Pension service,—33rd year, commenced 22nd December 1892.

No. 391.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India:—

Captain G. H. H. Couchman, D.S.O., 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, Burma (m.c.), for six months, under article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 392.—The undermentioned Officers and Honorary Commissioned Officer have returned from furlough out of India:—

Captain N. S. Swanston, Indian Staff Corps	Arrived at Bombay on the 9th July 1893.
Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quarter Master, 15th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 9th July 1893.
Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary D. G. Mootham, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, attached to the Reserve Remount Depôt, Ahmednagar.	Rejoined his appointment on the 27th June 1893.

No. 393.—Honorary Captain H. Hann, Deputy Assistant Commissary, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (p.a.) for 94 days, from 1st August to 2nd November 1893, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, pending retirement.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 394.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 14th July 1893, are republished:—

REWARDS.

Good Conduct Medals.

No. 681.—The following corrections are made in G.G.O. No. 507 of 1893*:—

Under the heading Medals inscribed for "Long Service and Good Conduct," with gratuity.

For "No. 750, Private Lála Meyán, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers)," *read* "No. 750, Private Sala Miyan, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers)."

For "No. 1565, Private Appanoo, 6th Madras Infantry," *read* "No. 1565, Private Appavoo, 6th Madras Infantry."

No. 682.—With reference to the addendum (dated 31st July 1890) to paragraph 16, clause 115, India Army Circulars, 1888, the following alteration is made in G.G.O. No. 507 of 1893*:—

Under the heading Medals inscribed for "Long Service and Good Conduct," with gratuity.

For "No. 59, Private Gangiah, 22nd Madras Infantry," *read* "No. 44, Private Venkiah, 22nd Madras Infantry."

* Madras G.O.G. No. 295 of 1893.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 683.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion in the Order of British India, with effect from the 3rd June 1893 :—

MADRAS.

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

Subadar Abdul Aziz, *Bahadur*, 8th Madras Infantry, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Andinaroydoo, *Sardar Bahadur*, deceased,—18th March 1893.

No. 395.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 15th July 1893, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 8th July 1893.

No. 793.—The services of Captain E. H. Bernard, 6th Punjab Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as Cantonment Magistrate, Mandalay.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 10th July 1893.

No. 1176-*G.*—Surgeon-Major A. Adams, M.D., Indian Medical Service (Madras), Residency Surgeon in the Western States of Rajputana, is appointed to officiate as Residency Surgeon and Chief Medical Officer in Rajputana, with effect from the date of assuming charge, and during the absence of Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel J. H Newman, M.D., whose services have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Home Department, or until further orders.

The 13th July 1893.

No. 1186-*G.*—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department :—

Consequent on the grant of special leave to Captain L. S. Newmarch, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 29th March 1893,—

* * * * *

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class;

* * * * *

Consequent on the return from foreign service of Lieutenant J. Manners Smith, V.C, Indian Staff Corps, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and his promotion (hereby made) to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 19th April 1893,—

* * * * *

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to revert to Officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class;

* * * * *

Consequent on the appointment of Mr. G. R. Irwin, Indian Civil Service, Officiating Political Agent of the 1st Class, to be an additional Political Agent of the 1st Class, and with effect from the 20th April 1893,—

* * * * *

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class;

* * * * *

Consequent on the return from special leave of Captain W. H. M. Stewart, Indian Staff Corps, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and his promotion (hereby made) to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 24th April 1893,—

* * * * *

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to revert to Officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class;

* * * * *

Consequent on the grant of special leave to Colonel F. A. Wilson, Indian Staff Corps, Political Agent of the 1st Class, and with effect from the 27th April 1893,—

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Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Political Assistant of the 1st Class;

* * * * *

Consequent on the appointment of Major J. H. Sadler, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Agent of the 2nd Class, to officiate as a Resident of the 2nd Class, and with effect from the 4th June 1893,—

* * * * *

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class;

* * * * *

Consequent on the re-appointment of Major J. H. Sadler, Indian Staff Corps, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, and with effect from the date on which he may resume charge of the office of Political Agent at Muscat,—

* * * * *

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, to revert to Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class;

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 396.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 27th June 1893, are republished :—

India Office, 27*th June* 1893.

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 William Robert Walker, from the Derbyshire Regiment. Dated 6th October 1891, but to rank from 23rd March 1890.

* * * * *

Second Lieutenant Alfred Gilbert Crocker, from the Royal Artillery. Dated 5th October 1891.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Surgeon-Majors to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels.

Dated 1st April 1893.

William Richard Browne, M.D.
Arthur Henry Leapingwell.

Surgeon-Captains to be Surgeon-Majors.

Dated 2nd April 1893.

Arthur George Edward Newland.
Arthur Theophilus Lodge Patch.
Ronald Ross.
Charles Adams.
Jamshedji Khurshedji Kanga.
Alfred James O'Hara.

MADRAS SUBORDINATE MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant.

Apothecary, First Grade, Henry Wells. Dated 4th March 1893.

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

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel James Byers Thomas. Dated 1st April 1893.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 397.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Surgeon-Colonel.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel D. F. Bateman, Indian Medical Service, with effect from 1st July 1893, *vice* Surgeon-Colonel W. H. Roberts, M.D., retired.

No. 398.—NATIVE ARMY—

19*th Madras Infantry.*

Jemadar Shaikh Abdullah to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 516, Muhammad Ali Khan to be Jemadar. } Dated 1st July 1893.

24th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 710, B. David to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 13th July 1893.

27th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 838, Yusuf Sharif to be Jemadar .. Dated 16th June 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 399.—OFFICERS—

With reference to Political Department Notification No. 5, dated 19th July 1893, the services of Captain A. H. Kellie, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 13th July 1893.

No. 400.—The services of Lieutenant C. V. Mainwaring, Indian Staff Corps, 14th Regiment, Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 401.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant H. W. Holland, for 4 months, out of India, on private affairs, from 1st August 1893, or date of departure.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 1st August 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 402.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty:—

Colonel R. Thompson, Royal Engineers.

No. 403.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Major D. D. Pryce, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 9th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 25th June 1893.
Captain G. Rippon, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 29th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 11th July 1893.
Lieutenant W. A. Oswald, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quarter Master, 33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 4th July 1893.
Lieutenant A. P. D. C. Stuart, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, sub. *pro tem.*, 26th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 9th July 1893.

No. 404.—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 R. de L. Faunce, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service, 6th year,—commenced 17th September 1892.

No. 405.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 403.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 21st July 1893, are republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY REMOUNT DEPARTMENT.

No 689.—Captain A. P. Westlake, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, Superintendent of the Hapur Remount Depôt, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 3rd December 1892, *vice* Major H. N. Webb, vacated.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No 693—*5th Infantry*—

Second Lieutenant W. L. Cotton, Yorkshire Light Infantry, a candidate for the Indian Staff Corps in the Madras Presidency, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 12th July 1893.

QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, INTELLIGENCE BRANCH.

No. 697.—Captain G. H. H. Couchman, D.S.O., Somersetshire Light Infantry, Officiating Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, Burma, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, Burma, *vice* Captain G. V. Burrows, resigned, with effect from the 18th April 1893.

No. 698.—Captain H. B. Walker, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Staff Captain, to officiate as Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, Burma, *vice* Captain Couchman, on sick leave, with effect from the 19th April 1893.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 699.—Lieutenant Richard Sylvester Phillips, Yorkshire Light Infantry, Officiating Wing Officer, 15th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 25th June 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 700.—The undermentioned officers, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant William Beadon, King's Own Scottish Borderers, Wing Officer, 4th Sikh Infantry,—4th December 1891.

Second Lieutenant James Arthur Bliss, Middlesex Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 21st Madras Infantry,—4th December 1891.

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

No. 407.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 21st July 1893, are republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 707.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Dated 20th July 1893.

Spencer Richard Rawlinson, D.S.O.

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COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 708.—Colonel William John Seaton, Indian Staff Corps, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 20th July 1893.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 710.—Store Sergeant Isaac William Seymore to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 29th April 1893, *vice* Sub-Conductor J. H. Aggas, deceased.

No. 408.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 22nd July 1893, is republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 15th July 1893.

No. 828.—The services of Captain H. L. B. Acton, 1st Madras Lancers, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as Cantonment Magistrate, Rangoon.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 409.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Arnachellum to be Subadar-Major
Jemadar Devasagayem to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 887, Rungasamy to be Jemadar
} Dated 16th July 1893.

13th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Mootoonaidoo to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 1075, Abdur Rahman Khan to be Jemadar.
} Dated 2nd June 1893.

14th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Moonesawmy to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 3329, Moonesawmy to be Jemadar
} Dated 7th June 1893.

15th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Muhammad Yusuf to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 859, Rahman Khan to be Jemadar
} Dated 15th July 1893.

No. 410.—Subordinate Medical Department—

The undermentioned Military Pupils having passed their final examination are admitted into the service as Sub-Assistant Apothecaries, with effect from the 30th June 1893 :—

J. D. Rodriguez.
L. L. Carlos.
W. R. D'Sylva.
F. K. D'Santos.

No. 411.—The undermentioned Native Military Pupils having passed their final examination are admitted into the service as Sub-Hospital Assistants from 30th June 1893, and promoted to the rank of Third-grade Hospital Assistants, with effect from the 1st July 1893 :—

J. M. Ponnusawmy, No. 1237.
Mahomed Hussain, No. 1238.
V. P. Annasawmy Pillay, No. 1239.
T. Gopaulsawmy Naidu, No. 1240.
J. D. Swamidoss Pillai, No. 1241.
P. Raman Menon, No. 1242.
M. Varadarajulu Naicker, No. 1243.
T. J. Padmanabham Naidu, No. 1244.
N. Vigiaraghava Moodelly, No. 1245.
T. A. Ramachendram, No. 1246.
P. Sambasiva Pillay, No. 1247.
S. D. Jesudoss Nadar, No. 1248.
Robert Sahu, No. 1249.
P. K. Kelappen, No. 1250.
T. Periyanayagum Pillay, No. 1251.
M. Kader Sheriff, No. 1252.
K. Lakshminarayana Sawmy, No. 1253.
P. K. Bappu, No. 1254.
P. Heralaul, No. 1255.
C. Visuvasam, No. 1256.
M. Kelu, No. 1257.
T. C. Rajarathnam Pillay, No. 1258.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 412.—Leave—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant D. G. Hatchell, out of India, on private affairs for 4 months, from 25th July 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 24th July 1893.

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.	Name and address of the deceased's relatives.
	Rank.	Name.	Corps.	General number, if a soldier.						
							Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
19th July 1893.	Lieutenant.	Charles Francis Gisborne.	2nd Battalion, The Royal Scots.	..	27th Dec. 1892.	No will found.	729 7 5	..	729 7 5	(Father) T. M. Gisborne, Walton-Burton-on-Trent.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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Ootacamund, 8th August 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 413.—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, 2nd Battalion, The Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), to be extra Aide-de-Camp. Dated 10th November 1892.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 414.—Colonel H. S. Stewart, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, Madras Volunteer Guards, is granted privilege leave for 60 days, with effect from 7th August 1893 or date of departure.

No. 415.—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, 2 months, m.c.
Captain F. Churchill, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant F. H. S. Thomas, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.

No. 416.—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 :—

Captain R. D. Burlton, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers, for one year. Pension service,—15th year, commenced 22nd January 1893.

No. 417.—Lieutenant W. A. Oswald, Indian Staff Corps, 33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, is granted leave for three days, viz., from the 1st to 3rd July 1893 inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that notified in G.O.G. Nos. 27 and 607 of 1892.

No. 418.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant J. W. H. Lyon, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 419.—Lieutenant H. P. Thurnall, York and Lancaster Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England (m.c.), under para. 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 13th November 1892.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 420.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 7th July 1893, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th July 1893.

* * * * *

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 :—

* * * * *

W. C. W. Harrison, The Prince of Wales' Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).

* * * * *

The undermentioned Deputy Assistant Commissaries, Madras Establishment, are granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 21st February 1893 :—

Thomas Clarke.
George Gibson Splane.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant-General William Osborn is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 10th June 1893.

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Ootacamund, 5th August 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 421.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Lancers.

Drill Havildar, No. 1427, Abdur Razzak to be Jemadar (Supernumerary until absorbed). } Dated 6th July 1893.

2nd Madras Lancers.

Subadar Ramchunder Rao to be Subadar-Major ..
Jemadar Muhammad Ghaus to be Subadar .. ..
Regimental Havildar-Major, No. 1326, Kadir Sharif to be Jemadar. } Dated 19th July 1893.

3rd Madras Light Infantry.

Jemadar Abdul Majid to be Subadar .. ..
Havildar, No. 1056, Abdus Sattar to be Jemadar ..
Havildar, No. 1048, Roodriah to be Jemadar .. .. } Dated 1st February 1893.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 670, Maduray to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 4th June 1893.

No. 422.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Second-grade Senior Apothecary (Supernumerary) S. C. White (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) to be First-grade Senior Apothecary, with effect from the 12th April 1893, *vice* First-grade Senior Apothecary J. Chadwick, deceased.

Second-grade Senior Apothecary T. Todd (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) to be First-grade Senior Apothecary, with effect from the 12th April 1893, *vice* First-grade Senior Apothecary White, Supernumerary.

First-grade Apothecary D. O'Leary to be Second-grade Senior Apothecary and to rank as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 12th April 1893, *vice* Second-grade Senior Apothecary Todd, promoted.

(G.O.G. No. 238 of 2nd May 1893 is hereby cancelled.)

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 423.—OFFICERS—

G.O.G. No. 400 of 1893, placing the services of Lieutenant C. V. Mainwaring, Indian Staff Corps, 14th Madras Infantry, at the disposal of the Government of India, is cancelled.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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Ootacamund, 15th August 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 424.—Medical Department—

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Dobie, Indian Medical Service, Superintendent, Lunatic Asylum, Madras, and Acting Principal Medical Storekeeper, to be Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel D. F. Bateman. Dated 1st July 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 425.—Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel S. L. Dobie, Indian Medical Service, Principal Medical Storekeeper, Madras, is granted privilege leave for sixty days, from the 1st August 1893 or date of departure ; Surgeon-Captain D. Simpson, Indian Medical Department, performing the duties of the appointment on Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel Dobie's responsibility.

No. 426.—Captain N. S. Swanston, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted an extension of leave for two days, without pay, under Rule VIII of the Furlough Regulations of 1875.

No. 427.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Surgeon-Captain H. Greany, M.D., Indian Medical Service.	Arrived at Bombay on the 17th June 1893.
Conductor T. Crouch, Barrack Department	Rejoined his appointment on the 1st August 1893.

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 28th July 1893 :—

Surgeon-Major R. H. Cama, Indian Medical Service, 9th Madras Infantry, for six months. Pension service, 14th year,—commenced 13th May 1893.

No. 429.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Walker, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.
Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Indian Staff Corps, 11 days, p.a.

No. 430.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 431.—The privilege leave for one month and sixteen days, from 12th December 1892 granted to Lieutenant G. Lubbock, R.E., Military Works Department, by the General Officer Commanding Madras District, is commuted into general leave, under Article 702 (*b*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 432.—Sub-Conductor W. H. Francke, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted leave in India (m.c.) for six months, under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 433.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th August 1893, is republished :—

FIELD OPERATIONS.

Burma.

No. 733.—The Most Hon'ble the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the subjoined correspondence, including a letter from the Adjutant-General in India, submitting, under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief in India, despatches received from the Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army and the General Officer Commanding the Burma district describing the operations carried out in the Northern Chin Hills during the cold season of 1892-93.

No. 2448-B.—"*Field Operations—Burma*,"—dated 27th July 1893.

From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department,
To—The Adjutant-General in India.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 4052-A, dated the 1st instant, forwarding, for submission to the Government of India, Brigadier-General Palmer's despatch describing his operations in the Northern Chin Hills during the cold season of 1892-93.

2. In reply, I am to state, for the information of the Commander-in-Chief, that the Government of India concur in the opinion expressed by His Excellency as to the satisfactory result of these operations, the vigorous manner in which they were conducted by Brigadier-General Palmer, and the excellent conduct of the troops employed.

3. The despatch will be published in an early Gazette.

No. 4052-A.—"*Field Operations—Burma*," dated Simla, the 1st July 1893.

From—Major-General W. Galbraith, C.B., Adjutant-General in India,
To—The 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 Government and publication in the *Gazette of India* the accompanying despatch* from Brigadier-General A. P. Palmer, C.B., commanding the Myingyan district, descriptive of the operations carried out under his direction in the Chin Hills during the cold season of 1892-93.

* No. 218-B, dated 27th March 1893, with return of casualties and skeleton map.

2. The service on which the troops were engaged entailed considerable loss, and was extremely trying and laborious; but toils and hardships were encountered in an admirable spirit, and the recalcitrant tribes were reduced to a state of subjugation never before attained, as evinced by the surrender of 1,056 fire arms up to the 16th June, with a prospect of further disarmament before the close of the year.

3. His Excellency attributes these gratifying results to the vigorous conduct of operations by Brigadier-General Palmer and the untiring energy and perseverance of all ranks under his command, which allowed the Chins no rest, but incessantly harassed and dispersed them until they were driven to tender submission.

No. 2437-W.—"*Field Operations—Burma*,"—dated Ootacamund, the 2nd June 1893.

From—Major-Genl. R. C. Stewart, C.B., Provisional Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army,
To—The Adjutant-General in India.

I have the honour to forward herewith letter No. 747-A, dated the 21st April 1893, with enclosures, from the General Officer Commanding the Burma district, submitting a report by Brigadier-General A. P. Palmer, C.B., of the operations on the Chin Hills during the season 1892-93, together with letter No. 2188-C, enclosing a list of officers considered specially deserving of reward for good service rendered during the late operations.

No. 747-A, dated Rangoon, the 21st April 1893.

From—Major-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., Commanding the Burma District,
To—The Adjutant-General, Madras Army.

I have the honour to forward a report by Brigadier-General A. P. Palmer, C.B, of the operations on the Chin Hills during the season 1892-93.

2. Brigadier-General Palmer's report relates the circumstances under which the outbreak of the Siyins originated and the progress of the operations, and it is with as much pride as satisfaction that I now express my great appreciation of the gallantry of the troops.

3. It will be seen that the casualties have been exceptionally severe, and no operations can be carried on in the Chin country without excessive hardships. I trust, therefore, that I may with confidence anticipate an expression of satisfaction from higher authority on the conduct of the troops.

4. I shall in another letter submit Brigadier-General Palmer's recommendations for rewards to officers and others who have distinguished themselves, and it only remains for me to express my great satisfaction with the manner in which these operations have been conducted by Brigadier-General Palmer. He at once appreciated the importance of occupying the vantage points of the tract in rebellion, and the result has been the submission of the tribes and the taking of 1,080† guns, which more than doubled the number originally estimated under the most sanguine computations. I have also to thank Brigadier-General Palmer not only for his admirable conduct of the operations, but for his thoughtful care of the soldiers under him, and for the personal supervision by which he maintained all subsidiary departments in a state of energy and efficiency.

† 1,158 guns up to 19th April.

No. 218-R.—"*Field Operations—Chin Hills,*"—dated Fort White, the 27th March 1893.

From—Brigadier-General A. P. Palmer, C.B., Commanding the Myingyan District,
To—The Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District.

I have the honour to submit the following report of the late field operations in the Chin Hills.

2. It will be remembered that at the close of last open season it was necessary to withdraw our troops from Botong, a post in the Nwengal country on the west of the Manipur river, which had been temporarily established, until the column sent in May 1892 from these hills under Captain Rose had joined hands with the troops then operating in the Lushai Hills.

3. Botong post had been attacked by men from seven Nwengal villages, and it was very desirable that the withdrawal immediately after these attacks should not have the appearance of a retreat; so opportunity was taken to punish the men of Hèlè, one of these Nwengal villages, who had lately committed themselves by taking the head of a Burman, and so cover the withdrawal by a punitive expedition. This was effectively carried out by small columns under Captain Stevens, 4th Madras Infantry (Pioneers), and Lieutenant Henegan, 10th Madras Infantry (1st Burma Rifles), who making a night march, simultaneously surprised Hèlè at daybreak on the 1st of May 1892, and inflicted some loss. The withdrawal of the Botong post was then effected, and not a shot was fired on our troops in their return march to Fort White, instead of their having to fight an undignified rear-guard action, as would most undoubtedly have been the case had the withdrawal been attempted without the counter-attack attendant on the punitive expedition against Hèlè.

4. A few months after, however, the Nwengals attempted to revenge themselves by crossing to the east of the Manipur river and committing a series of attacks and some murders on the Fort White line of communication.

5. The Nwengals had always paid a nominal tribute to the Tashons, another tribe, whose territory is continuous with theirs and the Siyins on the south. Fort White is in the Siyin country. The Political Officer in the Chin Hills accordingly called on the Tashons to apprehend the Nwengal offenders or admit their inability to do so. The Tashons during August were able to prevent the Nwengals from committing crimes, but in September admitted themselves to be powerless in the matter, so the Political Officer then arranged that the Nwengals should no longer be administered through the Tashons, but by the Assistant Political Officer at Fort White, informing the Nwengals that they should be punished by a fine in firearms unless certain outlaws and murderers were surrendered.

Mr. Carey, Political Officer in the Chin Hills, is of opinion that orders having been, with the sanction of the local Government, about this time issued forbidding Chins to appear with firearms within five miles of a military post and within a mile of the lines of communication were construed into a belief by the Nwengals and Siyins that this action was only preliminary to a general disarmament, and that the Nwengals then decided to fight for their firearms, prevailing on the Siyins to rise and do the same. The real cause of the Siyin rebellion will doubtless eventually be disclosed. At any rate on the 9th October the whole tribe rose, fired into our posts, attacking Tiddim and burning buildings close to the stockade, and ambushed the escort of the *Myóók* (native magistrate) Maung Tum Win near the village of Pombar, seven miles west of Fort White, killing the *Myoók*, his clerk, interpreter, peon, and seven sepoys, and wounding seven more sepoys. The wounded were saved from being carried off and mutilated (according to the usual Chin custom) by the gallant conduct of the remaining 15 sepoys of the escort under Havildar Harak Sing Gúrung, 10th Madras Infantry (1st Burma Rifles), who has been recommended for the Order of Merit. From recent information it appears that some 2,000 Chins were on the spot.

The attack was a treacherous one, as up to that date the Siyins had posed as our faithful subjects, some taking service as civil policemen. Moreover, the Myoók was proceeding to meet and accept the formal submission of a Nwengal chief at the latter's invitation.

6. The news of this outrage and general rebellion of the Siyins spread over the Chin Hills, north and south, and prompt measures on our part were imperative, as at a time of such local excitement there could be no certainty of the attitude of the other Chin tribes.

Reinforcements were accordingly rapidly pushed up to Fort White, and two guns of No. 7 Mountain Battery, Royal Artillery, from Mandalay, 200 rifles of the 1st Battalion, Norfolk Regiment, from Rangoon, 100 rifles of the 39th (Garhwal) Bengal Infantry from South Chin, and 100 rifles of the 10th Madras Infantry from their depôt in the Mandalay district arrived between the 17th and end of October.

Before the end of December every Siyin village whose inhabitants had not begged for peace in response to our proclamation was visited in succession by punitive columns. Five of these villages were burned by the Chins themselves, and evacuated just before our troops arrived within striking distance.

Grass-cutters had to go out daily with an escort to about a mile south of Fort White. On the 10th of November they were ambuscaded by the Chins, who, on reinforcements being sent out from Fort White, were driven off and pursued, suffering considerable loss.

On the 17th November a village in the Kalè valley was successfully raided by the Chins.

The following is a *précis* of the work done by the punitive columns alluded to above:—

Yon, 19th and 20th October 1892.—One hundred rifles under Lieutenant Henegan, 10th Madras Infantry. Village found burned by the Chins and deserted.

Dimlo and Shwimpi, 3rd to 7th November 1892.—One gun of No. 7 Mountain Battery and 166 rifles under Captain Presgrave, 10th Madras Infantry. Both villages destroyed. Column ambuscaded by Chins on return march. One native soldier killed and the Subadar-Major of the 10th Madras Infantry severely wounded.

Htanwé, 10th October 1892.—One hundred and thirty-five rifles under Lieutenant Henegan, 10th Madras Infantry. Village burned; Chins fired on column going and returning. No casualties; only one Chin seen to drop from our fire; another afterwards reported killed.

Tomma, 12th November 1892.—One hundred and forty rifles under Captan Caulfeild, 10th Madras Infantry. Reconnoitred and returned.

Pimpi, 15th to 20th November 1892.—One gun of No. 7 Mountain Battery and 250 rifles under Captain Presgrave, 10th Madras Infantry. Chins burned their two villages on approach of column, and fired volleys into camp while column remained; one native soldier severely wounded from ambuscade on return march to Fort White. Chins fired into camp at Kennedy Peak at night, but were dispersed by a party of Gurkhas, who, creeping round, fired into them at 30 yards.

Montôk, 24th November to 3rd December 1892.—Two hundred rifles under Captain Caulfeild, 10th Madras Infantry. The village of Tanya *en route* found burned by Chins. Village occupied. Chins fired into camp at night, but were driven off by picquets; one follower wounded. From the 25th to the 27th, police from Kalé valley co-operated. Another village found burned by Chins. Column returned by Kalemyo, 28th. Rear-guard being fired into, dispersed Chins.

Nashwin, 3rd December 1892.—One hundred and fifty rifles under Captain Beale, 1st Battalion, Norfolk Regiment. Burned village; fired into small bodies of Chins at from 200 to 250 yards; rear-guard harassed on return march; no casualties; some Chins seen to fall.

Luibon, 10th to 13th December 1892.—One hundred and seventy-five rifles under Captain Presgrave, 10th Madras Infantry. Village seen burning; was rushed with fixed bayonets, a volley having been received from it at 100 yards. Attempts made to ambuscade Chins by leaving a party concealed in village and other "Naga parties" (ambuscades) laid out by us were unsuccessful. At night Chins fired into camp at 100 yards, and were driven off by picquets. The following day there were several skirmishes; one soldier of the 1st Norfolk Regiment slightly wounded and one follower mortally. In rushing an ambuscade the rear-guard (Garhwal Rifles), after killing three Chins, had one havildar and one sepoy slightly wounded from a flanking ambuscade.

The return march was unmolested after flankers had cleared away an ambuscading party.

Mr. Carey, Political Officer, Chin Hills, or Mr. Tuck, Assistant Political Officer (sometimes both), accompanied each of these punitive columns, which it was necessary to send against the villages whose inhabitants were hostile.

7. At the end of November, when I arrived at Fort White, it had become evident from the demeanour of the Chins that something more than small punitive columns was necessary to reduce the Siyin tribe to submission, and that for this purpose new posts must be established at the chief centres of cultivation, from which the troops could act all round to a convenient distance, and carry on a constant guerilla warfare against the Chins without a wearisome march each time to Fort White, and in many instances having to fight a rear-guard action back, almost invariably harassed and ambuscaded, when much exhausted after the real hard day's work that such marches entail in these rugged hills, as, although the actual distances traversed were never excessive, the steep *khuds* and Chin paths rendered each expedition a severe trial on the men's marching powers.

For these new posts reinforcements to the extent of at least 750 rifles and additional transport were necessary, and were on my representation most promptly afforded from other districts by Major-General R. C. Stewart, C.B., commanding in Burma.

8. During December, as the reinforcements arrived, three posts of from 125 to 200 rifles each were established at Phunum-Kholai, Pimpi, and Montôk respectively.

A considerable portion of the success of the operations in the North Chin Hills this season is due to the manner in which the officers in these independent commands performed the difficult duties entrusted to them, and which in many ways tried the nerve, discipline, and other qualities of the troops very highly; as not only in some instances had they to endure being fired into all night, but the Chins, especially round Pimpi, showed themselves such adepts at ambuscading that it was only by a mixture of great precaution combined with dash that the whole country was eventually cleared.

The same remarks apply to Lieutenant Wardell's operations at and near Phunum-Kholai, where the Chins were outmanœuvred at their own guerilla warfare and successfully ambuscaded.

Captain Taylor, 30th Madras Infantry, commanding the Montôk Posts, also by his activity effectively cleared that portion of the country of Chins and prevented others settling in the vicinity.

The following is a *précis* of the work of these posts in the Siyin country, north-east, south-east, and west of Fort White.

Phunum-Kholai (west of Fort White).—One hundred rifles of the 39th (Garhwal) Bengal Infantry under Lieutenant Wardell, established 16th December 1892, increased to 125 rifles on 27th December 1892; withdrawn 31st January 1893. Slight opposition encountered on march from Fort White; one man wounded in occupation of post, which was stockaded so as to be defensible by 50 men, while remainder were available to work the surrounding country. One man killed 18th. On the 19th of December 1892 ambuscaded Chins killing and wounding

six. On 23rd December 1892 searched Phunum ravine; one man wounded by a log hurled from precipice above.

From 26th to 31st December 1892, under orders from the General Officer commanding, men were employed day and night in ambuscading paths leading from Montôk south-east, where another new post was being established; reconnoitring parties were pushed south, and a ravine below Kholai post cleared of Chins from Pombar, who had been hiding there.

During the first week in January 1893, a systematic search was carried out of all ravines, sites of demolished villages, and cultivated areas, ambuscades being put out at night to prevent return of Chins.

From 16th to 23rd January 1893, having, in reconnoitring, discovered that the Chins from Phunum to Dimpi escaped north in the direction of Dimlo, devoted energy to driving all Chins in same direction from vicinity of post, and on 25th, having arranged for a party to co-operate from the Dimlo post and another from the Tiddim post, a very successful little affair came off at and near Dimlo village in a large ravine below Dimlo Post; the Chins, getting between two fires, had some casualties and other losses. On the 27th the large ravine near Shwimpi was searched and cleared.

On the 28th a night march was made to prevent Chins returning to cultivations near Dimpi, and next night the same steps were taken as regards Phunum cultivations. On 31st, under orders from the General Officer commanding, Lieutenant Wardell burned his stockade and returned to Fort White preparatory to his rejoining the head-quarters of the 39th Bengal Infantry, which was moving from South Chin, *viâ* Kalewa to Rangoon, *en route* to India. Lieutenant Wardell brings to notice the names of Subadar Pirthi Chand, two havildars, one naik, and four men who distinguished themselves. I am making a special recommendation on the part of the subadar, whom I consider deserving of high reward.

Pimpi Post (*north-east of Fort White*).—One hundred and fifty rifles of the 31st Madras Infantry (6th Burma Battalion), under Captain Keary, D.S.O., established 21st December 1892, increased to 200 rifles, 29th December 1892. One hundred rifles withdrawn, leaving 100 under Lieutenant Murray at post, 29th January 1893.

On first occupying Pimpi, Captain Keary's detachment had six casualties,—namely, three native soldiers killed and one British officer (Lieutenant Geoghegan) and two native soldiers wounded. The Chins of this part of the country have proved the most determined and recalcitrant of the Siyin tribe, and were fully persuaded that they could drive this party away and prevent a post being established in their midst. The troops had to lie in shelter trenches all the first two nights, as a fire was kept up in the camp till daylight, the Chins shouting threats of extermination.

The latter had commenced blocking with felled trees and carefully constructed ambuscades all the paths leading in different directions from the post, and the work and difficulties of the detachment proved so trying and arduous that I reinforced it with 50 rifles, as I was apprehensive that the battalion, having only lately arrived from Burma, might suffer in *morale* from the incessant ambuscading to which they were subjected, unless the strength of the post was augmented.

By perpetually attacking in every direction and laying out ambuscading parties of his own, Captain Keary, whose energy and soldierlike qualities are most commendable, so cleared the whole of that part of the country that by the end of January I was able to reduce the post to 100 rifles, who remained to prevent the Chins returning to their extensive cultivations, while Captain Keary proceeded with 100 rifles and 50 more withdrawn from No. 3 Post on the line of communication to work the country between Fort White and the Manipur river in order to accelerate the compliance with our terms of the chiefs in that direction, who showed signs of procrastination in order to tide over the time when they could sow for next season's crops.

The post at Pimpi expended 3,400 rounds of ammunition. In the thick bush but few men could actually be seen to fall, but from shrieks heard after our volleys and pools of blood found the inference is that the Chins suffered severely. Captain Keary brings to notice the gallant conduct of Jamadar Bahadur Khan, who has been recommended for the Order of Merit; also one lance-naik and one sepoy.

Montok Post (*south-east of Fort White*).—Established 26th December 1892; 150 rifles of the 30th Madras Infantry (5th Burma Battalion) under Lieutenant (now Captain) H. N. Taylor.

Mr. Carey, Political Officer, guided the column for this post from Kalemyo, Captain Baker, Intelligence Officer, accompanying. The post was fired into daily and nightly while it was being stockaded, but the fire of picquets kept the Chins at a distance.

Daily patrols and reconnoitring parties were sent out, being always fired on and sometimes ambushed. Ambuscades from the post were laid out, and, owing to unceasing activity on the part of the troops under Captain Taylor and Lieutenant Drage, 30th Madras Infantry, the Chins were driven southwards off their cultivations, which had been considerable in the vicinity of the post.

On the 24th January 1893 two small columns moved against the Chins, starting at 2 A.M.; failed to surprise the enemy, but cleared them off further south after some brisk firing on both sides, with the loss of two sepoys wounded. The Chins are believed to have suffered. From the 1st February to the 4th February 1893 acted against Chins to south-east, being co-operated with by military police under Lieutenant A. C. M'Crea, accompanied by Mr. Porter, Deputy Commissioner, Kindat, and 50 men of the 31st Madras Infantry from the Kalè valley. Chins fled further south after sharp fight: one sepoy wounded. Destroyed new villages and Chins kept off cultivation. Continued to patrol country to south and cleared away Chins, who now seemed to

have lost heart. The assistance rendered by the military police has been acknowledged by the General Officer commanding.

Captain Taylor brings to notice the good services of Jemadar Jwala Singh, 30th Madras Infantry.

9. From the middle of October to the end of November telegraphic communication between Fort White and Kalemyo in the Kale valley, the first post in the Chin Hills command, had been constantly interrupted, the Chins, as in 1888-89, sometimes carrying away some miles of wire to make bullets; convoys and escorts on the line of communication were constantly fired into and casualties sustained.

At the suggestion of Major-General Stewart, the undergrowth was cleared by the 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers) to within fifty yards of the road on the line of communication; and ambuscades having been laid out at night by the troops from Fort White and No. 3 Post, and a fourth post established six miles east of Fort White, telegraphic communication was restored on the 3rd December, which has since been maintained, except for sixteen hours on the 25th January and thirty-three hours on the 30th and 31st idem. The telegraph line, which had also been taken down between Fort White and Tiddim, is now in course of reconstruction, and will be completed about the 15th proximo.

10. By the 2nd January 1893 the new posts above referred to having been established in the Siyin country and rationed up to the end of the month, I was able to start from Fort White with a force as per margin to operate against the Nwengal tribe west of the Manipur river, our objective being Kaptial, the chief town of the tribe and the home of Twemtung, the chief implicated in the murder of the *Myook* (see *ante*), and who has been most prominent in inciting his own and the Siyin tribe to revolt.

2 guns, No. 7 Mountain Battery, under Lieutenant T. E. Marshall, R.A.
100 rifles, 1st Norfolk Regiment, under Captain Beale.
30 men, No. 4 Company, Madras Sappers, under Lieutenant G. A. F. Sanders.
200 rifles, 10th Madras Infantry, under Captain Presgrave.
50 rifles, 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), under Lieutenant Hendley.
100 rifles, 30th Madras Infantry, under Lieutenant Baldwin.
450 sarjeeling coolies, under Lieutenant Camilleri, 13th Bengal Infantry.
450 Government mules, under Lieutenant Daly, Transport Officer.

Staff.

Major Greenfield, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Assistant Adjutant-General.
Captain Baker, 1st Norfolk Regiment, Intelligence Officer and Officiating Superintendent, Army Signalling.
Lieutenant H. O. Parr, 7th Bengal Infantry, Orderly Officer and Brigade Quartermaster.
B. S. Carey, Esq., Political Officer.
H. N. Tuck, Esq., Assistant Political Officer.
G. O. Fowler, Esq., Assistant Political Officer.

We carried fifteen days' rations, and fifteen days' more supplies as a reserve had been collected at Tiddim post, which is only one march from the Manipur river. The force which marched in two columns had only one casualty before reaching the river-bank.

11. The villages of Chinwe and Sayan, belonging to the Sokte tribe, which had not responded to our proclamation in October, lay in our path. We surprised the inhabitants, and, being in position on the heights above, could easily have shot them down with artillery and rifle fire at 800 and 300 yards. I decided, however, to spare them and leave them to be dealt with hereafter by the Political officers, as it was undesirable to have declared enemies on our line of communication. They were thereby committed to our cause and were afterwards most useful.

12. After reconnoitring for the most favourable point to cross the Manipur river so as to strike direct at Kaptial, a point was chosen which, besides having the advantage of being a salient, was so placed that it would be difficult for the Chins on the opposite heights to depress sufficiently to harm with their fire our troops when crossing.

13. On the 7th January both columns concentrated on a plateau 1,000 feet above the river and 1,000 yards from the opposite heights, and the sappers and pioneers were pushed down to the bank to improvise a means of crossing.

A pioneer, who gallantly swam across and stretched a rope to the west bank which was in possession of the Chins, and a havildar of the 10th Madras Infantry, have been recommended for the Order of Merit; but the river proved to be so rapid and deep, though less than 250 feet in width, that with the means available a bridge could not be thrown across; a raft was therefore the only means of reaching the opposite shore, but on cutting down timber it was found to be so wanting in buoyancy that it was useless; however, in anticipation of such a difficulty, a raft had been put together at Tiddim post composed of empty rum kegs; and this when brought out and covered with a light scantling enabled the force to be got over, nine men at a time.

It was not in working order till the 11th January, and the troops being told off into reliefs to haul it backwards and forwards, everything, including guns, ammunition, gear, baggage and rations, reached the west bank by the morning of the 14th. All hands worked with a will unremittingly night and day, as it was realized that it was the only means of getting at the Chins. The mules swam across.

14. The crossing was opposed by the Chins, the Siyins having crossed lower down stream to join the Nwengals, and a constant fusilade was kept up on the 9th and 10th, accompanied by much shouting and beating of gongs, twenty-seven Chin picquet fires being visible from our bivouac; but, though their shots struck the water close to the raft and struck the trees above the shore bivouac, the Chins were unable to depress sufficiently to do damage, and their fire was kept down a good deal by shrapnel and rifle fires at 1,000 yards from the bivouac on the plateau above; while attempts to cut the rope across the river were frustrated by volleys at 100 yards from the shore bivouac, though they pluckily, notwithstanding fire at such close quarters, succeeded in cutting one strand.

15. The 10th Madras Infantry were pushed across on the 11th January and occupied a spur on the west bank, and simultaneously a well-directed shrapnel fire at 1,500 yards from the plateau before mentioned drove back a body of Chins who had collected above on the western heights.

16. After this the crossing was not further opposed, and by the morning of the 14th, the troops being all across the river, we marched on Kaptial. Considerable importance was attached to the fall of this place, and the Nwengals had given out that they would make their final stand there; but on the force arriving near the town, it was found in ashes and deserted.

The direct approach was through jungle; it was defended by a trench 4½ feet deep and 8 feet wide, running into ravines on either side. Each house and street was stockaded with thick planks 12 feet high, and there were many excavated rifle-proof defensible posts, so, had it been obstinately held, it could only have been taken by assault with heavy loss, as it covered many acres of ground, and even with artillery and rifle fire would have been difficult to render untenable.

17. The Chin paths by which the force had had to march were so broken and precipitous, even where the worst places on the edges of cliffs were improved by the pioneers, and the gradients were so steep, that 30 mules fell over the khuds, of which two battery mules and six transport mules were killed, and one sepoy of the 10th Madras Infantry was killed by a stone displaced by a mule.

18. The Chins having disappeared from Kaptial, it became necessary, not only to send out columns to hunt them up, but to attack certain large villages, whose inhabitants were known to have been either implicated in the outrage of the 9th of October, or to have assisted the Siyins and fired into posts on our line of communication. Columns were accordingly sent out from Kaptial between the 15th and 27th January, and the country north and south, and as far west as the Imboklang range (8,300 feet), was searched, and the Chins driven further afield into the woods and jungles, my object being in this, as on the east side of the river, to give them no rest till they submitted to our terms.

Strength.

1 gun, No. 7 Mountain Battery, R.A.
1st Norfolk Regiment, 50.
10th Madras Infantry, 100.
21st Madras Infantry, 20.

The only column that encountered any serious opposition was one under Captain Presgrave, 10th Madras Infantry (accompanied by Messrs. Tuck and Fowler, Assistant Political Officers), which proceeded southwards on the 17th January and returned on the 22nd, having occupied Hèlè, and also dealt with the Nwengal villages of Shwungzan and Shwimpi in the same direction.

Before reaching Hèlè on the 18th January, it became clear that the Chins intended to dispute the advance by holding a stockaded position some 1,000 yards in length and a wood on the left of the road taken by the column. The stockades, composed of wood and stone, loop-holed, were erected on high ground commanding the line of advance, but Captain Presgrave, by his dispositions, succeeded in turning the position and broke and searched the stockades by artillery fire, followed by a direct attack. The Chins, who had held on to their line of defence, were obliged to abandon it, the wood on the left of the advance being also cleared by volleys and shrapnel. They had meantime attacked the column in rear, but were repulsed by the rear-guard.

The troops then marched against Hèlè in two parties, having previously shelled it at 2,000 yards to prevent its being fired by the Chins themselves.

Shortly after advancing, the detachment of the Norfolk Regiment, under Captain Beale, who had proceeded by a spur to the left, became engaged with the enemy occupying a hill. The Chins were driven off by a cross-fire, and the advanced guard, having been fired on from its right and left fronts simultaneously, they were again cleared away by a combined movement of the different detachments, all of whom were engaged, including the 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers) under Lieutenant Hendley.

The whole affair was carried through with considerable spirit, and reflects credit on Captain Presgrave and the troops engaged.

19. On the 27th January, leaving Captain Caulfeild, 10th Madras Infantry, with 200 men of his regiment and 50 of the 30th Madras Infantry at Kaptial to complete the subjugation of the Nwengal tribe and those who had harboured delinquents, I returned to the east of the Manipur river with the guns, the detachment of the Norfolk Regiment, and 50 of the 30th Madras Infantry. The river, having slightly fallen, had in the meantime been bridged by the Madras Sappers under Lieutenant Sanders, Royal Engineers, a cleverly constructed cantilever bridge partially suspended on twisted telegraph wire and rope having been thrown across.

20. The effect of the late operations and of the good work done by the posts that had been established in the Siyin country was to produce a cessation of hostilities on the part of the Chins and a commencement of compliance with our terms by a gradual surrender of their much-prized firearms; but it soon became evident that their object, by surrendering a few at a time, was to procrastinate till the time for sowing had passed, when, having got their seed in the ground, they would not be so much at our mercy for their future necessaries of life. Active operations had therefore to be continued to prevent this and hasten an unconditional surrender; so the following arrangements were made:—

From 3rd February to 7th February 1893 a column of 110 rifles revisited Laibon, east of the Fort White-Tiddam road, clearing away the Chins, who had returned to settle.

On the 4th March 1893 a post of 150 rifles, under Captain Keary, D.S.O., 31st Madras Infantry, was established at Pombar between Fort White and the Manipur river, and from the

8th to 10th was co-operated with by 100 rifles under Captain Murray, 10th Madras Infantry, who were sent for the purpose north from Fort White to Wunkathè; these two columns drove the Chins of Pombar off a new settlement and hunted them through the ravines, capturing nine Chins.

21. It now seemed desirable to adopt coercive measures to a certain extent against the "Friendlies," as it was well-known that, if they chose to exert their influence over the recalcitrant in their vicinity, the latter would speedily come to terms; so posts were established as follows:

13*th February* 1893.—One gun, 100 rifles, at Sagyilaing, under Captain Keary, D.S.O., 31st Madras Infantry.

15*th February* 1893.—Seventy-five rifles, under Lieutenant Barnett, 31st Madras Infantry, at Vokla.

16*th February* 1893.—One gun, 90 rifles, under Captain Murray, 10th Madras Infantry, at Wunkathè.

The Shwimpi ravine was also searched on 18th February 1893 by 50 rifles under Lieutenant Sutton, 10th Madras Infantry, from Tiddim. Karmlung, the Chief of Pombar, was arrested on the 23rd February, and the Political Officer on the 8th March called a meeting of these so-called "Friendlies" at "Old Fort White" (near where the *Myoôk* and others were murdered last October), and explained why they were being punished, definitely fixing their fines in firearms. These terms were at once imposed, the troops remaining near their villages and preventing cultivation till our demands were complied with. This action has had the best effect, and the surrender of firearms, which had begun to drop off, thereby received the necessary impetus, and on the 23rd March Dolyin, the outlaw Chief of Tartan, was, on the information of the inhabitants of Sagyilaing (one of the friendly villages), arrested in one of their houses, which had been surrounded by a party of the 31st Madras Infantry. He will probably be transported for life.

22. There still remained to be dealt with the inhabitants of Pimpi, who had been driven north in January by Captain Keary's post, and who were known to have collected and to have formed a settlement at Angno, which they believed to be out of striking distance, and where they had been joined by malcontents and fugitives who had escaped from Montôk, Phunum, Kholai, Tanwe, and Shwimpi, the villages south and west that we have punished. It was important to strike one last blow at this collection, and finally break up the gathering. A column under Captain Presgrave, 10th Madras Infantry, consisting of 200 rifles (detachments of all corps), 30 sappers, and a mountain gun, accordingly moved from Fort White on the 12th March and surprised this new settlement on the 14th idem, scattering those collected there in all directions, with a loss on our side of only one soldier of the Norfolk Regiment slightly wounded. The approach for the last few miles was much hampered and delayed by numerous felled trees. Up to the 19th March the country was scoured in all directions, 200 military police under Lieutenant H. G. Maxwell having joined the column from Kanji in the Kalè valley on the 16th. The police losses were one sepoy and one follower killed. A post of 100 rifles under Captain Taylor, 30th Madras Infantry, was left in occupation at Angno to continue the pursuit and prevent the Chins returning to this settlement, the remainder of the troops and the police returning on the 20th to their respective posts.

23. Meantime the post of 250 rifles, under Captain Caulfeild, 10th Madras Infantry, that had remainder west of the Manipur river since the return of the force from Kaptial on the 27th January, had not only thoroughly worked the Nwengal country, but had crossed further westwards across the Imbuklang range (over 8,000 feet) to deal with certain villages of the Whenhow tribe, which had harboured outlaws and fugitives from Kaptial, punishing them by inflicting fines in firearms. The resistance met with was slight, and we had but few casualties. The northern villages of the Nwengal country were also disarmed, and it being found that the inhabitants of Hèlè, whom Captain Presgrave's force had defeated, as described in paragraph 18, had formed a new settlement, they were again attacked twice and broken up. Refugees from Kaptial were also searched for and discovered in a place of concealment near the top of the range. The troops west of the Manipur river have been rationed to the 15th May to enable them to finish the work before the rains commence.

24. The *précis* of the work done by the posts established in the Northern Chin Hills this season and by the many punitive columns gives but a bald account of the real hard work and the constant risks from a concealed enemy that fell to the lot of the troops, and which, I trust, will receive due recognition.

25. In most field operations there are some engagements followed by more or less long rests; but it will be seen from the above that, in order to reduce such an active and restless enemy as the Chins to submission, our troops were incessantly on the move, the men sometimes not getting two nights in bed, and on one particular day seven columns were acting, besides two convoys moving and the force from the west of the Manipur river on their return march; but to have carried through what it was necessary to accomplish without putting a heavy strain on all employed would have necessitated trebling the strength of the force in the field.

The rationing of 2,700 men in the Northern Chin Hills (including the reinforcements suddenly thrown in) sufficiently tried the capacity of the Commissariat-Transport Department, so it was necessary to do as much as possible with the number that could be moved and fed.

26. Considering the great change in climate from the plains of Burma to these hills, where without tents operations had to be carried on at an elevation of from 4,000 to 8,000 feet above sea-level in the depth of winter in all weathers, the health of the troops has been very good. In a

march of thirteen miles, containing a rise of 6,000 feet in six miles, not a man of a detachment of the 1st Norfolk Regiment fell out, although nearly ten hours under arms; and out of a party of the same regiment that, to surprise the Chins, had to spend a night in a downpour of rain on the hillside in January with only waterproof sheets and great-coats and carrying their own rations for two days, only one man went into hospital.

27. In the opinion of the Political Officer in the Chin Hills, who possesses a very intimate knowledge of the feelings of the people, the effect of the late operations, which he describes "as far exceeding anything that he had anticipated," has been that "no combination of the tribes to resist in future can now be expected, and that the enemy's casualties have been far heavier than reported; that the Siyins never owned themselves beaten before, but that they do so now, and the people that were scattered in hamlets are now being collected into large villages right under the posts; the hire of carriers has been halved; that the Tashons fear us now that they see the Siyins, the best fighting clan in the hills, have had to give up their arms for peace. The outlaws will be picked up gradually, but some half dozen will escape north, but will not be in a position to do more damage than an occasional murder or theft, and I look on their capture through native agency as inevitable."

It is probable that, as in the north-west frontier of India, outlaws and others may for some time indulge in shots at individuals or convoys and in occasional raids; but this need not be looked on as an act of a tribe or community, as such latter, by the deprivation of their fire-arms and by the other steps that have been taken, have been rendered powerless for harm or combination.

28. The Chins have now quite lost heart and are surrendering on all sides to our demands. Some of the chiefs are in irons in Fort White, and others will before long join them. Hostages for future behaviour are being given up, and the full number of firearms assessed as a fitting punishment are either in our hands, or their number, according to the Political Officer, "is insured." Over 1,000 have been given up.

It is desirable, however, to take advantage of the remaining few weeks of the open season to hunt up outlaws, punish those who have harboured them, and collect the remaining firearms from those who have been reduced to submission. For this purpose it will be necessary for the detachments of the 30th and 31st Madras Infantry to remain till the early part of May in the Northern Chin Hills.

Yesterday the section of No. 7 Mountain Battery and 100 of the 1st Battalion, Norfolk Regiment, marched for the South Chin Hills, and will return to their respective stations by the end of April after moving through the Tashon and Haka countries, where their presence will have a good effect on those tribes and disabuse them of any idea that we have had our hands full in dealing with their northern neighbours. It is also desirable to bring the farther western Tlangtlangs to their bearings for having harboured Lalwé, a proscribed outlaw, and failed to pay a fine of guns inflicted on them for their attack on a column under Lieutenant Mocatta last season.

Resistance is not expected, as the demeanour of the people is described as "sullen, but not hostile," and it is expected that a show of force will bring about the desired result. The column is commanded by Captain Beale, 1st Norfolk Regiment, and will be augmented by 50 rifles of the 12th Madras Infantry and 25 of the 2 st Madras Infantry from Haka and Falam

29. The breaking up of the force that has been operating under my command in the North Chin Hills for the last four months having commenced, I must, before returning to the plains, record the names of those to whom I have been so much indebted for the success of the operations:

Return of officers mentioned.

(1) Major R. M. Greenfield, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Assistant Adjutant-General, Myingyan district, as Chief Staff Officer, has been of the greatest assistance in the operations in the Chin Hills this season, and has untiringly devoted himself to the discharge of his responsible duties, which he has performed with much tact and ability.

Staff.

(2) Lieutenant H. O. Parr, 7th Bengal Infantry, Orderly Officer, also officiated as Brigade Quartermaster. He was ever ready, keen and active in the discharge of all duties, and was of much assistance in the Staff Office when "on column."

(3) Captain G. F. Watson, Indian Staff Corps, Chief Commissariat Officer of the Myingyan district, has by his foresight, capacity for work, and devotion to the very arduous duties devolving on him contributed much to the successful carrying through of the operations, which were a heavy strain on the Commissariat-Transport Department.

(4) Captain R. F. C. Baker, 1st Norfolk Regiment, Intelligence Officer. His work will doubtless be recognized departmentally. He also rendered much assistance as officiating Superintendent of Signalling in the earlier part of the season's operations, for on signalling the force was dependent for the transmission of all intelligence between the numerous posts and our base, and the work performed was most valuable.

(5) Lieutenant T. E. Marshall, commanding a section of No. 7 Mountain Battery, proved himself a very capable officer of mountain artillery on service.

Royal Artillery.

(6) Captain H. Y. Beale, 1st Norfolk Regiment, exercised with ability the command of his detachment, and on the occasions when he commanded punitive columns proved himself to

1st Norfolk Regiment.

be a reliable officer in difficult situations. At the conclusion of the operations in the Northern Chin Hills, he proceeded to the Southern Chin Hills in command of a punitive expedition of artillery, British and Native troops, against the Tlangtlang tribe.

(7) Captain E. R. J. Presgrave has had great opportunities, considering his position in the service, as besides being officiating commandant of his fine battalion of Gurkhas, which always behaved brilliantly in action, he commands in the Northern Chin Hills, and on him as executive commander (assisted by only one staff officer, Lieutenant B. Trydell, 10th Madras Infantry) fell the duty of carrying out all orders, not only for the movements of the troops, but for many details of organization, in the performance of which he has shown judgment and capacity. During the greater part of November he was senior officer in the Northern Chin Hills, and most of the punitive columns were either personally commanded by him or worked under his orders. His able conduct of affairs at the engagement with the Chins near Hèlè, west of the Manipur river, is detailed above.

10th Madras Infantry (the 1st Burma Rifles).

(8) Captain G. N. Caulfeild, 10th Madras Infantry, was in command in the Northern Chin Hills when the rebellion broke out last October, and displayed much nerve and judgment, when, had he not shown those invaluable qualities, affairs might have assumed a very unpleasant aspect. After the withdrawal of the head-quarters of the force from the Nwengal country in January, he was left in command of 250 rifles for the completion of the subjugation of that tribe. The able manner in which he accomplished this duty entitles his services to be recognized.

(9) Lieutenant J. Henegan, 10th Madras Infantry, commanded several punitive columns, and could always be trusted to act independently and be equal to any emergency. The manner in which he performed his duties in command of the advanced post of Botong was brought to notice in the report of last year's operations. He possesses considerable knowledge of the North Chin tribes, and is deserving of advancement.

(10) Major G. S. Baugh commanded his battalion during the operations. The pioneers were usefully employed in counteracting the ambuscading power of the Chins by clearing the jungle on the line of communications.

21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers.)

(11) Lieutenant C. E. Hendley commanded a detachment of the 21st Madras Infantry that accompanied the Nwengal force, and by his energy and example rendered much assistance. He also commanded his detachment at the crossing of the Manipur river and the action near Hèlè.

(12) Captain H. N. Taylor commanded the post of 150 rifles at Montôk from the 26th December 1892 to the 10th March 1893, and afterwards the post of Angno (Pimpi), and by the measures he took for action against the Chins in the vicinity of these posts contributed considerably to the general success of the operations.

30th Madras Infantry (the 5th Burma Battalion).

(13) Captain H. D'U. Keary, D.S.O., commandant, 31st Madras Infantry. His previous experience of field service in Burma proved most valuable under difficult conditions, both in command of the post at Pimpi and afterwards in the country south-west of the line of communications. He showed himself to be possessed of soldierlike qualities of a high order and to be worthy of advancement in the service.

31st Madras (Light) Infantry (the 6th Burma Battalion).

(14) Lieutenant W. H. Wardell commanded a post of 125 men at Phunum-Kholai for six weeks in a manner that showed that he possesses qualifications for higher command. The result of his unceasing activity against some of the most troublesome of the Siyin tribe resulted in their being the first to surrender their firearms and submit to our terms.

39th Bengal Infantry (the Garhwal Rifle Regiment).

(15) Lieutenant G. A. F. Sanders, Royal Engineers, commanded a detachment of No. 4 Company at the crossing of the Manipur river, and afterwards supervised its bridging, by which the Nwengal force was able to recross on its withdrawal.

Queen's Own Madras Sappers and Miners.

(16) Lieutenant H. D. Daly, 32nd Madras Infantry (4th Burma Battalion), Transport Officer, Northern Chin Hills, was indefatigable in the discharge of his very onerous duties. He accompanied the expedition against the Nwengal tribe.

Transport.

(17) Lieutenant J. M. Camilleri, 13th Bengal Infantry, commanding the Darjeeling and Manipur Cooly Corps, is a transport officer of some experience, and his successful management, quite unassisted, of a large body of unruly hillmen, who performed most useful service, deserves the highest praise. He accompanied the expedition against the Nwengal tribe.

(18) Surgeon-Major T. A. Lucas, M.B., Army Medical Staff, as senior officer of the Medical Department in the Chin Hills, discharged his responsible duties with judgment and ability, and accompanied the Nwengal column west of the Manipur river.

Medical.

(19) Veterinary-Lieutenant F. Eassie, Army Veterinary Department, has for three successive seasons rendered good service in the veterinary supervision of transport animals in the Chin Hills, which owe much of their efficiency to his ready aid so continuously afforded, and to his professional knowledge. He accompanied the Nwengal force.

Veterinary Department

(20) To the Political Officers as per margin my personal thanks are due for the cordial assistance that they have invariably afforded and the tact that they have displayed in working in such harmony with the military authorities. Both the assistants have shown that they can be trusted in difficult situations, and the services performed lately and on many previous occasions by Mr. Carey will doubtless be fully appreciated and recognized by the local Government. His nerve and sound judgment when the rebellion first broke out deserve the highest acknowledgment, and from the commencement of the punitive operations he has done the work of a dozen men. His knowledge of the Chins and of their country has proved most valuable.

Political.

B. S. Carey, Esq., Political Officer, Chin Hills.
H. N. Tuck, Esq., Assistant Political Officer, Chin Hills.
E. O. Fowler, Esq., Assistant Political Officer, Chin Hills.

Native Officers.

I had intended to recommend Subadar Pirthi Chand for the Order of Merit, but his services entitle him, in my opinion, to the higher reward of the Order of British India

39th Bengal Infantry (Garhwal Rifle Regiment).

The good services of his fine young battalion for the last two years in the Chin Hills could not be more gracefully recognized than in the selection of this excellent Native officer for the latter high distinction, as he has proved himself to be not only an officer of high courage, but possessed of many meritorious qualities, and the assistance he gave to Lieutenant Wardell when commanding the post of Phunum-Kholai (the valuable service rendered by which has been noticed above) well entitle him to a high reward.

The services of the following Native officers have been brought to favourable notice :—

Jemadar Ranjit Gurung, 10th Madras Infantry.
Jemadar Sulaiman Khan, 28th Madras Infantry.
Jemadar Jwala Singh, 30th Madras Infantry.
Jemadar Bahadur Khan, 31st Madras (Light) Infantry. (This native officer has been recommended for the Order of Merit.)

Non-Commissioned Officers.

Sergeant Walsh, Overseer, 1st Grade, Public Works Department, rendered most important service by the construction of a raft by which the whole of the Nwengal force was ferried across the Manipur river in January 1893. It was due to his initiative and good work that the column was not much hampered and delayed. He afterwards was of great assistance in bridging the river. He appears well worthy of departmental advancement or of some other recognition of his services.

I have confined myself in the above list to mentioning only the senior officers and a few others who have had the best opportunities of bringing themselves to prominent notice; but as it has been necessary to employ so many columns of various strengths, and often simultaneously, nearly all the officers in the force down to the youngest subaltern have had opportunities of exercising independent commands under fire, and have done well. I only omit their names as it would make the list unacceptably long.

Return of Casualties in action in the Northern Chin Hills, 1892–93.

Summary.—13 rank and file *killed;* 1 British officer, 1 Native officer, 29 rank and file, 1 follower, and 3 coolies wounded.

Nominal Return of Officers wounded.

Rank.	Name.	Description of wound (dangerous, severe, or slight).	Nature of wound.
Lieutenant	S. Geoghegan, 31st Madras (Light) Infantry ..	Severe	Gunshot.
Subadar-Major ..	Abhiman Sing Gurung, 10th Madras Infantry ..	Do.	Do.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men killed.

Regimental No.	Rank.	Name.		Nature of wound.
471	Sepoy	Jagtu Bisht, 39th Bengal Infantry		Gunshot.
70	Naik ..	Phelam Ram	10th Regiment, Madras Infantry.	Do.
602	Sepoy	Chandrapat Suba		Do.
668	Do.	Agandhoj Suba		Do.
669	Do.	Fowde Singh Suba		Do.
403	Do.	Madhu Singh Koti		Do.
495	Do.	Basugoo Ram		Do.
459	Do.	Jagahang Suba		Do.
722	Do.	Hansabir Suba		Do.
490	Do.	Thairangdao		Do.
855	Do.	Sridhoj Lama		Killed by a stone rolling down.
2139	Private	Dadiannah, 28th Madras Infantry		Gunshot.
2349	Sepoy	Tek Bahadur, Kindat Battalion, Military Police ..		Do.

Nominal Return of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men wounded.

Regimental No.	Rank.	Name.		Description of wound (dangerous, severe, or slight).	Nature of wound.
1690	Lance-Corporal ..	Goose	1st Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.	Slight	Gunshot.
1526	Private ..	W. Eden		Do.	Do.
1787	Do. ..	M'Gill		Do.	Do.
279	Lance-Havildar ..	Baiju Rawat ..	39th Bengal Infantry.	Do.	Do.
571	Sepoy	Jowaru Bandari ..		Dangerous ..	Do.
371	Do.	Dansingh Negi ..		Severe	Struck by a log thrown down.
398	Do.	Maitrap Suba ..	10th Madras Infantry.	Dangerous ..	Gunshot.
789	Do.	Chandrapal Suba ..		Do. ..	Gunshot (since dead).
805	Do.	Agitlal Rae ..		Do. ..	Gunshot.
700	Do.	Hansarup Suba ..		Severe	Do.
425	Do.	Rattanbir Thapa ..		Do.	Do.
445	Do.	Bahadur Gurung ..		Do.	Do.
709	Do.	Dalbhanghan Suba ..		Slight	Do.
893	Do.	Dhojman Khattri ..		Severe	Do.
362	Do.	Harkaman Rae ..		Do. ..	Do.
938	Do.	Dhanbir Rae ..		Dangerous ..	Gunshot (since dead).
846	Do.	Dibir Adhikari ..		Do. ..	Do. (do.).
781	Do.	Nandhoj Suba ..		Severe ..	Do.
252	Do.	Bhakatbir Chettri ..		Dangerous ..	Do.
1854	Private ..	Abdul Rahim, 21st Madras Infantry ..		Do. ..	Do.
1156	Do. ..	Ramannah, 28th Madras Infantry ..		Do. ..	Gunshot (died same day).
79	Naik	Ganda Singh ..	30th Madras Infantry.	Slight ..	Gunshot.
94	Private ..	Dhan Singh ..		Severe ..	Do.
197	Do. ..	Jagg Singh ..		Do. ..	Do. (since dead).
	Lascar ..	Sultan Khan ..		Dangerous ..	Do. (do.).
1217	Private ..	Amin Khan ..	31st Madras (Light) Infantry.	Do. ..	Do. (do.).
1174	Do. ..	Rahim Khan ..		Severe ..	Gunshot.
814	Do. ..	Hayat Muhammad ..		Dangerous ..	Do. (since dead).
448	Do. ..	Alladad Khan ..		Severe ..	Do.
398	Do. ..	Maka		Slight ..	Do.
Three coolies, Darjeeling Cooly Corps				Do. ..	Do.

No. 434.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th August 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

1st Lancers.

No. 737.—Lieutenant A. A. Jones, 2nd Madras Lancers, to be Squadron Officer, *vice* Lieutenant R. J. Bentinck, transferred to the 4th Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent, and to officiate as Squadron Commander to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 16th July 1893.

No. 435.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th August 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 747.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 29th July 1893.

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Frederick Doveton Maxwell.

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Aubrey Arbuthnot Jones.

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No. 436.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 5th August 1893, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 31st July 1893.

No. 378.—The services of Lieutenant C. V. Mainwaring, I.S.C., 14th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as an Assistant Commandant in the Burma Military Police.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 437.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 18th July 1893, is republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 18th July 1893.

The undermentioned Deputy-Assistant Commissaries are granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant:—

J. B. Sanderson, Madras Establishment. Dated 1st July 1892.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 438.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).

Havildar-Major, No. 766, Nursing Bhan to be Jemadar .. Dated 18th June 1893.

30th Regiment (5th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.

Subadar Wazir Singh to be Subadar-Major .. ..
Jemadar Samund Singh to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 9th July 1893.
Havildar, No. 35, Chur Khan to be Jemadar .. ..

No. 439.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

First-grade Assistant Apothecary A. F. Smith to be Second grade Apothecary, with effect from the 1st August 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 440.—Honorary Captain J. W. Borthistle, Deputy Commissary, Ordnance Department, Madras Circle, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £216 per annum, with effect from the 15th August 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 441.—OFFICERS—

With reference to Public Works Department No. 73 of 15th August 1893, the services of Colonel Ross Thompson, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, are replaced at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 7th August 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 442.—APPOINTMENTS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Mr. Douglas Norman Morison to be Honorary Quarter Master, *vice* Alfred Joyce, resigned.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Volunteer David Fenton to be Second Lieutenant from the 1st August 1893, *vice* Second Lieutenant C. Crighton, promoted.

No. 443.—PROMOTIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Second Lieutenant C. Crighton to be Lieutenant from the 1st August 1893, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 444.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Quarter Master Alfred Joyce is permitted to resign his appointment at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 15*th August* 1893.

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

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of decease.	Place of decease.	Testate or intestate.
Barrack Department ..	Sub-Conductor G. H. Priest ..	28th July 1893 ..	Bangalore ..	....

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

By order of the Provisional 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, 22nd August 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 445.—District Staff—

Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. S. McLeod, D.S.O., General List Cavalry, Commandant, 3rd Madras Lancers, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the Establishment, *vice* Captain E. E. M. Lawford. Dated 12th August 1893.

No. 446.—Native Army—

Subadar Mosum Khan, Burma Military Police, to be Subadar, 30th Regiment (5th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, *vice* Subadar Rameshuar Tiwari, re-transferred to the Burma Military Police. Dated 1st August 1893.

No. 447.—Subadar Narayan Singh, of the Burma Military Police, is transferred to the 31st Regiment (6th Burma Battalion), Madras Light Infantry. Dated 20th July 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 448.—Colonel C. Beadon, Madras Cavalry, 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 23rd October 1893.

No. 449.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel W. B. Warner, General List Cavalry, 5 months, p.a.
Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel C. Little, M D , Indian Medical Service, 3 months, m.c.
Major A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Captain A. R. Denne, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.

No. 450.—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-Captain J O. Pinto, Indian Medical Service, for one year. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 27th December 1892.

No. 451.—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 J. Henegan, Indian Staff Corps, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—10th year, commenced 6th February 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 452.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 21st July 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Ordnance Department.

No. 695.—The tenure of the appointment of Captain E. S. F. Walker, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, in the Ordnance Department in India, is extended for five years from the 1st October 1892.

No. 453.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 11th August 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

6th Infantry.

No. 759.—Captain D. W. Purdon, Wing Commander, to be Second-in-Command, *vice* Captain A. Adye, appointed Commandant, 4th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 1st July 1893.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 763.—Second-Lieutenant Theodore Charles Browning, Royal Munster Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 23rd Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 5th April 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 454.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 11th August 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 770.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 9th August 1893.

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Eustace Edward Melville Lawford.

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No. 455.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 12th August 1893, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 9th August 1893.

No 388.—Home Department Notification No. 378, dated the 31st July 1893, placing the services of Lieutenant C. V. Mainwaring, 14th Madras Infantry, at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma for employment as an Assistant Commandant in the Burma Military Police, is hereby cancelled.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 456.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 1st August 1893, is republished :—

India Office, 1st August 1893.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 10th May 1893.

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John Rocke Mathewes.

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Francis Herbert Sullivan Thomas.

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George Benjamin Hodson.

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Henry Dermot Daly.

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Francis Arthur Loudon.

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William Nevinson Macdonald Cooke.

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To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Leslie Hawthorne Marriott, from the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment. Dated 13th October 1891, but to rank from 24th March 1891.

Lieutenant Henry Anthony Carleton, from the Hampshire Regiment. Dated 22nd July 1891, but to rank from 3rd May 1891.

Lieutenant Thomas Ian Drever, from the Worcestershire Regiment. Dated 13th October 1891, but to rank from 22nd August 1891.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel William Price, M.D. Dated 1st March 1893.

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

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Surgeon-Colonel William Howland Roberts, M.D. Dated 1st July 1893.

The date of the retirement of Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel James Byers Thomas, Madras Medical Establishment, has been altered from 1st April 1893 to 12th May 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 457.—APPOINTMENTS—

Southern Mahratta Railway Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant H. C. Johnstone, 2nd Battalion, Somersetshire Light Infantry, to be Adjutant, *vice* Major A. Gilmore, vacated. Dated 7th August 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional 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, 29th August 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 458.—Colonel J. McMullin, Indian Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India, under Article 738 (*f*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 459.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain T. W. J. M. Georges, Indian Staff Corps, six months, m.c.
Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan, Indian Staff Corps, three months, m.c.
Lieutenant C. H. Williams, Indian Staff Corps, three months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 460.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 18th August 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 781.—Lieutenant H. A. P. Lindsay, Indian Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, with effect from the 27th June 1893. (Joined his appointment on the 3rd August 1893.)

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

1st Infantry.

No. 782.—Second Lieutenant H. Macdonald, Officiating Wing Officer, 26th Madras Infantry, on probation, to be Officiating Wing Officer, on probation, with effect from the 30th July 1893.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

No. 783.—The following promotions are made, with effect from the date specified, *vice* Colonel C. G. Cautley, General List, Cavalry, Military Accountant, 1st Class, who has vacated :

Names.	From	To	Date.
Lieutenant R. W. C. Keays, Indian Staff Corps. Lieutenant B. Scott, Indian Staff Corps.	Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd Class.	Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd Class. Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd Class, on probation.	8th August 1893.

QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, INTELLIGENCE BRANCH.

No. 785.—In G.G.O. No. 698 * of 1893, the appointment of Captain Walker should be "Officiating Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, Burma," and not as therein notified.

* *Vide* Madras G.O.G. No. 406 of 1893.

No. 461.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 18th August 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD SERVICE PENSIONS.

No. 800.—It is notified that, on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government have been pleased to confer a good service pension on the undermentioned officer, with effect from the date specified :—

Madras.

In place of Major-General Sir T. T. Pears, K.C.B., Retired List, Madras Engineers, deceased. Dated 8th October 1892.

COLONEL GEORGE CORRIE BIRD, C.B., INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Dates of Commissions.

Ensign	20th September 1856.
Lieutenant	17th October 1857.
Captain	20th September 1868.
Major	20th September 1876.
Lieutenant-Colonel	2nd March 1881.
Colonel	2nd March 1885.

Appointments.

Regimental duty,—from October 1856 to March 1891.
Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Rangoon District,—from September 1891 to October 1891.
Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District,—from November 1891 to April 1893.
Temporarily Commanding the Myingyan District,—from April 1893 to date.

War Services.

India, 1857–58.—Staff Officer to the moveable column under Colonel Walpole in Canara.—(Medal.)
Afghanistan, 1878–79–80.—Actions of Ahmad Khel and Patkao Shana as Brigade-Major, Cavalry Brigade, Ghazni Field Force.—(Mentioned in despatches; Medal and Clasp; Brevet of Lieutenant-Colonel.)

No. 432.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 18th August 1893, are republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 802.—*Rangoon Volunteer Artillery*—

Vincent Clarence Scott O'Connor, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Kynoch, promoted.

No. 804.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Henry King Gordon, Esquire, to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, *vice* Johnson, resigned.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 463.—NATIVE ARMY—

7th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdur Razzak to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 710, Mootoosawmy to be Jemadar } Dated 13th May 1893.

11th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Appulsawmy to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 1209, Venketraidoo to be Jemadar } Dated 17th May 1893.
Havildar, No. 1133, Kullunder Khan to be Jemadar — Dated 20th May 1893.

12th Regiment (*2nd Burma Battalion*), *Madras Infantry.*

Subadar Muzaffar Khan to be Subadar-Major
Jemadar Santa Singh to be Subadar } Dated 13th February 1893.
Jemadar Sultan Muhammad to be Subadar — Dated 31st May 1893.
Havildar, No. 45, Gyan Singh to be Jemadar — Dated 13th February 1893.
Havildar, No. 175, Sher Jang to be Jemadar — Dated 31st May 1893.

No. 464.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant Charles Robert Locke, Barrack Department, Madras. } Dated 29th August 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 465.—Honorary Captain J. W. Borthistle, Deputy Commissary, Ordnance Department, Madras Circle, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 12th July 1893. (G.O.G. No. 440 of 1893 is hereby cancelled.)

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 466.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant R. S. Phillips, Indian Staff Corps, 15th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 467.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Major A. W. B. Higgens, out of India, for 15 months, from 15th September 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 5th September 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 468.—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. Chaplin, General List, Infantry.
Colonel F. W. Buller, General List, Cavalry.
Lieutenant-Colonel S. R. Rawlinson, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. B Young, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant T. S. Young, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant C. H. Heycock, Royal Engineers.
Conductor F. S. Dunk, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras.

No. 469.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel E. F. Drake-Brockman, Indian Medical Service 105 days, p.a.

No. 470.—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 L. H. Walker, Indian Staff Corps, 15th Regiment, Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 29th August 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 471.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 2 th August 1893, is republished :—

ORGANISATION.

NATIVE ARMY.

No 811.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the reconstitution of a regiment of Madras Native Infantry for service in Burma.

2. The corps selected for reconstitution is the 29th Regiment of Madras Infantry, which on re-formation will be designated "The 29th Regiment (the 7th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry."

3. This corps will be formed from companies of the Magwé and Mandalay Battalions of Military Police.

4. The existing material of the 29th Regiment of Madras Infantry will be mustered out, and the native officers, non-commissioned officers and men now serving in this corps will be transferred to other regiments, or pensioned or discharged in the manner hereinafter stated.

5. This corps as now reconstituted will ordinarily be stationed in Burma, but will be recruited for general service.

6. 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 Naicks.
16 Drummers or buglers.
720 Sepoys.

7. The British officers will be selected by the Commander-in-Chief, Madras, as far as possible from the officers of the 29th Madras Infantry and from volunteers from the Madras Army; but those now serving with the police corps about to be transferred to the army, if they belong to another presidency, may receive suitable appointments in the reconstituted regiment for a period of three years, should it be desired to employ them with it, and if they are willing to remain.

8. 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 re-formed.

9. The pay and allowances of the British officers of this corps will be the same as those allowed for native infantry generally, 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.

10. 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 six Burma battalions already formed.

11. Probationers for the Indian 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.

12. The native officers, non-commissioned officers and men now serving in the police battalions above named will be eligible to serve in the corps, on its conversion, on the terms now laid down.

13. Native officers and non-commissioned officers will be on probation for six months. If within that period they are found to be not thoroughly efficient, they will be either re-transferred to the military police or placed on the pension establishment.

14. 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 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
Naick	6	0	0
Drummer, bugler, and sepoy	2	0	0

The Burma local allowance will be admitted to native officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Burma battalions of Madras infantry during all authorised leave or furlough taken by them, whether in India or in Burma.

15. Good-conduct pay will be given as laid down in articles 85 and 86 of the Regulations above quoted.

16. The conditions of service as regards enlistment, kit money, clothing, half mounting, discharge, pensions, and free quarters will be the same as those sanctioned for the six Burma battalions already formed.

17. Former service in the police battalions and in the army will count towards the period of service required for the grant of good-conduct pay and pension.

18. All native ranks, including native officers, will be granted free rations as in Army Regulations, India, Vol. V, para. 2145.

19. Furlough and leave will be granted under the rules in Chapter VIII, Section XIII, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, Part II.

20. The indulgences conceded to the military police in regard to families will be continued on the transfer of these companies of military police 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 naicks, 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.

21. Soldiers serving in the battalion as now re-formed will be liable to transfer to any other local Burma battalions to which this corps may hereafter be linked, as the exigencies of the service may require.

22. The class composition of the 29th (Burma) Regiment of Madras Infantry will be as noted below :—

Three companies of Sikhs.
Three companies of Punjabi Mahomedans.
Two companies of Hindustanis.

23. The native officers, non-commissioned officers and men now serving in the 29th Regiment of Madras Infantry will cease to be borne on the rolls thereof from the 15th October, 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 drummers, buglers, and privates 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 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, with the option, in the case of drummers, buglers, and 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 have the option of transfer to other regiments, and, in the case of privates only, of joining the active reserve. Such as elect for discharge from the service, or for transfer to the active reserve, will receive a gratuity of one month's pay (including good-conduct pay) for each year of service.

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

24. 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 29th Madras Infantry.

25. The present reservists of the battalion to be reconstituted will be allowed the option of joining the reserves of the battalions linked to this corps under its former organization, or of taking their discharge.

26. The mess, band, and other property of the 29th Madras Infantry, together with the colours of this corps, will remain with the regiment as reconstituted.

No. 472.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th August 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 814.—Second Lieutenant James William Milne, Scottish Rifles, Officiating Wing Officer, 22nd Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 31st July 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 473.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th August 1893, is republished :—

ESTATES.

No. 816.—It is notified for general information that the Regimental Debts Act, 1893,* which was published in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 3rd June 1893, will come into force in India on and from the 1st October 1893, after which date the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, and the Regulations issued in pursuance thereof in clause 99, War Office Army Circulars, dated 1st May 1881, will cease to have effect. Revised regulations under the Act of 1893 will shortly be published.

2. Copies of the Act of 1893 and the revised regulations will be supplied in pamphlet form to corps and departments.

* Republished in *Fort St. George Gazette* of 27th June 1893, Part I, pages 745 to 750.

No. 474.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th August 1893, is republished :—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 824.—Colonel Colin Charles Campbell, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 10th August 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 475.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 25th August 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF MERIT.

No. 826.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the admission to the 3rd Class of the Order of Merit of the undermentioned native officer of the 31st Regiment (the 6th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry :—

JEMADAR BAHADUR KHAN.—For conspicuous gallantry in action in the vicinity of Pimpi, in the Chin Hills, on the 26th December 1892, on which occasion, having fallen into an ambuscade and lost some of his men by a sudden volley from the concealed Chins, he led forward his small party (18 men) with great dash and gallantry, drove back the enemy under a very heavy fire, and eventually brought off his party without further loss.

No. 476.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 25th August 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 827.—*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles*—

Hero Basil Anthony, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 828.—*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles*—

Second Lieutenant E. H. Murray resigns his commission.

No. 477.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 23th August 1893, is republished:—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

PORT BLAIR.

Simla, the 23rd August 1893.

No. 793.—Surgeon-Captain W. Molesworth, Medical Officer in charge of the Detachment of Native Infantry and Station Hospital, Port Blair, to officiate as Senior Medical Officer in the Settlement, in addition to his own duties, during the absence on privilege leave of Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel D. P. MacDonald, M.D.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 478.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 8th August 1893, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 8th August 1893.

MEMORANDA.

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Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant J. Nicholson, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 2nd May 1893.

Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Cormac, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 2nd May 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 479.—NATIVE ARMY—

8th Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 868, Shaikh Sillar to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st September 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 480.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant T. C. Browning, 23rd Madras Light Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 481.—The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant W. E. A. Armstrong, Indian Medical Service, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 482.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Captain J. A. D. McDougall, for one year, from the 26th August 1893.

No. 483.—TRANSFERS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Major T. H. Baker is transferred from the Supernumerary to the Unattached List, with effect from the 23rd July 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 12th September 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 484.—Medical Department—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 397 of 1893, it is notified that the tenure of the appointment of Surgeon-Colonel D. F. Bateman, in the administrative grade of the Indian Medical Service, will reckon from the 1st July 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 485.—Brigadier-General E. H. Eyre, Quarter Master General, Madras Army, has been granted by the Secretary of State for India, in commutation of his privilege leave, leave out of India (m.c.) for four months, with effect from the date of leaving India, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. Pension service,—36th year, commenced 7th April 1893.

No. 486.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel Ross Thompson, Royal (late Madras) Engineers .. { Arrived at Bombay on the 2nd September 1893.

No. 487.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Colonel J. Pennycuick, Royal (late Madras) Engineers.
Lieutenant F. Bruce, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. R. Stone, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 488.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India :—

Captain The Honorable E. Baring, 10th Hussars, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor of Madras, (p.a) for five months, under article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 489.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant H. A. F. Magrath, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 490.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 1st September 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Hyderabad Contingent.

2nd Lancers.

No. 831.—Second Lieutenant T. L. Ormiston, Wing Officer, 26th Madras Infantry, to be Officiating Squadron Officer, *vice* Lieutenant H. H. Dunlop, on furlough. Dated 13th August 1893.

Staff Corps.

No. 835.—The undermentioned officers, appointed to the unattached list of the British Army for service in the Indian Staff Corps, are posted as follows, with effect from the date of their arrival in India :—

* * * * *

Madras.

Second Lieutenant C. E. D. Davidson-Houston.

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No. 491.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st September 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 843.—Colonel Hugh Patrick Rolston Francis Crawfurd, Indian Staff Corps, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 1st September 1893.

No. 492.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st September 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 845.—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 4th June 1893 :—

MADRAS.

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar Mit Singh, *Bahadur*, 32nd Regiment (the 4th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry, *vice* Pensioned Subadar Pethapermaul, *Sardar Bahadur*, 39th Madras Infantry, deceased.

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

Subadar-Major Abhiman Singh Gurung, 10th Regiment of Madras Infantry (the 1st Burma Rifles), *vice* Subadar Mit Sing, *Bahadur*, 32nd Regiment (the 4th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry, promoted.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 493.—Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary J Cormac, Public Works Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of Rs. 140 per mensem, with effect from the 3rd September 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 494.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Major James Lushington Taylor to officiate as Commandant during the absence of Major F. W. Read, or until further orders.

Messrs. Frank Levy, C S , and Donald William Garden Cowie, C.S , to be Second Lieutenants, to complete Establishment.

No. 495.—TRANSFERS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant N. A. W. Hamilton is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

No. 496.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Major W. H. Spalding, out of India, on private affairs, for one year, with effect from the 7th October 1893, or date of departure.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional 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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Ootacamund, 19th September 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 497.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following extract, paras. 1 and 2, from a Military Letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 32, dated 24th August 1893, is published :—

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 Surgeon-Lieutenants on the Madras Establishment :—

Hugh Leslie Sutherland.	Bhola Nauth.
Eric Harding Sharman.	Thomas Howard Foulkes.
Thomas Stodart.	

2. Their commissions will bear date the 29th July 1893, the day of their passing out of the Army Medical School, from which date their service for pension will also reckon.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 498.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Brigadier-General E. H. Eyre, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. H. F. Basevi, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps.
Conductor H. Sears, Ordnance Department, Madras.
Sub-Conductor E. Pluckrose, Barrack Department, Madras.

No. 499.—Colonel A. T. Rolland, 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 26th October 1893.

No. 500.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Major G. B. Stevens, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.

No. 501.—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. G. Batten, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), for one year. Pension service,—9th year, commenced 30th May 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 502.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th September 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 852.—Lieutenant J. H. Dickson, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 6th July 1892.

No. 503.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 9th September 1893, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 6th September 1893.

No. 1499-*G.*—Surgeon-Lieutenant W. E. A. Armstrong, Indian Medical Service (Madras), is appointed to officiate as Medical Officer of the Meywar Bhil Corps, with effect from date of joining, and until further orders.

PENSIONS.

No. 504.—Sub-Conductor Noah Smith, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, is transferred to the Pension establishment on a pension of £54 per annum, with effect from the 1st September 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 505.—NATIVE ARMY—

16th Madras Infantry.

Subadar Shaikh Sulaiman to be Subadar-Major ..
Jemadar Rungiah to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 16th August 1893.
Havildar, No. 1541, Muhammad Yakub to be Jemadar ..

23rd Madras Light Infantry.

Havildar, No. 1553, Narayan Swami to be Jemadar .. Dated 1st February 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 506.—APPOINTMENTS—

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Color-Sergeant Harry Alexander Campbell to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the Establishment.

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. Charles James Weir, C.S., to be Captain, to complete the Establishment.
Mr. Percival Stanley Pitcairn Rice, C.S., to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the Establishment.

No. 507.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant R. H. Shipley, out of India, for 20 months, with effect from the 25th February 1893.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Ootacamund, 26th September 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 508.—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 Captain The Honorable E. Baring. Dated 17th September 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 509.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Harvey-Kelly, Indian Staff Corps, 14 days, p.a.

No. 510.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Harvey-Kelly, Indian Staff Corps.
Captain G. V. Burrows, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 511.—The leave on urgent private affairs for six months granted to Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. E. Johnson, M D., Indian Medical Service, in G.O.G. No. 89 of 1893 has been converted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India into nine months' furlough on medical certificate.

No. 512.—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. Grey, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Light Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—6th year, commenced 15th October 1892.

No. 513.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant J. W. H. Lyon, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer (sub. *pro tem.*), 25th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 5th September 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 514.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 15th September 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Hyderabad Contingent.

2nd Infantry.

No. 868.—Surgeon-Lieutenant G. Bidie, Indian Medical Service, Madras Establishment, Officiating Medical Officer, 4th Infantry, to be Officiating Medical Officer during the absence of Surgeon-Major C. L. Swaine, M.D., who has been appointed to officiate as Sanitary Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts. Dated 17th July 1893.

4th Infantry.

No. 869.—Surgeon-Captain C. H. L. Palk, Indian Medical Service, Madras Establishment, Officiating Medical Officer, 2nd Infantry, to be Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon-Major E. M. Damla, who has been appointed to the medical charge of the Madras Infantry Depôt, Pallaveram. Dated 17th July 1893.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 871.—Lieutenant Walter Sladen Prentis, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Officiating Wing Officer, 30th Regiment (5th Burma Battalion) of Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 28th June 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

No. 515.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th September 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 874.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough or leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

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Lieutenant F. M. Davidson, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 2 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent (m.c), for two months.

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No. 516.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th September 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

No. 878.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 9th September 1893.

William George Hay Stirling.

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Thomas Bate Hawks.

John Caillard Erck.

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William Alexander Oswald.

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George Herbert Arbuthnot.

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No. 517.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 15th September 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 884.—*Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps*—

Thomas Robert Barwick, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Dawson, promoted.

PENSIONS.

No. 518.—Sub-Conductor Noah Graham, Ordnance Department, Madras, is transferred to the Pension Establishment on a pension of £54 per annum, with effect from the date he ceases to perform duty.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 519.—NATIVE ARMY—

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

Jemadar Buta Singh to be Subadar .. .. .. } Dated 1st August 1893.
Havildar, No. 15, Gurdatt Singh to be Jemadar .. }

No. 520.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant Charles Cann, Barrack Department, Madras. } Dated 26th September 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 521.—First-grade Senior Apothecary T. Todd, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 21st September 1893, on a pension of Rs. 170 per mensem or £175 per annum, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 522.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant A. P. Russell, from 19th September to 18th December 1893, in extension of that granted him in G.O.G. No. 500 of 1892.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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Ootacamund, 3rd October 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 523.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel B. T. M. Gompertz, Indian Staff Corps.
Captain F. H. S. Thomas, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant W. E. Banbury, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 524.—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-Major R. James, Indian Medical Service, 3rd Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent, for six months. Pension service,—15th year, commenced 22nd June 1893.

No. 525.—Major D. Lissenburg, in charge of Family Payments and Pensions at Madras, is granted privilege leave for sixty days, with effect from the 18th September 1893 ;—M.R.Ry. V. Rajarathna Moodelliar, retired Deputy Examiner, Military Accounts Department, performing the duties of the appointment on Major Lissenburg's responsibility.

No. 526.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant G. A. Ward, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.
Lieutenant B. A. G. Shelley, Royal Engineers, 3 months, m.c.

No. 527.—Lieutenant G. E. Reid, Indian Staff Corps, attached 1st Madras Lancers, is granted leave (m.c.), for six months, in extension of that notified in G.O.G. No. 190 of 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 528.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 30th June 1893, is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 629.—The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

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Second Lieutenant Harry Ross, Somersetshire Light Infantry, Officiating Wing Officer, 9th Bombay Infantry,—24th April 1892.

Second Lieutenant Ross will rank as Lieutenant in the Indian Staff Corps, from the 24th April 1892, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 529.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 22nd September 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

6th Infantry.

No. 889.—Second Lieutenant C. B. Monypenny, 16th Madras Infantry, to be Officiating Wing Officer, *vice* Lieutenant E. J. M. Wood, on furlough. Dated 17th August 1893.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 891.—The tenure of the appointment of Captain J. R. B. Davidson, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, in the Ordnance Department in India, is extended for five years from the 15th December 1893.

No. 530.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd September 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 897.—Captain E. S. Brooke, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, is granted general leave in India from the 11th to the 15th April 1893, under the leave rules applicable to regimental officers of the British Army serving in India.

No. 531.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 22nd September 893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 899.—Honorary Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary Thomas Baker, Superintendent and Deputy Examiner, Office of Examiner of Ordnance Accounts, to be Deputy Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

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

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary William Rainford to be Assistant Commissary ;

Conductor George Jones to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

Sub-Conductor Frank Beart to be Conductor ;

Store-Sergeant George Arthur Drummond Hamilton to be Sub-Conductor,—

with effect from the 12th July 1893, *vice* Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary John W. Borthistle, transferred to the Pension establishment.

No. 532.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 22nd September 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 903.—*Rangoon Naval Volunteers*—

James Edgar Ballantine, Gentleman, to be Sub-Lieutenant, *vice* Moore, promoted.

Walter Beckett, Gentleman, to be Sub-Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 908.—*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles*—

Major J. J. D. La Touche (supernumerary list) resigns his commission.

No. 533.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 23rd September 1893, is republished :—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 19th September 1893.

No. 1543-*G*.—The following changes are made in the graded list of the Political Department :—

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Consequent on the deputation with the Kabul Mission of Lieutenant J. Manners Smith, V.C, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and with effect from the 10th August 1893,—

Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Assistant of the 1st Class, to officiate as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 534.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 1st September 1893, is republished :—

India Office, 1*st September* 1893.

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 :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

To be Lieutenants.

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Lieutenant Aymer Acton Ainslie, from the Royal Scots Fusiliers. Dated 18th May 1892, but to rank from 11th February 1891.

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Second Lieutenant William Cumberland Nicholson, from the Connaught Rangers. Dated 31st October 1891.

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Second Lieutenant Ernest Bird Barratt, from the Royal Dublin Fusiliers. Dated 7th December 1891.

Second Lieutenant William Robert Boyle Colan, from the West Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 14th December 1891.

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Second Lieutenant Kenlis Edward Nangle, from the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated 5th March 1892.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Lane Ormiston, from the King's Own Scottish Borderers. Dated 5th April 1892.

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Second Lieutenant Henry Cecil Beadon, from the Derbyshire Regiment. Dated 1st May 1892.

Second Lieutenant Sisley Richard Davidson, from the Somersetshire Light Infantry Dated 3rd June 1892.

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The retirement of Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel James Byers Thomas, Madras Medical Establishment, is dated 13th May 1893, and not as stated in the *London Gazette* of 1st August 1893.

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

* * * * *

Colonel William Lancaster Ranking, Madras Infantry, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the Madras Establishment. Dated 1st June 1893.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 535.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel David Sinclair, M.B., *vice* Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Thomas, retired. Dated 13th May 1893.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel John North, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel D. F. Bateman, promoted. Dated 1st July 1893.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon-Captain Edward Ronald DaCosta .. .. Dated 12th September 1893.

No. 536.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

Sergeant William Henry Holton, Clerk, Adjutant-General's Office, Ootacamund. } Dated 3rd October 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 537.—Veterinary Lieutenant-Colonel F. G. Shaw, Indian Veterinary Department, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £450 per annum, with effect from the 1st October 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 538.—APPOINTMENTS—

East Coast Rifle Volunteers.

Volunteer Walter Henry Michael, C.S., to be Captain to complete the Establishment.
Volunteer John Strode Wilson, to be Second Lieutenant to complete the Establishment.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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Ootacamund, 10*th October* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 539.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Brigadier-General E. H. Eyre, Indian Staff Corps, Quarter Master General, Madras Army	Rejoined his appointment on the 6th October 1893.
Lieutenant T. S Young, Indian Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, 3rd Madras Lancers.	Rejoined his appointment on the 21st September 1893.

No. 540.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Colonel W. Stainforth, General List, Infantry, 3 months, p.a.

No. 541.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough in and out of India :—

Surgeon-Major J. K. Kanga, Indian Medical Service (p.a.), for two years, under Rule I of the Regulations of 1875.

No. 542.—Captain T. G. Barclay, Bedfordshire Regiment, Adjutant, Malabar Volunteer Rifles, is granted leave out of India (u.p a), under Article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, with effect from the 27th September 1893, or date of departure, to 25th May 1894.

No. 543.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant J. F. Barry, Indian Staff Corps.
Conductor G. Cross, Commissariat-Transport Department.

No. 544.—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. T. Anwyl-Passingham, Indian Staff Corps, 12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—8th year, commenced 30th January 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 545.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 29th September 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

1st Lancers.

No. 910.—Captain A. A. Jones, Indian Staff Corps, Squadron Officer, to be Second Squadron Commander. Dated 29th July 1893.

2nd Infantry.

No. 911.—Lieutenant T. C. Browning, Indian Staff Corps, 23rd Madras Infantry, to be Officiating Wing Officer, *vice* Captain E. C. M. Lushington, Indian Staff Corps, appointed Officiating Commandant, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent. Dated 17th September 1893.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 913.—Second Lieutenant Lucius Emilius Fagan, Royal Lancaster Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 9th October 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 546.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th September 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 922.—Lieutenant G. G. Woods, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India (p.a.) for the 19th July 1893, under article 694, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 547.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th September 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 924.—Colonel Francis Weldon, Indian Staff Corps, is admitted to the Colonel's allowances, with effect from the 26th September 1893.

No. 548.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 29th September 1893, are republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 929.—*Rangoon Volunteer Engineers*—

William Laidlaw, Gentleman, to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 932.—*Rangoon Volunteer Engineers*—

Major Richard Carnac Temple, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, resigns his commission.

No. 934.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Second Lieutenant G. L. Weidemann resigns his commission.

No. 549.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 29th September 1893, is republished :—

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 936.—Lieutenant W. S. Traill, Royal Engineers, is appointed to the Military Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, supernumerary, with effect from the 26th May 1893, in terms of clause 16, paragraph 5, India Army Circulars of 1890.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 550.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 12th September 1893, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 12th September 1893.

MEMORANDA.

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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 :—

W. C. Nicholson, the Connaught Rangers.

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W. R. B. Colan, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).

K. E. Nangle, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

T. L. Ormiston, the King's Own Scottish Borderers.

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H. C. Beadon, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment).

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Deputy Assistant Commissary Patrick Kilcoin, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 20th June 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 551.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonels.

Surgeon-Major Hazlett Allison, M.D. ..
Surgeon-Major Thomas James Hackett Wilkins .. } Dated 30th September 1893.

To be Surgeon-Majors.

Surgeon-Captain Robert Bradley Roe ..
Surgeon-Captain John Smyth, M.D. ..
Surgeon-Captain Hugh Greany, M.D. ..
Surgeon-Captain Edward Pettingall Youngerman ..
} Dated 1st October 1893.

No. 552.—NATIVE ARMY—

"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Jemadar (Subadar in the Burma Company) Francis to be Subadar.
Jemadar Armogum to be Subadar, *vice* Subadar Francis, seconded.
Havildar, No. 911, Kondaswami to be Jemadar ..
} Dated 21st September 1893.

12th Regiment (2nd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 156, Hakim Khan to be Jemadar ..
Havildar, No. 255, Khusyal Singh to be Jemadar ..
} Dated 1st August 1893.

22nd Madras Infantry.

Subadar Sreeneevasooloo to be Subadar-Major .. ..
Jemadar Soobramoniam to be Subadar .. ..
Havildar, No. 636, Govindooswami to be Jemadar ..
} Dated 14th September 1893.

28th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Permauloo to be Subadar .. .. .. Dated 16th August 1893.
Jemadar Sri Persad to be Subadar .. .. .. Dated 13th September 1893.
Havildar, No. 1498, Muhammad Kasim to be Jemadar .. Dated 16th August 1893.
Havildar, No. 1476, Kupuswami to be Jemadar .. Dated 13th September 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 553.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant H. M. M. Brooke, Indian Staff Corps, 29th Madras Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, with effect from or after the 15th October 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 554.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Mr. James Gilderoy Fischer Marshall to be Second Lieutenant.

No. 555.—TRANSFERS—

Major Jabez Lightfoot, Oudh Volunteer Rifle Corps, is transferred to the Madras Railway Volunteers as supernumerary to the establishment till absorbed.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Second Lieutenant H. S. Mullins is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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Ootacamund, 17*th October* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 556.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Walker, Indian Staff Corps.
Captain G. H. H. Couchman, D.S.O., Intelligence Staff.
Lieutenant R. W. A. Denne, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant F. N. Burton, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant E. T. Browne, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 557.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel S. R. Rawlinson, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, one week, p.a.
Captain G. H. H. Couchman, D.S.O., Intelligence Staff, one month,* p.a.

* In addition to the leave granted in G.O.G. No. 391 of 1853.

No. 558.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 30th Regiment (5th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry. } Rejoined his appointment on the 19th September 1893.

No. 559.—Second-grade Senior Apothecary I. McDermott, Subordinate Medical Department, Madras, is granted leave in India (p.a.) for 146 days, from 1st October 1893, under Article 920F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

No. 560.—Sub-Conductor J. T. Radford, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted leave in India (m.c.), for six months, under Article 920F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 561.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 6th October 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 941.—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—
George Arthur Becher, Norfolk Regiment, Officiating Squadron Officer, 8th Bengal Cavalry,—14th March 1892.

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No. 942.—Second Lieutenant Herbert Andrews Newell, Royal Munster Fusiliers, Officiating Wing Officer, 28th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 5th April 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 943.—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 :—

Lieutenant Frederick George Pierce, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Wing Officer, 9th Madras Infantry,—1st March 1892.

Second Lieutenant David Greig Bryce, Lancashire Fusiliers, Officiating Wing Officer, 16th Madras Infantry,—7th March 1892.

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

No. 944.—Second Lieutenant F. V. L. Pritchard, who has been appointed to the unattached list of the British Army for service in the Indian Staff Corps, has been posted to the Madras Presidency, with effect from the date of his arrival in India.

No. 562.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th October 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 958.—*Rangoon Volunteer Engineers*—

George Anderson Whyte, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* MacPherson, promoted.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 563.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 19th September 1893, is republished :—

India Office, 19*th September* 1893.

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

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

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Major Spencer Richard Rawlinson, D.S.O. Dated 20th July 1893.

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MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Surgeon-Colonel.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel Frederick Bateman. Dated 1st July 1893.

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

Colonel Colin Charles Campbell, D.S.O. Dated 10th August 1893.

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

Captain G. H. H. Couchman, D.S.O., Somersetshire Light Infantry, to be Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Intelligence Branch, *vice* Captain G. V. Burrows, resigned. Dated 18th April 1893.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 564.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—

Conductor Robert Albert Bragg to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval ;

Sub-Conductor Robert Walter MacAlister to be Conductor ;

Sergeant Henry Slaney to be Sub-Conductor ;

with effect from the 3rd September 1893, *vice* Deputy Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant J. Cormac, retired.

No. 565.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Second-grade Senior Apothecary S. Chalke (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) to be First-grade Senior Apothecary, with effect from 21st September 1893, *vice* Senior Apothecary T. Todd, retired.

First-grade Apothecary Isaac McDermott to be Second-grade Senior Apothecary and to rank as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from 21st September 1893, *vice* Senior Apothecary Chalke, promoted.

No. 566.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant Joseph Elder, Barrack Department, Madras. } Dated 17th October 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 567.—APPOINTMENTS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Surgeon Thomas James O'Donnell to be Surgeon-Captain.

No. 568.—PROMOTIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Major Graham Stewart Bruce to be Lieutenant-Colonel from 1st October 1893, to complete the establishment.

No. 569.—RESIGNATIONS—

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Captain A. S. B. Oakley is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant A. R. Knapp is permitted to resign his commission at his own request.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

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 October 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 570.—ARMY STAFF—

Captain C. Stevens, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Lancers, Additional Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Captain G. A. P. Evans, 7th Hussars, vacated. Dated 19th October 1893.

Captain E. M. Reed, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Lancers Officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Mandalay District, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General (Additional), Burma District, *vice* Captain C. Stevens, appointed a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment. Dated 19th October 1893.

No. 571.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O.G. No. 111 of 1893, it is notified that the tenure of the appointment of Surgeon-Colonel S. B Hunt, in the administrative grade of the Indian Medical Service, Madras, will reckon from the 1st March 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 572.—Colonel G. E. Weston, General List, Infantry, is permitted to reside out of India, under Article 738 (*a*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, with effect from or after the 16th October 1893. Pension service,—35th year, commenced 5th September 1893.

No. 573.—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 C. H. Roe, Royal Engineers, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, for one year. Pension service,—10th year, commenced 15th February 1893. (So much of G.O.G. No. 39 of 1893 as refers to this officer is cancelled.)

No. 574.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant W. E. Banbury, Indian Staff Corps, Garrison Quarter Master, Fort St. George, Madras.	Rejoined his appointment on the 11th October 1893.
Conductor H. Sears, Ordnance Department, Madras ..	Rejoined his appointment on the 14th October 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 575.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th October 1893 is republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 964.—

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5th Infantry.

Captain T. H. Plumer, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, to be Second-in-Command, *vice* Captain Welchman, transferred to the 3rd Infantry. Dated 16th June 1893.

No. 576.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th October 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 966.—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. F. Cadell, Indian Staff Corps, Military Accountant, 2nd Class, for one year. Pension service,—21st year, commenced 23rd March 1893.

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No. 577.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th October 1893, is republished :—

MEDALS.

BURMA.

No 971.—The Viceroy and Governor-General in Council has much pleasure 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 of 1854, with clasps inscribed "BURMA, 1889–92," and "LUSHAI, 1889–92," respectively, to all troops and followers who were employed in the operations detailed in Appendix A between the dates specified in column 3 of that appendix.

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. 154 of 1893.

APPENDIX A.

List of operations in Burma and the Lushai Hills for which the India medal, with clasps inscribed "Burma, 1889–92," and "Lushai, 1889–92," is granted.

Name of Expedition or Column.	Clasp.	Dates of operation.
Poukhan Expedition.—Brigadier-Genl. G. B. Wolseley, C.B., Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	16th April to 16th May 1889, inclusive.
Tonhon Expedition.—Major J. E. Blundell, 1st Battalion, Hampshire Regiment, Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	17th December 1889 to 8th April 1890, inclusive.
Thetta Column.—Captain P. M. Carnegy, 2nd Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles, Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	1st to 4th January 1891, inclusive.
Chinbok Column.—Captain E. S. Hastings, D.S.O., 32nd (4th Burma) Madras Infantry, Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	8th January to 14th February 1891, inclusive.
Momeik Column.—Major R. E. Kelsall, afterwards Major J. H. Yule, 2nd Battalion, Devonshire Regiment, Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	27th January to 28th March 1891, inclusive.
Wuntho Field Force.—Brigadier-Genl. G. B. Wolseley, C.B., Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	18th February to 7th May 1891, inclusive.
Tlang-tlang Column.—Lieutenant D. E. Mocatta, 39th Bengal Infantry, Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	29th March to 3rd April 1891, inclusive.
Paungshe Column.—Major R. H. Gunning, 4th Battalion, King's Royal Rifle Corps, Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	25th December 1891 to 29th February 1892, inclusive.
Irrawaddy Column.—Major J. H. Yule, 2nd Battalion, Devonshire Regiment, Commanding.	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	15th December 1891 to 18th April 1892, inclusive.
North-Eastern Column.—Captain T. A. H. Davies, 2nd Battalion, Devonshire Regiment, Commanding	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	15th December 1891 to 7th April 1892, inclusive.
Chinbok Column.—Lieutenant Rainey, Commanding ..	"Burma, 1889–92" ..	1st to 20th January 1890, inclusive.
Lushai Expeditionary Force, under command of Colonel V. W. Tregear, 9th Bengal Infantry.	"Lushai, 1889–92" ..	11th January to 5th May 1889, inclusive.
Attack made by Lushais on Forts Aijal and Changsil. (Relieving force under command of Lieutenants Swinton, Cole, and Watson.)	"Lushai, 1889–92" ..	9th September to 9th December 1890, inclusive.
Expedition under command of Captain F. P. Hutchinson against the village of Jacopa to avenge the attack on Mr. Murray.	"Lushai, 1889–92" ..	20th February to 3rd March 1891, inclusive.
Expedition under command of Captain G. H. Loch in consequence of a general rising of the Eastern Lushais, commencing with the attack on a force under Mr. M'Cabe at Lalbura.	"Lushai, 1889–92" ..	1st March to 8th June 1892, inclusive.
Operations undertaken to quell a general rising of the Eastern Lushai clans. Advance of a force under Captain Shakespear in South Lushai Hills.	"Lushai, 1889–92" ..	16th March to 13th May 1892, inclusive.

No. 578.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th October 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 973.—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 27th June 1893 :—

To the 1st Class, with the title of "Sardar Bahadur."

Subadar-Major Abdul Aziz Khan. *Bahadur*, 21st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), *vice* Pensioned Subadar-Major Shaikh Ahmed, *Sardar Bahadur*, deceased.

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

Subadar-Major Muhammad Murtaza, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers), *vice* Subadar-Major Abdul Aziz Khan, *Bahadur*, promoted.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 579.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 26th September 1893, is republished:—

India Office, 26th September 1893.

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

To be Surgeon-Lieutenants.

Dated 29th July 1893.

* * * * *

MADRAS.

Hugh Leslie Sutherland.
Eric Harding Sharman.
Thomas Stodart.
Bhola Nauth.
Thomas Howard Foulkes.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 580.—BARRACK DEPARTMENT—

Conductor William Campbell Austin, 1st-class Barrack Master, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 24th October 1893.

No. 581.—NATIVE ARMY—

1st Madras Lancers.

Jemadar Subhan Beg to be Subadar, *vice* a Subadar with His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard transferred from the 1st to the 3rd Madras Lancers. } Dated 14th September 1893.

10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Driga Singh Gurung to be Subadar	Dated 8th June 1893.
Havildar, No. 28, Jaspap Thapa to be Jemadar ..	Dated 14th December 1892.
Havildar, No. 36, Rabilal Thapa to be Jemadar ..	Dated 8th June 1893.
Havildar-Major, No. 52, Gambhir Sahi to be Jemadar ..	Dated 10th July 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 582.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant W. A. L. Cowie, Indian Staff Corps (Bengal), Commandant Yeu Battalion, Burma Military Police, are placed at the disposal of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 583.—LEAVE—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

The leave of absence out of India granted in G.O.C. No. 149 of 1893 to Captain H. J. A. Porter is extended for a further period of six months in India.

No. 584.—TRANSFERS—

Lieutenant E. R. Ross, Great Indian Peninsula Railway Volunteers, is transferred to the Madras Railway Volunteers.

(Signed) H. R HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, 18th October 1893.

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 Oct. 1893.	Lieutenant.	Percy Edmond Vyvyan.	1st Duke of Cornwall's L.I.	..	26th June 1892.	..	RS. A. P. 3 4 0	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 3 4 0	. . .

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

By order of the Provisional Commander-in-Chief,

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

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GENERAL ORDERS.

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Fort St. George, 28*th October* 1893.

COMMANDS.

No. 585.—Army—

His Excellency Lieutenant-General Charles Mansfield Clarke, c.b., appointed by Her Majesty The Queen-Empress to be Commander of all the Forces serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George, having arrived from England on the 28th October 1893, assumed the office of Commander-in-Chief under the usual salute this day.

2. All Officers and Soldiers on the Establishment of Fort St. George will obey Lieutenant-General Charles Mansfield Clarke as Commander-in-Chief, and all returns are henceforth to be made to His Excellency accordingly.

Fort St. George, 31*st October* 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 586.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel F. W. Buller, General List, Cavalry	Arrived at Bombay on the 18th October 1893.
Lieutenant W. B. Young, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 5th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 11th October 1893.
Lieutenant W. R. Stone, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 5th October 1893.

No. 587.—Colonel R. G. E. Dalrymple, Indian Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India in consequence of the abolition of his appointment.

No. 588.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Color .D. Heming, General List, Infantry, 89 days (without pay), pending retirement.
Major A. Howlett, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Captain E. E. Forbes, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant F. N. Burton, Indian Staff Corps, 14 days, u.p.a.

No. 589.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Quin, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 590.—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. Moberly, Indian Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—5th year, commenced 21st September 1893.

No. 591.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 419, dated 8th August 1893, Lieutenant H. P. Thurnall, York and Lancaster Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 7th Regiment, Madras Infantry, has been granted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India leave out of India for six months on medical certificate, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he quitted India.

No. 592.—Conductor S. Collard, Commissariat-Transport Department, is granted leave for one day, in extension of that notified in G.O.G. No. 321 of 1893.

No. 593.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 20th October 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

No. 974.—Lieutenant E. A. R. Howell, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, Second Class, on probation, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 24th August 1892.

EXCHANGES.

No. 976.—An exchange is sanctioned between Captain Henry Gerard Burton of the Madras Army and Captain Henry Dermot Daly of the Bengal Army, subject to the approval of the Secretary of State for India.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 977.—*3rd Lancers*—

Surgeon-Major F. J. Doyle, Indian Medical Service, Madras Establishment, Medical Officer, 1st Infantry, to be Officiating Medical Officer, *vice* Surgeon-Major R. James, M.B., on furlough. Dated 16th August 1893.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 979.—

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Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Fletcher, Royal Artillery, Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, to be Deputy Director-General of Ordnance in India ;

Captain C. C. Townsend, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 2nd Class, and Officiating Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, Fatehgarh, to be Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras,—

with effect from the 6th October 1893, *vice* Colonel F. W. M. Spring, Royal Artillery, Inspector-General of Ordnance, whose tenure of appointment has expired.

No. 980.—Captain E. S. F. Walker, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 3rd Class, and Officiating 2nd Class, is confirmed in the latter class ;

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with effect from the 6th October 1893, *vice* Captain C. C. Townsend, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 2nd Class, appointed Superintendent, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 982.—Second Lieutenant William Best Greig, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Wing Officer, 22nd Madras Infantry, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 16th March 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 984.—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—

M. F. Harding, Royal Marine Light Infantry.
H. W Marsden, West India Regiment.
R. L. Vander Gucht, Liverpool Regiment.
A. J. M. Higginson, West Riding Regiment.

Second Lieutenants—

E. F. Harding, North Staffordshire Regiment.
A. W. F. Knox, Royal Irish Rifles.

No. 594.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 20th October 1893, are republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 986.—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 H. G. Pritchard, C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps, Accountant-General, Military Department, for one year. Pension service,—36th year, commenced 27th February 1893.

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No. 989.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough or leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

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Lieutenant G. S. Worsley, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 3, Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent (m.c.), for three months.

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No. 595.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 20th October 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1003.—*Rangoon Volunteer Engineers*—

Second Lieutenant John MacPherson to be Captain-Commandant, *vice* Temple, resigned.

No. 596.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 21st October 1893, is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

Simla, the 20th October 1893.

No. 506.—The services of Lieutenant W. A. L. Cowie, 15th Bengal Infantry, Commandant, Ye-u Military Police Battalion, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 597.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 10th October 1893, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 10th October 1893.

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MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. S. McLeod, D.S.O., Madras Cavalry, is granted the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, on appointment as an Assistant Adjutant-General in India. Dated 12th August 1893.

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INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

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The undermentioned Officers are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List :—

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Colonel W. C. Plant. Dated 9th June 1893.

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Colonel Sir E. R. C. Bradford, K.C.B., K.C.S.I. Dated 27th July 1893.
Colonel Hugh Patrick Rolston Francis Crawfurd. Dated 1st September 1893.

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Colonel James Keating Clubley. Dated 9th September 1893.

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Colonel Francis Weldon. Dated 26th September 1893.

INDIAN ARMY.

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Colonel R. C. Stewart, C.B., Madras Cavalry, to be Major-General. Dated 30th July 1893.

PENSIONS.

No. 598.—The transfer of Sub-Conductor Noah Smith, Commissariat-Transport Department, to the Pension Establishment has effect from the 21st October 1893 and not 1st September 1893 as notified in G.O.G. No. 504 of 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 599.—NATIVE ARMY—

2nd Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Abdus Sattar to be Subadar .. ..
Havildar, No. 991, Rungaswami to be Jemadar .. .. } Dated 15th September 1893.
Havildar, No. 1037, Lutchmon Singh to be Jemadar .. ..
Havildar, No. 1084, Bagavathy to be Jemadar .. ..

RETIREMENTS.

No. 600.—Surgeon-Captain W. H. M. Ingham, Indian Medical Service, has been transferred by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to the temporary Half-pay List, with effect from the 19th October 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 601.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Railway Volunteers.

The first Christian name of Second Lieutenant J. G. F. Marshall is "Joseph" and not "James" as notified in G.O.G. No. 554 of 1893.

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Mr. John Guthrie Tait to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Surgeon Alfred McCabe-Dallas to be Surgeon-Captain.

Note.—This Officer has changed his name from McCabe to McCabe-Dallas.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY (ESTATE) DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 31*st October* 1893.

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 Oct. 1893.	Lieutenant.	H. J. Macleod.	1st Madras Pioneers.	..	2nd Jan. 1893.	Testate.	RS. A. P. 5 4 8	RS. ..	RS. A. P. 2,677 12 9 5 4 8 2,683 1 5	(Mother) Mrs. C. Macleod, 4, Fettes Row, Edinburgh.

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigadier-General,
Secretary to Govt., Mily. Dept.

By order of His Excellency the Provisional 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, 7th November 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 602.—Personal Staff—

The following appointments have been made on the Personal Staff of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army :—

Dated 28th October 1893.

Major R. G. Kekewich, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Military Secretary.
Captain *The Honorable* F. R. Bingham, Royal Artillery, to be Aide-de-Camp.
Subadar-Major Sayyid Yakub, *Sardar Bahadur*, 27th Madras Infantry, to be Native Aide-de-Camp.

No. 603.—Native Army—

Subadar Hara Singh, of the Burma Military Police, is transferred to the 31st Regiment (6th Burma Battalion), Madras Light Infantry. Dated 1st September 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 604.—The undermentioned Officers are granted furlough out of India :—

Brigadier-General E. Faunce, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, Commanding Bangalore District (m.c.), for six months, the first portion up to the 7th February 1894, inclusive, under Article 681, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, and the remainder under the Regulations of 1868.

Captain W. M. Campbell, Royal Highlanders, Aide-de-Camp to the General Officer Commanding Secunderabad District (p.a.), for four months, under Article 689, Army Regulations, India, Vol. 1, Part I.

No. 605.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel H. Harvey-Kelly, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department. { Rejoined his appointment on the 25th October 1893.

Conductor G. Cross, Commissariat-Transport Department.. { Arrived at Bombay on the 27th October 1893.

No. 606.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Major G. B. Stevens, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Captain H. Mullaly, Royal Engineers, 1 month, p.a.
Captain F. Churchill, Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, m.c.
Lieutenant E. R. Foord, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 607.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain H. V. Cox, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant A. P. How, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant T. G. P. Lawrenson, Indian Staff Corps.
Lieutenant E. W. Grimshaw, Indian Staff Corps.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 608.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 27th October 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Exchanges.

No. 1011.—An exchange is sanctioned between Lieutenant Thomas Adam Fischer of the Bombay Army and Lieutenant Alexander Percy Dunbar Carmatt Stuart of the Madras Army, subject to the approval of the Secretary of State for India.

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 1012.—*3rd Infantry*—

Lieutenant K. E. Nangle, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer, 4th Infantry, to be Wing Officer, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Lieutenant D. O. Morris, seconded for civil employ. Dated 11th October 1893.

No. 609.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th October 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 1016.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough or leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

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Major T. T. Vaughan, Royal Artillery, Ordnance Officer, 1st Class (m.c.), for three months.

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Lieutenant A. R. Burlton, Indian Staff Corps, 32nd Bengal Infantry, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, Commissariat-Transport Department in India (m.c.), for six months.

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No. 610.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 27th October 1893, is republished :—

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 1027.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following admission to the Order of British India, with effect from the 6th September 1893 :—

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

Subadar Major Ram Chunder Ráo, 2nd Madras Lancers, *vice* pensioned Subadar-Major Nubbee Sahib, *Bahadur*, deceased.

No. 611.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 28th October 1893, are republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 27th October 1893.

No. 669.—The services of Surgeon-Major J. A. Burton, I.M.S. (Madras), are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras, with effect from the 19th October 1893.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 25th October 1893.

No. 1731-*G.*—

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Surgeon-Major H. N. V. Harington, Indian Medical Service (Madras), Medical Officer of the Deoli Irregular Force and of the Harauti and Tonk Political Agency, is, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Agency Surgeon in Ulwar, appointed to officiate as Civil Surgeon of Bikanir, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel ffrench-Mullen.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 612.—NATIVE ARMY—

25th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Seshachellum to be Subadar
Havildar, No. 1182, Muhammad Usman to be Jemadar } Dated 1st November 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 613.—OFFICERS—

With reference to Public Department Notification No. 465, dated 27th October 1893, the services of Surgeon-Major D. F. Dymott, Indian Medical Service, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st December 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 614.—APPOINTMENTS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain R. W. L. Darling officiated as Adjutant of the Corps from the 14th to the 22nd October 1893 inclusive.

Lieutenant J. Kendall, Indian Staff Corps, 7th Madras Infantry, to officiate as Adjutant, with effect from the 23rd October 1893, during the absence on leave of Captain T. G. Barclay, or until further orders.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Volunteer Henry Fortescue Harvey to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 615.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officers are granted leave of absence :—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Captain Newsham Peers Adams, in India, for six months, from the 20th October 1893.

Madras Railway Volunteers.

Lieutenant C. A. Pogson, in India, for six months, from the 25th October 1893.

No. 616.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain J. W. Hockin 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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Fort St. George, 14*th November* 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 617.—ARMY STAFF—

The following appointment has been made by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Captain A. H B. Cavaye, King's Own Scottish Borderers, to be Station Staff Officer, First Class, Bellary. Dated 3rd November 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 618.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain B. Holloway, Indian Staff Corps, 4 months, p.a.

No. 619.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain J. W. Currie, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 620.—So much of G.O.G. No. 604 of 1893 as refers to Captain W. M. Campbell, Royal Highlanders, Aide-de-Camp to the General Officer Commanding Secunderabad District, is cancelled.

No. 621.—The undermentioned Honorary Commissioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs under Article 920 F, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I ; the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—

Lieutenant G. Jones, Deputy Assistant Commissary, Ordnance Department, Madras, for nine months.

No. 622.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 333, dated 27th June 1893, Lieutenant E. T. Browne, East Lancashire Regiment, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 6th Madras Infantry, has been granted, by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, leave out of India for six months on medical certificate, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the 4th May 1893, the date on which he left India.

No. 623.—The undermentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, Indian Staff Corps	Arrived at Madras on the 7th November 1893.
Sub-Conductor E. Pluckrose, Barrack Department, Madras.	Rejoined his appointment on the 30th October 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 624.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd November 1893, is republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COMMISSARIAT-TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 1043.—Sergeants C. Napier and M. T. Lynch to be Sub-Conductors, with effect from the 9th May 1893, *vice* Sub-Conductors J. Shepherd and S. Margate, remanded to regimental duty.

No. 625.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd November 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1046.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Geoffrey Rogers Long, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Spears, resigned.

No. 626.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 3rd November 1893, is republished :—

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1051.—The following promotions and reversions are made in the Engineer establishment of the Military Works Department, with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	Nature of promotion, &c.	With effect from
Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Greenstreet, R.E.	Chief Engineer, class III, *temporary*.	Chief Engineer, class III.	Permanent ..	22nd September 1893.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Greenstreet, R.E.	Chief Engineer, class III.	Chief Engineer, class II.	Temporary ..	

PROMOTIONS.

No. 627.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The following promotions are made in supersession of those previously notified :—

Supernumerary Second-grade Senior Apothecary E. Gillson (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) to be First-grade Senior Apothecary, with effect from the 22nd March 1891, *vice* Senior Apothecary Ward, retired.

Second-grade Senior Apothecary C. Thipthorp (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) to be First-grade Senior Apothecary, with effect from the 22nd March 1891, *vice* Senior Apothecary Gillson, supernumerary.

First-grade Apothecary T. Todd to be Second-grade Senior Apothecary and to rank as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 22nd March 1891, *vice* Senior Apothecary Thipthorp, promoted.

Second-grade Senior Apothecary J. I. Laffrey (ranking as Honorary Lieutenant) to be First-grade Senior Apothecary, with effect from the 9th July 1891, *vice* Senior Apothecary Ashworth, retired.

First-grade Apothecary S. Chalke to be Second-grade Senior Apothecary and to rank as Honorary Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 9th July 1891, *vice* Senior Apothecary Laffrey, promoted.

N.B.—*G.O.G. Nos.* 320, 362 *and* 392 *of* 1891 *and* 36 *of* 1892 *are hereby cancelled.*

No. 628.—UNATTACHED LIST—

Conductor Thomas Grant, Manager, Office of the Assistant Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 14th November 1893.

Conductor Tom Crouch, 1st-Class Barrack Master, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 14th November 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 629.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant G. Moberly, Indian Staff Corps, 8th Madras Infantry, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, on probation, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with effect from the 10th October 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 630.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Mr. James George Hunter to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 631.—RESIGNATIONS—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Captain F. Noone, Unattached List, 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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Fort St. George, 21*st November* 1893.

COMMANDS.

No. 632.—District—

Major-General J. N. Crealock, C B , British Service, to Command a District of the 1st Class, *vice* Major-General C. J. East, C.B. Dated 13th November 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 633.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Major A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant S. Geoghegan, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

No. 634.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel J. Pennycuick, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.	Arrived at Bombay on the 27th October 1893.
Captain F. H. S. Thomas, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department.	Rejoined his appointment on the 7th November 1893.
Lieutenant E. T. Browne, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer (on probation), 6th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 2nd November 1893.

No. 635.—Second Lieutenant W. M. Guthrie-Smith, Scottish Rifles, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 10th Regiment (1st Burma Rifles), Madras Infantry, has been granted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India leave out of India for six months on medical certificate, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, with effect from the date on which he quitted India. Pension service,—3rd year, commenced 4th March 1893.

No. 636.—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 J. Clarke, Ordnance Department, Madras, for one year.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 637.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 10th November 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Commissariat-Transport Department.

No. 1053.—The services of Lieutenant R. C. Cookerill, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, 2nd Class, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras, with effect from the 30th September 1893.

Staff Corps.

No. 1056.—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—

* * * * * *

George William Maxwell West, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Officiating Wing Officer, 1st Battalion, 3rd Gurkha Rifles,—5th May 1892.

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No. 1057.—Second Lieutenant Francis Herbert Goldthorp, Norfolk Regiment, Officiating Squadron Officer, 4th Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 4th March 1894, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:—

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

No. 1059.—The undermentioned officers appointed to the unattached list of the British Army for service in the Indian Staff Corps are posted as follows, with effect from the date of their arrival in India:—

* * * * *

Madras.

Second Lieutenants—

H. deC. O'Grady.
C. L. Storr.
H. S. Moberly.
F. D. Russell.
G. Rooke.

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No. 633.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 10th November 1893, is republished:—

PROMOTIONS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 1065.—Store Sergeant John McRobie to be Sub-Conductor, with effect from the 17th October 1893, *vice* Sub-Conductor N. Graham, transferred to the pension establishment.

No. 639.—The following Notifications from the *Gazette of India*, dated 11th November 1893, are republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 7th November 1893.

No. 1832-*G.*—The following appointments are made in and to the Bhopal Battalion consequent on the grant of leave to Captain G. G. J. S. Jones, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Commander and 2nd-in-Command, and with effect, unless otherwise stated, from the 6th October 1893:—

* * * * *

Lieutenant C. C. Jackson, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer, to officiate as Adjutant in addition to his other duties.

Lieutenant C. B. Thornhill, Indian Staff Corps, to officiate as Wing Officer, with effect from date of joining.

The 9th November 1893.

No. 1861-*G.*—

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Captain M. A. Tighe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, is posted as Cantonment Magistrate at Nasirabad.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 640.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette*, dated 24th October 1893, are republished:—

War Office, Pall Mall, 24th October 1893.

* * * * *

The grants of the honorary rank of Captain to Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant John Nicholson, Madras Establishment, and of the honorary rank of Lieutenant to Deputy Assistant Commissary James Cormac, Madras Establishment, are antedated to 15th March 1893.

INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned Major-Generals are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

* * * * *

Walter Rowlandson, Madras Infantry. Dated 5th October 1893.
Herbert Coningham, Madras Infantry. Dated 5th October 1893.
Henry Riversdale Elliot, Madras Infantry. Dated 5th October 1893.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

* * * * *

William John Seaton. Dated 10th October 1893.

India Office, 24th October 1893.

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:—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

Captains to be Majors.

* * * * *

Dated 9th August 1893.

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Eustace Edward Melville Lawford.

* * * * *

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 29th July 1893.

* * * * *

Frederick Doveton Maxwell.

* * * * *

Aubrey Arbuthnot Jones.

* * * * *

To be Lieutenants.

* * * * *

Lieutenant Richard Sylvester Phillips, from the Yorkshire Light Infantry. Dated 28th June 1892, but to rank from 16th June 1892.

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

* * * * *

Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. S. McLeod, D.S.O., General List Cavalry, Commandant, 3rd Madras Lancers, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General, Madras Establishment, *vice* Captain E. E. M. Lawford. Dated 12th August 1893.

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ERRATUM.

The date of admission of Lieutenant Thomas Ian Drever to the Indian Staff Corps is 9th March 1892, and not as stated in the *London Gazette* of 1st August 1893.

PENSIONS.

No. 641.—The transfer of Sub-Conductor Noah Graham, Ordnance Department, Madras, to the Pension Establishment, notified in G.O G. No. 518 of 1893, has effect from the 21st October 1893, the date of his embarkation.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 642.—NATIVE ARMY—

11th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Annasawmy to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 1st September 1893.
Havildar, No. 1101, Balajee Rao to be Jemadar .. }

20th Madras Infantry.

Havildar-Major, No. 2057, Saiyid Talib to be Jemadar .. Dated 16th October 1893.

No. 643.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—

Conductor John Kelly to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 3rd September 1893, *vice* Deputy Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant J. Cormac, retired.

Conductor Robert Albert Bragg to be Deputy Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to Her Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th October

1893, *vice* Deputy Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant J. B. Sanderson, retired. (So much of G.O.G. No. 564 of 1893 as refers to the promotion of Conductor Bragg is cancelled.)

RETIREMENTS.

No. 644.—In modification of G.O.G. No. 585 of 1891, Honorary Major and Deputy Commissary W. P. Carson, Ordnance Department, Retired, is permitted to draw pension under the old rules at the rate of Rs. 240 per mensem, with effect from the 1st April 1893, agreeably to Article 1473, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I, as reconstructed by Clause 10, India Army Circulars of 1893.

No. 645.—Deputy Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant J. B. Sanderson, Public Works Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of Rs. 140 per mensem, with effect from the 4th October 1893.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 646.—OFFICERS—

The services of Colonel H. G. Pritchard, C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 15th November 1893.

No. 647.—The services of Colonel C. Beadon, Madras Cavalry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 23rd October 1893.

No. 648.—With reference to G.O.G. No. 637 of 1893, the services of Lieutenant R. C. Cockerill, Indian Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 30th September 1893.

No. 649.—The services of Lieutenant W. A. L. Cowie, Indian Staff Corps, 15th Bengal Infantry, Wing Officer, 29th Regiment (7th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 650.—APPOINTMENTS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Mr. Colin Campbell to be Second Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Surgeon J. F. Fitzpatrick to be Surgeon-Captain under the provisions of Clause 59, India Army Circulars, 1893.

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Volunteer Daniel Grant McConechy to be Second Lieutenant from the 1st November 1893, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 651.—PROMOTIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain Frederick William Koeneman to be Major, with effect from the 1st October 1893, *vice* Major G. S. Bruce, promoted.

No. 652.—RESIGNATIONS—

South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain James Milligan 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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Fort St. George, 28th November 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 653.—Army Staff—

Colonel G. C. Bird, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, to be Colonel on the Staff of the Command formed under Clause 159, India Army Circulars, 1893. Dated 15th November 1893.

No. 654.—Colonel G. Simpson, Indian Staff Corps, to be Deputy Quarter Master General, Army Head-quarters, *vice* Colonel A. G. Hutchins, General List, Infantry, whose tenure of appointment has expired. Dated 28th November 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 655.—The undermentioned Officer is granted furlough out of India:—

Colonel E. J. Gunthorpe, Indian Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, Hyderabad Assigned Districts (p.a.), for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from or after 15th November 1893.

No. 656.—Veterinary-Captain R. W. Burke, Army Veterinary Department, Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Madras, is granted leave out of India (m.c.) for six months, under the Leave Rules applicable to officers of the British Army serving in India.

No. 657.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Captain G. V. Burrows, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, without pay, under Rule VIII, Furlough Regulations, 1875, u.p.a.

Lieutenant C. H. Williams, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.

(*N.B.*—Captain Burrows' permission to return to duty, notified in G.O.G. No. 510 of 1893, has been cancelled.)

No. 658.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty:—

Lieutenant A. W. N. Taylor, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 659.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Lieutenant J. F. Barry, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department.	Rejoined his appointment on the 9th November 1893.
Lieutenant F. N. Burton, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 27th Madras Infantry.	Do. do.
Lieutenant W. H. F. Basevi, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer (sub. *pro tem.* on probation), 23rd Light Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 15th November 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 660.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 17th November 1893, are republished:—

APPOINTMENTS.

Military Secretariat, Accounts Branch.

No. 1070.—With reference to G.G.O. No. 514 of 1892, the tenure of the appointment of Accountant-General held by Colonel H. G. Pritchard, C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps, is extended to the 15th November 1893, with effect from the 31st October 1893.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

No. 1072.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. W. Sawyer, Indian Staff Corps, Military Accountant, 1st Class, is appointed to be a Controller of Military Accounts, with effect from the 16th November 1893, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Miley, appointed Accountant-General, Military Department.

No. 661.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 17th November 1893, are republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 1082.—Colonel John McMullin, Indian Staff Corps, on the Unemployed Supernumerary List, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the 16th November 1893.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

No. 1083.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Captains to be Majors—Dated 12th November 1893.

* * * * *

Brevet-Major Alexander Bulstrode Fenton.

No. 662.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 17th November 1893, is republished :—

RETIREMENTS.

No. 1089.—Lieutenant J. W. Ross, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 1st Punjab Infantry, has been transferred to temporary half-pay by the Secretary of State for India, with effect from the 10th November 1893, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 663.—OFFICERS—

The services of Surgeon-Captain W. C. Vickers, Indian Medical Service, are placed at the disposal of the Public Department.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 664.—APPOINTMENTS—

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

The Revd. Forster Clarke Gittens, M.A., to be Honorary Chaplain, *vice* the Revd. C. H. Malden, M.A., resigned.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Color Sergeant Alfred James Tomlinson to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Second Lieutenant H. S. Mullins, transferred to the Supernumerary List.

No. 665.—LEAVE—

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave of absence :—

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Second Lieutenant J. G. Ferguson, out of India, on medical certificate, for one year.

No. 666.—RESIGNATIONS—

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

The Revd. C. H. Malden, M.A., is permitted to resign the Honorary Chaplaincy of the corps.

(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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Fort St. George, 5th December 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 667.—ARMY STAFF—

Major C. W. Park, Devonshire Regiment, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General and Officiating Assistant Adjutant-General, Burma District, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Major R. M. Greenfield, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, reverted to regimental duty. Dated 15th November 1893.

Captain E. M. Reed, Indian Staff Corps, 3rd Madras Lancers, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General (additional), Burma District, to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment, *vice* Major C. W. Park, promoted. Dated 15th November 1893.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 668.—Colonel E. Shaw, Indian Staff Corps, has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to reside out of India on vacating his appointment in the Judge Advocate-General's Department.

No. 669.—The undermentioned Officers have returned from furlough out of India:—

Colonel A. Chaplin, General List, Infantry, Judge Advocate General's Department.	Rejoined his appointment on the 30th September 1893.
Lieutenant-Colonel E. Quin, Indian Staff Corps ..	Arrived at Madras on the 27th November 1893.
Surgeon-Major C. Adams, Indian Medical Service, Acting District Surgeon, Anantapur.	Rejoined his appointment on the 16th November 1893.
Lieutenant R. W. A. Denne, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 32nd Regiment (4th Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 11th November 1893.
Lieutenant T. G. P. Lawrenson, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 6th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 23rd November 1893.
Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 1st Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent.	Rejoined his appointment on the 7th October 1893.

No. 670.—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 C. H. Sheppard, Indian Staff Corps, Assistant Judge Advocate-General, 7th Circle, for one year. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 28th June 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 671.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 24th November 1893, are republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1108.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Herbert Edward Wilkins, Gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Wilson, transferred to the Supernumerary list.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 1119.—*Moulmein Volunteer Artillery*—

Colonel H. R. Spearman, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, resigns his appointment.

No. 672.—The following Notification from the *Gazette of India*, dated 25th November 1893, is republished:—

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 24th November 1893.

No. 2418-*E.*—The following letter from the Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Burma, regarding operations carried out by the Burma Military Police in the Kachin Hills during 1892–93, is published for general information:—

BURMA.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 650-10.–3, dated Rangoon, the 22nd June 1893.

From—E. S. SYMES, Esq., C.I.E., Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Burma,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.

I am directed to submit a copy of the papers cited in the margin, being reports on the operations during the past season of the North-Eastern Column of military police; the establishment of a post at Sima; and the fighting which occurred in that neighbourhood.

Letter No. 1656, dated 14th March 1893, from Inspector-General of Police, with Major Peile's diaries from 11th December 1892 to 10th March 1893.
Letter No. 726-19–III, dated 23rd May 1893, from Commissioner, Northern Division, with enclosed letter from Deputy Commissioner, Bhamo, and report and appendices by Mr. H. F. Hertz, Civil Officer with North-Eastern Column.
Letter No. 834B., dated 23rd May 1893, from Brigadier-General Commanding Burma District, to Adjutant-General, Madras Army, with enclosures from Brigadier-General Gosset, C.B., and Captain Davies, District Staff Officer.

2. The circumstances under which it was considered necessary to despatch a strong column to Sima and to establish a post there are known to the Government of India. I am to solicit a reference to the correspondence cited in the margin and particularly to this office letter No. 489-10.–23 dated the 18th November 1892, with which the detailed instructions issued to the column were submitted. I am also to invite a reference to this office letters No. 469-48.–5, dated the 17th March 1893, No. 539-10.–10, dated the 18th March 1893, and No. 862-10.–10, dated the 29th April 1893, submitting copies of the correspondence which took place with the Chinese authorities at Momein on the subject.

Letter to Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 182-10.–16, dated 7th June 1892.
Letter to Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 583-1K.–1, dated 19th August 1892.
Letter from Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 1981E., dated 26th October 1892.
Letter to Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 489-10.–23, dated 18th November 1892.

The column started from Talawgyi on the Irrawaddy on the 3rd December 1892 under the command of Captain Morton with Mr. H. F. Hertz as Civil Officer, and, after overcoming severe and persistent opposition on the part of the Kachins, reached Sima on the 14th. Captain Morton proceeded at once to erect a fort, while Mr. Hertz endeavoured to get into communication with the surrounding tribes and to procure their peaceable surrender. These efforts proved unsuccessful, and the Kachins collected in such numbers and attacked our forces with such persistence that it became necessary to send up strong reinforcements of military police to their assistance. A series of engagements followed, and by the 3rd February all opposition was crushed. At this time the number of military police at and around Sima was over 1,000. The necessary barracks having been erected and rations stored at Sima, N'krang and Kazu, permanent garrisons were left in those places and the reinforcements withdrawn. There was no further fighting till April, when the fort at Sima was again attacked by a comparatively small body of Kachins and Chinese from the Khownakha valley. The importance of this rising was overestimated by the Officer Commanding at Sima, and, in consequence of urgent representations received from this officer, a military column was sent to his assistance. By the time the column arrived the gathering had dispersed, the column returned to Bhamo, and the Sima neighbourhood has since been undisturbed.

3. In the papers enclosed with this letter the operations briefly summarized in the preceding paragraph and the various actions in which our men were engaged are described in detail, and the Chief Commissioner now desires to invite the attention of the Government of India to the very severe character of fighting which took place, to the excellent conduct of the officers and men engaged in the operations, and to the heavy loss (British officers 3 killed and 3 wounded, Native ranks 34 killed and 66 wounded) which was incurred by the military police. The Inspector-General reports that the fighting was more severe than any which has occurred since the annexation. The Chief Commissioner believes that this is no exaggeration, and he trusts that the fact may be recognized by the grant of a medal or clasp to all ranks engaged. The general control of the operations was in the hands of Major Peile, Inspector-General of Police, and the Chief Commissioner desires to bring to the notice of the Government of India the energy, efficiency, and forethought displayed by this officer throughout. Major Peile's arrangements were made under considerable difficulties, the organization of the military police being unsuited to the carrying out of operations on so large a scale as proved necessary on the present occasion. The manner in

which these difficulties were overcome reflects great credit upon Major Peile, and the Chief Commissioner desires to bring his services prominently to the notice of the Government of India. He was ably seconded by Captain MacMullen, Deputy Inspector-General of Military Police, by Captain Parkin, Deputy Inspector-General for Supply and Clothing, whose arrangements for the rationing of the force were admirable, and by Captain Lye, R.I.M., Transport Officer.

4. Three British officers lost their lives in the course of the operations. Captain Boyce Morton, who was killed in action on the 6th January, was selected for the command of the North-East Column as being one of the ablest of our Battalion Commandants. His conduct of the operations up to the time of his death fully justified his reputation, and his loss is deeply deplored. Mr. Brooke-Meares, who died on the 20th January of wounds received in action, and Lieutenant Master, who died on the 6th February, also of wounds received in action, were both promising young officers. The Chief Commissioner records their deaths with great regret.

5. Of the other British officers who were concerned in the operations, the Chief Commissioner desires in the first instance to refer to Surgeon-Major Lloyd. This officer conducted his duties throughout with the greatest assiduity and disregard of danger. I am to invite special attention to his gallant conduct on the occasion when Captain Morton was killed, and to express a hope that Surgeon-Major Lloyd may be recommended for the Victoria Cross. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India has already recommended that the Native officer and men named in the margin should be admitted to the 3rd class of the Order of Merit for conspicuous gallantry on this occasion, and that the gallant conduct of Bugler Purna Singh, No. 1889, who was killed while helping to carry Captain Morton into the fort, should be recognized by the admission of his widow to the pension attached to the Order. The Chief Commissioner cordially supports the above recommendations.

No. 1370, Subadar Matab Singh.
,, 2239, Sepoy Kishan Singh.
,, 2187, ,, Laina Singh.
,, 2231, ,, Gyal Singh.
,, 2265, ,, Outam Singh.
,, 2286, ,, Gunda Singh.

6. After the death of Captain Morton the command of the operations devolved upon Captain W. G. Alban, Commandant of the Mandalay Battalion of Military Police, who had been previously in command of Kaukkwè Battalion in the Katha district.

Captain Alban deserves the highest credit for the forced march of 100 miles in 78 hours over an exceedingly difficult country, by which he proceeded with his column to the relief of Sima; and in his subsequent conduct of the operations he exhibited all the best qualities of a soldier. The Chief Commissioner is of opinion that he has shown himself to be an officer of ability and dash and one thoroughly qualified for the command of a regiment. He desires to bring his services prominently to the notice of the Government of India. Captain G. D. Atkinson, Commandant of the Bhamo Battalion, the next senior officer deputed to the relief of Sima after the death of Captain Morton, behaved with conspicuous gallantry in the action of the 3rd February at Palap, and was on this occasion, for the 3rd time during his service in Burma, wounded in action. The capture of the blockhouse was a brilliant exploit which dealt the final blow to the Kachins and practically brought the operations to a conclusion. Captain Atkinson's services on this occasion deserve special recognition. The Chief Commissioner regrets to add that Captain Atkinson has since been compelled to proceed to England on sick leave. The services of Lieutenant Drever and of Lieutenants Dent and Cooke-Hurle, of the Intelligence Department, both of whom were wounded in the course of the operations, also deserve special mention.

7. The Chief Commissioner supports the recommendation of the Inspector-General of Police that the following Native officers and men should be admitted to the Order of Merit:—

Jemadar Sowan Singh, Magwe Battalion;
Jemadar Lal Bir Thappa,
Jemadar Man Bir Thappa,
Sepoy Unbahadur Thappa, } Mogaung Levy;
Havildar Roda Singh,
Havildar Mahommed Khan, } Mandalay Battalion;

and that the widows (if any) of the following may be admitted to the pension attached to the Order:—

Havildar Jaffer Khan,
Naik Fakir Mahommed,
Lance-Naik Nar Sing Das,
Naik Nur Jahan Khan, } Mandalay Battalion.

Jemadar Sowan Singh was specially commended by Lieutenant Dent for the manner in which he led his men on the 12th December in the advance on Sima and again by Captain Morton for his gallantry in the attack on Kamjar village on the 13th December. Jemadar Lal Bir Thappa was specially commended by Captain Morton for his courageous conduct in rushing stockades and leading his men on the 13th December, and Jemadar (at that time Havildar) Man Bir Thappa for gallantry in rushing stockades and with flanking parties on the same occasion. These two Native officers again distinguished themselves in the attack on Palap on the 17th December. Jemadar (then sepoy) Unbahadur Thappa was dangerously wounded on the 13th December and was the first sepoy to scale the last stockade in the final rush on Kamjar village. The above Native officers were all strongly recommended by the late Captain Morton for the Order of Merit. The services of Havildar Roda Singh, Havildar Mahommed Khan, and of the late Havildar Jaffer Khan, Naik Fakir Mahommed, Lance-Naik Nar Sing Das, and Naik Nur Jahan Khan are detailed in Captain Alban's letter of the 11th March to the Inspector-General of Police, which forms one of the enclosures submitted with the present letter.

8. In conclusion, the Chief Commissioner desires to record his high appreciation of the services of Mr. H. F. Hertz, Assistant Superintendent of Police, who was present throughout the operations as Chief Civil Officer with the column. Mr. Hertz has now been employed for several seasons on political duty in the Kachin hills. He has always conducted his duties with marked ability and judgment. He has acquired a knowledge of Kachin and has been remarkably successful in his dealings with the tribes. During the recent operations he exhibited on several occasions great bravery in the field, and it is probable that, if his advice had been followed during the period immediately succeeding Captain Morton's death, the subjugation of the Kachins would have been more rapid and the opposition to our forces would not have attained such serious dimensions. Mr. Hertz's health has broken down under the hardships and exposures which he underwent during the operations, and he has been compelled to proceed to Europe on furlough for one year on medical certificate.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 673.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 7th November 1893, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th November 1893.

* * * * *

Staff, Major General C. M. Clarke, C.B., to be a Lieutenant-General on the Staff in India to command the Madras Army, and to have the local rank of Lieutenant-General whilst so employed, *vice* Lieutenant-General the Honorable Sir J. C. Dormer, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 28th October 1893.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 674.—NATIVE ARMY—

9th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Maduramootoo to be Subadar .. .. } Dated 16th October 1893.
Havildar-Major, No. 1359, S. C. Juggannaikuloo Naidoo to be Jemadar.

No. 675.—UNATTACHED LIST—

To be Sub-Conductor.

First-class Barrack Sergeant Frederick Saunders, Barrack Department, Madras. } Dated 5th December 1893.

(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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Fort St. George, 12th December 1893.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 676.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

With reference to G.O G. No. 497 of 1893, Surgeon-Lieutenant E. H. Sharman is brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment, with effect from the 27th October 1893, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 677.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have returned from furlough out of India :—

Colonel J. W. Macdougall, Indian Staff Corps ..	Arrived at Bombay on the 18th October 1893.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Walker, Indian Staff Corps, Commandant, 25th Madras Infantry.	Rejoined his appointment on the 16th November 1893.
Lieutenant F. Bruce, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer and Quarter Master, 1st Madras Infantry (Pioneers).	Rejoined his appointment on the 30th October 1893.
Lieutenant F. M. Davidson, Royal Artillery	Arrived at Bombay on the 3rd December 1893.
Conductor F. S. Dunk, Commissariat-Transport Department.	Rejoined his appointment on the 10th October 1893.

No. 678.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. M. Francklyn, General List, Infantry, is granted leave in and out of India (p a.) from the 24th December 1893 to the 8th January 1894, inclusive, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, pending retirement. Pension service,—32nd year, commenced 9th January 1893.

No. 679.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. E Johnson, Indian Medical Service, 3 months, m.c.
Captain G. A. Welman. Indian Staff Corps, 2 months, p.a.
Captain F. C. Logan-Home, Indian Staff Corps, 6 months, m.c.
Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan, Indian Staff Corps, 3 months, m.c.
Lieutenant C. H. B. Clark, Indian Staff Corps, 1 month, m.c.

No. 680.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—

Lieutenant G. A. Ward, Indian Staff Corps.

No. 681.—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 H. P. Bell, Indian Staff Corps, 11th Madras Infantry, for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 4th May 1893.

No. 682.—Lieutenant W. H. F. Basevi, South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Indian Staff Corps, 23rd Light Infantry, is granted leave for 28 days, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of that notified in G.O.G. No. 354 of 1893.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 683.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 1st December 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1130.—Second Lieutenant John Wilmot Harley Lyon, Leinster Regiment, Wing Officer, 25th Madras Infantry, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 22nd August 1891, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 1131.—Second Lieutenant Charles Blackwell Monypenny, Royal West Kent Regiment, Officiating Wing Officer, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps from the 22nd October 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 1132.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:—

* * * * *

Second Lieutenant Oscar Michael John da Costa, 21st Hussars, Officiating Squadron Officer, 5th Bombay Cavalry,—15th April 1892.

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

No. 634.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st December 1893, is republished:—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 1136.—Lieutenant G. G. Woods, Royal Artillery, No. 3, Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent, is granted leave in India (p.a.) for the 19th July 1893, under Article 694, Army Regulations, India, Vol. I, Part I (G.G O.* No. 922 of 1893 is cancelled).

* *Vide* Madras G.O.G. No. 546 of 1893.

No. 685.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 1st December 1893, are republished:—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 1145.—*Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers*—

Lieutenant and District Officer J. Rowley, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, with effect from the 10th November 1893.

No. 1148.—*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Honorary Surgeon Hugh Johnstone (Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel, Indian Medical Service) to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of Clause 59, India Army Circulars, 1893.

No. 1149.—The following officers are appointed Surgeon-Captains, under the provisions of Clause 59, India Army Circulars of 1893:—

Rangoon Volunteer Artillery.

Honorary Surgeon Thomas Franklin Pedley.

Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Honorary Surgeon George Tucker Thomas (Surgeon-Major, Indian Medical Service).

Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Surgeon Charles George Robinson Naylor.

Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.

Honorary Surgeon George Ashton Pedley.

No. 1150.—The following officers are appointed Surgeon-Lieutenants, under the provisions of Clause 59, India Army Circulars, 1893:—

Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers.

Honorary Surgeon Oswald Baker (Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel, Indian Medical Service).

Rangoon Naval Volunteers.

Honorary Surgeon Robert Rowe Pearse.

Rangoon Volunteer Engineers.

Honorary Surgeon John Ross Home-Ross.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 686.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 14th November 1893, is republished :—

India Office, 14*th November* 1893.

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 :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 9th September 1893.

William George Hay Stirling.

* * * * *

Thomas Bate Hawks.
John Caillard Erck.

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William Alexander Oswald.

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George Herbert Arbuthnot.

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To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant William Beadon, from the King's Own Scottish Borderers. Dated 4th December 1891, but to rank from 4th November 1889.

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Second Lieutenant James Arthur Bliss, from the Middlesex Regiment. Dated 4th December 1891.

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Second Lieutenant Theodore Charles Browning, from the Royal Munster Fusiliers. Dated 5th April 1892.

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Second Lieutenant James William Milne, from the Scottish Rifles. Dated 31st July 1892.

MADRAS SUBORDINATE MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Senior Apothecaries, First Grade.

Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, Samuel Charles White. Dated 12th April 1893.
Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, Theophilus Todd. Dated 12th April 1893.

To be Senior Apothecary, Second Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant.

Apothecary, First Grade, Daniel O'Leary. Dated 12th April 1893.

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

* * * * *

Senior Apothecary, First Grade, ranking as Honorary Lieutenant, Theophilus Todd, Madras Subordinate Medical Department. Dated 21st September 1893.

The Queen has also approved of the transfer of the undermentioned Officers to the Half-pay List :—

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

* * * * *

Lieutenant John William Ross. Dated 10th November 1893.

MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

Surgeon-Captain William Henry Martyn Ingham. Dated 19th October 1893.

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PROMOTIONS.

No. 687.—NATIVE ARMY—

27*th Madras Infantry.*

Havildar, No. 855, Veerasawmy to be Jemadar .. Dated 17th November 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 688.—Honorary Captain and Deputy Commissary Henry Hann, Commissariat-Transport Department, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £216 per annum, with effect from the 3rd November 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 689.—TRANSFERS—

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant Lawrie Gordon is transferred to the Supernumerary List, with effect from the 1st January 1894.

(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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COMMANDS.

No. 690.—District—

The Government of India have designated the Command referred to in G.O.G. No. 653 of 1893 as "Chin Hills."

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 691.—The undermentioned Officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Newill, Indian Staff Corps, 95 days, p.a.

No. 692.—The undermentioned Officer has returned from furlough out of India :—

Captain H. V. Cox, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, Imperial Service Troops. } Rejoined his appointment on the 1st November 1893.

No. 693.—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 :—

Captain H. T. King, Indian Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, 2nd Circle, for one year. Pension service,—16th year, commenced 12th September 1893.

No. 694.—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 H. L. D. Fordyce, Indian Staff Corps, Commissariat-Transport Department, for one year. Pension service,—7th year, commenced 16th February 1893.

No. 695.—G.O.G. No. 501 of 1893, granting leave out of India to Lieutenant F. G. Batten, Indian Staff Corps, 1st Madras Pioneers, is cancelled.

No. 696.—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 E. Winkworth, Barrack Department, Madras, for one year.

No. 697.—Garrison Sergeant-Major R. Rowland, in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates, Secunderabad, is granted privilege leave for one month from the 21st December 1893,—Major L. Collins, Retired List, performing the duties of the appointment on Garrison Sergeant-Major Rowland's responsibility.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

No. 698.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 8th December 1893, are republished :—

APPOINTMENTS.

STAFF CORPS.

No. 1155.—Second Lieutenant Harry Gilbert Peyton Beville, Suffolk Regiment, Officiating Squadron Officer, 4th Lancers, Hyderabad Contingent, having completed eighteen months' probationary service, is admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the 15th April 1892, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India.

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

No. 1156.—With reference to paragraph 6 of the regulations published with clause 92, India Army Circulars, 1891, the undermentioned officers of the Unattached List of the British Army are admitted to the Indian Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Second Lieutenant Beauchamp Henry Butler Magrath, attached to the 16th Madras Infantry,—9th November 1893.

Second Lieutenant Ernest George Wilberforce Pratt, attached to the 20th Madras Infantry,—9th November 1893.

No. 699.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th December 1893, is republished :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 1160.—The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of furlough or leave by the Secretary of State for India :—

* * * * *

Lieutenant G. S. Worsley, Royal Artillery, Subaltern, No. 3 Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent (m.c.), for six months.

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No. 700.—The following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 8th December 1893, are republished :—

PROMOTIONS.

COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

No. 1162.—The undermentioned Officers of the Indian Staff Corps are admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the dates specified :—

7th December 1893.

Colonel John Ewing.

8th December 1893.

* * * * *

Colonel Duncan McNeill.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Madras.

No. 1164.—Sub-Conductor John Francis Tripp, Assistant Mechanical Engineer, Gun Carriage Factory, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded* ;

Sub-Conductor William Blazey to be Conductor, and Store Sergeant William Hogg to be Sub-Conductor,

with effect from the 22nd March 1893, to complete establishment, *vice* Conductor G. G. Splane, re-transferred to Arsenal duty.

No. 701.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 8th December 1893, is republished :—

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 1170.—*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps*—

Second Lieutenant Herbert Lovely Eales to be Captain, to complete the establishment.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 702.—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 21st November 1893, is republished :—

War Office, Pall Mall, 21st November 1893.

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The undermentioned Deputy Commissaries and Honorary Lieutenants are granted the honorary rank of Captain :—

* * * * *

Thomas Baker, Madras Establishment. Dated 12th July 1893.

Charles McCarthy, Madras Establishment. Dated 12th July 1893.

The undermentioned Deputy Assistant Commissaries are granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant :—

* * * * *

George Jones, Madras Establishment. Dated 12th July 1893.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Thomas Henry Barstow Brooke is removed to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 21st October 1893.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 703.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

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

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon-Captain Edward Ronald DaCosta .. .. Dated 2nd April 1893.
(So much of G.O.G. No. 535 of 1893 as refers to this officer is cancelled.)

No. 704.—NATIVE ARMY—

15th Madras Infantry.

Jemadar Sayyid Muhiyuddin to be Subadar .. .. Dated 1st December 1893.

33rd Regiment (3rd Burma Battalion), Madras Infantry.

Havildar, No. 26, Ram Singh to be Jemadar .. .. Dated 15th July 1893.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 705.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. M. Francklyn, General List, Infantry, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 9th January 1894, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

TRANSFER OF SERVICES.

No. 706.—OFFICERS—

The services of Lieutenant A. G. W. Moore, Indian Staff Corps, 2nd Madras Lancers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for temporary employment in the Army Remount Department, with effect from 1st January 1894.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 707.—PROMOTIONS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Lieutenant Henry Scott to be Captain, Commanding Mounted Company, *vice* Captain J. A. Boyson.

No. 708.—TRANSFERS—

Madras Volunteer Guards.

Captain (Honorary Major) F. O. Sherman is transferred from the Supernumerary to the Unattached List, with effect from the 1st September 1893.

Captain J. A. Boyson, Commanding Mounted Company, is, at his own request, transferred to No. 6 Company.

Captain A. W. G. Stranack is transferred to the Supernumerary List.

(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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