

# GENERAL ORDERS

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# GENERAL ORDERS,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, 4th January 1809.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having addressed the subjoined Orders to the Commander in Chief to be published to the Army, they are accordingly published in Military Orders.

● Fort St. George, 3d January 1809.

## G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Orr of the 12th Native Regiment to retire from the Service of the Honorable Company on the full pay of his Rank, agreeably to his application—The Governor in Council at the same time observes with great satisfaction that the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Orr in the different public Stations which he has filled during a period exceeding twenty seven years of Service, has merited and obtained repeated marks of public approbation.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Davie of the 8th Native Regiment to proceed to *England* for the benefit of his health, on Sick Certificate.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of the Commander in Chief.*

HEAD QUARTERS OF THE ARMY: 2d January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following removals to take place.

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Munro from the 20th Native Regiment to the 15th and posted to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Charles Corner from the 3d Native Regiment to the 20th and posted to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant



Lieutenant Colonel George Martin from the 15th Native Regiment to the 3d and posted to the 2d Battalion.

Captain W. Munro of the 15th Native Regiment from the 2d to the 1st Battalion and Captain J. Campbell from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant J. Willows of the 16th Native Regiment from the 1st to the 2d Battalion and Lieutenant R. M'Glashan from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

Jemadar Tippoo Khan of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry to be Native Adjutant.

8th January 1809.

Fort St. George, 3d January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Major General Pater Commanding the Ceded Districts to visit the Presidency on leave of Absence for three Months, Lieutenant James Hampton of the 7th Native Regiment to proceed to *Bengal* on leave of Absence for Six Months and Lieutenant George Sydenham attached to the Resident at *Hyderabad* to proceed to *Bombay* for the benefit of his Health.

The Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders that Major Tichbourne of the Madras European Regiment has forwarded a Certificate of the necessity for his further residence at the *Cape of Good Hope* for the benefit of his Health.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel G. Martin of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to *Europe* on Furlough for one year, Ensign John Dalziel of the 2d Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed to *Europe* on Sick Certificate and Lieutenant J. Manders of the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed to *Europe* on urgent private business, his Pay to be discontinued from the date of his departure from *India*.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon James of the Garrison of *Tanjore* to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for Two Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, Sec. to Govt.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

## HEAD QUARTERS OF THE ARMY: 10th January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

That part of the General Order of the 2d instant, directing the removal of Captains W. Munro and J. Campbell from their respective Battalions of the 15th Native Regiment, is cancelled.

Serjeant Soanes of the Madras European Regiment is appointed Key Serjeant at *Samulcottah*.

The following promotion in the 2d Battalion 12th Native Regiment is ordered.

Havildar Emaum Khan to be Jemidar, date of Commission 30th November 1808.

## HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 14th January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in *India*, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, FURRUKNAGUR, 25th November 1808.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The following Promotions and Appointment by the Commander in Chief in *India*, are cancelled.

33d Foot.

Ensign G. U. Barlow from the 22d Foot, to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Milward resigned, 25th September 1808.

Serjeant James Fazackerley to be Ensign without purchase, vice Gore, 25th September 1808.

Richard Milward, Gent. to be Quarter Master, vice Turton deceased, 25th September 1808.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

33d Foot.

Ensign George Ulric Barlow from the 22d Foot, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, 25th September 1808.

Serjeant James Fazackerley to be Quarter Master, vice Turton deceased, 25th September 1808.

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John Hewett, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Gore promoted,  
25th November 1808.

*53d Foot.*

Ensign R. J. Greene to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice  
Stoney deceased, 18th October 1808.

*67th Foot.*

Lieutenant Colin Campbell to be Adjutant, vice Harrison  
deceased, 25th October 1808.

*86th Foot.*

Archibald Maclean, Gent. to be Quarter Master, vice Smith  
deceased, 24th November 1808.

The 12 months Leave granted by the General Orders of the  
8th July 1808, to Lieutenant Colonel Burrowes of His Majes-  
ty's 14th Regiment of Foot, to proceed to *Europe* for the  
recovery of his Health, is to commence from the 23d of October  
1808. (Signed) W. GRANT KEIR, A. G. K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS: DEHLI, 1ST DECEMBER 1808.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Lieutenant J. Vernon, of His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons  
has The Commander in Chief's permission to proceed to  
*Europe* on his Private Affairs, and to be absent on that account  
for 12 months from the date of his embarkation.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

*Adjutant General King's Troops.*

HEAD QUARTERS: DEHLI, 5TH DECEMBER 1808.

GENERAL ORDERS.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following Promotions.

TO BE GENERAL.

Lieutenant General Francis Edward Gwyn of the 22d Light  
Dragoons, 25th April 1808.

TO BE LIEUTENANT GENERALS.

Major General Lord Southampton of the 34th Foot, 25th  
April 1808.

Major General Alexander McKenzie Fraser of the 78th  
Regiment, 25th April 1808.

Major General Honorable Sir Arthur Wellesley of the 33d  
Regiment, 25th April 1808.

## TO BE MAJOR GENERALS.

Col. J. Randal M'Kenzie of the 79th Regt. 25th April 1808.

Col. Thomas Pictet of the 55th Regiment, 25th April 1808.

Col. Stafford Lightburne of the 53d Regt. 25th April 1808.

## TO BE COLONELS.

Lieut. Colonel Alexander Keith of the 65th Regiment,

Lieut. Colonel William Wallace of the 80th Regiment,

Lieut. Colonel William Minet of the 30th Regiment,

Lieut. Colonel Charles Wade of the 67th Regiment,

Lieut. Colonel T. J. Bickhouse of the 47th Regiment,

Lieut. Colonel R. Wood of the 17th Foot,

Lieut. Colonel William Eden of the 84th Regiment,

Lieut. Colonel Richard Stovin of the 17th Regiment,

25th April 1808.

## TO BE LIEUTENANT COLONELS.

Major John Robertson of the 53d Regiment, 25th April 1808.

Major William Wright of the 30th Regt. 25th April 1808.

Major A. M'Gregor Murray of the 67th Rt. 25th April 1808.

Major John Buckland of the 53d Regt. 25th April 1808.

Major Christopher Clerges of the 69th Regt. 25th April 1808.

## TO BE MAJORS.

Captain Sir C. W. Burdett, *Bt.* of the 30th Regiment,

Captain R. G. Elrington of the 47th Regiment,

Captain James Macdonald of the 86th Regiment,

Captain Patrick M'Neight of the 22d Foot,

Captain A. P. Macdowall of the 33d Regiment,

Captain John Handasyde of the 22d Light Dragoons,

Captain William Barstow of the 69th Regiment,

Captain R. Vincent of the 84th Regiment,

Captain George Davis of the 25th Dragoons,

Captain Edward Gillman of the 56th Regiment,

26th April 1808.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

Adjutant General A. T.

FORT ST. GEORGE:

10th January 1809.

By order of Lieut. General Macdowall.

(Signed) W. NICOLSON,

D. J. G. K. T.

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## HEAD QUARTERS : CHOULTRY PLAIN, 13th January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain Frith of the 12th Native Regiment is relieved from the duty of the Committee for the Inspection of Army Clothing.

Lieutenant P. Morrill of the 10th Native Regiment is removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion; and Lieutenant W. S. Maltby from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

Mr. Surgeon Campbell is to be considered as having been in Medical Charge of the Detachment of Effective Native Troops doing duty at Cuddalore from the 23d of October 1808.

Serjeant Major Joseph Saunders of the 2d Battalion 8th Native Regiment is appointed Serjeant Major to the Company of Gentlemen Cadets at Cuddalore vice Farrell removed.

Serjeant John Ellis of the Madras European Regiment is appointed Barrack Serjeant at Cuddalore.

The following promotions of Native Officers to take place in the 1st Battalion 5th Native Regiment.

Jemidar Shaick Homed to be Subidar; and Havildar Shaik Ally to be Jemidar—date of Rank 18th October 1808.

The nomination by the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Kanara of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Davidson of the Medical Charge of the Detachment of the 1st Battalion of Artillery ordered on Field Service—and of Serjeant Evans of the 1st Battalion of Artillery to act as a Conductor of Ordnance is confirmed.

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14th January 1809.

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Fort St. George, 10th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain J. G. Bellingham of the 8th Regiment Native Infantry and Assistant Quarter Master General in *India* to proceed to Europe on Furlough for three years, and Hugh W. Herring to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Promotions shall take place.

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Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry J. M. Chalmers to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant, vice Wahab Deceased.

Senior Major of Infantry J. Leith from the 21st Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Chalmers promoted.

*21st Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain Charles Farren to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Henry Bowdler to be Captain of a Company, Senior Lieutenant J. Remington to be Captain Lieutenant and Senior Ensign John King to be Lieutenant in succession to Leith promoted.

*7th Native Regiment.*

Senior Ensign Edward Reilly to be Lieutenant, vice Still deceased, Date of Rank 29th December 1808.

Mr. William Herring Cadet of Infantry to be an Ensign, date of Rank to be Settled hereafter.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 14th January 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant M. Cubbin of the 5th Native Regiment to be Assistant under the Agent for Public Cattle.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of the Commander in Chief.*

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 16th January 1809.**

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Captain John Turner of the 15th Native Regiment is appointed to the Command of the 1st Battalion of Pioneers vice Bagshaw.

Lieutenant Spankie of the Madras European Regiment to take immediate charge of the Gentlemen Cadets lately arrived from England.

17th



17th January 1809.

Fort St. George, 14th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant A. Munro to be Adjutant of the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry, vice Turner Deceased.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council having been pleased to transfer Major General Fuller of His Majesty's Service to the Staff of the Army in Bengal, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish that Appointment in General Orders, and to direct that Major General Fuller shall proceed to Bengal by the earliest opportunity in conformity to the Orders of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Appointments in General Orders.

Captain J. M. Coombs of the 25th Native Regiment to be Assistant Quarter Master General in Mysore, vice Bellingham resigned.

Lieutenant William Keko of the 13th Native Regiment to be Assistant Quarter Master General in the Southern Division of the Army vice Coombs.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of the Commander in Chief.*

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HEAD QUARTERS: CHOPARTY PLAZA, 17th January 1869.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following removals and appointments are ordered.

Lieutenant Colonel Huddleston from the 7th to the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant Colonel Rowles from the 1st to the 7th Regiment of Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant Colonel Commandant J. M. Chalmers, late promotion, is appointed Commandant to the 7th Native Regiment, *vice* Wahan.

Lieutenant Colonel Weber removed from the 10th Native Regiment to the 2d; and posted to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher of the 10th Native Regiment, is removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Grant removed from the 19th Native Regiment to the 10th; and posted to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Hall removed from the 22d Native Regiment to the 19th; and posted to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Corner removed from the 20th Native Regiment to the Madras European Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel Graham removed from the Madras European Regiment to the 10th; and posted to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Leith, late promotion, is appointed to the 22d Native Regiment; and posted to the 2d Battalion.

Gentlemen Riders of Cavalry are appointed to do duty with Corps till further orders, *viz*:

Robert Gordon to the 3d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Archibald Kerr      3d ditto      ditto.

W. H. Budd      5th ditto      ditto.

G. H. Bowness      5th ditto      ditto.

Arthur Watkins      6th ditto      ditto.

C. O. Aveline      7th ditto      ditto.

A. Ried,      7th ditto      ditto.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Claude Currie is appointed to the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry proceeding on service; and to be subsequently employed to the Southward as the Senior Medical Officer may deem necessary.

Corporal James Thecker received from His Majesty's 33d Regiment, is promoted to Sergeant.

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The nomination by the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chalmers to afford Medical aid to the Details of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, and of Artillery proceeding from Trichinopoly, is confirmed; as also the nomination by the Officer Commanding at Tanjore of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mitchell to afford Medical Aid to the 2d Garrison Company, and details doing duty in that Garrison.

His Excellency the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct that Officers Commanding Divisions, Stations, Corps, or Detachments of Corps, shall on the receipt of Orders directing the movement of any part of the Troops under their Command, forward by the same day's post a Copy of such Orders to the Office of the Adjutant General of the Army, under similar exceptions to that contained in the 4th Paragraph of the 7th Section of the Code of Regulations respecting special Orders from the Secret Department of Government, when such Copies shall be addressed personally to the Commander in Chief, or Officer Commanding the Forces, and Superscribed—Secret.

19th January 1809.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having recently received a Report from His Excellency the Commander in Chief of the particular spirit and exertion which were evinced in the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry, at the period of the formation of the Detachment of Cavalry, lately embarked on foreign Service, with an explanation that an accidental cause had prevented an earlier communication on that subject, the Governor in Council has now great pleasure in expressing his public approbation of the Zeal and loyalty evinced by the 6th Regiment of Cavalry on the above occasion.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

19th January 1809.

Fort St. George, 17th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits the following Officers to proceed to *Europe*.

Lieutenant Colonel C. Corner of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant N. H. Madhery of the 6th Regiment Native Infantry for the recovery of his health.

Captain M. Bradman of the Corps of Artillery for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant J. Duff of the Madras European Regiment for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant T. M. H. Delamain of the 19th Regiment Native Infantry on sick Certificate.

Ensign James Bell of the 6th Regiment Native Infantry on sick certificate.

Lieutenant G. Bradley of the Corps of Engineers on Furlough.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant B. Blake of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to *Bengal* on urgent Private Affairs.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign W. Allen of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry to retire from the Military Institution in compliance with his request.

The Governor in Council is pleased to permit Dr. Lewis, Superintending Surgeon of the Centre Division to visit the Presidency on leave of Absence for one Month.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George, 19th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Henry Parker of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to *Europe* on Sick Certificate.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, Sec. to Govt.

By order of the Commander in Chief.

23d January 1869.

Fort St. George, 21st January 1869.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The following Officers having reported their return to this Presidency with the Permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to re-admit these Officers to their rank on the Establishment.

Lieutenant Colonel J. H. Graham, — Madras European Regt.

Lieutenant Colonel Hamilton Hall, — 22d Native Regiment.

Major James Welsh, ..... 3d Circa.

Ditto Mathew Hawes, ..... 10th ditto.

Lieutenant Robert Hemmings, ..... 5th ditto.

The Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, that the following Gentlemen having produced Certificates of their appointment to be Cadets of Cavalry, Artillery or Engineers, and Infantry on this Establishment, are admitted on the Establishment accordingly.

C A V A L R Y.

Messrs. Charles Egerton Dukinfield, Robert Langley Highmoor, and John Gordon.

ARTILLERY or ENGINEERS.

Messrs. Alexander Cunningham Crichton, and Alexander Crawford.

I N F A N T R Y.

Messrs. John Gilmore Curry, John Tucker, Angus Macpherson, George Serancke, William Scott, William Napper Pece, Francis Mountford, Thomas Alexander Crichton, John Hunt, John Wright, Henry Kutt, Edward Williams, John Stanley Smith, James Hodge Logan, Henry Ryan, James Strange Kinney, Charles Fergusson, John Gordon Rorison, Samuel Dew, Robert Shedden, and Samuel Sharpe.

The Governor in Council is pleased to publish the return of Captain Edward Gay of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry from the Cape of Good Hope.

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the under-mentioned Gentlemen Cadets of Infantry shall be promoted to be Ensigns as follows.

Messrs.

		<i>Date of Rank.</i>
Messrs.	R. J. Marr,	27th June 1805.
	Thomas Digby,	
	Edward Winchester,	
	George Birch,	
	Richard Colbrook,	
	Charles Dymallyers,	3d July 1807.
	George Newman,	
	William Peyton,	
	F. E. Smith,	
	Greenville Sharpe,	
	E. T. Hingame,	15th March 1808.
	R. W. Cartwardine,	4th May 1808.
	H. A. Thompson,	19th July 1808.
	Samuel Mansell,	17th August 1808.
	Andrew Gray,	27th August 1808.
	Richard Cozens,	18th September 1808.
	Henry Allan,	19th October 1808.
	Henry Harrison,	21st October 1808.
	Joseph Anthony,	10th January 1809.

The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct that the following Commissions of rank shall take place

		<i>Date of Rank.</i>
Ensign	James Fredie,	3d August 1808.
"	C. Charlesworth,	10th August 1808.
"	H. Cassel,	21st August 1808.
"	James Scott,	22d August 1808.
"	William Stokes,	28th August 1808.
"	J. B. Berry,	4th September 1808.
"	A. Tweedie,	9th September 1808.
"	Christopher Bagot,	24 October 1808.
"	M. Clark,	3d October 1808.
"	John Tolt,	12th October 1808.
"	J. W. Cleveland,	10th December 1808.
"	A. Hop,	27th December 1808.
"	T. R. Stockdale,	29th December 1808.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, Sec. to Govt.

Fort



Fort St. George, 21st January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Appointments in General Orders.

Lieutenant Colonel Clarke to be Commissary of Stores at this Presidency, in conformity to the nomination of the Honorable Court of Directors.

Lieutenant John Beaumont of the 5th Native Regiment, to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion vice Gibson.

Design Henry Dixon of the 3d Native Regiment to perform the Duties of Fort Adjutant of Tanjore, on the usual Allowances.

Captain Alexander Balmain of the 7th Native Regiment to be Brigade Major of the Troops serving in Travancore.

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit the following Gentlemen Cadets on the Establishment of the Military Institution.

Messrs. Alexander Borthwick  
William Low  
William Henry Budd.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Conductors of Ordnance.

Sub Conductor Leonard Vanderholt.  
Sergeant James Thacker,  
Sergeant Major W. Gore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHAN, Sec. to Govt.

By order of the Commander in Chief

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOLTRY PLAIN, 23d January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extracts from the Continued Proceedings of a General Court Martial assembled in the Cantonment of Secunderabad on Friday the 7th of October 1808—and continued by several adjournments till Tuesday the 26th December 1808 by Order of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force in virtue of Powers vested in him by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and of which Major Neale of the 1st Regiment of Native Cavalry is President, are published to the Army.

**CHARGE.**—I Charge Lieutenant A. Chambers of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment N. I. with Conduct, unbecoming an Officer and a Gentleman in the following instances.—

1st. For severely beating (on the 13th of October) a Camp follower who had been in his Service, under pretence of the said Camp follower's endeavouring to prevent another man from serving him.

2d. For writing me an improper and Disrespectful letter, under Date the 14th October 1808 in reply to an Official Letter I wrote him by desire of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor, Commanding the *Hyderabad* Subsidiary Force.

(Signed) A. M'INTOSH—*Captain,*

*Secunderabad,*

*Superintendent of Bazaris*

*13th October 1808.*

*Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.*

By Order.

(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,

*Deputy Adjutant General.*

**SENTENCE.**—The Court are of opinion that the Prisoner is not Guilty of either of the Instances of the Charge preferred against him, and they most fully and honorably Acquit the Prisoner of all ungentlemanlike and un-Officerlike Conduct. But the Court are of opinion that the Prisoner Lieutenant Chambers has committed an irregularity in having himself punished or caused to be punished a Camp Follower and of which the Prisoner seems fully sensible—The Court cannot but think that the circumstances as stated by the Prosecutor and supported by his Evidence did not warrant so serious a charge as that of ungentlemanlike and un-Officerlike conduct being preferred against the Prisoner.

(Signed) G. NEALE, *Major*

*1st Regt. Native Cavalry,—President.*

(Signed) W. ORMSBY, *Deputy Judge Advocate.*

CONFIRMED.

(Signed) T. G. MONTRESOR,

*Lieutenant Colonel.*

*Charge*

**CHARGE.**—Henry Sheldon Private Soldier His Majesty's 33d Regiment Confined by me for Deserting from the said Regiment with Part of his Arms, Accoutrements and Regimental Clothing, on or about the 21st July 1808 notwithstanding he and Henry Sheldon had been formerly convicted of a similar Offence.

**CANTONMENT**  
**SECOND KABAB.** } (Signed) JAMES TODD, *Captain*  
*33d Regiment Commanding.*  
 17th Nov. 1808.

By Order.

(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY;  
*Deputy Adjutant General.*

**SENTENCE.**—The Court having reconsidered the Crime of which they have found the Prisoner Guilty, do hereby Sentence him the said Henry Sheldon to receive One Thousand Lashes (1000) on his bare back in the usual manner, and afterward to be sent to serve on Board one of His Majesty's Ships of war.

(Signed) G. NEALE, *Major*  
*1st Regt. Native Cavalry,—President.*

(Signed) W. ORMSBY, *Deputy Judge Advocate.*  
 Contrasted.

(Signed) T. G. MONTRESOR,  
*Lieutenant Colonel.*

Lieutenant Colonel Webber is removed from the 2d Native Regiment to the 10th, and posted to the 1st Battalion—and Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher removed from the 10th Native Regiment to the 2d; and posted to the 1st Battalion.

Captain Edward Hay of the 18th Native Regiment having returned from the *Cape of Good Hope* directed to resume his situation in charge of the Royal's Escort at *Maurice*.

Gentlemen Cadets of Cavalry to do duty with Regiments as follows.

Mr. John Gordon 3d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Mr. C. E. Duckenfield 4th do, ditto.

Mr. L. R. Highmore 7th do, ditto.

The Gentlemen Cadets for the Artillery or Engineers lately arrived are to proceed and join the Head Quarters of the 2d Battalion of Artillery at *St. Thomas's Mount*.

V. M.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Boardman will proceed from *Cuddalore* to *Trichinopoly* to do duty under the Superintending Surgeon in the Southern Division.

The following promotion of a Native Officer in the 1st Battalion 12th Native Regiment is Ordered.

Havildar Vanketichandani to be Jemidar date of Rank 11th December 1809.

The nomination by the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of Sergeant Smith of the Artillery to act as a Sub-Conductor of Ordnance with the Detachment ordered on Field Service, is confirmed.

The period of Suspension of Captain Thomas Walker Chambers of His Majesty's 30th Regiment of Foot having expired this day, that Officer will return to his Duty immediately.

HEAD QUARTERS; CHOULTRY PLAIN, 23d January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Enaga Scott of the 2d Battalion 7th Regiment Native Infantry (at present doing duty with the 2d Battalion 20th Regiment) is to join a Detachment of His Corps proceeding towards the Head Quarters at *Bellary*.

HEAD QUARTERS; CHOULTRY PLAIN, 24th January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

In pursuance of the Government General Order of the 23d Instant directing an augmentation of the Corps of Horse Artillery, the detailed arrangement for carrying it into effect has been furnished from Head Quarters to the Commandant of Artillery.

The following Officers of the Corps of Artillery are appointed to the Horse Artillery.

Lieutenants H. Lindsay,

T. T. Paske,

Lieutenant Fireworker W. C. Black.

Lieutenant Colonel Bell Commandant of Artillery, will give directions to the Artillery Officers at the several Stations of the 1st and 2d Battalions of that Corps to make the Drafts required for the Horse Artillery in the proportion he may judge proper from each conformably to the detailed Instructions which he has received from Head Quarters.

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The Officers Commanding at those Stations respectively will give the necessary orders for facilitating this Draft; and for detaching the Men selected for the Horse Artillery to the Head Quarters of the Horse Artillery at *Hyderabad*.

Captain Lieutenant W. Shairp of the Corps of Artillery to do duty with the Horse Artillery during the absence of Captain Lieutenant Poignand.

Lieutenant B. Coombe of the 2d Battalion 21 Native Regiment to do duty with the 1st Battalion till further Orders.

Captain Meares of the 2d Battalion of the 17th Native Regiment is to do duty with the 1st Battalion till further Orders.

*24th January 1809.*

*Fort St. George, 23d January 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having been pleased to resolve that an augmentation of the European Horse Artillery shall immediately take place, by Drafts from the Battalions of Artillery—the Commander in Chief is requested to give the necessary Orders for carrying that Arrangement into effect.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SECY. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 24th January 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant C. Stuart of the 2d Battalion of the 21st Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed to *Ceylon* on private affairs.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SECY. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 24th January 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other Allowances for January and the Pay for

for February of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of February and on the following Days.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of the Commander in Chief.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 25th January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, BROOMABAD, 7TH DECEMBER 1808.

GENERAL ORDERS.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments.

*8th Light Dragoons.*

<i>Bland receives on retiring from the Service the sum of £262 10.</i>	} Cornet Thomas Price to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Bland who retires, 21st Jan. 1808.
<i>This cancels Taylor's Appointment vice Whaley.</i>	
	} J. K. Taylor, Gent. to be Cornet, vice A. Johnston deceased, 1st May 1807.

Henry Johnson, Gent. to be Ditto without purchase, vice Price, 21st January 1808.

Assistant Surgeon G. M. Callow from the 6th Dragoon Guards to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Enright promoted in the 5th Regiment, 3d March 1807.

*17th Light Dragoons.*

Captain George Sale from the 19th Dragoons to be Captain, vice Bacon who exchanges, 10th February 1808.

Lieutenant William Moray to be Captain by purchase, vice Laird who retires, 11th February 1808.

Captain H. Young from 19th Dragoons to be Captain, vice Ross who exchanges, 18th February 1808.

Lieutenant



Lieutenant Thomas Forster from 9th Dragoons to be Ditto by purchase, vice Daniel who retires, 23d March 1808.

Lieutenant William Roycraft to be Ditto without purchase, 25th March 1808.

Cornet Thomas Lahiffs to be Lieutenant, vice Moray, 11th February 1808.

#### TO BE CORNET.

John Drought, Gent. without purchase, vice Butler who resigns, 3d March 1808.

John D'Arcey, Gent. by purchase, vice Geale promoted in 13th Light Dragoons, 30th March 1808.

—Johnston, Gent. without purchase vice Wrixon, 31st March 1808.

Hospital Mate D. Christie to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Howdip to 82d Foot, 25th February 1808.

#### 22d Light Dragoons.

Cornet George Keir to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Jenkins promoted in 4th Dragoon Guards, 12th August 1807.

Thomas Morgan, Gent. to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Turner appointed to 33d Foot, 1st August 1807.

James Thomas, Gent. to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Castley, 10th March 1808.

#### 25th Light Dragoons.

Lieutenant William Thorn to be Captain, vice Leekley deceased, 23d June 1807.

Captain Thomas Hole from 66th Regiment to be Ditto, vice Cathcart appointed to 2d Dragoon, 11th February 1808.

Cornet H. J. Close to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Bean promoted, 5th December 1806.

Cornet J. S. S. Walton to be Ditto, vice Thorn, 3d July 1807.

H. J. Close, Gent. to be Cornet with purchase, vice Walton, 11th November 1806.

Assistant Surgeon R. Dunn from 59th Regiment to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Sparke deceased, 10th August 1807.

#### 12th Foot.

Lieutenant William Prith to be Captain, vice Cavendish deceased, 16th June 1807.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign J. B. Whannell from 71st Regiment by purchase, vice Morgan promoted in 72d Regiment, 2d June 1807.

Ensign George Cole from 99th Foot without purchase, vice Frith promoted, 10th June 1807.

Ensign William Reid, vice T. E. Gunter who resigns, 1st July 1807.

Ensign James Tuperville vice Fogarty promoted in 101st Regiment, 13th August 1807.

## TO BE ENSIGNS WITHOUT PURCHASE.

*This cancels Tew's* } James Keappock, Gent. vice Tew  
promotion in the 12th. } appointed to 74th Regt. 1st Jan. 1807.

J. G. Foster, Gent. vice Taberville, 13th August 1807.

## 14th Foot.

Lieutenant Colonel Jasper Nicolls from Royal York Rangers to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Sir Thomas Dyer who exchanges, 31st March 1808.

Mountford retires } Ensign H. Scott Wynniatt to be  
receiving £450. } Lieutenant without purchase, vice  
Mountford who retires, 31st December 1807.

William Wilkinson, Esq. to be Paymaster of 2d Battalion, vice Kealerton appointed a Barrack Master, 3d March 1808.

## 22d Foot.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign Charles N. Davies without purchase, vice Le Sage whose appointment has not taken place, 8th April 1807.

Ensign Charles Younge by purchase, vice Kelly promoted in 3d West India Regiment, 18th February 1808.

Ensign B. Le Sage, vice Dignall deceased, 12th June 1807.

## 30th Foot.

Ensign Washington Carden to be Lieutenant, vice Mangin deceased, 18th January 1808.

## TO BE ENSIGNS.

George Adamson, Gent. without purchase, vice Mangin promoted in 27th Foot, 31st December 1807.

*This cancels St. Sander's* } Richard Mayne, Gent. vice Carden  
appointment vice Carden. } 28th January 1808.

Andrews,

— Andrews, Gent. without purchase, vice Jauncey promoted in 10th Foot, 11th February 1808.

## TO BE SURGEON.

Surgeon John Honner from 7th Garrison Battalion, vice Kennedy who exchanges, 31st December 1807.

## 33d Foot.

Ensign R. Hobbs Taunton to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Macleod who resigns, 17th August 1807.

## 34th Foot.

*This cancels F. Hoyenden's appointment vice Davis.* } F. Hoyenden, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase vice Brownrigg superseded, 28th January 1808.

James Serjeant, Gent. to be ditto without purchase, vice Ross promoted, 31st March 1808.

## 47th Foot.

Lieutenant Dominick D'Arcey to be Captain by purchase, vice Courtney who retires, 14th January 1808.

Ensign G. Loggan to be Lieutenant, vice D'Arcey, 14th January 1808.

Ensign Thomas Power to be Ditto, vice Loughran who retires, 25th March 1808.

H. W. Wainwright, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Loggan, 14th January 1808.

W. Scott, Gent. to be Ditto, vice Jennoway promoted in the Royals, 15th January 1808.

## 53d Foot.

Ensign Thomas Emery to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Still promoted in 1st West India Regiment, 7th January 1808.

Ensign James Hamilton from Lanark Militia to be Ensign, 25th February 1808.

Hospital Mate Davis to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Crozier appointed to 8th Garrison Battalion, 12th February 1808.

## 56th Foot.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign T. H. Nelson from 45th Foot, by purchase, vice Preston promoted, 7th January 1808.

*This cancels G. Smyth's appointment vice Jenkinson resigned.* } Ensign G. Smyth, without purchase, vice Stephens superseded, 4th February 1808.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant W. H. Arthur from 67th Foot, without purchase, 20th February 1808.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

M. Henney, Gent. without purchase, vice Maclean promoted, 15th June 1807.

*This cancels J. Kendall's* } Charles Knowles, Gent. vice  
Appointment vice G. Smyth. } Smyth, 4th February 1808.

George Stubbolt, Gent. by purchase, vice Farr promoted, 18th February 1808.

56th Foot.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

Ensign Standish Lower from 8th Garrison Battalion, vice Carey who exchanges, 21st January 1808.

John Lloyd, Gent. by purchase, vice Tappenden promoted in 54th Foot, 21st January 1808.

Lieutenant A. Dent from Cumberland Militia, 17th March 1808.

Richard Howard, Gent. without purchase, vice Robinson, whose appointment has not taken place, 31st March 1808.

67th Foot.

Captain H. Sullivan from 81st Regiment to be Major by purchase, vice Duckworth promoted in 1st West India Regiment, 21st January 1808.

Lieutenant Richard Wheatley from 25th Regiment to be Captain by purchase, vice Ford who retires, 17th March 1808.

Lieutenant James G. Gordon from Newfoundland Fencibles to be Lieutenant without purchase, 13th January 1808.

Ensign D. Macpherson from 75th to be Ditto, 14th January 1808.

Lieutenant George Mitchell from 58th to be Ditto, 20th January 1808.

Ensign W. H. Arthur from 100th Foot to be Ditto by purchase, vice Stuart whose Appointment has not taken place, 21st January 1808.

Lieutenant P. Rutledge from 3d West India Regiment to be Ditto without purchase, 18th February 1808.

James Edward Scott, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Burke promoted in 7th Foot, 21st January 1808.

Ensign William Hall from 5th Garrison Battalion to be Do. vice Wilson who exchanges, 10th March 1808.

## 69th Foot.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign A. Alexander, 25th January 1808.

Ensign William Harrison, 27th January 1808.

*This cancels Norton's promotion by purchase in 22d Foot.* } Ensign W. Norton, 28th January 1808.

## TO BE ENSIGNS.

George Robertson, Gent. vice Cole promoted in 12th Foot, 11th April 1807.

John Foulstone, Gent. vice Macpherson promoted, 12th April 1807.

W. H. Burroughs, Gent. vice West promoted, 1st July 1807.

Herman de Lendu, Gent. vice Reed, 23th January 1808.

Edward Sprowle, Gent. vice Alexander, 20th January 1808.

William Sheehan, Gent. vice Harrison, 27th January 1808.

Roger Franklin, Gent. vice Norton, 28th January 1808.

Joshua Gilliam James, Gent. without purchase, vice Edgeworth appointed to 21st Light Dragoons, 11th February 1808.

Thomas Hinton, Gent. by purchase, vice Stewart promoted in 35th Foot, 31st March 1808.

Hospital Mate William Cringan to be Assistant Surgeon, 31st March 1808.

## 78th Foot.

Lieutenant Joseph Bethune to be Captain by purchase, vice Wishart who retires, 3d March 1808.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign Alexander M. Cameron by purchase, vice Mansell promoted in 70th Foot, 9th January 1807.

Ensign Charles Robertson vice Cameron promoted, 10th January 1807.

*This cancels M'Iver's promotion vice Valiant and the appointment of John M'Leod in his succession.* } Ensign Joshua Gregory without purchase, vice Valiant appointed to 65th Foot, 19th January 1807.

Ensign A. Cameron vice Strachan deceased, 20th January 1807.

Ensign F. M'Rae vice Senter who retires, 21st January 1807.

Ensign

Ensign Colin M'Kenzie, vice Farquhar M'Kenzie deceased,  
11th February 1808.

60th Foot.

Major General Honorable E. Paget from Royal Regiment of  
Malta to be Colonel, vice Lord Lake deceased, 3d February 1808.

TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign John Bowler vice Watson deceased, 1st July 1807.

Ensign N. Baker from 30th Foot by purchase, vice Dashwood  
promoted, 10th March 1808.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

John Bowler, Gent. without purchase, vice Castell promoted,  
1st February 1808.

F. Browne, Gent. vice M'Gregor whose appointment has not  
taken place, 27th July 1807.

Peter MacLaine, Gent. vice Dale deceased, 28th January 1808.

84th Foot.

Captain Richard Dale from 9th Garrison Battalion to be  
Captain, vice Bowie who exchanges, 25th March 1808.

*This cancels Winrow's  
promotion vice Hewitt  
removed to 8th Light  
Dragoons.* } Ensign John Winrow to be Lieu-  
tenant without purchase, vice Bowie,  
25th February 1808.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

N. Rowen, Gent. by purchase, vice Stalkart promoted, 28th  
January 1808.

Thomas Maudsley, Gent. vice Dale promoted, 11th February  
1808.

*This cancels F. Bernard's  
appointment vice Poole.* } F. Bernard, Gent. vice Winrow,  
25th February 1808.

E. H. Gramlick, Gent. to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Hall  
deceased, 17th April 1807.

86th Foot.

Major Charles Crigan from 6th Garrison Battalion to be Major  
vice Cuyler, 28th January 1808.

Lieutenant Alexander Wilson from 12th Light Dragoons to  
be Lieutenant, vice Macleod who exchanges, 25th February  
1808.

N. B.—Ensign Samuel Thorpe of 14th Foot promoted in 7th  
Garrison Battalion, 14th January 1808.

Ensign



Ensign R. Robinson of 14th Foot removed to 24th Foot, 17th February 1803.

Lieutenant Lewis Tessier of 30th Foot promoted in 50th Regiment, 25th February 1803.

Ensign Robert Wallace, of 53d, promoted in 77th Foot, 25th March 1803.

Ensign William Robertson of 59th, promoted in the 92d Regiment, 11th February 1803.

Ensign Alexander Coane of Ditto appointed to the 95th Foot, 19th November 1807.

Ensign L. Smelt, of 67th, promoted in the 77th Regiment by purchase, 17th March 1803.

Captain John Harvey of 80th Foot, promoted in 6th Garrison Battalion, 25th January 1803.

Lieutenant Charles G. D'Aguilar of 86th Foot, promoted in the 81st Regiment, 30th March 1803.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,  
*Adjutant General King's Troops.*

List of Officers removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion of Regiments in consequence of vacancies occasioned in the latter as specified in this List of Promotions.

<i>Regiment.....</i>	<i>Rank &amp; Names.</i>
14th.....	Ensign Roger Swiney,
30th.....	Lieutenant Edward French,
".....	Ensign ———— Wade,
".....	" John Dillon,
47th.....	Captain Byse Molewofttr,
".....	Ensign Leckie Campbell,
".....	" James Devonshire,
53d.....	Ensign J. Barrowcliff,
67th.....	Ensign John Stegens,
69th.....	Captain A. M. Cunningham,
".....	Lieutenant W. H. West,
".....	Ensign Peter Browne,
".....	" Walter Daniel,
".....	" John Smith,
".....	" H. de Leno,
".....	" Edward Sprowls.

List

List of the Names of Officers belonging to His Majesty's Regiments serving in the *East Indies*, who have received His Majesty's Leave of Absence during the Month of May 1808.

<i>Rank &amp; Names.</i>	<i>Regt.</i>	<i>From what Time.</i>	<i>To what Time.</i>
Pymaster Phelps,	47th Regt.	2d May	Until the sailing of the Autumn Fleet.
Captain Burke,	25th L. D.	22d April	Six Months.
Lt. Col. Backhouse,	47th Regt.	25th	Six Months.
Lieutenant Rees,	53d	24th	1st July.
Ensign Peavor,	17th	17th May	1st August.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,  
*Adjutant General R. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, MARRUT, 8th DECEMBER 1808.

#### GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

##### *17th Light Dragoons.*

Captain O. Werge to be Major, vice L. Cotton deceased, 1st October 1808.

##### *17th Foot.*

Ensign R. Saunders from the 53d Foot to be Lieutenant, vice C. Wilson promoted, 18th November 1807.

##### *53d Foot.*

R. Saunders, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice R. T. Greene promoted, retaining the date of his Appointment in the 30th Foot, viz. 1st August 1807.

##### *56th Foot.*

Ensign O'Connor Higgins to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Jenkinson resigned, 8th December 1808.

John Kendall, Gent. to be Ensign vice O'Connor Higgins promoted, retaining the original date of his Appointment, viz. 4th February 1807.

##### *78th Foot.*

Lieutenant Thomas Cameron to be Adjutant, vice Bethune promoted, 8th December 1808.

Ensign John M'iver to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Cameron appointed Adjutant, 8th December 1808.

John

John Macleod, Gent. to be Ensign, vice M'Iver promoted.  
8th December 1808.

*84th Foot.*

Thomas Triphock, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Poole whose Appointment has not taken place, 12th January 1808.

*86th Foot.*

Lieutenant Lachlan Macquarie to be Adjutant, vice D'Aguilar promoted, 8th December 1808.

Ensign John Campbell to be Lieutenant, vice L. Macquarie appointed Adjutant, 8th December 1808.

Lieutenant John Winrow of His Majesty's 84th Regiment is permitted to retain the original date of his Lieutenancy, viz. 18th November 1807, until His Majesty's further pleasure shall be known.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to approve of the following Appointments.

Charles Hamilton to be Quarter Master in His Majesty's 17th Light Dragoons, 30th October 1807.

John Marks to be Ditto in Ditto, 17th December 1807.

Serjeant Major Robert Qualle to be Ditto in Ditto, vice Coyne deceased, 24th October 1808.

Lieutenant Colonel Wade of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons has an extension of Leave of absence for five Months from the 9th Ultimo.

The Commander in Chief is pleased to Confirm the Leave Major General Palmer has granted to Lieutenant Lay of His Majesty's 22d Foot, to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his Health, and to be absent on that account for 6 months from the 6th of September last.

Captain Thomas Dunn of His Majesty's 14th Foot, and Lieutenant George Johnston of the 34th have Leave to proceed to Europe on their Private Affairs, and each to be absent on that account for 12 months from the date of their respective Embarkations.

(Signed) W. GRANT KERR,

*Adjutant General King's Troops.*

HEAD QUARTERS:

CHOULTRY PLAIN,

20th January 1809.

} By order of Lieut. Gen. Macdowall.

W. NICOLSON, D. A. G. K. T.  
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HEAD QUARTERS: CHOUTTRY PLAIN, 25th January 1803.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The moment is now arrived when Lieutenant General Macdowell is to take leave of the Coast Army: an Army whose valiant Courage, consummate discipline, and persevering firmness, has been displayed in the achievement of those brilliant exploits, which have secured its own Glory, and added to the British Empire extensive and fertile regions of incalculable value and importance—May your patriotism, valour, and worth be acknowledged and rewarded by your King, and by the East India Company, in proportion as they are known and appreciated by your Commanders in Chief.

Had Lieutenant General Macdowell succeeded to the high and enviable Office with all the advantages enjoyed by his predecessors, he would upon first assuming the command, have promulgated his sentiments on so flattering an event; but the circumstances of his appointment were so humiliating and unpropitious, that he declined addressing the Army, in the anxious hope that the Court of Directors might on farther deliberation be induced to restore him to his rights, and by altering the new and extraordinary form of Government, have enabled him to exercise the functions of his Station, as the Representative of the Army with honor to the Service and with credit to himself—no prospect of such an occurrence appearing at all probable, in justice to the Army, and to his Character, he has determined to retire.

On quitting a Country in which he has passed the greatest part of his life, and where he possesses many dear and respected friends, Lieutenant General Macdowell cannot view his separation from a body of men he is sincerely attached to, without suffering the most painful sensation.—from the nature of the service, he can have little chance of meeting with them again; but he is bound to declare that the whole tenor of their Conduct has met with his entire approbation, and he will boldly affirm, without danger of contradiction, that His Majesty has not in any part of his dominions, a more loyal patriotic and valiant Class of Soldiers and Subjects than the Officers composing the Army under the Presidency of Fort St. George.

That success may continue to attend their steps, that their dearly bought laurels may never decay, and that their bravery and discipline may gather additional wreaths in the field of honor, is the sincere prayer of a man who will never forget them.

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**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 25th January 1809.**

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

His Excellency Lieutenant General Macdowall thinking it highly expedient and necessary for the benefit of the Service at large that the Troops composing the Army serving on the Fort St. George Establishment should be kept in the constant practice of one uniform System of general Field Movement in large Bodies—the Commander in Chief is therefore pleased to direct that all Garrisons and Stations of the Army where there may be more than one Corps, the whole of the Effective Troops composing such Garrison, or serving at such Station, of whatever description, shall, as often as the health of the Troops, and the Duties of Garrison or Station will admit, be Exercised collectively by the Officer Commanding the Garrison or Station; or in his absence from Indisposition, by the next Senior Officer present.

Officers Commanding Divisions of the Army will be pleased occasionally to take the immediate Charge of the Troops at Exercise at the Stations where they may from time to time take up their Head Quarters.

The Commander in Chief directs that the Details of European Regiments requiring instruction in the great Gun Exercise (in conformity with the Orders that have been forwarded from Head Quarters) shall be sent for that purpose to the nearest Detachment of Artillery and be placed during the period of Instruction under the immediate Charge of the Artillery Officer; but Artillery Non Commissioned Officers, or Men, shall not be taken from their Corps or Detachment to instruct the Details of European Regiments on any occasion.

The following promotion of a Native Commissioned Officer in the 2d Battalion 11th Regiment to take place.

Bayildar Hussain Khan to be Jemidar date of Rank 1st January 1809.

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26th January 1809.

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Fort St. George, 25th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon James to withdraw his application for Furlough to Europe, and to return to his former station at Tanjore.

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The Governor in Council permits Ensign Graham Hammer of the 7th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Europe on Sick Certificate.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(signed) G. STRACHEY,

Sec. to GOVERNMENT.

*By order of the Commander in Chief.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOUSTRY PLAIN, 27th January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

In consequence of the augmentation of the Horse Artillery as directed by the General Order of the 23d Instant, the denomination of the Squadron of Horse Artillery is to be changed to that of

#### THE CORPS OF HORSE ARTILLERY

and it shall be Mustered, Paid, and Returned as such from the 1st of February 1809.

The Corps of Horse Artillery shall be divided into three Troops.

The first Troop to consist—as nearly as possible—of one half of the European Non-Commissioned—Rank and File.

The 2d Troop to consist of the other half of the European Non-Commissioned—Rank and File.

The 3d Troop to consist of all the Native Commissioned—Non-Commissioned—Rank and File.

To the 1st Troop shall be posted

The Captain

and

3 Lieutenants.

To the 2d Troop

The Captain Lieutenant

and

3 Lieutenants.

To the 3d Troop

3 Lieutenants.

The above Officers to be posted to Troops as the Officer Commanding the Corps of Horse Artillery shall from time to time deem most conducive to the good of the service.

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**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 28th January 1809.**  
G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The following Extracts from the confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial, of which Lieutenant Colonel Forbes of His Majesty's 80th Regiment is President, assembled at Bangalore on Monday the 22th day of December 1808, and continued by several adjournments till Monday the 26th of the Month, by Order of Lieutenant Colonel Davis Commanding the Troops in Mysore; in virtue of Powers vested in him by His Excellency the Commander in Chief, are published to the Army.

**CHARGES.**—Captain Byrne of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons ordered under arrest on the 2d day of November 1808, on the following Charges, preferred against him by Mr. E. B. Kennah Paymaster.

1st.—For making use of language to me on the public race ground the 15th day of August last, (2d day of the last Bangalore races) highly improper, insulting, and irritating to my feelings, and unbecoming the character of an Officer and a Gentleman.

2d.—For having preferred a Charge against me, for giving him a challenge, with the intent of lessening me in the opinion of my brother Officers, and of society in general, on which he now refuses to prosecute me, finding I have a number of respectable Officers, evidences in my favor; and thus leaving me no other alternative for the vindication of my conduct, and the removal of the aspersions that have been thrown on my character, in consequence thereof, than by preferring these Charges.

(Signed) E. B. KENNAH,

Paymaster H. M. 25th Dragoons.

COUNTERSIGNED BY ORDER OF THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_,

Major General.

**SENTENCE.**—The Court after the most mature deliberation on the evidence of the Prosecution, as well as on what the Prisoner has urged in his defence, is of the following opinion, that the Prisoner Captain Byrne of His Majesty's 25th Regiment Light Dragoons is guilty of the 1st Charge,



viz. "for making use of Language to me on the public  
 " race ground, the 15th day of August last, (2d day of  
 " the last Bangalore races) highly improper, insulting, and  
 " irritating to my feelings, and unbecoming the character  
 " of an Officer and a Gentleman;" and which is a breach  
 of the Articles of War: But, in appearing to the Court,  
 that some provocation was received by the Prisoner from  
 the Prosecutor, it does in consideration of the same, by  
 virtue of the rules and Articles of War, sentence the said  
 Prisoner Captain Byrne of His Majesty's 25th Regiment  
 Light Dragoons, only to be reprimanded by His Excellency  
 the Commander in Chief.

The Court is further of Opinion, that the prisoner  
 Captain Byrne of His Majesty's 25th Regiment Light  
 Dragoons, is not guilty of the 2d Charge, viz. "for having  
 " preferred a Charge against me" &c. &c. and it does  
 hereby fully and honorably Acquit the Prisoner of the  
 same.

Signed) W. TYTLER, (Signed) R. FORBES, — *Lieut. Col.*  
*Dep. Judge Adv. in Mysore.* 28th January, — *President.*

CONFIRMED. — The Prisoner is hereby Reprimanded.

(Signed) HAY MACDOWALL, L. G.

Lieutenant Colonel Bell having reported the European Drafts  
 for the Horse Artillery to have been completed from the Corps  
 at St. Thomas's Mount, His Excellency the Commander in  
 Chief, pleased to direct that the same be considered for the  
 present the Head Quarters of the Corps of Horse Artillery,  
 to which Captain Noble and the Staff of the Corps will  
 repair without delay.

29th January 1809.

Fort St. George, 27th January 1809.

G. O. GOVERNMENT:

The Honorable the Governor in Council withdraws the  
 Leave granted to Lieutenant Colonel George Martin, to proceed  
 to England on Furlough.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort

Fort St. George, 29th January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council appoints Lieutenant Richard West of the 13th Native Regiment, to be Quarter Master of Brigade, with the detachment commanded by the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger.

Captain Lieutenant A. Macleod of the 9th Native Regiment is appointed Quarter Master of Brigade, with the Detachment under the orders of Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs of His Majesty's 59th Regiment.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of the Commander in Chief.*

HEAD QUARTERS OF THE ARMY: 30th January 1809.

G. O. BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

The Nominations published in the following Extracts from Orders issued by the Officer Commanding the *Hyderabad* Subsidiary Force, are confirmed.

*Extracts from D. Orders by Lieutenant Colonel Montresor,*  
"1st January 1809."

"Lieutenant Ormsby of the 15th Regiment will act as Persian Interpreter to the Commanding Officer of the Subsidiary Force, during the absence of Lieutenant Sydenham."

"5th January 1809."

"Assistant Surgeon Milne will proceed with, and afford Medical aid during the Service to the Details of Infantry proceeding with Major Neale's Detachment and Assistant Surgeon Hendry will give Medical aid to the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment during the absence of Assistant Surgeon Milne."

"6th January 1809."

"The Sick of the 1st Regiment Cavalry will receive Medical aid during the absence of the Head Quarters of the Corps from Assistant Surgeon Hendry to whom a Roll of them must be sent."

"12th

"12th January 1809."

"Authentic information having been received of the appointment of Surgeon Connell to the Medical Staff Duties of the Berar Detachment, that Officer will proceed to *Jaulnah* and place himself under the Orders of Lieutenant Colonel Doveton."

"Surgeon Connell will take Medical Charge during the March of the Detachment of Horse Artillery and Infantry proceeding under the Orders of Captain Taylor."

"Assistant Surgeon Henderson will take Medical Charge of the 2d Battalion 5th Regiment until further Orders."

"The Sick of the Detachment of Horse Artillery that may be unable to proceed to join, are to be sent to the Artillery Hospital to the Medical Charge of Assistant Surgeon Moore who will draw the usual Allowances for them."

"The Invalids of His Majesty's 33d Regiment and the Invalids and Discharged men of the Artillery to be held in readiness to proceed to the Presidency when Ordered—an Officer of His Majesty's 33d Regiment will proceed in Charge of the above Details and Assistant Surgeon Whyllie will afford Medical aid to them on the March."

Lieutenant Richardson 15th Native Regiment, is posted to the 1st Battalion of Pioneers.

Serjeant Winiam Grant of Effective Supernumeraries is appointed Serjeant Major to the 2d Battalion 25th Native Regiment.

31st January 1809.

Fort St. George, 31st January 1809.

G. G. BY GOVERNMENT.

It has recently come to the knowledge of the Honorable the Governor in Council that Lieutenant General Hay Macdowall did previously to his embarkation from this Presidency leave to be published to the Army a General Order dated 28th Instant, in the highest degree disrespectful to the Authority of the Government, in which that Officer has presumed to found a public censure on an Act adopted under the immediate Authority of the Governor in Council, and to convey insinuations grossly derogatory to the Character of the Government,

and

and Subversion of Military discipline, and of the foundations of Public Authority.

The resignation of Lieutenant General Macdowall of the Command of the Army of *Fort St. George*, not having been yet received, it becomes the duty of the Governor in Council, in consideration of the Violent and inflammatory Proceedings of that Officer on the present and on other recent occasions, and for the purpose of preventing the possible repetition of farther Acts of outrage, to anticipate the period of his expected resignation, and to annul the Appointment of Lieutenant General Macdowall to the Command of the Army of this Presidency, — Lieutenant General Macdowall is accordingly hereby removed from the station of the Commander in Chief of the forces of *Fort St. George*.

The Governor in Council must lament with the deepest regret the necessity of resorting to an extreme measure of this nature; but where a manifest endeavour has been used to bring into degradation the Supreme public Authority it is essential that the vindication should not be less signal than the Offence, and that a memorable example should be given that proceedings subversive of established Order can find no security, under the Sanction of Rank however high, or of Station however exalted.

The General Order in question having been circulated under the Signature of the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army, it must have been known to that Officer, that in giving currency to a Paper of this offensive description, he was acting in direct violation of his duty to the Government, as no Authority can justify the execution of an illegal act, connected as that act obviously in the present case has been with views of the most reprehensible nature. — The Governor in Council thinks it proper to mark his highest displeasure at the conduct of Major Boles, by directing that he shall be suspended from the Service of the Honorable Company.

The General Order left by the Commander in Chief for publication, under date the 28th Instant, is directed to be expunged from every public Record, and the Adjutant General of the Army will immediately circulate the necessary Orders for this purpose.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort*

Fort St. George, 31st January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council appoints Major General Francis Gowdie, to the Command of the Army of this Presidency, until further Orders.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 1st February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

It having been made known to the Honorable the Governor in Council that the Adjutant General of the Army was materially implicated in the measure of giving Currency to the Offensive General Order of the Commander in Chief Dated the 28th Ultimo, it becomes the duty of the Honorable the Governor in Council to direct that Lieutenant Colonel Capper be suspended from the service of the Honorable Company, and that Officer is hereby suspended accordingly.

The Governor in Council directs that Major Robert Barclay, will take charge of the duties of the Office of Adjutant General, until further orders.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

17th February 1809.

Fort St. George, 31st January 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Vesey of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry to proceed on furlough to Europe, in October next.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign Gordon of the Madras European Regiment to proceed to Nagpoor, on leave of absence for four Months.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort

Fort St. George, 3d February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant D. C. Smith to be Adjutant of the 1st Battalion of the 19th Regiment Native Infantry, vice Delamain proceeded to Europe.

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit Mr. George Milsom to be a Cadet of Infantry on the Establishment from the 2d instant, in conformity to the appointment by the Honorable Court of Directors.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,  
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 3d February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Promotions shall take place.

Senior Major of Infantry Patrick Bruce of the 18th Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Darley deceased—date of rank to be settled hereafter.

*18th Regiment Native Infantry.*

Captain Edward Boardman, to be Major—Captain Lieutenant William Firmen Blackmore to be Captain of a Company—Lieutenant Henry Erskine Somerville to be Captain Lieutenant—and Ensign Alexander Aitkin to be Lieutenant in succession to Bruce promoted—date of rank to be settled hereafter.

*6th Regiment Native Infantry.*

Ensign B. M'Master to be Lieutenant vice Bushby Invalided—date of rank 10th December 1808.

*8th Regiment Native Infantry.*

Ensign George Muriel to be Lieutenant vice Carr deceased—date of rank 10th January 1809.

Mr. Alexander M'Donald Cadet of Infantry, to be Ensign—date of rank 3d July 1807.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Alexander Bell Cadet of Infantry, to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council is pleased in compliance with the request of Lieutenant C. Stuart of the 2d Battalion 21st Regiment



Regiment Native Infantry to withdraw the leave granted to that Officer, to proceed to the Island of Ceylon.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 4th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has recently received a particular account of the Action which took place at Quilon on the 15th ultimo, between the British Troops and the Troops of Travancore, in which after a severe and long contest the Travancore Troops were defeated with heavy loss—From the extent of the Combined force, which was opposed to the British Troops, this Signal victory reflects the highest honor on their discipline and valour; and the Governor in Council has great Satisfaction in expressing his strongest approbation of their meritorious Conduct.

The Governor in Council accordingly conveys to Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers, who Commanded the British Detachment at Quilon in this distinguished Action, his public thanks; and Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers is requested to convey the thanks of the Governor in Council to Lieutenant Colonel Pictou of His Majesty's 12th Regiment, Major Muirhead, Major Hamilton, Captain Newall, Captain Pepper, Captain Mackintosh, Lieutenant Lindsay, Lieutenant Arthur of the Engineers, and the Officers of his Staff, Captain Cranston and Captain Ahmuty; with the other Officers and Troops of the Detachment, who bravely Signalized themselves on the occasion.

The Honorable the Governor in Council also takes this opportunity of expressing his warm approbation of the Conduct of a Detachment of Troops Stationed at Cochin, under the Command of Major Hewitt, who with great skill and bravery repulsed a numerous and united force of the Troops of Travancore and Cochin, in an attack which they made on the British Detachment on the 19th Ultimo—The Governor in Council has particular satisfaction in expressing to Major Hewitt, and to the Officers and Troops under his Command, his public thanks for their highly deserving Conduct.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort



fact of having arrived at Fort St. George, 6th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having lately adopted the measure, of ordering the release of the Quarter Master General of the Army from Arrest; and it being desirable, that the circumstances connected with that measure, should be distinctly and publicly understood, there being reason to believe, that a great degree of misapprehension has hitherto existed; the Governor in Council thinks it proper to state, that the Quarter Master General was placed under Arrest by the late Commander in Chief, on charges founded on a Report which was submitted by the Quarter Master General, in conformity to express Orders; which report having been approved and adopted by the Commander in Chief, Lieutenant General Sir John Cradock, was by him communicated to the late Right Honorable the Governor in Council of *Fort St. George*, and finally laid before the Supreme Government, under whose approbation and Orders, it became the foundation of measures already known to the Army.

In these circumstances the Quarter Master General could be considered no longer responsible for proceedings so sanctioned; and it would have been inconsistent with the Evident principles of Justice, that a public Officer should have been liable to the obloquy of a trial, for an Act not his, but that of his Superiors—the question which in such case would have been submitted to the Cognizance of a Military Tribunal, would not have involved only a discussion of the Conduct of the Quarter Master General, but would have extended to the measures of the principal Civil and Military authorities in this Country; measures, which had undergone the maturest consideration, and which had been carried into effect under the most formal sanction—it must be apparent, that a discussion involving consequences of this nature, would have been contrary to law; contrary to reason; ruinous of public confidence; and subversive of the foundations of Military discipline, and of public authority.

Impressed with these sentiments, it became the solemn, the bounden duty of the Governor in Council, on the facts being made known, by a communication from the Quarter Master General, (which from the nature of the question, it became the right and duty of that Officer; to submit by direct reference on the communication having been refused by the late Commander in Chief,)

Chief,) to interpose the authority of the Government, for the prevention of the most fatal evils—it was the wish; it was the earnest endeavour, of the Governor in Council, to effect this object, by every means of conciliation and explanation; but such means having been used in vain, and having been even repelled under circumstances highly offensive, no alternative remained, but that of conveying a specific Order for the removal of the Arrest.

The Governor in Council desires, that the Officers of this Army, will be assured, that this Government would not be less solicitous to vindicate their honor and reputation, by rejecting all injurious imputations if such could have been supposed, than the Officers of the Army could have been solicitous in their own vindication.—The Governor in Council has accordingly under this impression, been led to an attentive consideration of the expressions which are understood to have been deemed objectionable, and he has no hesitation in declaring, that it appears in his Judgment, impossible under any correct construction, to attach an offensive meaning to words, where injury was not meant, and where the intention of Offence assuredly did not exist.

Having stated this explanation, the Honorable the Governor in Council deems it his further duty to observe, that the question which has been under deliberation, must be now considered as concluded—the farther Agitation of a subject of this nature could be availing for no purpose, but that of disturbing the established course of Public affairs, and for the excitement of feelings injurious to Order and authority, and it will be accordingly of importance to the Public welfare, that the Circumstances connected with it, should be consigned to oblivion.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 7th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend Mr. Dunsterville to be Chaplain of Bangalore from the 4th January last.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort

Fort St. George, 8th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council appoints Captain B. Otto to the Charge of the Body Guard, during the absence of Captain James Grant.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 8th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain J. Marshall to the situation of Paymaster at *Vizagapatam*, vacant by the promotion of Major Shawe—Captain Marshall is directed to proceed to that station without delay.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 8th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Assistant Surgeon Balmain to resign the Office of Superintendent of the Dispensary at *Fort St. George*, in Compliance with his request, grounded on indisposition.

The Governor in Council directs that the following Appointments shall take place.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon T. Serjeant to be Superintendent of the Dispensary, vice Balmain, and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Rich to be Medical Officer at *Pondicherry* vice Serjeant.

Lieutenant Savary of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry having been permitted by the Government of *Bombay* to proceed to *Europe* on sick Certificate, the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm that permission in General Orders.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort

Fort St. George, 8th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Honorable E. G. K. Murray to take Charge of the Office of Military Paymaster General.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, Sec. to Govt.

Fort St. George, 15th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant Colonel George Martin is permitted to proceed to England on his former leave of absence.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 16th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Major General Gowdie having arrived at the Presidency, the Honorable the Governor in Council relieves Major Barclay from the charge of the Office of Adjutant General—The duties of that Office will be conducted until further Orders by the Assistant Adjutant General.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

HEAD QUARTERS OF THE ARMY: CHOULTRY PLAIN.

17th February 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE, COMMANDING THE ARMY.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, SEHARUNPORE, 27th DECEMBER 1808:

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following Promotion.

86th Foot.

This cancels J. Grant's } Ensign G. H. Glover to be Lieu-  
appointment without } tenant by purchase, vice Morrice pro-  
purchase vice Glover. } moted, 21st January 1808.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

22d Light Dragoons.

Cornet F. Hale to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Burgess deceased, 23d June 1807.

R. H. Taunton, Gentleman, to be Cornet by purchase, vice Dalrymple promoted, 1st January 1808.

24th Light Dragoons.

Daniel Stewart, Gentleman, to be Cornet without purchase,  
vice Pellichody appointed Adjutant, 2d March 1808.

12th Foot.

Ensign and Adjutant D. Hayes to be Lieutenant by purchase,  
vice Cleaveland promoted in 73d Foot, 23d December 1808.

Ensign John Chisholm to be Lieutenant without purchase,  
vice Adjutant D. Hayes, 24th December 1808.

Ensign R. I. Maclean to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Seaton promoted in the 92d Foot, — Tew's appointment to that vacancy not having taken place, 25th December 1808.

Robert Jenkins, Gentleman, to be Ensign without purchase,  
vice Chisholm promoted, 24th December 1808.

Henry Goad, Gentleman, to be Ensign without purchase,  
vice Maclean promoted, 25th December 1808.

17th Foot.

Septimus Harrison, Gentleman, to be Ensign without purchase, vice Meade promoted in the 22d Foot, 24th December 1808.

## 22d Foot

Lucius French, Gentleman, to be Ensign without purchase  
vice Keappock promoted, 24th December 1808.

30th Foot.

Captain Christopher Maxwell to be Major vice Wright  
deceased, 16th August 1808.

## 332 Feet

Ensign John Hewett to be, Lieutenant without purchase,  
vice Taunton resigned; 25th December 1808.

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For the benefit of Mr. Tatinton resigned who purchased his Ensigncy. } S. S. Burns, Gentleman, to be Ensign by purchase vice Hewett promoted, retaining the original date of his appointment in the 84th Foot, viz. 6th February 1807.  
60th Foot.

A. Wardlock, Gentleman, to be Ensign without purchase, vice Freeman promoted, 20th November 1807.  
80th Foot.

Ensign S. S. Burns from the 33d Foot, to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Cookson promoted, retaining the date of his original appointment, viz. 1st December 1807.  
84th Foot. °°

Ensign John Fraser to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Hewett removed to 8th Light Dragoons, 17th November 1807.  
Charles Campbell, Gentleman, to be Ensign without purchase, vice Fraser promoted, 25th December 1808.  
86th Foot.

John Grant, Gentleman, to be Ensign without purchase, vice Campbell promoted, 25th December 1808.

Henry Vanspall, Gentleman, to be Ensign by purchase, vice Mercer promoted, 28th March 1807.

Captain Barclay of His Majesty's 1st Battalion 56th Foot has leave to proceed to Europe on his Private Affairs, and to be absent on that account for twelve Months from the date of his Embarkation.

W. GRANT KEIR,  
Adjutant General K. T.  
(Signed) W. NICOLSON,  
Dep. Adj. Gen. K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 17th February 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE COMMANDING THE ARMY.

The undermentioned Officers lately promoted, are posted to Corps as follows.

Regt. N. I.	Bat.
2d Ensign Henry Harrison next below Ensign Brodie, . . . .	1st
3d „ R. J. Marr next below Ensign Eccles, . . . . .	2d
6th „ T. Clabbe next below Ensign Macleod, . . . . .	1st
do. „ J. Anthony next below Ensign Tweedie, . . . . .	1st
	7th

Regt. N. 1.

Bat.

7th	Ensign E. Winchester next below Ensign Talk,	1st
do.	„ A. Hendrie next below Ensign J. Scott,	1st
8th	„ F. E. Smith next below Ensign Spicer,	2d
do.	„ T. R. Stockdale next below Ensign Berry,	1st
10th	„ G. Sharpe next below Ensign Brown,	1st
do.	„ R. Cozens next below Ensign Sharpe,	2d
11th	„ C. Chambers next below Ensign Green,	1st
14th	„ G. Birch next below Ensign Haggard,	1st
do.	„ R. W. Carwardine next below Ensign Birch,	1st
do.	„ A. Gray next below Ensign Carwardine,	1st
15th	„ E. T. Hibgain next below Ensign Snell,	1st
18th	„ W. Herring next below Ensign Poole,	2d
19th	„ G. Newman next below Ensign Ridding,	1st
do.	„ W. Peyton next below Ensign Bannatyne,	2d
do.	„ S. Mansell next below Ensign Heath,	1st
21st	„ A. M'Donald next below Ensign Allen,	1st
do.	„ H. A. Thompson next below Ensign M'Donald,	2d
22d	„ R. Colebrook next below Ensign Story,	1st
24th	„ H. Allen next below Ensign Taylor,	2d

HEADQUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 17th February 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

Major General Gowdie embraces the earliest moment to express the sense of satisfaction which he entertains, in being called to the Command of an Army with which he has passed the greatest portion of his life; which he has accompanied in every vicissitude of misfortune and success; and which he has seen finally to subdue all the Enemies by whom it has been opposed. Major General Gowdie encourages a confident assurance, that the Army will be distinguished, while he shall have the honor of Commanding it, by the same zeal, public Spirit, discipline and respect for Authority, which produced the eminent success that have signalized it, and which are essential to the prosperity of the British Interests in India. It is the duty of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief to state in the actual situation of affairs, that while his conduct shall be uniformly actuated by an earnest desire to afford the most honorable and decided support to the constituted authorities of his Country, to maintain discipline and subordination, and to distinguish



distinguish merit, services, and claims, he expects, from the Officers composing His Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Services and particularly from those who hold the command of Divisions, Stations and Corps, that cordial and zealous co-operation, which is dictated by the most powerful motives of duty to their Sovereign and their Country.

20th February 1809.

Fort St. George, 16th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has the greatest satisfaction in publishing in General Orders the following Extracts of Letters received from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Senteleger, announcing the decisive and distinguished success which attended the Storm of the Lines of Travancore, by the Troops under the Command of that Officer.

*Extract of a Letter from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Senteleger to the Chief Secretary of the Government dated the 10th of February 1809.*

" I had the honor this Morning to convey to you by Express a small note in pencil for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, by which you were made acquainted with the satisfactory Intelligence of the British Flags being flying in every part of the Arumbooley lines, as well as the Commanding Redoubts to the North and South."

" It is impossible for me to convey in language sufficiently strong, the obligations I feel under to the personal exertions of Major Welsh Commanding 3d Regiment Native Infantry, and the Detachment for escalade under his Command."

" The Southern Redoubt which presented a complete enfilade of the whole of the main lines as far as the Gate, was the object of Major Welsh's enterprize, an enterprize which from the natural Strength of the approach, appeared only practicable to the exertions and determined bravery of British Troops, led on to Glory by Major Welsh, It was ascended

“ ascended under cover of the Night, and our Troops had actually escaladed the Wall, ere their approach was suspected, and the ascent was of such great difficulty as to require six hours of actual Scrambling to reach the foot of the Walls.”

“ On Consideration of the brilliancy of this achievement, I feel a pleasurable duty in detailing for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, a List of the Names of the Officers who accompanied the Detachment for Escalade, it consisted of two Companies, and the Picquet of His Majesty's 69th Regiment, Commanded by Captain Syms, and the four Flank, and five Battalion Companies from the 3d Regiment Native Infantry, under Captain Lucas, and it did not require that confirmation which Major Welsh has conveyed to me in the most handsome manner, to convince me that to have accomplished such an object every man *must* have done his duty.”

“ In the list of Gallant fellows which accompanies this despatch, I have to lament the fate of poor Captain Cunningham of His Majesty's 69th Regiment, whose Wound I fear is Mortal, which deprives his Country of a Brave and Valuable Officer.”

“ When Major Welsh had once effected his security, in this Commanding position, I despatched to his assistance by the same arduous route, a Company of His Majesty's 69th Regiment, and three Companies of the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment under Captain Hodgson to reinforce, and give Confidence to his party ; as soon as this addition was perceived, a detachment from his party stormed the main lines, and by dint of persevering bravery carried them entirely, and the Northern Redoubt was abandoned by the panic struck enemy, who fled in all possible confusion in every direction, leaving me in possession of their strongest lines, and I am now encamped two Miles interior of the Arumbooley Gate.”

“ I had ordered the remainder of the Detachment to be under Arms at Midnight, and marched to the most convenient position, either to secure Major Welsh's Retreat, or furnish him support, and when day-light permitted, Major Welsh had the satisfaction to see his friends at hand, ready to support him.

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" It would be injustice in me not to express the active Services  
 " I received from Lieutenant Colonel Macleod of His Majesty's  
 " 69th Regiment, they were such as might be expected from  
 " an Officer of his reputation and experience, in bringing  
 " forward his Regiment in support of the attack with the most  
 " Willing Zeal."

" I feel it a duty I owe from the Report of Major Welsh, of  
 " the Pioneers who accompanied him, to express my entire  
 " approbation, of their Conduct, and that of Lieutenant Bertram  
 " who Commanded them."

" In short, I feel highly satisfied with the conduct of the  
 " Officers and Men who composed the Detachment under my  
 " Command."

" I am in possession of the Arsenal, which appears well Stored  
 " with Arms, Ammunition and Military Stores, with a quantity  
 " of valuable Ordnance on the Works, which has not as yet been  
 " ascertained."

" I have not been able to ascertain the loss of the Enemy,  
 " but it must have been considerable."

*List of Officers composing the Detachment for Escalade under*  
*Major WELSH.*

Captain Syms, H. M. 69th Regt.

Captain Lindsay,

Captain Cunningham,

Lieutenant Carey,

Lieutenant Reid,

Lieutenant Lane,

Lieutenant Baby,

Lieutenant Baby,

Captain Lucas, 3d Regt. N. I.

Captain Pepper,

Captain Cairncross,

Lieutenant Walker,

Lieutenant Tagg,

Lieutenant Dawson,

Lieutenant Goble,

Lieutenant Ingerarity,

Lieutenant Jeffrey,

Lieutenant Rule,

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Shepherd,  
 Lieutenant Blake,  
 Lieutenant A. Bertram, Pioneers.

*Extract of a Letter from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel  
 Sentleger to the Chief Secretary of the Government dated the  
 11th February 1809.*

" In the hurry of my despatch of yesterday, I omitted to  
 " state for the information of the Honorable the Governor in  
 " Council, the important Services I had derived from Major  
 " Lambton's Ability, and well known professional skill; an  
 " Omission I feel, and the more as I am fully sensible of the  
 " Services he rendered me."

The Governor in Council considers the execution of the  
 above Service to reflect equal honor on the Judgment with  
 which it was planned, and on the Signal Zeal and bravery,  
 with which it was carried into effect.—The Governor in Council  
 accordingly conveys to the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel  
 Sentleger, the expression of his warmest approbation and  
 thanks, and Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger is requested to make  
 known to the Officers and Troops under his Command;  
 particularly to Major Welsh, who gallantly and ably Conducted  
 the party employed in the Assault and to the other Officers  
 mentioned by Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger, the sentiments of  
 cordial approbation due to their meritorious conduct.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 19th February 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Commander of the Forces having brought under the  
 attention of the Honorable the Governor in Council the recent  
 irregular conduct of the following Officers of the Junior Class  
 of the Military Institution, the Governor in Council directs that  
 they do join their Corps without delay.

Lieutenant Stopford  
 Ensign Marklove  
 Heath  
 Spicer

Christie

Ensign Christie  
Williams  
Clarke  
M'Neale  
Hodges  
Macleod  
Snell  
Low  
Budd  
W. Taylor  
J. W. Taylor  
Moberly  
Grant  
Ball.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

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*Port St. George, 18th February 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend Mr. Thomas to do duty as Military Chaplain at Cannanore.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

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*22d February 1809.*

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*Port St. George, 18th February 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments.

Lieutenant Colonel John Cuppage to be Adjutant General of the Army from the 17th instant.

Captain Sutherland McDowall to be Deputy Adjutant General of the Army from the 1st instant, with the Official Rank of Major.

Lieutenant



Lieutenant F. N. Balmain of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry to be Assistant Adjutant General of the Army.

Captain William Morison to be Secretary to the Military Board, vice Marshall; and Captain John Carfree to be Paymaster at Hyderabad, vice Morison.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 18th February 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following appointments shall take place from the 1st instant.

Captain R. Hughes 24th Native Regiment to be Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army.

Lieutenant J. Wilson 15th Native Regiment and Ensign R. Wilson of the 11th Native Regiment to be Aids-de-Camp to the Officer Commanding the Army.

Major John Vernon of the 6th Native Regiment to act as Military Secretary, to the Officer Commanding the Army, during the absence of Captain R. Hughes.

Lieutenant J. Beaumont 5th Native Regiment to act as Assistant Adjutant General of the Army, during the absence of Lieutenant F. N. Balmain—the appointment to take place from the 17th instant.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

HEADQUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 24th February 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following Extracts from the Confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial, assembled in Camp at Jaulnah on Friday the 2d day of December 1808, and continued by several Adjournments until the 5th day of the same Month, by order of Lieutenant Colonel J. Doveton Commanding a Detachment, under authority of a Warrant issued by Lieutenant Colonel T. G. Montresor Commanding the Subsidiary Force serving His Highness the Nizam, by virtue of powers vested in him

him by His Excellency the Commander in Chief; and of which Subadar Abdul Cawder of the 16th Native Regiment is President; are published to the Army.

**CHARGE.**—Hyder Cawn, Trooper, 1st Troop, 4th Regiment Native Cavalry placed under confinement by me, "for  
" deserting from his Corps, early on the Morning of the  
" 12th Instant and carrying along with him (5) five  
" Pistols, One Cartridge box and (18) eighteen Car-  
" tridges, the Property of the Honorable East India  
" Company."

CAMP JAULNAH, } (Signed) J. DOVETON, *Lieut. Col.*  
17th November 1808. } *Commanding 4th Regt. Cav.*

ORDER,

(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,  
D. A. G.

**SENTENCE.**—The Court and the Prisoner, Hyder Cawn, Trooper, 1st Troop, 4th Regiment Native Cavalry, Guilty of the Crime laid to his Charge, not only by his own confession, but from what has appeared against him on the Prosecution—They do therefore sentence him to be shot to death, at such time and place as his Excellency the Commander in Chief confirming these Proceedings, may be pleased to direct.

The mark of

ABDUL CAWDER, *Subadar 1st Bat. 10th Regt. N. I.*  
& President.

(Signed) GEORGE ROBERT GRAND,  
*Captain 1st Bat. 12th Regt. N. I.*  
*Acting Deputy Judge Advocate.*

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) HAY MACDOWALL,  
L. G.

The following Medical Appointments by the Officer Commanding the *Hyderabad* Subsidiary Force, are confirmed.

Assistant Surgeon Milne to afford Medical Aid to the 2d Battalion 10th Native Regiment, from 2d February 1809.

Assistant Surgeon Hendry to be considered as having had Medical Charge of the details of Artillery, Gun Lascars and  
Dooley



Booly Bearers serving with the Detachment under Major Farren from 7th July to 1st September 1808 inclusive.

The appointments by the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger Commanding a Detachment of the Southern Force, of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Haines to the Medical Charge of the Detachment of the 2d Battalion 16th Native Regiment and of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Reviere to Afford like aid, to the Company of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment, are confirmed.

Private Soldiers John Newey, and George Kirk of effective Supernumeraries are promoted to Sergeants, and appointed to the 1st Battalion of Pioneers.

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*25th February 1809.*

*Fort St. George, 21st February 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that when Commanding Officers of Corps shall be absent on Duty, they shall be permitted to draw the Full Batta of their Rank without deduction, and that the allowance granted under these circumstances by the General Order of the 9th of December last to the next Senior Officers in the temporary Command of such Corps, shall be considered to be a public charge.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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*Fort St. George, 21st February 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that from and after the 1st of March next, the Allowance of 36 fanams per Month granted to Officers Commanding, or in Charge of Troops of Cavalry, European and Native, for providing Shoes, Head and Heel ropes, Gram Bags, &c. &c. for each Regimental Horse, shall be converted into Pagodas at the

the rate of 45 fanams per Pagoda, and discharged as such by the different Paymasters.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Port St. George, 21st February 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following correction of Rank shall take place.

Mr. Richard Cozeus to be an Ensign of Infantry, Date of Rank the 18th of September 1807.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Port St. George, 23d February 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Leith to act as Agent of Supplies—The Governor in Council thinks it proper at the same time to direct, that the Salary of that situation may be reduced from 500 to 350 Pagodas per Month.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart of His Majesty's 30th Regiment, to the Command of Pondicherry.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Port St. George, 24th February 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The following Officers have reported their Return to this Presidency, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Lieutenant Colonel	John Bell,	Artillery.
ditto	James Innes,	Infantry.
Captain	P. P. Stewart,	ditto.
ditto	W. I. Jones,	ditto.

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The Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army, that the following Gentlemen having produced Certificates of their appointments - to be Cadets of Cavalry, Artillery or Engineers, and Infantry on this Establishment, are admitted on the Establishment accordingly.

### C A V A L R Y.

Messrs. George Whitlock  
Daniel Alexander Fenning.

### ARTILLERY or ENGINEERS.

Messrs. Frederick Ferville  
Cyrus Edward Trapaud  
Henry Stuart  
Henry Head Gore  
Andrew Lumsden Murray  
Thomas Nelson

### I N F A N T R Y.

Messrs. Laurence Dindwiddie  
David Small Maitland  
Joseph George Mitford  
Simon Little  
Byre Evans Bruce  
Charles Kay  
James Allan  
John Sextie Robinson  
William Chadwick  
Frederick W. Morgan  
William Roper  
James Taylor Webbo  
George Egan  
William Teit  
John Benning.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.  
(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 25th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct,  
that

at the Batta and other Allowances for February and the day for March, of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 6th of March, and on the following Days.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 18th February 1809.**

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

An Officer from the Garrison of Fort St. George to take charge of the Gentlemen Cadets lately arrived from England.

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 25th FEBRUARY 1809.**

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

Officers are to do duty with Regiments as follows.

Ensign Henry Moberly with 2d Battalion 20th Native Regt.

„ J. W. Taylor 2d do. 8th do.

„ Neil M'Neil 2d do. 20th do.

„ William Low 1st do. 18th do.

Gentlemen Cadets of Cavalry are to do duty with Regiments as follows.

Mr. George Willock 3d Regiment Native Cavalry.

Mr. Daniel Alexander Penning 5th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Gentlemen Cadets for the Artillery or Engineers are to proceed to join the Head Quarters of the 2d Battalion of Artillery at St. Thomas's Mount, with the exception of Mr. C. E. Trapaud who is placed under the Orders of the Chief Engineer.

The following Medical appointments by the Officer Commanding the Forces in Malabar and Kanara are confirmed.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Richardson to afford Medical aid to the Detachment of Artillery and Plank Companies of the 1st Battalion 5th Regiment Ordered on field Service.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Cotton to afford Medical aid to the Detachment of His Majesty's 80th Regiment Ordered on field Service.

Mr.

Mr. Grant Garrison Surgeon of *Cannanore* to take Medical charge of the Detachment of His Majesty's 80th Regiment doing duty at *Cannanore* and all the Sick left there, belonging to Corps ordered on field Service.

The appointment by the Officer Commanding the *Masulipatam* District of Mr. Garrison Surgeon Annesley to afford Medical aid to the Detachment of His Majesty's 59th Regiment arrived at *Masulipatam* on the 10th January 1809, is confirmed from that day.

The following appointment is Ordered.

2081 1st Battalion 16th Native Regiment.

Jemadar Kaim Khan to be Adjutant vice Shaik Sillar, promoted; date of Commission 11th September 1808.

Serjeant Francis Saunders of Invalids is appointed Key Serjeant of *Ongole*.

Angus Beaton Effective Supernumerary Private is promoted to Serjeant, which promotion is to have effect from the 25th August last.

Private D. Mackay of Effective Supernumeraries, is promoted to Serjeant and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant to the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment in the room of Serjeant Doutre removed as Quarter Master Serjeant to the 1st Battalion 10th Regiment.

Serjeant Charles French of Effective Supernumeraries is appointed Serjeant Major 2d Battalion 19th Regiment.

William Johnston Invalid Gunner to be Barrack Serjeant at *St. Thomas's Mount* vice John Wieer.

Lieutenant James Garling of the 11th Native Regiment is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion and Lieutenant Stopford from the 2d to the 1st Battalion of that Regiment.

The following Extract from a General Order by the Commander in Chief of the Forces upon the *Bombay* Establishment is published to the Army.

#### EXTRACT FROM GENERAL ORDERS.

"BOMBAY, MONDAY, 6TH FEBRUARY 1809."

"BY THE COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE FORCES."

"The General Court Martial of which Major General Forbes  
" Champagne is President, having tried Major N. M. Smyth,

" of



of the 1st Battalion 14th Regiment of N. I. of the *Madras*  
Establishment on the following Charges, exhibited against  
him by Lieutenant Colonel Hastings Fraser, of His Majesty's  
85th Regiment, viz.

1st.—For Un-Officer-like Conduct and disrespectful  
behaviour to me, while in the execution of my duty as  
President of a Committee of Survey, ordered by  
Lieutenant Colonel Adams, of His Majesty's  
78th Regiment Commanding the British Auxiliary  
Force at Goa, by repeating several times at his own  
Quarters, where I was on a visit, with the other  
Members of the Committee, that he knew nothing of  
us, as a Committee of Survey, and therefore would not  
attend us, or acknowledge us, as being on Duty."

2d.—For behaving in a most unbecoming and Un-  
Officer-like manner to the prejudice of good Order, and  
Military Discipline, by following the Committee to his  
Regimental Hospital and there repeating to me in the  
presence of the Members Lieutenant Hawkins, of the  
*Bombay* Engineer Corps, and several of his own Sepoys,  
that he did not acknowledge us, as being on Duty, or in  
Authority there, that he would himself have nothing to  
do with us, or afford us any information, but he would  
allow or Order his Surgeon to attend us, or words to  
that effect."

3d.—For telling me when I reprimanded him for his  
Un-Officer-like Conduct, that he was the Commanding  
Officer at *Mormagao*, and not I, that I had no power  
there, and that he would not obey me, though he knew  
me to be Lieutenant Colonel Fraser, his Superior Officer,  
thereby incurring the Guilt of Mutinous behaviour."

4th.—And additional Charge for disobeying a lawful  
Order from me, his Superior Officer and refusing to  
take off his Sword and to consider himself in Arrest  
though repeatedly Ordered, till about to Order the next  
in Command to Major Smyth to Order a Guard of  
Sepoys to enforce my Orders and calling upon the Members  
of the Committee and Lieutenant Hawkins to bear  
Evidence to his contumacious behaviour and disobedience,

“ he



" he confessed he had Disobeyed, and then Submitted to  
" the Arrest."

Dated (Signed) "HASTINGS FRASER, — Lieut. Col.  
" AGODA, "86th Regt, and President of a  
" 5th November 1808." Committee of Survey."

"BOMBAY

"ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
20th January 1809."

"BY ORDER OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE FORCES."  
(Signed) ROBERT GORDON,  
Adjutant General.

" The Court pass the following Sentence."

" The Court having maturely considered the Evidence  
" for and Against the Prosecution, together with what  
" the Prisoner, Major N. M. Smyth, of the 1st Battalion  
" of the 14th Madras Native Regiment, has adduced on  
" his defence, are of Opinion, that he is not Guilty of the  
" Charges preferred Against him, and do therefore Fully  
" and Honorably acquit him of each, and of all the said  
" Charges."

" The Commanding Officer of the Forces approves and  
" Confirms the Sentence of the Court, and directs that  
" Major N. M. Smyth, may be immediately released from  
" his Arrest."

(Signed) " ROBERT GORDON,  
" Adjutant General."

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28th February 1809.

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Fort St. George, 24th February 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint  
Captain H. Townsend of the 6th Native Regiment, to be Major  
of Brigade with the Detachment under the Command of the  
Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Senteleger.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant P. Cameron is appointed Quarter Master of the 2d Regiment of Native Cavalry, vice Savery.

Ensign M. Master of the 2d Battalion 6th Native Regiment, is appointed Adjutant of that Corps, vice Hatherly.

Ensign Murcott is appointed Adjutant of the 2d Battalion of the 18th Native Regiment.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*For St. George, 26th February 1809:*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has sincere satisfaction in publishing the following Extracts of Letters, received from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger, reporting the distinguished and decisive successes obtained by the detachment under his orders, in the prosecution of the present operations in Travancore.

*Extract of a Letter from the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger to the Chief Secretary of Government, Dated Camp the 17th February '09.*

" I have the honor to inform you that in consequence of its  
" being well ascertained, that a large force of the enemy had  
" taken post at the villages of Cotar and Nagre Coil, I  
" yesterday made the following arrangements to dislodge and  
" disperse them from those villages, where they had made  
" every endeavour to render themselves capable of withstanding  
" the attack, which they naturally expected I should make."

" I ordered Lieutenant Colonel Macleod of His Majesty's  
" 69th Regiment, of whose ability, judgment and gallantry I  
" was well aware, to proceed in advance, with the Flank  
" Companies of His Majesty's 69th The whole of the detach-  
" ment from the 3d Ceylon Regiment under Lieutenant  
" Colonel Morrie—Three troops of Cavalry under Major  
" Nuthall, and the Flank Companies of the 1st and 2d  
" Battalions 3d Regiment Native Infantry and of the 1st  
" Battalion 13th Native Regiment, with a Company of  
" Pioneers under Lieutenant Patterson, accompanied by the  
" detachment

“ detachment of Royal Artillery, with the 6 Light Three  
 “ Pounders under Captain Bates, the Galleoer of the Cavalry,  
 “ and the Brigade of six-pounders attached to the 1st Battalion  
 “ 13th Regiment, forming in all a strong, and lightly  
 “ equipped detachment.”

“ I was prepared to expect every obstacle from the Country  
 “ thro’ which the detachment had to march, as well as, from  
 “ the uncommon strong, and advantageous position which the  
 “ enemy had occupied with a Battery in front, Commanding  
 “ entirely the entrance by which our troops must make the  
 “ attack, rendered if possible, more strong, by a river in front,  
 “ and thick impassible Country in the road—All these advantages  
 “ however were of little service to them—Their Lines were  
 “ attacked at day-light, under a heavy fire from the Battery,  
 “ and from Guns which opened in all directions, and were  
 “ gallantly carried after a sharp action—The village which is one  
 “ of the largest, and finest I have seen in *India*, was completely  
 “ scoured, and the enemy forced to retreat, in great confusion,  
 “ protected in a great measure by the strength of Country in  
 “ their rear.”

“ I cannot sufficiently dwell on the judgment displayed by  
 “ Lieutenant Colonel Macleod in the form of attack, and  
 “ gallantry of its execution, which must ever reflect on himself,  
 “ the highest credit, and on the detachment under his  
 “ Command.”

“ I cannot, as yet forward a correct List of the Killed and  
 “ wounded on our side—but from what has come to my  
 “ knowledge, it appears to be considerable in Numbers, altho’  
 “ small, when the strength of the enemy’s position is considered.”

“ I have received no report of the quantity of Cannon, which  
 “ fell into our hands, but I counted nine Pieces of Ordnance  
 “ myself, and have reason to believe the number to be much  
 “ greater.”

“ It was evidently the intention of the enemy, to make a  
 “ desperate Stand at this place, as the Dewan in person had  
 “ been present for two days, and only fled when it was known  
 “ that we were on the way to attack them—he is said to  
 “ have retreated to *Papanaverum*, or *Woodagherry*.”

"As the whole of the Troops have had severe fatigue it is my intention to halt here to-morrow, and then proceed in the direction of *Papanaverum*, and I trust by so doing, I am endeavouring to accomplish in a satisfactory manner, the objects which the Honorable the Governor in Council had in view."

"The loss of the enemy, I cannot attempt to specify, our's I am given to understand, amounts to about fifty killed and wounded, of which however by far the greater part are only slightly wounded."

"I cannot conclude, without again expressing the obligations I feel under to Lieutenant Colonel Macleod, and the detachment in advance, and indeed to the whole of the force under my Command, and I have to request you will Convey these my sentiments to the Honorable the Governor in Council."

"I feel myself much pleased with the Services of the Staff to the detachment; and I must not omit to mention, that Lieutenant Colonel Macleod has particularly specified the Services rendered to him by Captain Hodgson."

"My present encampment is situated in the midst of the enemy, which is extremely harassing to the Troops."

*Extract of a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger to the Chief Secretary of Government dated Camp the 19th February 1809.*

"I have great pleasure in submitting to you for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, the satisfactory intelligence of the British Flags, being now flying on both the Forts of *Woodagherry* and *Papanaverum*, and without a shot being fired—The gates were left open, the troops fled, and our flags hoisted in all directions."

"I am taking infinite pains to protect the Inhabitants from insult and the sacred places, from being even entered, and by such Conciliatory Conduct, I hope soon to be enabled to Convey the tidings of perfect tranquillity being established in *Travancore*."

"I, of course, attribute the desertion of the enemy to the action of *Cotar* and *Nagre Coil*, which by every account appears to have broken the spirit of the Dewan's party on this side entirely."

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The Governor in Council repeats to Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger, and to the Officers and Men under his orders, his warmest thanks for the activity, zeal, and bravery, which have signalized their operations. The Governor in Council has particular satisfaction in observing, the farther proof of Military skill and gallantry afforded by that distinguished and valuable Officer Lieutenant Colonel Macleod, of His Majesty's 69th Regiment, in the action of *Cotar and Nagre Coil*, which has been followed by events of a highly important nature.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 27th February 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Connell, to the charge of the temporary Field Hospital at *Jalna*, on an allowance of one hundred Pagodas per month, to take place from the 13th December last. Mr. Connell will do duty under the orders of the Superintending Surgeon of the Subsidiary Force at *Hyderabad*.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 28th February 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council appoints Lieutenant Colonel Munro, to resume the situation of Persian Translator at Head Quarters of the Army.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. BUCHAN,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

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1st March 1809.

Fort St. George, 1st March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Alexander Falconar to be Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George during the Absence of Mr. George Buchan on Public Duty.

The Honorable the Governor has also been pleased to appoint Captain G. E. Barlow to be His Acting Private Secretary during the Absence of Mr. George Buchan on Public Duty.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, SEC. TO GOVT.

By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.

3d March 1809.

Fort St. George, 2d March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish to the Army of this Presidency, the following Copy of a General Order issued at Fort William, by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.

**FORT WILLIAM, 30th January 1809.**

1.—The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has received the satisfactory Intelligence, that a Detachment of the Subsidiary Force of *Hyderabad*, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Doveton, consisting of a corps of Horse Artillery, two Regiments of Native Cavalry, and 12 companies of Native Infantry; employed in the province of *Candeish* in the pursuit of the predatory force of the Chiefs Mohiput Ram, Holkar, Wahid Alli Khan, and Daudin Khan, after a forced march of near 100 miles, having succeeded in surprizing the Enemy at the Fort of *Amulnair*, on the morning of the 29th Ultimo, effected the complete dispersion of their Troops, consisting of between 4 and 5000 Men, Cavalry and Infantry; captured the whole of their Guns, Baggage, and Camp Equipage and near 1000 Horse—The loss on the part of the Enemy is stated to have been very great; on the part of the British Detachment between 20 and 30 Men Killed and Wounded:

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2.—The Governor General in Council deems it proper on this occasion to express in the most public manner the high sense, which he entertains of the zeal, judgment, and activity manifested by Lieutenant Colonel Doveton, in planning and executing this arduous enterprize, and of the distinguished perseverance, exertion, and gallantry of the Officers and Troops under his command, in accomplishing a march of near 100 miles, in the space of 48 hours, and immediately attacking and defeating a superior force of the Enemy, whose depredations in the province of *Candeish* and in the territories of the Allies of the British Government, had so long disturbed the tranquillity of the *Dekhan*—and had rendered necessary a combined movement of Divisions of the Subsidiary forces of *Poona* and *Hyderabad*, under the general direction of Colonel Wallace, commanding the Subsidiary Force of *Poona*.

3.—His Lordship in Council has great satisfaction also in acknowledging on this occasion the judgment and professional ability, displayed by Colonel Wallace, in framing the plan of combined operation between the two Divisions of the Subsidiary Forces, which led to the brilliant achievement devised by Lieutenant Colonel Doveton, and executed under his personal command with such exemplary success.

*Published by order of the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council.*

(Signed) N. B. EDMONSTONE, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.  
*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 3d March 1809.*

G. O. By GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Appointments shall take place.

Major General Pater to the Command of the Northern Division of the Army.

Colonel Wilkinson to the Command of the Southern Division of the Army.

Colonel Croker to Command in the Ceded Districts.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

6th March 1809.

Fort St. George, 3d March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Peter Barclay of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Assistant to the Secretary to the Military Board, vice Lieutenant Balmain.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council:

(Signed) A. FALCONAR, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 3d March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs, that the following Arrangements and Appointments shall take place.

Major Hankey of His Majesty's 19th Regiment to act as Assistant Adjutant General to the Troops serving in Travancore.

Captain Cranstoun of the 2d Native Regiment to be Brigade Major to the Officer Commanding the Troops in Travancore.

Captain Robertson 4th Native Regiment to act as Commissary of Grain and Provisions.

Captain Clapham 4th Native Regiment to act as Paymaster.

Captain Cranstoun 2d Native Regiment to act as Superintendent of Bazaars.

Captain M'Intosh 1st Battalion of Artillery to act as Commissary of Ordnance and Stores.

The Force serving in Travancore under Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers being formed into two Brigades—Lieutenant Colonel Picton of his Majesty's 12th Regt. to command the 1st Brigade.

STAFF { Captain Birch 4th Native Regiment Major of Brigade.  
Ensign Jenkins of H. M. 12th Regiment Quarter  
Master of Brigade.

Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable ——— Stuart of His Majesty's 19th Regiment to command the 2d Brigade.

STAFF { Capt. Watts of H. M. 19th Regt. Major of Brigade.  
Lieutenant Elphinstone 2d Native Regiment Quarter  
Master of Brigade.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) A. FALCONAR, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.

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## HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 7th March 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following removals are ordered.

Lieutenant Colonel Durand from 8th to 2d Native Regiment and to 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Fletcher from 2d to 8th Native Regiment and to 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant H. S. Lee from 1st to 2d Bat. 21st Nat. Regt.

Lieutenant H. Tocker from 2d to 1st do. do. do.

Ensign J. Le Page from 1st to 2d do. 4th do.

Ensign Charles St. John Grant from 2d to 1st Bat. do. do.

Ensign George Heath from 2d to 1st Battalion 19th do.

Ensign Samuel Mansell from 1st to 2d do. do.

Cornet Raymond Williams is posted to the 7th Regiment Native Cavalry from 28th November 1808 and to rank in the Regiment next below Cornet Street.

Ensign Moberly is directed to do duty with the 2d Battalion 25th Native Regiment until further orders.

Captain J. L. Jones of Invalids has permission to reside and draw his pay at *Pondicherry*.

Mr. Surgeon Hans Gordon lately attached to the Zillah of *Angadipooram* is posted to the 4th Regiment Native Infantry and to join the 1st Battalion of that Regiment in *Travancore*, vice Cormick attached to the Honorable Company's Staff at *Chatterpore*.

Mr. Surgeon M'Andrew is appointed to the 2d Battalion 14th Native Regiment vice Rich.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Gillespie having been ordered by the Officer Commanding the forces serving in *Mysore* to proceed to *Chittledrog* for the purpose of affording medical aid to the Troops in that Garrison during the absence of Mr. Surgeon Foljambe, the appointment of Mr. Gillespie to that duty is confirmed.

The following Medical Appointments by the Officer Commanding in *Malabar* and *Kanara* are confirmed from 21st February 1809, viz.

Mr. Surgeon Marshall (of the Bombay Establishment) to afford medical aid to the troops serving at *Calicut*.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Croker to afford medical aid to the Detachment of Pioneers serving in *Malabar* and *Kanara*.

Mr. Dyer, Garrison Surgeon of *Tellicherry* to afford medical aid to the 2d Battalion 22d Native Regiment, during the absence of Mr. Surgeon Alexander, ordered on field service to *Cochin*.

Mr. Conductor Lionel is removed from the Gunpowder Manufactory at the Presidency to the Garrison of *Palamcottah*.

Conductors of Ordnance lately appointed, are stationed as follows.

L. Vanderholt, at *Gooly*.

James Thacker, at the Gunpowder Manufactory.

William Gore, at *Hullial*.

The following Promotions of Native Officers are ordered.

*1st Battalion 4th Native Regiment.*

Jemadar Venketram to be Subadar—and Havaladar Seid Emaan to be Jemidar—date of commissions 29th December 1808.

*1st Battalion 8th Native Regiment.*

Jemadar Jaloo to be Subadar—and Havaladar Major Shaik Anser to be Jemadar—date of commissions 6th January 1809.

*2d Battalion 25th Native Regiment.*

Jemadar Sheik Booraun to be Subadar—and Havaladar Sheik Buddun to be Jemadar—date of commissions 11th December 1808.

Private Soldier A. McKenzie of the 3d Garrison Company is promoted to Serjeant of Invalid Infantry.

Corporal Mathew Evers of Effective Supernumeraries is promoted to Serjeant and appointed to the 1st Battalion Pioneers.

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7th March 1809.

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Fort St. George, 3d March 1809.

G O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to admit the undermentioned Gentlemen as Assistant Surgeons on this establishment from the 12th Ultimo, in conformity with their Indentures.

Messrs John Nixon, Charles Jones, Adam Napier, and John Trebeck Conran.

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The Governor in Council permits Mr. Annesly, Garrison Surgeon of *Masulipatam* to proceed to *Hyderabad*, on leave of absence for two months; and Mr. Surgeon Cormick, doing duty with the Stud, to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for three months.

The Governor in Council is pleased, in compliance with the request of Major General Pater, to recal for the present, the leave of absence granted to that Officer.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

9th March 1809.

Fort St. George, 3d March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Resident at *Travancore*, in a despatch under date the 21st Ultimo, having communicated an account of the spirit and gallantry, with which a part of the British forces encamped at *Quilon*, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers, consisting of two columns, under the respective commands of Lieutenant Colonel Picton of His Majesty's 12th Regiment, and the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Stuart of His Majesty's 19th Regiment assaulted the batteries and works, erected by the Enemy in front of that position—and after having silenced and carried the batteries, captured seven guns; the Honorable the Governor in Council has great pleasure in recording, the high sense which he entertains of the skill and judgment evinced by Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers, in the arrangements made by him to secure the success of the attack upon the Enemy's position, and requests that Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers would convey to Lieutenant Colonel Picton, to the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Stuart and to the Officers and Men who served under them, the public thanks of the Honorable the Governor in Council, for their meritorious exertions on this occasion.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT

Fort



*Port St. George, 7th March 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The appointment of Captain Turner to command the 1st Battalion of Pioneers not having been made in conformity with the rules of the service, is annulled, and Captain Robert Hughes is nominated to that command.

Major John Vernon of the 6th Native Regiment is appointed to be Military Secretary to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief vice Hughes.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Port St. George, 7th March 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following promotion shall take place.

Mr. Cyrus E. Traupaud, Cadet for the Engineers or the Artillery, to be an Ensign of Engineers; date of rank to be determined hereafter.

Messrs. Alexander Craufurd and Alexander Cunningham Crichton, Cadets for the Engineers or the Artillery, to be Lieutenant Fireworkers—date of Rank to be determined hereafter.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, having reported Mr. John Sinclair to be qualified for the appointment provisionally conferred on him by the Honorable Court of Directors, to be a Cadet of Infantry on this Establishment as published in General Orders on the 6th July 1808 the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Mr. Sinclair be admitted as a Cadet accordingly.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign Hansard to retire from the Military Institution in compliance with his request.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Serjeant to be absent from his duty at the Dispensary for one month; and Cornet Irwin of the 5th Regiment of Native Cavalry to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence for six months, on private business.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*



13th March 1809.

Fort St. George, 10th March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Ensign Clubbe to resign the service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

Captain Alexander Grant of the 24th Regiment of Native Infantry, having reported his return from *England* with the certified permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, the return of that Officer is published accordingly.

The Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. Alexander Bell, Cadet of Infantry, to be an Ensign of Infantry, date of rank, to be fixed hereafter.

The Governor in Council in compliance with the request of Lieutenant Hatherly of the 6th Regiment of Native Infantry — recalls the leave granted to that Officer, to proceed to *England* on sick certificate, and permits him to proceed to sea, for the benefit of his health.

Lieutenant Roberts of the Artillery having been reported to be disqualified for effective duty, The Governor in Council has transferred that Officer to the Pensioned List, on the pay of his rank.

The Governor in Council directs that the Paymasters at the different stations, shall receive and sell by Public Auction, such cast horses and unserviceable mares as may be delivered to them for that purpose, under the authority of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,  
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 10th March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Certain Officers in the Military Department having applied for permission to frank such letters, as they may have occasion to despatch on the Public Service, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following directions for their information and guidance.

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The Commissary of Musters to the Kings Troops—His letters to be franked by the Town Major of *Fort St. George*, or by the Commanding Officer of the station from which they may be transmitted.

The Deputy Commissary of Musters in *Mysore*—His letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations from which they may be transmitted.

Military Chaplains—Their letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations to which they may belong.

Fort Adjutants—Paymasters of Family Certificates—and Commissaries of Ordnance and Stores—Their letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations to which they may belong; or by such Staff Officers at those Stations as may be authorized to frank letters on the Public Service.

Paymasters of His Majesty's Regiments—Their letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of those Regiments.

Barrack Masters—Their letters to be franked by the Commanding Officers of the Stations from which they may be transmitted; or by such Staff Officers at those Stations, as may be authorized to frank letters on the Public Service.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 10th March 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to abolish the appointment of Medical Register; and to direct, that the duties of that Office, be performed by the Secretary of the Medical Board, as formerly.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, that the former Register, and table of Register, as specified in G. G. under date the 5th January 1803, be again substituted, in the room of the present printed forms, which are ordered to be discontinued, from the 1st of April next.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

15th March 1809.

Fort St. George, 14th March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following appointments, to have effect from the 19th day of February last.

Captain Ahmuty Quarter Master of Brigade, to be Assistant Quarter Master General in *Travancore*.

Captain Ahston of His Majesty's 12th Regiment to command the Post and Depot at the Old Fortress of *Quilon*.

Lieutenant Brown of the 2d Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Adjutant to the details, stationed in the Old Fortress of *Quilon*.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Stock of the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment Native Infantry to afford medical aid to the details, stationed in the Old Fortress of *Quilon*—and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Maxwell of the *Bomlay* establishment to do duty with the 1st Battalion 4th Regiment, until further orders.

Captain Mears of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry and Lieutenant Ellwell of His Majesty's 12th Regiment to do duty with the details of His Majesty's 12th and 19th Regiments and of Native Infantry, selected to serve as Pioneers in *Travancore*.

Serjeant Lees of His Majesty's 12th Regiment to be Provost Serjeant in *Travancore*.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Colonel Croker lately appointed to the command of the *Ceded Districts*, to be absent from that duty for two months, on his private business.

Lieutenant Colonel Tredway Clarke is appointed President of the Committee for the adjustment of *Seringapatam* Prize Money, in the room of Lieutenant Colonel Corner returned to *England*.

Lieutenant Herbert of the 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry is appointed to act as Adjutant to that corps, and is permitted to draw the allowances of that situation, during the absence of Lieutenant Beaumont on Staff duty.

Lieutenant A. S. Douglas of the 21st Regiment Native Infantry having been employed on a Survey in the *Vizagapatam* District

District since the 1st of January, he is directed to continue on that duty, until further orders, and is permitted to draw a monthly allowance of 100 Rupees—in addition to the Pay and full batta of his rank while so employed, to commence from the 1st of January last.

Officers Commanding Native Corps are authorized to entertain such men as may be necessary and fit to keep up their Bands of Musicians complete to the establishment allowed by the Regulations, altho' the men may be supernumerary for a time, on the strength of their respective corps.

The men who may be entertained for this purpose are to be noted as such, in the monthly return, and muster rolls—until they fall within the establishment of their corps.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY, SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

**HEAD QUARTERS CHOULTRY PLAIN, 18th March 1809.**

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following Appointments and Removals are ordered, viz.

### **C O R P S O F A R T I L L E R Y.**

Lieutenant T. H. J. Hockley to the 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Fireworker T. H. Thoresby „ 1st „

„ „ Charles W. Black „ 2d „

„ „ A. Crawford „ 1st „

„ „ A. C. Crichton „ 2d „

#### **4th Native Regiment.**

Ensign Grant from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Ensign Le Page from 2d to 1st Battalion.

#### **8th Native Regiment.**

Lieutenant G. Muriel from 2d to 1st Battalion.

#### **13th Native Regiment.**

Ensign John Ross from 2d to 1st Battalion and

Ensign Richard Bullivant from 1st to 2d do.

#### **24th Native Regiment.**

Captain Alexander Grant from 1st to 2d Battalion and

Captain R. Hughes from 2d to 1st do.

Officers of Infantry doing duty with the Artillery are posted to Battalions, viz.

Lieutenant

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Lieutenant	D. Stewart,	1st
Ensign	H. Hine,	1st
"	H. Cazalet,	1st
"	H. Sargent,	2d
"	T. Stockdale,	2d
"	W. Strachan,	1st
"	W. Salmon,	2d
"	W. Derby,	2d
"	J. Wilson,	1st
"	J. Clemons,	
"	A. Russell,	1st
"	H. L. Harris,	2d
"	G. Skipp,	2d
"	G. Babington,	1st
"	R. Morison,	1st
"	Henry Carter,	2d
"	A. Bell,	1st

Officers lately promoted, to do duty as follows.

Ensign Low with the 1st Battalion 6th Native Regiment and  
Ensign N. McNeill with the 1st Battalion 20th Native Regiment.

Assistant Surgeons recently admitted on the establishment are directed to do duty as undermentioned, viz.

Mr. John Nixon—under the Garrison Surgeon of *Cuddalore*.

„ Charles Jones—do. Surgeon of the Madras European Regiment.

„ Adam Napier—do. Surgeon in Charge of the

„ John Trebeck Conran } Presidency General Hospital.

The following Medical appointments are confirmed from their respective dates.

By the Officer in charge of the Northern Division of the Army.—Of Mr. Surgeon Norman, to afford medical aid to two companies of the 1st Battalion 11th Native Regiment, Stationed at *Coringa* and *Nellapilly*, from 1st August 1808—and

By the Officer commanding the Troops in the *Ceded Districts*—of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Hunter, to relieve Mr. Surgeon M'Aiskill in the medical charge of the Garrison of *Gurramcondah*, from 22d August 1808.

Deputy



Deputy Judge Advocates are in future to furnish the Judge Advocate General, with copies of all Courts Martial held in their Divisions respectively, for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

The following Promotions are Ordered.

*3d Regiment Native Cavalry.*

*Date of Commissions.*

Havaldar Rhymol Cawn to be Jemadar, 5th February 1809.

*8th Regiment Native Cavalry.*

Jemadar Laul Mahomed to be Subadar—21st October 1808.

Serjeant G. Gibson of the 3d Garrison company is appointed a Sub-Conductor, and attached to the Arsenal of Fort St. George.

Private Anthony French of Effective Supernumeraries is promoted to Serjeant and placed under the orders of the Post Master General.

Gunner W. Beakly of the 3d Garrison Company is promoted to Serjeant of Invalid, and appointed Arrack Godown Serjeant at St. Thomas' Mount.

*20th March 1809.*

*Fort St. George, 14th March 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Lockhart the Commanding Officer of Pondicherry, to be absent from his Station on Leave for a Fortnight.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 17th March 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon George Baillie to be Superintending Surgeon in Malabar and Canara, vice Inglis Deceased.

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The Governor in Council permits Captain Tiebhorne of the 6th Regiment of Native Cavalry to proceed to Bengal on leave of Absence for Six Months from the date of his embarkation.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 17th March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Serjeant Major Payne of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to be Conductor of Stores and Ordnance from the 6th Instant, and to take Charge of that department at *Jadagherry in Travancore.*

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) G. STRACHEY,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 18th March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. H. Peile to be Secretary in the Military Department of Government.

Mr. W. Wayte to act as Secretary in the Military Department of Government till the Arrival of Mr. Peile.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

26th March 1809.

Fort St. George, 22d March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to confirm the Appointment of the Honorable L. G. K. Murray as Military Paymaster General.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort

*Fort St. George, 24th March 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish following Appointments in General Orders.

Captain Henry Munt of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to Agent for the purchase of remount Horses vice Captain David his resigned.

Captain Sutherland Macdowall of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry to be General Agent for Cavalry Supplies vice Munt. Captain Lieutenant T. H. S. Conway of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry to be Deputy Adjutant General of the Army vice Macdowall, with the Official Rank of Major.

Captain Charles Addison of the 2d Regiment Native Infantry to be Deputy Adjutant General to the *Hyderabad* Subsidiary Force vice Conway.

Lieutenant John Wilson of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry to be Assistant Adjutant General in the Northern Division of the Army vice Addison.

Lieutenant Andrew Walker of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry to be *Quartermaster* Camp to the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief vice Wilson.

Lieutenant Thomas Macleane of the Madras European Regiment to be Deputy Secretary to the Military Board, and Secretary to the Committee for the adjustment of the *Seringapatam* Prize Money, vice Stock.

Lieutenant Arthur Stock of the 4th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Fort Adjutant of *Vellore*, and Paymaster of Family Certificates at that Station vice Macleane.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 24th March 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain R. H. Fotheringham of the Engineers to the Ceded Districts in the room of Lieutenant Bradley.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowrie commanding the Army.*

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HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 25th March 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE COMMANDING THE ARMY.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, SEHARUNPORE, 10th JANUARY 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief is pleased to direct Major John Deputy Quarter Master General, King's Troops, to act as Adjutant General to His Majesty's Forces during the absence of Lieutenant Colonel Sir William Grant Keir, proceeding with a Division of the Army under the Command of Major General St. Leger.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

Adjutant General K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS. CAMP, KURNAUL, 2 FEBRUARY 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following promotion, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

33d Foot.

Ensign Daniel Macalpine, from the 17th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice O'Meara deceased, 1st January 1809.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

Acting Adjutant General K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS:

CHOULTRY PLAIN,

8th March 1809.

By order of Major General Gowdie,

(Signed) C. BURDETT,

B. M: K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 25th March 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following removals are Ordered.

6th Native Regiment.

Major Henry Evans from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Major J. R. Vernon from 2d to 1st ditto.

Lieutenant W. Tytler from 2d to 1st ditto.

5th

*8th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant C. Walker from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Lieutenants W. G. Page & J. L. Baker from 2d to 1st do.

*17th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant Thomas Roobuck from 1st to 2d Battalion.

*18th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenants J. P.inton & A. Aitkin from 2d to 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant G. J. freys from 1st to 2d ditto.

*20th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant H. Scot from 2d to 1st Battalion.

*21st Native Regiment.*

Captain Lieutenant J. Rimington from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Malton of the 13th Native Regiment is appointed to the 2d Battalion Pioneers, till further orders.

Captain Lieutenant Sharp lately ordered to do Duty with the Horse Artillery, is directed to join the Company of the 1st Battalion, to which he stands appointed.

The following Officers of Infantry are to do Duty with Battalions of Artillery, viz.

Ensign Salmon with the 1st Battalion and

Ensign Morison with the 2d Battalion.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Strachan is removed from the 2d Battalion 10th Native Regiment, and appointed to do Duty under the Surgeon of the General Hospital at the Presidency.

The following Promotions in the 2d Battalion 19th Native Regiment are ordered—Date of Commissions 1st January 1809.

Jemadar Hussain Khan to be Subadar.

Havaldar Major Vellah Idam, and

Havaldar Venketah Kistnah, to be Jemadars.

Individuals who have been brought before the Invaliding, &c. Committees lately held in the Northern Division of the Army are to be struck off the strength of their present Corps respectively on the 30th of April, and received on the Invalid or Pension Establishments the day following, agreeably to Extracts of those Proceedings, which will be furnished from the Office of the Adjutant General of the Army.

28th March 1809.

Fort St. George, 21st March 1809

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Hampton of the 1st Battalion 7th Regiment Native Infantry to withdraw his application for leave to proceed to *Bengal*.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Edward Barber, Captain of Infantry to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence for 12 Months.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

29th March 1809.

Fort St. George, 24th March 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having received information, which he deems to be Authentic, that Major General Dugald Campbell was placed upon the retired List of Colonels, by the Honorable the Court of Directors, on the 25th March 1808, in succession to Colonel Cromwell Massey; the Governor in Council directs, in consequence, that Major General Thomas Trent, the next Senior Colonel, shall be removed from the effective Strength of the Army, and placed on the retired List, in the room of Major General Collins deceased—on the 7th April 1808.

The Governor in Council having also received information of the death of Colonel Thomas Leighton, and Lieutenant Colonel John Darley, and of the retirement, from the Service, of Lieutenant Colonel William Cunningham, Lieutenant Benjamin Sydenham, and Lieutenant C. Domville, is pleased to publish the following Promotions, and Corrections of Rank, which have become necessary in consequence.

C A V A L R Y.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Cavalry Keith Macalister to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant vice Major General Campbell placed



placed on the retired List—date of Commission 26th March 1808; Senior Major of Cavalry James Rowles from the 3d Regiment, to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Macalister promoted—date of Commission 26th March 1808.

### 3d Regiment.

Senior Captain J. Russell to be Major, Captain Lieutenant C. Campbell to be Captain of a Troop, Lieutenant H. Mansford to be Captain Lieutenant, Cornet James Boyn to be Lieutenant, Cadet F. L. Doveton to be Cornet,—in succession to Rowles promoted; date of Commissions 26th March 1808.

### CORPS of ENGINEERS.

Senior Ensign Samuel Russell to be Lieutenant vice Sydenham retired,—date of Commission 14th July 1808.

### INFANTRY.

Senior Major of Infantry Mark Wilks from the 6th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Darley deceased—date of Commission 4th April 1808.

### 6th Native Regiment.

Senior Captain John Vernon to be Major, Captain Lieutenant James Hackett to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant F. P. to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Gilbert Scott to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Wilks promoted; date of Commissions, 4th April 1808.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry John Chalmers to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant vice Major General Trent placed on the Retired List—date of Commission 8th April 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry William Dowse from the 8th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Chalmers, date of Commission 8th April 1808.

### 8th Native Regiment.

Senior Captain James Colebrooke to be Major, Captain Lieutenant J. G. Bellingham to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Henry Davie to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign John Carr to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Dowse promoted; date of Commissions 8th April 1808.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry Alexander Dyce to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant vice Colonel Leighton deceased, date of Commission 23d May 1808.

Senior



Senior Major of Infantry Sir David Ogilby, *Kt.* from the 9th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Dyce, date of Commission 23d May 1808.

*9th Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain J. P. Keasberry to be Major, Captain Lieutenant R. Bye to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant A. McLeod to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign W. H. Rowley to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Ogilby promoted; date of Commissions 23d May 1808.

*24th Native Regiment.*

Ensign John R. Godfrey to be Lieutenant vice Domville resigned,—date of Commission 14th July 1808.

Ensign George Willoughby Dore to be Lieutenant vice Dunn deceased,—17th August 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry James Leith from the 21st Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Cunningham retired, date of Commission 14th July 1808.

*21st Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain Charles Farran to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Henry Bowdler to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant John Rimmington to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign John King to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Leith promoted; date of Commissions 14th July 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Patrick Bruce from the 18th Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Buchan deceased, date of Commission 19th August 1808.

*18th Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain E. Boardman to be Major, Captain Lieutenant W. F. Ackmore to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant H. E. Somerville to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Alexander Aitkin to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Bruce promoted; date of Commissions 19th August 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Strickland Kingston from the 22d Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Long retired, date of Commission 2d October 1808.

*22d Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain A. McIntosh to be Major, Captain Lieutenant C. Ferrier to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant J. T. Trewman

Trewman to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Edward Leigh to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Kingston promoted; date of Commissions 2d October 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Charles Trotter from the 25th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Baillie Invalided, date of Commission 2d October 1808.

*25th Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain C. Aldridge to be Major, Captain Lieutenant T. J. Palmer to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant S. S. Cummer to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign George Boys to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Trotter promoted; date of Commissions 2d October 1808.

Senior Lieutenant Colonel of Infantry Charles Corner to be Lieutenant Colonel Commandant, vice Colonel Wahab deceased, date of Commission 27th December 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Robert Barclay from the 11th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Corner, date of Commission 27th December 1808.

*11th Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain Donald M'Gregor to be Major, Captain Lieutenant H. W. Sale to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant John Simons to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Thomas Woolcock to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Barclay promoted; date of Commissions 27th December 1808.

Senior Major of Infantry Alexander Bryce from the 12th Native Regiment to be Lieutenant Colonel vice Orr retired, date of Commission 2d February 1809.

*12th Native Regiment.*

Senior Captain W. H. Vaughan to be Major, Captain Lieutenant George Cadell to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Edward Conry to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Hugh Reid to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Bryce promoted; date of Commissions 2d February 1809.

The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct that the following Promotions shall take place.

*17th Native Regiment.*

Captain Lieutenant James Wahab to be Captain of a company, Lieutenant John Lucas to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Hugh Douglas to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Reid deceased; date of Commissions 25th January 1809.

*20th Native Regiment.*

Captain Lieutenant James Waters to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant B. W. Lee to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign William Marshall to be Lieutenant,—in succession to Vincent deceased; date of Commissions 7th February 1809.

*2d Native Regiment.*

Ensign Robert Swyer to be Lieutenant vice Cole deceased,—date of Commission 1st March 1809.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 28th March 1809.*

*G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.*

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Batta and other Allowances for March, and the Pay for April, of the Troops at the Presidency, and the other Stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 6th of April, and on the following Days.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

*30th March 1809.*

*Fort St. George, 24th March 1809.*

*G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.*

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Connell to be Staff Surgeon to the Detachment serving in Berar.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Foulis of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry to proceed to Europe on Furlough.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort*

18081 March 26th Fort St. George, 26th March 1809.

**G. O. By Government.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Ensign A. Bell of the 1st Battalion of Artillery to withdraw his application for leave to proceed to Sea.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Downes of the 11th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to sea for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council directs that the following Promotions and Appointment shall take place.

**10th Native Regiment.**

Senior Captain David C. Kenny to be Major, Captain Lieutenant Thomas Smithwhite to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant W. Henry Loftie to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign W. Henry Ridding to be Lieutenant, —in succession to Whitley deceased, date of Commission 20th March 1809.

Lieutenant Henry Walab to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion 19th Native Regiment vice Loftie promoted.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 30th March 1809.

**G. O. By Government.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain Grant, Major of Brigade to the Officer Commanding the Artillery, to proceed to Bombay on leave of Absence for five Months; and directs that Captain Lieutenant Pearse, of the 2d Battalion Artillery officiate as Major of Brigade during the absence of Captain Grant.

The Governor in Council permits Ensign Colebrook of the 1st Battalion 22d Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Trincomalie on leave of absence for three Months; and Lieutenant Warburton of the 2d Battalion 7th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Bombay on leave of absence for four Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.

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## HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 1st April 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following appointments and removals are ordered.

Lt. Col. Comdt. Alexander Dyce is posted to the 6th Nat. Regt.  
 „ „ Charles Corner „ „ 8th „ „  
 „ „ Patrick Bruce „ „ „ „  
 „ „ Strickland Kingston } „ „ Mad. Eur. Regt.  
 „ „ Charles Trotter „ „ 1st Bat. 20th N. R.  
 „ „ Robert Barclay „ „ 2d „ 12th „ „  
 „ „ Alexander Bryce „ „ 2d „ 16th „ „  
 „ „ Major D. M'Gregor „ „ 1st „ 11th „ „  
 „ „ W. H. Vaughan „ „ 1st „ 12th „ „  
 „ „ E. Boardman „ „ 1st „ 18th „ „  
 „ „ D. C. Kenny „ „ 2d „ 19th „ „  
 „ „ A. Mackintosh „ „ 1st „ 22d „ „  
 „ „ C. Aldridge „ „ 1st „ 25th „ „  
 „ „ 12th Native Regiment.

Captain Campbell is removed from 1st to 2d Battalion.

17th Native Regiment.

Captain Mears is removed from 2d to 1st Battalion,

Lientenant Bertram „ „ 1st to 2d ditto.

19th Native Regiment.

Captain Smithwaite is removed from 2d to 1st Battalion.

24th Native Regiment.

Lientenant Charlesworth is removed from 2d to 1st Battalion.

Lientenant Roberts of the Pension Establishment has permission to reside and draw his Pay at *Masulipatam*.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Rich having been permitted to decline the appointment of Medical Officer at *Pondicherry* is posted to the 2d Battalion 14th Native Regiment, and Mr. Assistant Surgeon M'Andrew lately attached to that Corps is removed to the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment N. I.

The appointment by the Officer Commanding *Trichinopoly* of Mr. Garrison Surgeon Tait to afford Medical aid to a Detachment of the 2d Battalion 24th Native Regiment at that Station from the 14th of February last is confirmed.

The following appointments by the Honorable Lientenant Colonel Sentleger Commanding a Detachment in *Travancore* are confirmed from their respective dates.

Mr.



Mr. Assistant Surgeon Currie to be considered as having had Medical charge of all the Details at *Oodagherry* from 21st of February, and of a Detachment of the 1st Battalion 3d Native Regiment from 17th March 1809.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Atkinson to afford Medical aid to the Detachment of Royal Artillery from the 14th of March 1809.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Simson to take Medical charge of the Detachment of the 2d Battalion 16th Native Regiment from 1st March 1809.

The following appointments in Native Corps are ordered.

*4th Native Regiment—1st Battalion.*

Jemidar Venketram to be Subidar, and Havildar Sied Emaum to be Jemidar; date of Commission 29th December 1808.

*18th Native Regiment—2d Battalion.*

Jemidar Khadir Khan to be Subidar, and Havildar Lallamiah to be Jemidar; date of Commission 4th February 1809.

Under sanction of the Honorable the Governor in Council it is hereby directed that on all occasions of the Corps of Horse Artillery or Detachments therefrom being in the Field, one Horsekeeper shall be allowed to each Horse so employed, the present Establishment is however to be continued while in Cantonment or Garrison.

**5th April 1809.**

*Fort St. George, 31st March 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The names of Lieutenant Gore Commanding the light Company of the 1st Battalion of the 3d Regiment, and Ensign Meredith attached to the Grenadiers of that Corps, having been accidentally omitted in the letter from Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable A. St. Leger dated the 10th ultimo, enclosing a list of the Officers who accompanied the detachment employed in the escalade of the lines at Arambooly; the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in publishing to the Army the names of Lieutenant Gore and Ensign Meredith, whose conduct is equally entitled to that public approbation, by which he has



had great pleasure in marking his sense of the gallant exertion of all the other Officers engaged in that arduous enterprise.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 1st April 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

Late occurrences in the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment which have been brought to the notice of Major General Gowdie, have induced a careful and attentive consideration of the circumstances which gave rise to them in October 1808—and of the subsequent unnecessary and highly ungenerous and improper obtrusion of them upon the notice of the late Commander in Chief in 1808—rendered so, not only by the long period which had elapsed since the transaction, and it having been improperly and amicably adjusted at the time, under the sanction of the Commanding Officer, but from it's having been on that account pointedly rejected from public discussion by Lieutenant General Sir John Cradock.

The revival of this subject on the present occasion by Lieutenant Inglis of the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment, has occasioned a review of events which ought to have been for ever forgotten—and induced Major General Gowdie thus publicly to convey his censure to Lieutenant Inglis, for conduct so improper.

Lieutenant General Macdowall tho' he forbore from commenting on the conduct of Lieutenant Bell in forcing the matter upon his observation in 1808, has recorded his dissent from the inference drawn by him of malice in the conduct of his Commanding Officer, to prove which, it had been introduced—and this forbearance of His Excellency, instead of being viewed as a rebuke, when every other point in two letters from Lieutenant Bell was noticed, seems to have encouraged Lieutenant Inglis to suppose it might be again discussed to suit any present purpose—Major General Gowdie therefore will not permit the charge to be tried, which Lieutenant Inglis has preferred under date 14th March 1809—against Captain Hay; whose conduct in no respect has merited the obloquy of arrest and trial, to which

a factious prosecution would subject him, considering it disrespectful to that authority to which it had been previously submitted. — Lieutenant General Macdowall by ordering a Court of Enquiry to investigate one point of complaint in July last, sufficiently evinced his anxiety for the honor of Individuals of the Army, and Lieutenant Inglis might with safety have left to His Excellency's judgment to decide, whether any imputation had been cast on Captain Hay, disreputable, either to him individually, or to the Corps at large.

On the subject of the additional Charge which has been preferred, Major General Gowdie is of opinion, that the conduct of Captain Hay was proper and respectful to the Officer Commanding the Force, who had reprimanded Lieutenant Inglis for an expression totally unjustified by the facts, on the instant of its being used.

By any other line of conduct, Captain Hay would have incurred the highest disrepute of the Officer Commanding the Army, to whom it does not appear, that preferring a military charge upon such grounds was at all necessary for the purpose assigned by the Officers of the Corps—viz. "to establish that character they expect every Officer in the Corps will support and maintain."

Captain Hay has stated, what remains uncontradicted, that some of those Officers who have concurred in this charge, did remain on friendly terms with him during five months afterwards, and never in any way marked their disapprobation of his conduct—which circumstance is, by no means satisfactorily accounted for, by Captain Hay's being in charge of the Corps, which the conduct of Lieutenants Bell and Inglis has shewn to have been a slight restraint upon their accusations.

Major General Gowdie has deemed it necessary to submit the circumstances to Government, and under that authority to announce, that Lieutenant Inglis is removed from the Adjutancy of the 2d Battalion 10th Regiment.

The following removals are to take place immediately.

Lieutenant Colonel Innes from the 1st Battalion 16th, to 2d Battalion 10th Native Regiment, and Lieutenant Colonel Grant from 2d Battalion 10th to 1st Battalion 16th Native Regiment.

Lieutenants Inglis and Bell from the 2d to the 1st Battalion and Lieutenants Morrill and Jourdan from the 1st to the 2d Battalion, 10th Regiment.

7th April 1809.

Fort St. George, 4th April 1809.

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Appointments be published in General Orders.

Lieutenant Morrill 10th Regiment Native Infantry to be Adjutant of the 2d Battalion of that Corps, vice Inglis from the 1st April 1809.

Captain Thomas Douglas of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry to act as Quarter Master of Brigade to the Forces under Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage and to draw the usual allowances from the 31st January 1809.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 7th April 1809.

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Forbes of His Majesty's 80th Regiment to Command in the Provinces of Malabar and Canara.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTREY PLAIN, 10th April 1809.**

**G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.**

The following Removals are ordered.

Lieutenant Colonel Lang from the 6th to the 11th Native Regiment, 2d Battalion; and Lieutenant Colonel Wilks from the latter, to the 1st Battalion of the former Regiment.

*4th Native Regiment.*

Captain Duggan from the 2d to the 1st Battalion,

*18th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant Hume M'Kenzie from 2d to 1st Battalion and Lieutenant J. S. Fraser from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Mr.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon S. Riviere from the 13th Native Regiment to the 2d Battalion Pioneers, and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Atkinson (now doing duty with the 2d Battalion Pioneers) is posted to the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment Native Infantry.

Quarter Master Serjeant Philip Norberry of the 2d Battalion 19th Regiment is removed to the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment and appointed Serjeant Major of that Corps.

Private Soldier Walter Francis of effective Supernumeraries is promoted to Serjeant, and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant of the 2d Battalion 19th Native Regiment.

Native Officers are promoted as follows.

*9th Native Regiment—2d Battalion.*

Jemadar Shaik Sellar to be Subadar and Havaladar Moorad Cawn to be Jemadar, date of Commission 13th March 1809.

Subadar Narrain Sawmy formerly of the 2d Madras Battalion of Native Infantry and now received from His Majesty's 2d Ceylon Regiment, is re-admitted upon this Establishment as a Subadar and appointed to the 2d Battalion 25th Native Regiment, date of Commission 1st April 1809.

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOLTRY PLAIN, 11th April 1809.**

**G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE COMMANDING THE ARMY.**

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, are published for the general information of the Army.

**HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, DOWLTPORE, 12th JANUARY 1809.**

**GENERAL ORDERS.**

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

*34th Foot.*

Serjeant Major Charles Stewart to be Quarter Master, vice Furse removed to 8th Veteran Battalion, 1st January 1809.

*67th Foot.*

Ensign William Rowan to be Lieutenant, vice Wyse deceased, 31st August 1808.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

Adjutant General K. T.

HEAD

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 16TH FEBRUARY 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

*8th Light Dragoons.*

Cornet Thomas Fearon from the 24th Light Dragoons to be Cornet without purchase, vice Brett promoted, 16th Feb. 1809.

*24th Light Dragoons.*

C. J. Allingham, Gent. to be Cornet without purchase, vice Thomas Fearon removed to the 8th Light Dragoons, 16th February 1809.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 20TH FEBRUARY 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Lieutenant Charles Dudingston of His Majesty's 17th Foot has The Commander in Chief's leave to proceed to *Europe* for the recovery of his health, and to be absent on that account for twelve months from the date of his embarkation.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 28TH FEBRUARY 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Nice of His Majesty's 53d Foot has The Commander in Chief's leave to proceed to the *Cape of Good Hope*, and eventually to *Europe*, for the benefit of his health, and to be absent on that account for 12 months from the date of his embarkation.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 2D MARCH 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Lieutenant P. Cockburn of His Majesty's 22d Foot has The Commander in Chief's leave to proceed to *Europe* on his private affairs and to be absent on that account for twelve months from the date of his embarkation.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD



HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 3d MARCH 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Lieutenant Robinson of His Majesty's 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment of Foot has The Commander in Chief's permission to proceed to *Europe* for the recovery of his health, and to be absent on that account for twelve months from the date of his embarkation.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

Acting Adjutant General K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 4th MARCH 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

8th Light Dragoons.

Nathaniel Sneyd, Gent. to be Cornet, vice John King deceased, 17th February 1809.

67th Foot.

George Yates, Gent. to be Assistant Surgeon, vice Logan deceased, 1st February 1809.

80th Foot.

Ensign T. L. Colt to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice St. George promoted, 18th January 1809.

The Commander in Chief is pleased to confirm the 12 months leave of absence granted by His Excellency Lieutenant General Macdowall, to Captain Coningham of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons, to proceed to *Europe* for the recovery of his health.

Lieutenant John Ralston of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons has The Commander in Chief's permission to proceed to *Europe* on his private affairs, and to be absent on that account for twelve months from the date of his embarkation.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

Acting Adjutant General K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS:

CROULTRY PLAIN,

8th April 1809.

} By order of Major General Gowdie.

(Signed) C. W. BURDETT,

B. M. K. T.

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13th April 1809.

Fort St. George, 4th April 1809.

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council confirms the permission granted to Lieutenant and Adjutant Bowen of the 2d Battalion 22d Regiment Native Infantry, to proceed to Sea for the benefit of his health.

The Governor in Council directs that the following Promotions shall take place.

*8th Regiment Native Cavalry.*

Senior Cadet of Cavalry Robert Gordon, to be Cornet, vice Robinson, Deceased; date of Rank 14th February 1809.

**CORPS of ARTILLERY.**

Senior Lieutenant Fireworker C. R. McCausland to be Lieutenant vice Roberts, removed to the Pensioned Establishment, Date of Rank 11th March 1809.

The Governor in Council confirms the appointment of Mr. Surgeon Cordiner to the Charge of the European and Native Sick in the Field Hospital at Palamcottah.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACT. SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 11th April 1809.

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Ensign Alexander Gordon of the Madras European Regiment to do duty with the Escort of the Resident at Nagpoor until the pleasure of the Governor General in Council shall be known.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Cowdie, Commanding the Army.*

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 15th April 1809.**

**G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL COWDIE.**

The following Removals are ordered to take place, viz.

*Corps*

**CORPS of ARTILLERY.**

Lieutenant Colonel Clarke from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel John Bell from 2d to 1st Ditto.

**INFANTRY.**

Colonel Robert Croker from 15th N. Regiment to Madras European Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel Commandant A. Taylor from M. E. Regiment to 15th N. Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel James Innes from 10th N. Regiment to M. E. Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel S. Kingston from M. E. Regiment to 2d Battalion 10th Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel M. Wilks from 6th N. Regiment to 2d Battalion 12th Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel R. Barclay from 12th N. Regiment to 1st Battalion 6th Regiment.

15th Native Regiment.

Captain J. Campbell from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Captain J. Turner from 2d to 1st do.

Lieutenant Boyce Coombe of the 2d Battalion 2d Native Regiment at present doing duty with the 1st Battalion is permitted to join the Battalion to which he stands appointed.

Major Brice's Appointment, of Mr. Surgeon James to afford Medical Aid to the 2d Battalion 24th Native Regiment from the 9th Instant, during the absence from Indisposition of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mitchell is confirmed.

The Officer Commanding the Travancore Subsidiary Force having appointed Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mickle to the Medical Charge of the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment from the 1st Instant; that appointment is hereby confirmed.

The appointments made by the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Kanara, in an Order dated 24th March 1809, of which the following is an Extract are hereby confirmed.

" Mr. Surgeon Alexander having afforded Medical aid to the  
" sick and wounded left in Hospital at Cochin, and the  
" Detachments from different Corps doing duty there since  
" the 6th Instant, is authorised to draw pay for a Native  
" dresser and two Totties, in conformity to the Regulations of  
" the Service."

" The services of Mr. Surgeon Alexander not being required  
" any longer at Cochin, he will be pleased to return to

*Tellicherry.*

" *Tellicherry* and resume Medical Charge of the 2d Battalion  
 " 22d Regiment."

" Mr. Surgeon Dickson 1st Battalion 17th Regiment will  
 " afford Medical aid to the Men in Hospital at *Cochin* and  
 " the Detachment from different Corps stationed there."

The following Promotion is Ordered.

*5th Regiment Native Cavalry.*

Havaladar Abdul Rhyman to be Jemidar,—date of Commission 29th March 1809.

*16th April 1809.*

*Fort St. George, 7th April 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following appointments shall place.

Mr. Surgeon Betty to be Garrison Surgeon at *Vizagapatam*:

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Spiers to be Medical Officer at *Pondicherry*, vice Rich permitted to resign.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chalmers to do duty in the Garrison of *Raiacottah* vice Spiers.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,  
 ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 14th April 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Captain Lee of His Majesty's 1st or Royal Regiment to Command at *Poonamallee* in the absence of Major Austin, on Duty at *Hyderabad*.

The Governor in Council appoints Lieutenant Bullman of the 2d Battalion 11th Regiment Native Infantry to be Fort Adjutant and Paymaster of Family Certificates at *Vellore*, vice Stock permitted to resign.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,  
 ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

17th April 1809.

Fort St. George, 14th April 1809.

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders the following distribution of Off-reckonings for the Year 1805-6 and to direct that the amount of the balances remaining to be paid; shall be issued in 8 per Cent Certificates of this Government with the exception of those under the sum of One hundred Pagodas, which are to be paid in Cash :—The Governor in Council is also pleased to direct, that the amount of the sum overdrawn shall be immediately recovered, according to the Bonds of Indemnity granted by the respective Officers and lodged with the Military Paymaster General.

**DISTRIBUTION**

# Distribution of Off- reckonings for the Year 1805-6.

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## GENERAL FUND.

Total Amount of Stoppages from the Effective Cavalry, Artillery and Infantry on the regular Establishment and from the European and Native Invalids as Composed by the Military Auditor General,.....	867	18	35	1,40,373	13	40
Value of Cloathing of former Years supplied for 1805-6 and consequently Chargeable to that Year, .....	1,353	40	48			
Half Mounting as Estimated from the Strength of Corps, ...	1,684	35				
Compensation paid in lieu of Cloathing to Casuals,.....		4	69			
Cost of Cloathing supplied after deducting Pagodas 1509 6 <sup>6</sup> :	70,619					
Surplus and Chargeable to the accounts of the General Fund of 1806-7 including all contingencies,.....						
Amount payable to the Town Major of Fort Saint George from Profits of Invalid Cloathing,.....	3,000					

( 100 )



The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce, Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4 and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808, .....

1,234

37

Total Surplus to be thrown into the General Fund in Bengal,...

78,756 9 32  
61,617 4 8

# NATIVE INVALID FUND.

The sum deducted from the Off-reckoning Profits of the Invalids is allotted to Captain F. Thompson a Town Major of Fort St. George from 1st January to 31st December 1805,...

Amount of each share.	Amount already received on account.	Balance to be paid.	Amount over-drawn to be refunded.
3,000	3,000	5	5
3,000	3,000	5	5
Total, 3,000	3,000	5	5



# **SQUADRON OF HORSE ARTILLERY.**

**Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation,.....**  
 DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

**Half Mounting as per Estimate formed on the Strength of the Corps,.....**

**Agent's Charges for Cloathing supplied,.....**

The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce  
 Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4 and 5, as also  
 the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as  
 a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of Go-  
 vernment under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808,....

**Balance to be allotted to Captain Noble Commanding,**

## **1ST EXTRA BATTALION.**

**Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation for six }  
 Months,.....**

DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

**Agent's Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies,.....**

The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce  
 Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4 and 5, as also  
 the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath  
 as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of  
 Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808,....

**Balance to be allotted to Captain N. M. Smith,**

.....	1435	31	40
66	7		
616	22	75	6
		32	
13			
.....	595	29	753
.....	740	1	14
.....			82

.....	979		
621	14		
6	36		
.....	629	36	14
.....	349	1	835

### 2<sup>d</sup> EXTRA BATTALION.

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation for six

Months.....  
DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

Agent's Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies.....  
Half Mounting to 1 Serjeant paid.....  
The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce  
Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4, and 5, as also the  
difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Mem-  
ber of the Off-reckoning Committee, agreeably to the orders of Government  
under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808.....

633	998
1	33
10	70
40	
9	
—	643
—	10
—	40
—	35
—	73
—	30

Balance to be allotted to Captain J. Wilson,

### 3<sup>d</sup> EXTRA BATTALION.

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation for six

Months.....  
DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

Agent's Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies.....  
The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce  
Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4, and 5, as also the  
difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C. Heath as a Mem-  
ber of the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of Government  
under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808.....

631	996
33	18
9	
—	640
—	35
—	73
—	30

Balance to be allotted to Captain A. Grant,



Balance to be divided, ...	343 42 30
Captain C. Armstrong from 1st January to 15th March.....	143 13 66
Captain I. De Morgan from 16th March to 30th June 1805.....	200 28 14

## 6TH EXTRA BATTALION.

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation for six Months.....

DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

Agent's Charges for Cloathing including all Contingencies.....  
 The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce }  
 Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4, and 5, as also the }  
 Difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain O. Heath as a Mem- }  
 ber of the Off-reckoning Committee, agreeably to the orders of Government }  
 under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808.....

.....	1037 6 "
657 37 "	
9 10 "	
667 2 "	
376 4 "	

PAGODAS

Amount of each share	Amount already received on account.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be refunded.
370 4 1	418 1 1	1 1 1	47 4 1

Captain C. Farrar.....

## TANJORE PROVINCIAL BATTALION.

Amount of Stoppages as calculated by the Military Auditor General.

DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

Cloathing of 1804-5, Supplied to claimants of 1805-6, and Chargeable to the account of this year.

Compensation paid in lieu of Cloathing to casuals as per Vouchers.

Agent's Charges for Cloathing supplied including all Contingencies.

The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4, and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batia granted to Captain C. Smith, as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the order of Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808.

1800	1801	1802	1803	1804	1805	1806	1807	1808
140	28	57	38	72	12	4	1	8
1242	1	8	3					
17								
1544	37	37	32					
435	7	22	6					

PAGODAS.

Amount of each share.	Amount ready received on account.	Balance to be paid.	Amount overdrawn to be funded.
4351 7/22	11956 1	11591 7/58	

Balance allotted to Captain John Butler Commanding.



1st BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation.....	1907	60
DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS, 1907-08		
Clothing surplus of 1801-2, issued to casuals for 1803-6 and Chargeable to the account of that year.....	198 19	55
Half amounting to 1 Serjeant paid.....	1 10	40
Compensation paid in lieu of Clothing.....	13 24	13
Agent's Charges for Clothing including all Contingencies.....	490 44	68
The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major Pierce Agent for Clothing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4, and 5, as also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain O. Heath, as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th February 1808.....	17	3
Balance to be divided.....	714 9	3
Amount ready received on account.....	1255 43	57
Balance to be refunded.....		
Amount of each share.....		
74 12 28		
1181 31 29		
1196 10 78		
1196 10 78		
1255 43 57		
TOTAL PAGOES		14 24 49

To Captain W. Heitland from 1st to 22d January 1805. ...  
 To Captain E. B. Bagshaw from the 23d January to 31st December 1805.....

## 2d BATTALION PIONEERS.

Amount of Stoppages as per Military Auditor General's Computation.....

DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

Half mounting to Sergeants.....  
 Compensation paid in lieu of Cloathing to casuals.....  
 Agent's Charges for Cloathing supplied including all Contingences.....  
 The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major  
 Pierce Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4, and 5,  
 as also the difference between half and full Battia granted to Captain C.  
 Heath as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee, agreeably to the  
 orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th Fe-  
 bruary 1808.....

Balance remaining to be allotted to Captain J. Fitzpatrick, Commanding }  
 for the whole year.....

## STORE AND TENT LASCARS.

Amount of Stoppages as stated by the Military Auditor General's Computation.....

DEDUCT AS FOLLOWS.

Agent's Compensation paid to Casuals.....  
 Agent's Charges for Cloathing supplied.....

.....	.....	2131	1
828	40	"	"
3	"	"	"
828	44	58	
19	"		
		859	28
		1,271	17
		62	
		PAGODAS.	

.....	.....	3378	6
5	12	"	"
2946	3	67	

The proportion of the Amount of the Remuneration granted to Major  
Pierce, Agent for Cloathing the Army for the Years 1802, 3, 4, and 5,  
is also the difference between half and full Batta granted to Captain C.  
Heath as a Member of the Off-reckoning Committee agreeably to the  
orders of Government under date the 11th April 1807, and 19th Fe-  
bruary 1808.....

30

"

"

2981 15

67

Surplus at the disposal of Government.....

Pagoda 3

396 35

13

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

22d April 1809.

Fort St. George, 14th April 1809.

## G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

Lieutenant M. Riddell of the 7th Regiment of Madras Native Cavalry having been permitted by the Honorable the Governor in Council of *Bombay*, to proceed to *England* for the recovery of his health, the Furlough of that Officer is confirmed.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 14th April 1809.

## G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Promotions shall take place.

## 4th Native Regiment.

Captain Lieutenant W. M'Donald Robertson to be Captain of a Company, Lieutenant Benjamin Baker to be Captain Lieutenant, Ensign Thomas Walker to be Lieutenant, in succession to *Rich Deceased*; Date of Commissions 1st April 1809.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief having reported the Undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets of Artillery and Infantry to be qualified for Promotion, The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that they be promoted accordingly.

## ARTILLERY.

Messrs. Frederick Derville . . . . .	} To be Lieutenant Fire- workers, Date of Rank to be Settled hereafter.
Henry Stewart . . . . .	
Henry Head Gore . . . . .	
A. L. Murray . . . . .	
Thomas Nelson . . . . .	

## INFANTRY.

Messrs. George Cox . . . . .	} To be Ensigns; date of Rank to be Settled hereafter.
John J'Anson . . . . .	
Charles Hakewill . . . . .	
John Myers . . . . .	
N. Spence . . . . .	
P. Corbett . . . . .	
R. Shanahan . . . . .	
D. Montgomerie . . . . .	
John Watson . . . . .	
D. C. Stewart . . . . .	

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The Governor in Council further directs that the following  
 Corrections of Rank be published in General Orders

To be Ensigns.

Date of Rank.

Messrs. R. V. Carwardine.....	4th April 1809
N. L. Austin.....	9th " "
Alexander McClelland.....	4th May " "
Henry Wynne Poole.....	20th " "
George Worthy.....	23d " "
Richard Williams.....	4th Jan. " "
James Cleland.....	13th " "
Henry Alexander Thompson.....	23d " "
James Brodie.....	2d July " "
Samuel Mansell.....	5th " "
Charles Charlesworth.....	14th " "
Henry Cazelett.....	14th " "
James Scott.....	19th " "
Andrew Grant.....	3d August " "
William Stokoe.....	17th " "
John B. Berrie.....	19th " "
Alexander Tweedie.....	21st " "
C. Bagot.....	22d " "
Henry Serjeant.....	27th " "
Marshall Clarke.....	28th " "
John Todd.....	4th Sept. " "
Henry Allen.....	9th " "
Henry Harrison.....	2d October " "
J. W. Cleaveland.....	2d " "
Andrew Hendrie.....	5th " "
T. R. Stockdale.....	12th " "
Joseph Anthony.....	19th " "
William Herring.....	21st " "
William Strahan.....	10th Dec. " "
Thomas Thuillier.....	29th " "
John Peake.....	2d Feb. 1809.
L. Macdowall.....	7th " "
Henry Carter.....	24th " "
Avery Truman.....	1st March " "
Henry Rice King.....	7th " "
Robert Frew.....	20th " "
Harry Salmon.....	1st April " "

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. WATTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort



Port St. George, 18th April 1809.

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Appointments.

Lieutenant Powell of His Majesty's 30th Regiment of Foot to be Brigade Major to Colonel Wilkinson in Charge of the Southern Division of the Army and to draw the usual Allowances from the 1st Instant.

Lieutenant H. S. Hall to be Adjutant to the 2d Battalion 4th Regiment Native Infantry vice Baker promoted.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SECY TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 22d April 1809.**

**G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.**

Officers promoted in the Corps of Artillery by Government General Order dated 14th Instant are posted to Battalions as follows.

Lieut. Fireworkers Frederick Derville to 1st Battalion.

“ Henry Stuart..... 1st “

“ H. H. Gore..... 2d “

“ A. L. Murray..... 2d “

“ Thomas Nelson..... 2d “

Ensigns Clemons and Carter doing duty with the Artillery, are removed from 2d to 1st Battalion of that Corps.

The undermentioned Ensigns of Infantry lately promoted are posted to Regiments, viz.

Ensign W. Strahan to 19th Native Regiment and to 1st Battalion.

“ T. Thuillier..... 24th “ 1st “

“ J. Peake..... 11th “ 1st “

“ L. M'Dowall..... 12th “ 2d “

“ Henry Carter..... 4th “ 2d “

“ Avery Trueman..... 16th “ 1st “

“ Henry Rice King.. 19th “ 2d “

“ R. Frew A..... 23d “ 1st “

“ Harry Salmon..... 5th “ 2d “

Ensigns promoted by the above mentioned Government Order to whom no date of Rank has yet been assigned, are attached to and ordered to do duty with Corps as follows.

Ensign

	Bat.	N. R.
Ensign G. Cox.....	1st	20th
" J. J. Anson.....	1st	20th
" C. Hakewill.....	2d	25th
" J. Myers.....	2d	25th
" N. Spence.....	1st	6th
" P. Corbett.....	1st	6th
" R. Shanahan.....	2d	8th
" D. Montgomerie.....	2d	8th
" John Watson.....	2d	11th
" D. C. Stuart.....	2d	11th

Ensign Noble of the 15th Native Regiment is removed from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant J. Gibson of the Madras European Regiment, Prisoner of War on Parole, is permitted to reside at *Jaulnah* until regularly exchanged.

Assistant Surgeon L. G. Ford is removed from 1st to 2d Battalion 10th Native Regiment and Assistant Surgeon Conwell doing duty at present with the 1st Battalion 10th Regiment is posted to that Corps.

The following Medical Appointments are confirmed from their respective Dates.

By the Officer Commanding *Trichinopoly*—of Mr. Surgeon Tait to the Medical Charge of 2d Garrison Company from the 14th Instant.

By the Officer Commanding the Forces in *Mysore*—Of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Gillespie to afford Medical aid to Detachments of the 1st Battalion 15th Regiment at the Posts of *Hurryhur*, *Paughurr* and *Sera* from 10th February 1809.

By the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Senterger—Of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Haines to afford Medical aid to the Detachment of 2d Battalion 6th Regiment at *Arambooly* from 10th March 1809.

The period of Suspension from Rank and Pay for 6 Months, awarded by the Sentence of a Native General Court Martial, to Jemadar Soobroyah of the 2d Battalion 24th Native Regiment being completed—that Officer is ordered to return to his Duty, and his Suspension to be considered as having expired on the 25th December 1808.

26th April 1809.

Fort St. George, 7th April 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Captain George Sanford of the 1st Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to Bengal on leave of absence for six Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 25th April 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the following Promotion shall take place.

15th Native Regiment.

Senior Ensign James Noble to be Lieutenant vice Paget deceased—date of rank 7th April 1809.

The Commander in Chief having reported Mr. Alexander Bonthwick Cadet of Infantry to be qualified for Promotion, The Governor in Council is pleased to promote him to the Rank of Ensign accordingly, date of rank 10th January 1809.

The Governor in Council permits Cornet Cludley of the 3d Regiment Cavalry to proceed to Sea for the recovery of his health.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Cadet Sharpe to resign the Service of the Honorable Company, in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

Fort St. George, 25th April 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other Allowances for April and the Pay for May of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of May and on the following days.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) W. WAYTE,

ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.

**HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 28th April 1809.**

**G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.**

The following removals to take place.

**A R T I L L E R Y.**

Lieutenant P. Poggenpohl from 1st to 2d Battalion.

„ C. R. M'Causland from 2d to 1st do.

*4th Regiment Native Infantry.*

Lieutenant A. Stock from 1st to 2d Battalion.

*8th Regiment Native Infantry.*

Lieutenant C. A. Walker from 2d to 1st Battalion.

„ R. Fenwick from 1st to 2d do.

Ensign Alexander Borthwick (late promotion) is appointed to 2d Native Regiment and posted to the 1st Battalion.

A Committee to assemble at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning at the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard Stables, to examine the Horses arrived from the late breeding Stud and to report such as are fit for remounting the Cavalry.

The Deputy Adjutant General of the Army—President.

The Senior Officer of the Detachment of the Corps of Horse Artillery at *St. Thomas's Mount* and Lieutenant Kennedy of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons—Members.

The following Medical Appointments are confirmed from their respective dates.

By Major Hewitt Commanding a Detachment in Camp near *Cochin*, of

Mr. Surgeon Dickson to afford Medical Aid to a Detachment of His Majesty's 12th Regiment from 17th January—to the Details of 1st Battalion Artillery and 2d Battalion 18th Native Regiment from 24th January—and to a Detachment of His Majesty's 80th Regiment from 18th February 1809.

By the Officer Commanding in *Travancore* of

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Sutton to the Medical Charge of the 1st Battalion 2d Regiment from 28th December 1808 during the absence of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Hume.

Private Soldier George Holland of Effective Supernumeraries is promoted to Serjeant and appointed Serjeant Major of the 2d Battalion 22d Regiment from 26th December 1808; and Private Soldier Edward Hunter of Effective Supernumeraries is promoted to Serjeant and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant of the 1st Battalion 8th Regiment from 17th April 1809.

1st May 1809.

*Fort St. George, the 1st of May 1809.***G. O. BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.**

The zeal and discipline by which the Military Establishment of *Fort St. George* had long been distinguished, induced the Governor in Council to expect that the measures which the violent and intemperate acts of the late Commander in Chief had imposed on the Government, would be received by all the Officers of the Army with the Sentiments of respect and obedience prescribed by the principles of Military Subordination, and due to the Government by which those measures were adopted, as well as to the authorities to which they were ultimately referred. The Governor in Council has however learned with a degree of surprise proportionate to the confidence which he reposed in the discipline of the Army that soon after the departure of the late Commander in Chief, proceedings of the most unjustifiable nature, and correspondent to the example which he had afforded, were pursued by certain Officers of the Army.

The most reprehensible of those proceedings consisted in the preparation of a paper addressed to the Right Honorable the Governor General, purporting to be a remonstrance in the name of the Army against the acts of the Government under which it serves.

That paper is not more hostile to the Authority of this Government than to the first principles of all Government. It maintains opinions directly adverse to the constitution of the British service, and is calculated to destroy every foundation of discipline, obedience, and fidelity. The secrecy observed in preparing this seditious paper, prevented for some time the discovery of the persons engaged in that proceeding. But it has now been ascertained that Captain Josiah Marshall late Secretary to the Military Board, and Lieutenant Colonel George Martin lately permitted to proceed to *England*, were principally concerned in preparing and circulating the Memorial in question; and that Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable Arthur Sentleger was active in promoting its circulation, employing the influence which he derived from the important command confided to him by the Government for the purpose of attempting



ing the subversion of its Authority, and spreading disaffection among the troops which it had entrusted to his charge.

It has also been ascertained that Major John De Morgan has been active in the circulation of the Memorial.

The Governor in Council is also under the necessity of noticing another paper of a most dangerous tendency lately in Circulation at some of the Military Stations, purporting to be an address from the Officers of the Army to Major Boles the late Deputy Adjutant General. In this address a right is assumed to decide on the acts of the Government by condemning in unqualified terms the sentence of suspension passed on Major Boles; and an encouragement is held out to other Officers to violate their duty to the Government by affording a pecuniary indemnification not only to Major Boles, but to all such Officers as shall suffer by any Act of the Government which the subscribers to the Address may deem exceptionable. This paper so incompatible with the Military Character, and so repugnant to the first principles of military discipline and Government, was forced on the attention of the Governor by Captain James Grant, Commandant of his Body Guard, who while holding that confidential situation, and employed by order of the Governor in Council under the Resident at *Travancore*, transmitted a Copy of the paper to be laid before the Governor with an avowal that he had affixed his signature to it, and a defence of the grounds on which he adopted that proceeding.

It has also been ascertained that a paper of a similar tendency has been circulated among the Officers of the Corps of Artillery at the *Mount*, and that its circulation has been promoted by Lieutenant Colonel Robert Bell the Officer Commanding that Corps.

The Governor in Council regrets that he is obliged to notice also the conduct of Lieutenant Colonel Chalmers (Commanding in *Travancore*,) and Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage (lately Commanding in *Malabar*, and employed with the troops under his orders in *Travancore*,) who appear to have taken no steps whatever either to repress, or report to the Government the improper proceedings pursued by part of the troops under their orders. It is not sufficient for Officers holding commands to avoid a participation in such proceedings; it is their positive and indispensable duty to adopt the most decided measures for their suppression, and to report them to their superior Authorities.

It has further been ascertained that Captain J. M. Coombs, Assistant Quarter Master General in *Mysore*, has been concerned in these reprehensible proceedings.

It becomes the painful duty of the Governor in Council to mark with the displeasure of the Government the conduct of the abovementioned Officers who have been engaged in a course of measures equally dangerous to the existence of discipline, to the foundations of legal Government, and to the interests of their country.

The undermentioned Officers are accordingly declared to be suspended from the service of the Honorable Company until the pleasure of the Honorable the Court of Directors shall be known.

Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable Arthur Sentleger.

Major John De Morgan,

Captain Josiah Marshall,

and

Captain James Grant,

Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Robert Bell is removed from all Military charge and Command until the pleasure of the Honorable the Court of Directors shall be known, but he is permitted to draw his Regimental pay and allowances.

Lieutenant Colonel Commandant Chalmers is removed from the Command of the Subsidiary Force in Travancore.

The undermentioned Officers are removed from their Staff Appointments, and ordered to join the Corps to which they stand attached.

Lieutenant Colonel Cuppage, Adjutant General,

and

Captain J. M. Coombs.

The Governor in Council considers it to be proper to avail himself of this occasion to correct a misapprehension, highly dangerous in its tendency, which has arisen in the minds of some of the Officers of the Army with regard to the nature of the Authority of the Governor in Council. This misapprehension appears to have originated in the General Order published by the late Commander in Chief on the 28th of January last, from which it might be inferred that the authority of the Governor in Council is only of a Civil nature, whereas by the express enactment of the legislature, the entire Civil and Military Government

Government of the Presidency of Fort St. George and its dependencies is vested in the Governor in Council. It is therefore to be distinctly understood that no Officer of whatever rank, while serving under the Presidency of Fort St. George, can without incurring the penalties of disobedience to the legislature of his Country, issue any order in violation, or to the derogation of the authority of the Government ; and that every Officer complying with an order of that description under any pretence whatever, renders himself liable to the forfeiture of the Service, and to such legal penalties as the nature of the case may demand.

While the Governor in Council deems it to be proper to afford the foregoing explanation, he feels himself at the same time bound to acknowledge that the principles to which he has adverted, had never been called in question until the publication of the abovementioned order of the late Commander in Chief ; on the contrary these principles had been invariably acted upon by the Government and by the Officers of the Army of this Presidency, who have been no less distinguished for their obedience and discipline, than for their achievements in the field. The Governor in Council also experiences the most sincere satisfaction in publishing his conviction that the majority of the Army have resisted all participation in the improper and dangerous proceedings described in this order ; and it is an act of justice to the troops of His Majesty's Service to declare his entire approbation of the order, discipline, and steady adherence to duty, which they have invariably manifested.

The information before the Government does not enable the Governor in Council to distinguish by the expression of his approbation all the troops of the Company's Service that have manifested the same dispositions ; but he deems it to be proper to notice on this occasion the satisfactory and exemplary conduct of the part of the Army composing the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force. The Honorable the Governor in Council is also confident that such Officers as have inadvertently yielded to the misrepresentations of individuals who have been engaged in the prosecution of designs equally fatal to the honor and to the interests of the Army, will in future manifest in the service of the Government the obedience, fidelity and zeal which constitute the first principles of their profession, which

which have hitherto distinguished the Army, and which are indispensable to the prosperity of the British Empire in India.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Cowdie Commanding the Army.*

1st May 1809.

*Fort St. George, 1st May 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following appointments.

Major T. H. S. Conway to be Adjutant General of the Army, with the Official Rank of Lieutenant Colonel, vice Cuppage.

Captain P. V. Agnew to be Deputy Adjutant General of the Army, with the Official Rank of Major, vice Conway.

Lieutenant Colonel T. Clarke to be Commandant of Artillery with the Staff allowance annexed to that Station and a Seat at the Military Board, vice Bell.

Major Sir John Sinclair, Bt. to be Commissary of Stores in charge of the Arsenal of Fort St. George, vice Clarke.

Lieutenant A. E. Patullo to Command the Honorable the Governor's Body Guard vice Grant.

Captain J. Doreton of the 7th Regiment Native Cavalry to be Paymaster at Vizagapatam vice Marshall.

The following Officers who have been suspended from the Service of the Honorable Company, until the pleasure of the Court of Directors shall be known—are directed to hold themselves in readiness to proceed to England, by such opportunities as the Honorable the Governor in Council may think proper to point out, viz.

Lieutenant Colonel The Honorable Arthur Sentleger,

Major Thomas Boles,

Major John De Morgan,

Captain Josiah Marshall,

Captain James Grant.

Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger is further directed to repair to the Presidency without delay.

The Honorable the Governor having been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Henry Conran of His Majesty's Royal Regiment

Regiment to command the whole of the troops composing the Garrison of *Fort St. George*, the Governor in Council directs that Colonel Conran shall be considered to be entitled to the same allowances as other Officers holding commands under the appointment of the Governor in Council.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR, CHIEF SEC. TO GOVT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

1st May 1809.

*Fort St. George, 25th April 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commanding at *Arcot* to proceed to the sea coast, for the benefit of his health, on leave of absence for two Months.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) W. WAYTE, ACTING SEC. TO GOVT.

*Fort St. George, 28th April 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit *Esign Poole* to proceed to *Bengal*, on six Months leave of absence.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Major Hankey to resign the situation of Assistant Adjutant General to the Forces serving in *Travancore*.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE, SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOLTRY PLAIN, 2d May 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE COMMANDING THE ARMY.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 18TH MARCH 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments.



*8th Light Dragoons.*

Brevet Major Henry Westenra from 12th Dragoons to be Major by purchase, vice Culton who retires, 26th May 1808.

*17th Light Dragoons.*

TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Lieutenant G. T. W. Wallace from 15th Dragoons without purchase vice Roycraft promoted, 14th April 1808.

Lieutenant J. Brackenbury from 49th Foot without purchase, vice W. D'Arcy appointed to 13th Dragoons, 28th April 1808.

Lieutenant H. E. Lynch from 57th Foot without purchase, 29th April 1808.

Cornet J. D'Arcy by purchase, vice R. D'Arcy who retires, 29th April 1808.

TO BE CORNET WITHOUT PURCHASE.

Quarter Master W. Ryan from 12th Dragoons, 21st April 1808.

TO BE PAYMASTER.

Quarter Master Robert Harman vice Byrne deceased, 26th May 1808.

*1st Foot.*

Lieutenant Colonel J. S. Barnes from Chasseurs Britanniques, to be Lieutenant Colonel, 21st April 1808.

Lieutenant Alexander Gibson from 83d Foot to be Lieutenant vice Kingston who exchanges, 21st April 1808.

Ensign W. Fraser from 1st Somerset Militia to be Ensign, 14th April 1808.

Ensign Thomas Mundell from 1st Lancashire Militia to be Ensign, 19th May 1808.

*14th Foot.*

Captain John Marshall from 7th Garrison Battalion, to be Captain of a Company vice Stewart who exchanges, 21st April 1808.

Captain Joseph M. Waller from 7th West India Regiment, to be Captain of a Company vice Mayo who exchanges, 12th May 1808.

Henry John Henley, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Coker appointed to 29th Foot, 12th May 1808.

Ensign Deighton from East Norfolk Militia, to be Ensign 19th May 1808.

Hospital Mate John Cassidy to be Assistant Surgeon, 21st April 1808.

17th

*17th Foot.*

James Jeffries, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Holden promoted, 12th May 1808.

*30th Foot.*

Lieutenant F. Annesley from 7th Garrison Battalion to be Lieutenant, vice Bland who exchanges, 21st April 1808.

Richard Heaviside, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice M'Carthy promoted in 84th Foot, 26th May 1808.

*33d Foot.*

Lieutenant Adam Twigg from 1st West York Militia to be Ensign without purchase, 5th May 1808.

*34th Foot.*

Captain Richard Egerton from 89th Foot to be Captain of a Company vice Ord who exchanges, 14th April 1808.

*47th Foot.*

Ensign N. Dymoke to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Oakley appointed to 8th Veteran Battalion, 13th April 1808.

Ensign J. Hutchinson to be Ditto vice O'Regan appointed to 10th Veteran Battalion, 14th April 1808.

Ensign J. R. Cochrane from 51st Foot to be Ensign vice Hutchinson, 14th April 1808.

*59th Foot.*

Captain J. L. Weir to be Major by purchase, vice Pleydell who retires, 19th May 1808.

Lieutenant T. C. Wooler to be Captain of a Company without purchase, vice Dalmer resigned, 18th May 1808.

Lieutenant C. Douglas to be Ditto by purchase, vice Weir, 19th May 1808.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign F. Mair, vice Lodge deceased, 21st April 1808.

Ensign J. Fothergill, without purchase, vice Abbott appointed to 10th Veteran Battalion, 28th April 1808.

Lieutenant J. E. P. Langharne from 18th Foot, vice Paul who exchanges, 5th May 1808.

## TO BE ENSIGNS.

Lieutenant John Cowper from Cumberland Militia, 28th April 1808,

Ensign

Ensign Henry Daunt from South Cork Militia, 5th May 1808.

65th Foot.

Lieutenant T. Dickenson to be Captain of a Company by purchase, vice Bates promoted, 7th May 1807.

Captain Thomas Hutchins from 62d Foot to be Ditto, vice Dickenson who exchanges, 19th May 1808.

67th Foot.

Captain *Honorable* E. Acheson from 77th Foot to be Major by purchase, vice Murray promoted in the 6th Foot, 24th April 1808.

69th Foot.

Ensign J. Carroll to be Lieutenant vice W. A. Alexander deceased, 19th May 1808.

78th Foot.

Lieutenant Colonel John Macleod from 9th Garrison Battalion to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Scott who exchanges, 12th May 1808.

Major R. Hamilton from 79th Foot to be Major, vice Stewart promoted in the Royal West India Rangers, 21st April 1808.

*This cancels Morrison's promotion by purchase vice Hay.* } Ensign Alexander Morrison to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Beathune promoted, 28th April 1808.

80th Foot.

Brevet Major J. A. Sturt to be Major, vice Smyth deceased, 12th May 1808.

*This cancels T. D'Arcy's promotion vice Sturt, 21st September 1805.* } Lieutenant J. T. D'Arcy to be Captain of a Company without purchase, vice Harvey promoted in 6th Garrison Battalion, 11th May 1808.

Lieutenant S. A. Wheeler to be Ditto, vice Sturt, 12th May 1808.

84th Foot.

Brevet Major R. Vincent, to be Major without purchase, 19th May 1808.

Captain H. D'Aubigny to be ditto, 26th May 1808.

To

## TO BE CAPTAINS OF COMPANIES WITHOUT PURCHASE.

Lieutenant W. P. Patrickson, vice Vincent, 19th May 1808.

Lieutenant B. R. Ferree, 20th May 1808.

Lieutenant A. Bernard from 59th Foot, 25th May 1808.

Lieutenant M. Burns, vice D'Aubigny, 26th May 1808.

Lieutenant D. Urquhart from 9th Garrison Battalion, 21st May 1808.

## 86th Foot.

Major William T. Edwards from 81st Foot to be Major, vice Crigan who exchanges, 12th May 1808.

## 89th Foot.

Captain G. F. Ord from 34th Foot to be Captain of a Company, vice Egerton who exchanges, 14th April 1808.

Lieutenant Hugh Bowen from half-pay, 17th Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Lynch appointed to the 4th Garrison Battalion, 19th May 1808.

## TO BE ENSIGNS WITHOUT PURCHASE.

David Chambers, Gent. vice Clifford promoted in 7th Garrison Battalion, 14th April 1808.

Francis Duncombe, Gent. vice Cooper promoted in 84th Foot, 26th May 1808.

## 94th Foot.

Ensign A. M<sup>r</sup>Arthur to be Lieutenant vice Robertson deceased, 29th October 1806.

Ensign David Munro from 59th Foot to be Ditto without purchase, vice Wilson whose appointment is cancelled, 1st June 1807.

Osborne Barwell, Gent. to be Ensign, vice M<sup>r</sup>Arthur promoted, 29th January 1807.

G. W. Crooke, Gent. to be Ensign vice Wilson whose appointment is cancelled, 18th October 1807.

## STAFF.

Captain J. Johnson of the 77th Foot, to be Deputy Quarter Master General to the King's Troops serving in the *East Indies*, with the Rank of Major in the Army, vice Lieutenant Colonel Reynell who resigns, 5th May 1808.

List of Officers belonging to His Majesty's Regiments serving in the *East Indies*, who have received His Majesty's Leave of Absence during the Month of July 1808.

Rank

<i>Rank &amp; Names.</i>	<i>Regts.</i>	<i>From what Time.</i>	<i>To what Time</i>
Captain Elrington,	47th Regt	1st July 1808	Six Months.
„ Dickens,	34th	28th June	Three Months.
Lieut. M'Calman,	67th	28th	Six Months.
Capt. St. George,	80th	20th September	Six Months.
Lieut. Col. Walsh,	56th	11th July	Three Months.

Lieut. Glover,	86th Regt	25th June
„ Harness,	80th	25th
Cornet Richmond,	24th L. D.	25th

{ To continue their studies at the Royal Military College at the recommendation of the Governor of that Establishment.

List of Officers belonging to Regiments serving in the *East Indies*, who have received His Majesty's Leave of absence during the month of August 1808.

<i>Rank and Names.</i>	<i>Regts.</i>	<i>From what Time.</i>	<i>To what Time.</i>
Captain Otto,	59th Regt	25th July	Three Months.
Major West,	33d	5th August	{
Captain Wilson,	22d	5th	{
„ M'Neight,	22d	18th	{
Lieut. Maguire,	89th	1st	{
„ Camac,	25th L. D.	16th	{
„ Halfhide,	17th Regt.	18th	{
Ensign Craston,	22d	25th	{

Until the sailing of the Autumn Fleet.

Cornet Floyd,	8th L. D.	5th
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{ To continue at the Royal Military College.

Lieut. Dwyer,	25th	24th October	1st Mar. 1809.
Captain Cassan,	56th Regt.	27th August	27th Nov. 1808.
Captain Blake,	87th	9th	9th Nov. ditto.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

Acting Adjutant General K. T.

HEAD QUARTERS : CAMP, KURNAUL, 19TH MARCH 1809.

#### GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

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*22d Foot.*

Ensign John Kendall to be Adjutant, vice Poole who resigns the Adjutancy, 18th March 1809.

*30th Foot.*

John Napper, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, 1st March 1809.

*33d Foot.*

John Butler, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Taunton promoted, 1st March 1809.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS :

CHOULTRY PLAIN, } *By order of Major General Gowdie.*  
27th April 1809. }

W. NICOLSON,

*Deputy Adj. Gen. K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 2d May 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following removals are ordered.

Lt. Col. Rumley from 5th Regt. Cav. to 7th Regt. Cav.  
 „ Rowles „ 7th do. do. „ 5th do. do.  
 „ Fletcher „ 8th Regt N.I., 24th Rt. N.I. & 1st Bat  
 „ J. G. Graham 20th do. do. „ 8th do. do. & 2d do.  
 „ Marriott „ 24th do. do. „ 20th do. do. & 2d do.  
 Major Keasberry of 9th N. Regt. from the 2d to the 1st Bat.  
 „ Fraser of 9th do. do. from 1st „ 2d do.  
 Captain H. F. Smith of 14th N. R. from 2d „ 1st do.  
 Lt. Col. H. Hall from 19th do. to 14th Rt. N.I. & to the 2d do.  
 „ C. Godfrey „ 14th do. „ 19th do. „ & „ 2d do.  
 Major Muirhead of 18th do. from 2d to 1st Bat.  
 „ Boardman „ 18th do. do. 1st „ 2d do.  
 Lieutenant West from 1st to 2d Battalion 13th N. Regt.  
 „ Duncombe „ 2d „ 1st do. 13th do.

The leave of absence granted to Captain P. Grant of the Artillery by Government Orders of the 30th March is, with the sanction of the Honorable the Governor in Council Cancelled, and that Officer will resume the duties of his appointment.

Captain

Captain Lieutenant W. G. Pearse of Artillery will join his Corps immediately.

All Officers removed by the above order, are directed to proceed forthwith to join their Corps.

The following Promotions are ordered.

*Gun Lascars attached to 1st Battalion Artillery.*

1st Tindall Govindoo to be Syrang and 2d Tindall Moorand to be 1st Tindall—date of Commission 6th April 1809.

*14th Native Regiment 1st Battalion.*

Jemadar Syed Emaan to be Subadar and Havaldar Raganant Sing to be Jemadar—date of Commission 8th April 1809.

Havaklar Mootoo Sawmy to be Jemadar—date of Commission 12th April 1809.

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*5th May 1809.*

*Fort St. George, 1st May 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to promote Mr. C. O. Aveline Cadet of Cavalry to be Cornet of Cavalry, Date of Rank to be fixed hereafter, and permits him to proceed to *Europe* on sick Certificate for the benefit of his health.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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*Fort St. George, 3d May 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant John Beaumont of the 5th Regiment Native Infantry to be Assistant Quarter Master General in *Mysore*, vice Coombs.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

6th

6th May 1809.

Fort St. George, 5th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend John Kerr to do duty at the *Black Town* Chapel.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 5th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a Detachment of Artillery consisting of One Subaltern Officer, One Serjeant, Two Corporals and Eighteen Privates be held in readiness to embark for Service on His Majesty's Sloop of War *Virginie* at the shortest notice.

The Party to be furnished with Infantry Arms, Accoutrements and Ammunition.

Six Months Pay and allowances of every description to be advanced for the Party to the Officer Commanding, who will provide suitable Cloathing for the men, according to instructions which he will receive from Head Quarters.

The Party is authorized to leave Family Certificates—the amount of which will be deducted from the six Months Pay to be advanced in the first Instance and the Officer Commanding will make the necessary stoppages from all subsequent Abstracts, and account for the amount of them on his return—he will not be held answerable for payments that may be made to the families of any men who die on the expedition.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) A. FALCONAR,

CHIEF SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

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## HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 9th May 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following Extracts from the Confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial assembled in Cantonment at *Secunderabad*, on Friday the 10th day of March, and continued by several adjournments until the 26th of April last, by order of Lieutenant Colonel Montresor Commanding the Subsidiary Force serving His Highness the Nizam, in virtue of Powers vested in him by the Commander in Chief, and of which Major George Neale of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry is President, are published to the Army.

**CRIME.**—Captain John Jefferis of His Majesty's 33d Regiment ordered to be placed in arrest by me on the following Charges.

1st.—For having behaved in a manner totally unbecoming the Character of an Officer and Gentleman at the Regimental Mess, on the 25th December 1807, towards Lieutenant Inglis of the 10th Native Regiment, who was his Guest then at table, by telling the said Lieutenant Inglis, that he, Captain Jefferis, had not invited him, and that he would not be at the usual charge for him or words to that effect.

2d — For having acted in a manner, subversive of Military Discipline and to the neglect of his duty as an Officer, in having delayed to fulfil the terms on which he had obtained leave of absence from the Regiment, first for two Months, and which leave was on the same terms subsequently renewed, and for having acted in a scandalous, infamous manner, such as is unbecoming the character of an Officer and a Gentleman, both, by denying the validity of those terms which were acceded to, on a Public Official Application having been given by him, and on an assurance contained in a Private Note ; as well as by positively refusing to fulfil those terms, when an opportunity was offered him to do so, thereby having deceived me, his Commanding Officer.

3d.—For having neglected to proceed to join his Corps on the expiration of his leave of absence, from which neglect he was absent without leave from his Corps, from the 14th day of June last. The

The whole being to the prejudice of good order and  
 Military Discipline and contrary to the Articles of War.  
**CANTONMENT,** (Signed) ARTHUR GORE,  
*Secunderabad, February 6, 1809. Lieut. Col.—33d Foot.*  
**BY ORDER.**

(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,

*Deputy Adjutant General,—Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.*

**SENTENCE.**—The Court are of opinion that the Prisoner,  
 Captain Jefferis is not guilty of conduct totally unbecoming  
 the character of an Officer and a Gentleman as stated in the  
 1st Charge; but that he is guilty of highly improper and  
 irregular Conduct towards Lieutenant Inglis. The Court  
 are further of opinion, that the Prisoner is not Guilty of  
 the 2d Charge, and they do most fully and honorably  
 acquit the Prisoner of all scandalous and infamous Conduct  
 —On the 3d Charge, the Court find that tho' it has been  
 fully proved that Captain Jefferis did not set off to join  
 his Regiment at the expiration of his leave of absence on  
 the 15th of June, yet, they are of opinion, that the Prisoner  
 was justified under existing circumstances for remaining  
 at *Poonamallie* at that period. The Court having found  
 the Prisoner Guilty of improper and irregular conduct, and  
 having considered the Apology made to Lieutenant Inglis  
 by Captain Jefferis with which Lieutenant Inglis expressed  
 himself perfectly satisfied, Do sentence him the said Captain  
 Jefferis to be Reprimanded by the Officer Confirming the  
 sentence, at such time and place as he may think proper.

(Signed) W. ORMSBY, (Signed) G. NEALE, —Major  
*Deputy Judge Advocate. 1st Reg. N. C.—President.*

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED.

(Signed) F. GOWDIE, M. G.

*Commanding.*

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief having Approved and Confirmed the above Proceedings, as far as regards the several Heads upon which the Prisoner has been acquitted, is pleased to remit the Punishment awarded, in consideration of the alleviating circumstances that appear on the Proceedings.

The Officer Commanding the Army in Chief finds himself under the necessity of recording his strongest Disapprobation, of the liberty which the Court has granted to both the Prosecu-  
 tor



author and Prisoner, in resorting to many unnecessary personal Reflections against each other, during the course of the Proceedings, and which it was therefore the clear Duty of both the Court and Judge Advocate to have resisted.

The following Removals are ordered.

Lieut. Col. S. Irton,	from 21st Regt. to 9th and 2d Bat.
„ „ W. Macleod,	„ 9th „ „ 21st and 1st do.
„ „ J. Cuppage,	„ 13th „ „ 15th and 1st do.
„ „ A. Maitland,	„ 15th „ „ 13th and 2d do.
„ „ J. G. Graham,	„ 8th „ „ 22d and 2d do.
„ „ T. Wilson,	„ 17th „ „ 8th and 2d do.
„ „ J. Leith,	„ 22d „ „ 17th and 2d do.
„ „ R. Munro,	from 1st to 2d Bat. 15th Nat. Regt.

The following Medical Appointments are confirmed from their respective dates, viz.

By the Officer Commanding *Trichinopoly*.

Of—Mr. Assistant Surgeon Chalmers to take Medical charge of 2d Battalion 3d Native Regiment at *Trichinopoly*, from 22d September 1808.

By the Officer Commanding the Southern Division.

Of—Mr. Assistant Surgeon Simpson to afford Medical aid to 5 Companies of the 1st Battalion 3d Native Regiment, and a Company of 1st Battalion Artillery, at *Trichinopoly*, from 18th January 1809.

By the Honorable Lieutenant Colonel Sentleger lately Commanding a Detachment of the Southern Force.

Of—Mr. Assistant Surgeon Raviere to take Medical Charge of a Detachment 1st Battalion 17th Native Regiment in Camp at *Naymum* from 6th March 1809.

Of—Mr. Assistant Surgeon Boardman to afford Medical aid to the Detachment of Royal Artillery in *Travancore* from 26th March 1809, vice Atkinson ordered to join his Corps.

Of—Mr. Assistant Surgeon Currie to be in Medical charge of a Detachment 1st Battalion Pioneers, under Captain Smith-waite from 1st April 1809.

By the Officer in charge of the Northern Division of the Army.

Of—Mr. Assistant Surgeon Shadforth to take Medical Charge of a Detachment of European Invalids, ordered from *Vizagapatam* to *Ganjam*, on the 13th April 1809.

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HEAD QUARTERS: CAPOULTRY PLAIN, 10th May 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE COMMANDING THE ARMY.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 21st MARCH 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments.

*17th Light Dragoons.*

James Tomkinson, Gent. to be Cornet by purchase, vice Lahiff promoted, 7th April 1808.

*24th Light Dragoons.*

Captain Philip Philpot to be Major, vice White deceased, 1st November 1807.

TO BE CAPTAINS.

Lieutenant Vincent Beatty, vice Philpot, 1st November 1807.

Captain T. W. Taylor from the 56th Foot, vice Sandys who exchanges, 25th November 1807.

TO BE LIEUTENANT.

Cornet J. M. Gibson, vice Beatty, 1st November 1807.

TO BE CORNET.

Charles Pillichody, Gent. vice Gibson, 10th April 1807.

TO BE ADJUTANT.

Lieutenant John Tritton, vice Beatty, 1st November 1807.

TO BE ASSISTANT SURGEON.

Assistant Surgeon W. Bean from 22d Foot vice Lewis deceased, 3d October 1807.

*17th Foot.*

Lieutenant Charles Wilson to be Captain vice Radcliffe deceased, 18th November 1807.

George Peevor, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Campbell, 1st December 1807.

*22d Foot.*

Captain Effingham Lindsay to be Major, vice Frome deceased, 30th October 1807.

Lieutenant

*Cancels H. Smith's*  
*promotion vice Durand* } Lieutenant H. Smith to be Cap-  
*deceased. The former* } tain vice Lindsay, 30th October  
*appointments in succes-* } 1807.  
*sion to Smith stand good.* }

53d Foot.

*Cancels J. Cruice's pro-* } Ensign J. Cruice to be Lieutenant  
*motion vice Arnott pro-* } without purchase, vice Cowell who  
*moted in 56th.* } resigns, 5th May 1808.

Lieutenant J. H. Kightly from the 3d West York Militia to be Ensign, 19th May 1808.

56th Foot.

TO BE CAPTAINS.

Captain James Sandys from the 24th Light Dragoons, vice Taylor who exchanges, 25th November 1807:

*Cancels Lieutenant*  
*Barrington's promotion* } Ensign N. C. Burton from the 3d  
*vice Thorne deceased.* } Foot Guards, vice Thorne deceased,  
*Ensign A. Thorne from* } 14th April 1808.  
*65th vice Barrington; al-* }  
*so Byrne's appointment* }  
*in 65th vice Thorne.* }

Captain Samuel Horton from 7th Foot, vice Pilkington who exchanges, 26th May 1808.

TO BE LIEUTENANT.

*Cancels Ormsby's* } Ensign J. Ormsby without purchase,  
*promotion vice Phelps.* } vice Thorn appointed to the 1st Royal  
 } Veteran Battalion, 5th May 1808.

TO BE ENSIGN.

*Cancels R. Robertson's* } William Raisbeck, Gent. vice  
*appointment vice Ormsby.* } Ormsby, 5th May 1808.

59th Foot.

Lieutenant Roger Langley from the South Cork Militia, to be Ensign, 7th April 1808.

65th Foot.

Captain James Keith from the 83d Foot to be Captain, vice Dyer who exchanges, 24th September 1807.

*Cancels M'Lean's pro-* } Ensign James Maclean to be  
*motion, vice Storey.* } Lieutenant without purchase, vice  
 } Warren promoted, 21st April 1808.

Samuel

*Cancels H. Johnston's* } Samuel R. Warren, Gent. to be  
*appointment vice* } Ensign vice Maclean, 21st April  
*M'Lean.* } 1808.

Lieutenant J. Browne from the South Mayo Militia to be  
 ditto, 26th May 1808.

*67th Foot.*

Lieutenant David Browne to be Captain, vice Bodkin  
 deceased, 24th November 1807.

TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign Moore Scott, without purchase, vice James promoted,  
 18th October 1807.

Lieutenant Robert Cockerell from the 5th Garrison Battali-  
 on, 7th April 1808.

*Cancels his appointment* } Ensign ~~Bray~~ Bray, 20th April  
*vice Browne.* } 1808.

Ensign Thomas J. Smith from the 5th Garrison Battalion,  
 21st April 1808.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

Ensign R. Knox from half Pay of the 5th Irish Brigade without  
 purchase, vice Bray promoted, 25th April 1808.

K. Cassidy, Gent. without purchase, vice Scott promoted,  
 5th May 1808.

TO BE ADJUTANT.

Lieutenant R. B. Harrison, vice James promoted, 18th Octo-  
 ber 1807.

*69th Foot.*

Brevet Lieutenant Colonel J. Stuart from the 5th West India  
 Regiment to be Major, vice Miller deceased, 7th April 1808.

Lieutenant Webb from the South Down Militia to be Ensign,  
 7th April 1808.

*80th Foot.*

Lieutenant Alexander Lumsden from the 94th Foot, to be  
 Lieutenant, vice Burton who exchanges, 22d September 1807.

*84th Foot.*

TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign W. Bindon from the 9th Garrison Battalion vice  
 Patrickson, 19th May 1808.

Ensign Robert M'Carthy from the 30th Foot, vice Ferree,  
 20th May 1808.

Ensign Charles Bowsar from the 48th Foot, 21st May 1808.  
 Lieutenant

Lieutenant S. B. Beamish from the 3d Foot without purchase,  
23d May 1808.

Ensign John Cooper from the 89th Foot, 24th May 1808.

Ensign William Trant from the 43d Foot, 25th May 1808.

Ensign C. B. Munden from the 94th Foot, vice Burns, 26th  
May 1808.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

Ensign John Garbut from the 3d West York Militia, 15th  
May 1808.

*Cancels his appointment* } Charles Campbell, Gent. 16th  
*vice Fraser.* } May 1808.

Richard Bourke Warren, Gent. 17th May 1808.

George Andrew Bewdler, Gent. 18th May 1808.

Valentine Grimstead, Gent. 19th May 1808

TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign E. Croker by purchase, vice Medley who retires, 6th  
September 1807.

*Cancels his appointment* } Ensign J. Fraser, vice Vincent  
*vice G. Hewitt.* } deceased, 13th April 1808.

*Cancels his appointment* } Ensign J. W. Bernard, 14th April  
*vice Andrews deceased.* } 1808.

Arthur Bernard, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Fraser, 14th April  
1808.

N. B.—Cornet John Drought of the 17th Light Dragoons  
appointed to the 13th Light Dragoons, 7th April 1808.

Lieutenant Charles M. St. George of the 22d Light Dra-  
goons, has resigned his Commission, 12th May 1808.

Ensign Campbell Addison of the 12th Foot has resigned his  
Commission, 31st December 1807.

Lieutenant Lewis Teissier of the 30th Foot, promoted in the  
30th Foot, 25th February 1808.

Lieutenant A. Hook of the 33d Regiment appointed to the  
82d Foot, 19th May 1808.

Assistant Surgeon T. G. Williams of the 69th Foot appointed  
to the 2d Royal Veteran Battalion, 21st April 1808.

The following Officers were Superseded for being absent  
without Leave, but have since been re-instated.

Captain David Supple of the 17th Light Dragoons.

Lieutenant John Blake of ditto,

Lieutenant John C. Stephens of the 56th.

The following appointments have been cancelled.



*8th Light Dragoons.*

Henry Johnson, Gent. to be Cornet without purchase, vice Price promoted.

*14th Foot.*

William Price, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Baylie promoted.

Lieutenant Edward Gordon's Commission in the 65th Foot, has been antedated to 9th June 1804.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

List of Officers removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion of Regiments, in consequence of vacancies occasioned in the latter as specified in the accompanying List of Promotions.

<i>Regiments.</i>	<i>Rank &amp; Names.</i>
14th Foot.	Captain William Moore.
47th Foot.	Lieutenant W. M. Ryan,
"	Ensign Charles Williams,
"	" J. T. F. Haly,
53d Foot.	Lieutenant P. Hovenden,
"	Ensign John Hunter,
56th Foot.	Captain D. Barclay,
"	Ensign Richard Armstrong,
59th Foot.	Major George M <sup>c</sup> Gregor,
"	Lieutenant James Cockburn,
"	" Abraham Pilkington,
"	" George Forrest,
"	" Rodger Finnan,
"	" Francis Fuller,
"	" John Wright,
"	Ensign W. F. Mayne,
"	" John Dillon,
67th Foot.	Major William Kioloch,
"	Captain William Owen,
"	Lieutenant George Leabon,
"	" George Rea,
"	Ensign William Rowan
"	" R. C. Wogan,
69th Foot.	Lieutenant Robert Baker,
"	Ensign William Sheehan,

*Regiment.*

84th Foot.

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*Rank & Names.*

Captain W. P. Patrickson,

Lieutenant———Bindon,

Ensign———Garbut,

"———Campbell,

"———Warren.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CAMP, KURNAUL, 22D MARCH 1809.

## GENERAL ORDERS.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments.

*8th Light Dragoons.*

Henry Floyd, Gent. to be Cornet without purchase, vice Price promoted, 7th July 1808.

Thomas Pray Barlow, Gent. to be Cornet by purchase, vice Stapylton whose appointment has not taken place, 11th August 1808.

*14th Foot.*

## TO BE CAPTAINS.

Captain H. Nooth from the 7th Foot vice Wadman appointed to the 4th Garrison Battalion, 2d June 1808.

Keighley retires receiving the value of £. 262 10 only. } Lieutenant Cecil Bishop from the 14th Light Dragoons without purchase vice Keighley who retires, 23d June 1808.

Lieutenant Thomas H. Light from the 50th Foot, without purchase, 18th August 1808.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Van Baerle allowed to receive the value of an Ensigncy only. } Ensign Thomas Caulfield without purchase, vice Van Baerle who retires, 4th August 1808.

Ensign J. B. Ainsworth vice Wynniatt who retires, 18th August 1808.

## TO BE ENSIGNS.

Henry Pierard, Gent. by purchase, vice Wynniatt promoted, 2d June 1808.

John Carr, Gent. by purchase, vice Caulfield, 4th August 1808.

*17th Foot.*

Ensign Allan Stewart, to be Lieutenant vice Harrison deceased, 3d December 1807.

*Cancels Serjeant D. Young's appointment in the 30th Foot.* } Serjeant Dobson Young to be Ensign vice Stewart, 3d December 1807.

## 22d Foot.

Lieutenant Henry E. Keane from the 51st Foot to be Lieutenant without purchase, 14th July 1808.

John Craston, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Pickersgill who retires, 14th July 1808.

Serjeant George Jackson from the 17th Foot, to be Ensign by purchase, vice Younge promoted, 11th August 1808.

## 30th Foot.

*Cancels Holt's promotion vice J. P. Beaumont.* } Ensign Robert Holt to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Teisier promoted in 50th Foot, 14th July 1808.

## NO BE ENSIGNS.

*Supernumerary Ensign.* } Arthur Poyntz, Gent. without purchase, 12th June 1807.

Michael A. Eades, Gent. vice Steel promoted in 3d Garrison Battalion, 16th June 1808.

*Cancels Poyntz's appointment vice Holt.* } Thomas Kettlewell, Gent. vice Holt, 14th July 1808.

Ensign Gorney from the South Mayo Militia, 28th July 1808.

## 33d Foot.

Thomas Forster Dawson, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Longden promoted, 7th July 1808.

## 34th Foot.

William Power, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase vice Annesley promoted, 14th July 1808.

*Cancels Serjeant Major Charles Stewart's appointment, vice Furse.* } Quarter Master Serjeant Timothy Russell, to be Quarter Master vice Furse appointed to 8th Royal Veteran Battalion, 14th July 1808.

## 47th Foot.

*Cancels Ramsay's appointment, vice Murray deceased.* } Lieutenant P. W. Ramsay to be Captain without purchase, vice Nicholson promoted in the 27th Foot, 23d June 1808.

Lieutenant Thomas Backhouse to be ditto, vice Murray deceased, 7th July 1808.

Ensign

Ensign George Nangle to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Ramsay promoted, 30th June 1808.

Ensign John Hill to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Backhouse promoted, 21st July 1808.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

Christopher Irwin Cochrane, Gent. vice Nangle, 30th June 1808.

William Wingfield Yates, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Cairnes promoted, 28th July 1808.

Ensign John Harley from 4th Garrison Battalion, without purchase, vice Norton promoted in the 5th Garrison Battalion, 18th August 1808.

53d Foot.

Lieutenant J. Nicholson from the North York Militia, to be Ensign, 11th August 1808.

56th Foot.

TO BE MAJORS.

Major ——— Bayley from the 8th Garrison Battalion, vice Macleod promoted in the 9th Garrison Battalion, 9th June 1808.

Brevet Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Walsh from half Pay of the Queen's Rangers, vice O'Neill who exchanges, 23d June 1808.

TO BE CAPTAIN.

Captain Brereton Watson from the 7th Foot, vice Preston who exchanges, 18th August 1808.

*Cancels O'Connor Higgins' appointment vice Jenkinson.* } Ensign O'Connor Higgins to be Lieutenant without purchase, 14th July 1808.

*Cancels J. Kendall's appointment vice Higgins.* } Benjamin Mason, Gent. to be Ensign vice Higgins, 14th July 1808.

59th Foot.

TO BE CAPTAINS.

Lieutenant Francis Scott without purchase, vice Thompson dismissed the Service, 2d June 1808.

Lieutenant Thomas D. Carpenter from the 32d Foot, 18th August 1808.

TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign James Chadwick vice Wooler promoted, 1st June 1808.

Ensign

Ensign Simon Isaac, vice Melles promoted in Bradshaw's Levy, 2d June 1808.

Ensign James M'Gregor, vice Scott, 3d June 1808.

Ensign Duncan Gordon, vice Bernard promoted in the 84th Foot, 9th June 1808.

Ensign Robert Preedy from the 9th Foot by purchase, vice Watts promoted in the 19th Foot, 15th June 1808.

Ensign Roger L. Lewis from the 20th Foot by purchase, vice Douglas promoted, 16th June 1808.

TO BE ENSIGNS.

William Hoysted, Gent. without purchase, vice Dickson promoted in 67th Foot, 16th June 1808.

Malbrough Seymour, Gent. vice Lowcay promoted in 26th Foot, 11th August 1808.

65th Foot.

Major Colin James Milnes from the 10th Foot, to be Major, vice Bates who exchanges, 9th June 1808.

Ensign Henry Taylor to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Dickenson promoted, 18th August 1808.

67th Foot.

Lieutenant Colonel S. Huskisson, from the 66th Foot, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Wale who exchanges, 16th June 1808.

TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Lieutenant Robert Denny from the 3d Garrison Battalion without purchase, vice Montgomery promoted in the 21st Foot, 16th June 1808.

Ensign Richard Dickson from the 59th Foot, 16th June 1808.

Lieutenant R. S. Redman from the 4th Garrison Battalion vice Gordon who exchanges, 4th August 1808.

69th Foot.

Lieutenant T. Majennis to be Captain by purchase, vice Corry who retires, 25th September 1807.

Ensign John Leslie to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Majennis promoted, 2d June 1808.

Ensign James Kennedy from the 99th Foot, to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Eley, 7th July 1808.

Burnaby



*Cancels A. Wardlock's appointment, vice Freeman.* } Burnaby M'Egan, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Freeman promoted, 11th August 1808.

## 72th Foot.

Captain John Thornton from the 28th Foot, to be Captain without purchase, vice Dick promoted in Bradshaw's Levy, 28th July 1808.

Lieutenant John Chisholm from the Inverness Militia to be Ensign, 2d June 1808.

Serjeant Major A. Waters to be Quarter Master, vice Macpherson appointed to the 4th Royal Veteran Battalion, 30th June 1808.

## 80th Foot.

*Cancels Ensign C. Curtis's appointment, vice D'Arcy.* } Lieutenant William Trant from the 84th Foot, to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice D'Arcy promoted, 7th July 1808.

## 84th Foot.

Brevet Lieutenant Colonel H. Lewis Dickenson to be Lieutenant Colonel without purchase, 4th August 1808.

Lieutenant Colonel H. Darling from the Quarter Master General's Staff, to be Major without purchase, vice Dickenson promoted, 18th August 1808.

## TO BE CAPTAINS.

Lieutenant James Jenkins without purchase, 8th June 1808.

Lieut. Arthur Bernard from the 18th Foot, 9th June 1808.

Captain William Yates Johnson from the 9th Garrison Battalion, 15th August 1808.

Captain James Lane from the 7th Garrison Battalion, 16th August 1808.

Captain Charles M'Gregor from the 3d Garrison Battalion, 17th August 1808.

Captain William Pigot from the 4th ditto, 18th August 1808.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Ensign Francis St. Clair from the 36th Foot, without purchase, 2d June 1808.

Ensign Nicholas Raven, 9th June 1808.

Ensign Thomas Maudsley, 10th August 1808.

Ensign

Ensign Francis Bernard, 11th August 1808.

Ensign James Arthur from the 53d Regiment, 18th August 1808:

TO BE ENSIGNS.

Thomas Brander, Gent. without purchase, vice Bernard promoted, 14th April 1808.

Charles Westley, Gent. 2d June 1808.

James Kay, Gent. vice Raven, 9th June 1808.

Joseph Holmes, Gent. 16th June 1808.

Charles Tucker, Gent. vice Grimstead appointed to the 5th Garrison Battalion, 25th June 1808.

Charles Kerr, Gent. vice Maudsley, 19th August 1808.

James Westwater, Gent. vice Bernard, 11th August 1808.

John Griffin, Esquire, to be Paymaster of the 2d Battalion, 11th August 1808.

Serjeant Charles Pullman, from the 1st Foot Guards, to be Adjutant with the rank of Ensign, 25th May 1808.

Serjeant William Jeffree from the East Suffolk Militia, to be Quarter Master, 14th July 1808.

Assistant Surgeon Peter Graham, from the 22d Foot to be Surgeon, 16th June 1808.

86th Foot.

Lieutenant Colonel Edward Drummond from the 60th Foot, to be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Dowdeswell who exchanges, 2d June 1808.

Lieutenant Edward Carter to be Captain without purchase, vice Sorrell promoted in Bradshaw's Levy, 9th June 1808.

*Cancels Thomas Mercer's appointment as Ensign vice D.*

*Stuart and Lieutenant vice J.*

*Wilson, also Henry Vanspall vice*

*Mercer promoted.*

Kenneth Mackintosh,

Gent. to be Ensign with-

out purchase, vice Stuart

promoted, 23d June 1808.

89th Foot.

Lieutenant William Jervoise to be Captain by purchase, vice Smyth who retires, 14th July 1808.

Ensign Oliver Brush to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Lowrey appointed Captain on the Staff at Hillsea, 16th June 1808.

Ensign Charles Cannon to be ditto, vice Lawrenson deceased, 21st July 1808.

Ensign Alexander Dalgely to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Jervoise promoted, 28th July 1808.

To

TO BE ENSIGNS.

John Crawford, Gent. without purchase, vice Eeles promoted in the 95th Foot, 9th June 1808.

Daniel Browne, Gent. vice Brush, 16th June 1808.

Osman Charles Watts, Gent. vice Malony who resigns, 23d June 1808.

Thomas Taylor, Gent. vice Simpson promoted in the 24th Foot. 14th July 1808.

Mathew Powell, Gent. vice Cannon, 21st July 1808.

*24th Light Dragoons.*

Cornet James Mylne, to be Lieutenant without purchase vice Bunce deceased, 1st January 1808.

*25th Light Dragoons.*

Lieutenant P. H. Byrne, to be Captain by purchase, vice Mansell who retires, 4th February 1808.

Cornet G. B. Jeffries to be Lieutenant, vice Byrne, 4th February 1808.

William Hilton, Gent. to be Cornet without purchase, vice Close promoted, 5th December 1806.

*1st Foot.*

Ensign ——— Clandinnon to be Lieutenant without purchase vice Jenkin who resigns, 25th August 1808.

Ensign Leonard Dobbins to be Lieutenant, vice Barr deceased, 26th August 1808.

*17th Foot.*

Lieutenant Thomas Merrick to be Captain by purchase, vice Kirk, 18th November 1807.

Lieutenant William Kelly to be Adjutant, vice Merrick promoted, 1st January 1808.

*34th Foot.*

Lieutenant J. A. Ellard, to be Captain, vice Edwards deceased, 2d December 1807.

*53d Foot.*

Serjeant Major Alexander Knox to be Ensign, vice Constable who resigns, 3d February 1808.

Assistant Surgeon Thomas Sandell from the 8th Foot to be Surgeon, vice Emery appointed Surgeon to the Forces, 1st September 1808.

## 59th Foot.

Robert Whittle, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, 23th August 1808.

John Hovenden, Gent. to be ditto, 26th August 1808.

Lieutenant William Wilkinson to be Captain without purchase, 1st September 1808.

## TO BE LIEUTENANTS

Ensign J. Erasmus Spiers from the 50th Foot, 1st September 1808.

Ensign Richard Litton, vice Bruton appointed to the 76th Foot, 2d September 1808.

Ensign Simon G. Kenny, vice Wilkinson, 3d September 1808.

Ensign William T. Mayne, 4th September 1808.

## TO BE ENSIGNS.

Alexander Macpherson, Gent. vice Litton, 2d September 1808.

Edward Duncan, Gent. vice Kenny, 3d September 1808.

Archibald Campbell, Gent. vice Mayne, 4th September 1808.

## 62th Foot.

Isaac Hart, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Knott deceased, 4th November 1807.

## 69th Foot.

Lieutenant John Graham from the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Patrickson who exchanges, 25th August 1808.

Assistant Surgeon D. P. Noble from the 3d Garrison Battalion, to be Assistant Surgeon, 1st September 1808.

## 78th Foot.

Assistant Surgeon Neil Currie from the 39th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Draper appointed Surgeon to the Forces, 1st September 1808.

## 84th Foot.

Lieutenant Colonel John Locke, from half Pay of the late 8th Garrison Battalion to be Major, vice Darling who exchanges, 26th August 1808.

Thomas Triphock, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Brander who resigns, 14th April 1808.

N. B. — Lieutenant Burges Camee of the 25th Light Dragoons, promoted in the 18th Foot, 18th August 1808.

Ensign

Ensign W. Magee of the 30th Foot, promoted in the 23d Foot by purchase, 31st December 1807.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

List of Officers removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalions of Regiments in consequence of vacancies occasioned in the latter, as specified in the accompanying List of Promotions.

<i>Regiments.</i>	<i>Rank and Names.</i>
14th Foot.	Ensign Thomas Jenour,
"	" Charles Tothill,
30th Foot.	Ensign George Rumley,
"	" George Adamson,
47th Foot.	Captain J. W. Hutchinson,
"	" Francis Featherstone,
"	Lieutenant J. S. M'Curlock,
"	" Edward Templeton,
"	Ensign James Strangeways,
"	" Samuel Clarke,
53d Foot.	Ensign Edward Barlow
56th Foot.	Major Boyle Travers,
59th Foot.	Lieutenant Michael Byrne,
"	Ensign S. Cutterbuck,
"	" J. P. Pennefeather,
"	" G. H. Walker,
"	" John Lloyd,
"	Assistant Surgeon R. Bradenack,
67th Foot.	Lieut. Colonel W. A. Prevost,
69th Foot.	Lieutenant A. E. Obins,
"	Assistant Surgeon Edward Tedlie
84th Foot.	Major R. Vincent,
"	Lieutenant Robert M'Carthy,
"	Ensign George A. Bewdlef,
"	" Charles Westley,
"	" James Kay.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS—CAMP, KURNAUL, 23d MARCH 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS:

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

50th



*56th Foot.*

Ensign Redmond Brough, to be Lieutenant, vice Phelps who resigns, 15th July 1808.

Robert Robertson, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Brough promoted, retaining the original date of his Appointment, viz. 21st April 1808.

Ensign Amos Thorn from 65th Foot to be Lieutenant, vice Hodder deceased, retaining the original date of his Commission, viz. 1st January 1808.

Ensign Hugh Moore to be Lieutenant, vice Jenkinson resigned, 16th July 1808.

John Kendall, Gent. to be Ensign, vice H. Moore promoted, retaining the original date of his appointment, viz. 4th February 1808.

*65th Foot.*

John Byrn, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Amos Thorn promoted in the 56th Foot, 1st October 1808.

Ensign James Place to be Lieutenant, vice O'Brien deceased, 15th December 1808.

Hume Johnston, Gent. to be Ensign, vice James Place promoted—retaining the original date of his Commission, viz. 1st January 1808.

*69th Foot.*

Lieutenant James Bissett to be Captain of a Company, vice Cunningham deceased, 11th February 1809.

Ensign George Robertson to be Lieutenant, vice James Bissett promoted, 11th February 1809.

Thomas Mercer, Gent. to be Ensign, vice G. Robertson promoted, retaining the date of his Commission in the 86th Foot, viz. 3d January 1807.

A. Wardlock, Gent. to be Ensign, vice T. Mercer promoted in 86th Foot—retaining the original date of his appointment, viz. 20th November 1807.

*80th Foot.*

*This establishes all subsequent appointments in Curtis's succession.* Ensign Charles Curtis to be Lieutenant, vice Wheeler promoted—retaining the original date of his Commission, viz. 1st September 1808.

*86th Foot.*

Ensign Thomas Mercer, from the 69th Foot to be Lieutenant

nant by purchase—vice John Wilson, 28th March 1807.

Henry Vanspall, Gent. to be Ensign by purchase, vice Cox resigned—retaining the original date of his Commission, viz. 28th March 1807.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: MEERUT, 2d April 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief is pleased to confirm the Leave Major General Gowdie has granted to Cornet Thorne of His Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons to proceed to *Europe* for the recovery of his health.

Captain Capadose of His Majesty's 56th Regiment has leave to proceed to the *Cape of Good Hope*, and eventually to *Europe*, and to be absent from his Corps for 12 Months from the date of his embarkation.

Lieutenant Colonel Jackson of His Majesty's 67th Regiment has permission to proceed to *Europe* on his private affairs, and to be absent on that account for twelve Months from the date of his embarkation.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS:

CHOULTRY PLAIN,

4th May 1809.

} By order of Major General Gowdie.

(Signed) W. NICOLSON,

*D. A. G. K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 10th May 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The Committee assembled at the Body Guard Stables on the 20th ultimo, of which the Deputy Adjutant General of the Army is President, is dissolved.

Lieutenant Colonel Robertson is removed from the 2d to 1st Battalion 14th Native Regiment.

*10th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant Jourdan is removed from the 2d to the 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Graves is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.

*24th*

## 24th. Native Regiment.

Ensign Thuillier is removed from the 1st to the 2d Battalion.  
Cornet R. Gordon of the 8th Regiment Cavalry, is permitted to do duty with the 3d Regiment Cavalry until the 1st of October next.

The following Medical appointments by the Officer Commanding the *Hyderabad* Subsidiary Force are confirmed.

Assistant Surgeon Wylle to afford Medical aid to the 2d Battalion 21st Regiment from the 1st May 1809.

Surgeon Ainslie to afford Medical aid to the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry from the 17th April 1809, during the absence of Assistant Surgeon Heyne on Furlough.

Assistant Surgeon Conran, from the Presidency General Hospital will take Medical Charge of the Detachment of Artillery, proceeding from *St. Thomas's Mount* to *Seringapatam*, under the Orders of Captain Pearse of the 1st Battalion of Artillery.

Assistant Surgeon Conran is appointed to do duty with His Majesty's 33d Regiment; and will proceed to join from *Seringapatam*.

The following Medical arrangements, by the Officer Commanding in *Mysore* are confirmed.

The Garrison Surgeon of *Bangalore* to afford Medical aid to the Sick of His Majesty's 59th Regiment and 2d Battalions of the 9th and 14th Native Regiments left at that Station, from the 21st January 1809.

The Garrison Surgeon of *Bangalore* to give Medical aid to the sick of the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment left at that Station, from the 5th February 1809.

The Garrison Surgeon of *Bangalore* to give Medical aid to a Detachment of the 2d Battalion 9th Regiment at that Station, from the 1st March 1809.

The Garrison Surgeon of *Bangalore* to give Medical aid to the sick of the 1st Battalion 18th Regiment from the 21st April 1809.

The Garrison Surgeon of *Bangalore* to give Medical aid to the 3d Company 1st Battalion of Artillery and Division of Gun Lascars attached, from the 22d April 1809.

Serjeant Major Barr from the 2d Battalion 5th Native Regiment, is appointed Garrison Serjeant Major of *Seringapatam*.

Corporal

Corporal Cooper of 1st Garrison Company is promoted to Serjeant and appointed Key Serjeant of *Vizagapatam*.

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12th May 1809.

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Fort St. George, 25th April 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Surgeon Thomas Dickson of the 17th Native Regiment to afford Medical Assistance to the Zillah Court of *Augady pooree*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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Fort St. George, 5th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Macdonald of the 8th Regiment Native Cavalry to proceed to *Bengal* and *Prince of Wales's Island* on leave of absence for Six Months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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Fort St. George, 9th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Captain J. Hay of the 10th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to *England* on Furlough by the way of *Bombay*, and to draw his pay and half Batta up to the day on which he embarks.

The Governor in Council is pleased to admit Mr. Conductor Heal, to the Invalid Establishment in compliance with his request.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of Major General Cowdie Commanding the Army.

17th

17th May 1809.

Fort St. George, 16th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Irton of the 2d Battalion 9th Regiment Native Infantry to Command the force serving in Travancore.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of Major General Cowdie Commanding the Army.

19th May 1809.

Fort St. George, 17th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Appointments shall take place.

Lieutenant H. J. Bowler of the 16th Regiment Native Infantry to be Aide de Camp to Major General Pater, Commanding the Northern Division of the Army.

Corps of Engineers.

Ensign Mackintosh to be Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in the Northern Division of the Army.

Ensign Milbourne to be Assistant to the Superintending Engineer in the Southern Division of the Army.

2d Battalion 5th Regiment.

Lieutenant C. Herbert to be Adjutant vice Beaumont.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of Major General Cowdie Commanding the Army.

23d May 1809.

Fort St. George, 12th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The necessary Orders having already been issued regarding the



the movement to their respective Stations of the Corps and Details which Composed the Detachments lately employed in the Field to the Southward; the several Detachment and Brigade Staff Appointments published in the General Orders of Government upon the 3d and 14th of March last, are hereby declared to have ceased, and the Allowances annexed thereto to have been discontinued from the 30th Ultimo.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

24th May 1809.

*Fort St. George, 17th May 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to recognize Lieutenant Hugh Scott of the 1st Battalion 20th Regiment, as having acted in the Situation of Assistant Adjutant General in the Northern Division of the Army from the 23d March last, the date of his nomination to take charge of the duties of that Office, and directs that he be allowed to draw the Allowances of that Situation for such period as he continued to act during the absence of Lieutenant John Wilson 1st Battalion 15th Regiment Native Infantry the Officer permanently appointed to that Situation.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 20th May 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Cornet Irwin of the 5th Regiment Native Cavalry to withdraw the leave of absence heretofore granted him of two Months for the purpose of proceeding to *Bombay*.

The Governor in Council permits Captain Baber of the 16th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to *England* on Furlough for the period of three Years.

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The Governor in Council Sanctions the departure of Ensign Greig of the 1st Battalion 3d Regiment Native Infantry on Sick Certificate to *Europe*.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Superintending Surgeon Kennedy attached to the Subsidiary Force at *Hyderabad* to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for four Months.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Superintending Surgeon Baillie to remain at *Vizagapatam* on leave of absence for three Months, and directs that the Senior Surgeon present in the Provinces of *Malabar* and *Kanara* execute the Medical duties of the Division during the absence of Mr. Baillie.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon Hay to be absent from the duties of his Station at *Tronquebar* during such period as may be necessary for him to fulfil the stipulations of his Contract with Government and directs that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Macdowal of the 2d Battalion 18th Regiment Native Infantry, act for Mr. Hay during his absence.

The Governor in Council permits Mr. Surgeon Grant at *Cananore* to proceed to the *Carnatic* for the period of two months.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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Fort St. George, 23d May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel Macleod of His Majesty's 60th Regiment to Command at *Wallajahbad*.

By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

By order of Major General Cowdie Commanding the Army.

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25th May 1809.

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Fort St. George, 17th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish

For

for the information of the Army, the following Extracts of a General Letter from the Honorable Court of Directors—Dated 7th September 1808.

To England.

22d April 1805.

Para. 5 & 6. Ensign Blakiston of Engineers—a memorial transmitted relative to his rank.

Para. 4th. "Upon the principle we have established relative to Cadets educated at the Royal Academy at Woolwich, for our Artillery or Engineer Service—Ensign Blakiston who was a Cadet of 1799, is entitled to precedence of Rank before Ensign Russell, who was a Cadet of the following Season."

12 to 17. Mr. Locke re-instated in his rank pursuant to Court's Order.

9th. "From the Documents referred to, we are satisfied that Mr. Locke's resignation proceeded from ill health only—you will therefore re-instate him, with his rank, conformable to our Orders of the 27th June 1804."

To England.

8th September 1805.

(145 to 151) Claim of Colonel Bell of Artillery to the Command of that Corps Major General Smith being placed on the General Staff—opinions of the Commander in Chief on the principle of General Officers not being competent to regimental duties.

28. "We concur entirely in the propriety of your decision on the claim of Colonel Bell to command the Corps of Artillery, when Major General Smith was placed on the Staff, and appointed to the Command of the Northern Division of the Army."

(542 to 544) Assistant Surgeon Christie of His Majesty's 74th Regiment admitted into the Company's Service.

176. "Under the circumstances here represented we acquiesce in the measure."

(582) Memorial of Mr. James Clemons Adjutant of Invalids praying to be promoted to an Ensigncy in that Corps.

217. "From the long and meritorious Services of Mr. Clemons and his wounds and sufferings therein, we have agreed to promote him to an Ensigncy in the Invalids to which he is now Adjutant, to take effect from the date of his application."

227. "We have permitted the following Military Officers to return to their rank on your Establishment."

Lieutenant Colonel Hamilton Hall,  
 Lieutenant Colonel J. G. Graham,  
 Lieutenant Colonel J. Bell,  
 Captain Alexander Grant,  
 Captain W. I. Jones,  
 Lieutenant Robert Heming,  
 Captain F. P. Stewart.

234. "The undermentioned Officers on your Establishment have our permission to remain in *England* till the departure of the first Ships of next Season."

Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Robertson,  
 Lieutenant Colonel James Innes,  
 Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Crane,  
 Major F. A. Daniell,  
 Major E. Batchellor,  
 Captain James Colebrooke,  
 Captain William Dickson.

235. "Captain Benjamin Sydenham and Lieutenant Christopher Domville of your Establishment resigned the Company's Service, the former on the 13th July, and the latter on the 22d June last."

236. "Lieutenant Thomas Roebuck of your Establishment, had our permission on the 11th March last to remain in *England* two years for the purpose of Assisting Dr. Gilchrist in the publication of a reversed Dictionary, viz.  
 "Hindoostanee and English."

237. "The following Cadets for our Artillery or Engineer Corps on the *Madras* Establishment, having been reported to us by the proper Officer at the Royal Military Academy at *Woolwich*, as qualified for Commissions; they proceed to their duty this Season accordingly; and are to take rank in our Service next after Mr. Archibald Crawford, in the following Order, viz.

Andrew L. Murray,  
 Henry Stuart,  
 Henry H. Gore,  
 Thomas Nelson,  
 Frederick Derville.

238. "We

238. " We have appointed the following persons Assistant Surgeons for your Presidency of the Season (1807)."

James Shadforth,

Archibald Campbell,

Charles Jones,

John Nixon,

John Trebeck Conran.

239. "We have also appointed Mr. David Henderson an Assistant Surgeon for your Presidency of the Season (1806)."

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 18th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for the information of the Army, the following Extract of a letter from the Secretary at the East India House dated 15th September 1808.

" I am directed to acquaint you for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that Colonel Thomas Leighton of the Madras Establishment, died in England the 22d of May last; and that Lieutenant Colonel John Darley of the same Establishment, died the 3d April 1808, on Board the Earl Howe, on his Passage to England."

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 24th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council having acquiesced in the appointment of Ensign A. Gordon of the Madras European Regiment to do duty with the Escort of the Resident at Nagpore that appointment is now confirmed.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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Fort St. George, 24th May 1809.

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and other Allowances for May and the Pay for June of the Troops at the Presidency and the other Stations of the Army shall be issued on the 6th of June and on the following days.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

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**HEAD QUARTERS CHOULTRY PLAIN, 25th May 1809.**

**G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.**

The following Removals are ordered.

Lieutenant Colonel Orrok from 8th to 13th Native Regiment and to 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant Colonel Strange from the 13th to 8th Native Regiment and to 1st Battalion.

*4th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant Erskine from 2d to 1st Battalion.

*15th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant Gibson from 2d to 1st Battalion and

Lieutenant Noble from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Ensign Trew of the 1st Battalion 22d Regiment will join the Detachment of that Corps now at the Presidency.

Assistant Surgeon Claud Currie, is posted to the 2d Battalion 18th Regiment vice M'Douall, and Assistant Surgeon R. N. Croker to the 1st Battalion 17th Regiment Native Infantry.

The appointment by the Officer Commanding the Forces in Mysore, of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Gillespie to the Medical Charge of a Detachment of Pioneers employed at the Guzzle-hully Pass, as well as of a Company of the 2d Battalion 22d Native Regiment on Duty at the same place, from 18th December 1808, is hereby confirmed.

Assistant Surgeon Houghton will immediately take Medical charge of and proceed with a Detachment of Artillery under marching orders from St. Thomas's Mount to Trichinopoly and Quilon.

Mr.

Mr. J. Heal Conductor of Ordnance lately transferred to the Invalid Establishment, has Permission to reside and draw his Pay at the Presidency; and Mr. Coupland (Invalid Conductor) is allowed to remove from *Palamcottah* to *Pondicherry*.

Serjeant W. Morris of effective Supernumeraries is appointed Garrison Serjeant Major of *Vinagapalam* vice Haulon reduced.

Serjeant Derrick Schelters of the 1st Battalion Artillery is appointed Quarter Master Serjeant of the 1st Battalion, 13th Native Regiment.

*21st Regiment Native Infantry 1st Battalion.*

Havildar Meer Palchah to be Jenmidar—Date of Commission 6th May 1809.

Assistant Surgeon Dean is appointed to the Corps of Horse Artillery, and will join that part of it now at the *Mount*.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 29th May 1809.

Q. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE, COMMANDING THE ARMY.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in *India*, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS—MIRUT, 5th APRIL 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

*25th Light Dragoons.*

Benjamin Jones, Gent. to be Cornet without purchase, vice Gavin Ralston deceased, 1st April 1809.

*17th Foot.*

Lieutenant R. Gale to be Adjutant, vice Kelly who resigns the Adjutancy, 25th March 1809.

Serjeant Major Kirsell to be Quarter Master, vice Ferguson promoted in the 5th Garrison Battalion, 1st May 1808.

*33d Foot.*

Ensign Adam Twigg to be Lieutenant vice Hook removed to the 82d Regiment, 1st April 1809.

Arthur Hill Prevot, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Twigg promoted, 1st April 1809.

53d Foot.

Ensign William Booth to be Lieutenant vice Arnott promoted in the 56th Foot, 25th March 1809.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS—MEERUT, 15th APRIL 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following Promotions and Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

*8th Light Dragoons.*

Lieutenant G. W. Walker to be Captain of a Troop, vice Young deceased, 5th April 1809.

Cornet J. K. Taylor to be Lieutenant, vice G. W. Walker promoted, 5th April 1809.

Cornet C. J. Allingham, from the 24th Light Dragoons to be Cornet, vice J. K. Taylor promoted, 5th April 1809.

*24th Light Dragoons.*

John Renny, Gent. to be Cornet, vice C. J. Allingham promoted to the 8th Light Dragoons, 5th April 1809.

(Signed) J. JOHNSON,

*Acting Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS:

CHOULTRY PLAIN,

25th May 1809.

*By order of Major General Goudie.*

(Signed) W. NICOLSON,

*D. A. G. K. T.*

30th May 1809.

Fort St. George, 19th May 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the rules contained in the following Modified Paragraph of the Medical Regulations for the Field, shall be extended to the Regulations for that Department during Peace.

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**Para. 24.** Regimental Surgeons in Transmitting Reports of the Sick, to the Superintending Surgeons of the Division, shall include returns of their Hospital Cloathing, Bedding, and Medical Servants in use with their Corps.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 26th May 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council permits Mr. Assistant Surgeon Adam Napier to resign his present situation under this Presidency, in consequence of his nomination to the Medical Establishment in Bengal.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

**HEAD QUARTERS : CHOULTRY PLAIN, 31st May 1809.**

**G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.**

The following Extracts from the Confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial assembled in Cantonment at Secundrabad on Tuesday the 16th May 1809 and continued by Adjournment until the 22d Day of the same Month, by Order of Lieutenant Colonel T. G. Montresor Commanding the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, in virtue of Powers vested in him by the Officer Commanding the Army, and of which Syrang Mahomed Roossain is President; are published to the Army.

**CRIME.**—Subadar Mahomed Bauker 3d Class of the 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry Ordered in Arrest by me on the following Charges, viz.

1st—For having employed Shavan and Veerah, Sepoys in the 6th Battalion Company 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry as Horsekeeper and Grass Cutter to his Horse, whilst on Detachment to Ellore, under the Command of Lieutenant Howell, and excusing them of his own Authority from all Duty from the 4th January to the

2d March last, or some intermediate time between those periods, Lieutenant Howell at the time having no knowledge of their being so excused duty or so employed.

2d—For having ordered Letchemiah Sepoy of the 6th Battalion Company to take care of his, the Subadar's Bullock during the whole period of their being detached, or some intermediate period, during which he was excused from all Duty by him, his Commanding Officer Lieutenant Howell having only permitted a Man from the Detachment by turns, to attend his, the Subadar's Baggage, without ever intending that any one of the Company should on that account be excused Duty.

3d—For having Ordered a rear Guard of 3 Sepoys to protect Treasure belonging to a Merchant proceeding with the Detachment, without Lieutenant Howell's knowledge and for having particularly directed Sepoys Tanderiah and Chutter Sing, to accompany the Treasure on the line of March and take care of the Bullocks carrying it, at a certain period or periods during the March of the detachment to *Etlor*.

4th—For having under a false pretence of seeing their friends or relations obtained Lieutenant Howell's permission for three Sepoys named Chinganah, Ruben Khan and Shaik Homed to proceed to *Juggiahpettah* at a considerable distance from his Route, when his real motive for asking leave for them was, that they might protect the Treasure he had escorted from *Hydrabad*, These men being from the Southward and having no relations or Friends in that part of the Country and never having intended to go to *Juggiahpettah*, until Ordered by the Subadar or some person under his direction, and such and all of which acts being Subversive of good Order, Subordination and Military Discipline, and contrary to the Articles of War.

CANTONMENT, (Signed) H. FRAZER, — Major

SECUNDRABAD.

13th April 1809.

In charge of 2d Bat. 5th Regt.

(Signed)

BY ORDER.

C. ADDISON,

Deputy Adjutant Genl.

Sentence.



**SENTENCE.**—The Court are of opinion that the Prisoner Subadar Mahomed Banker is Guilty of the 1st and 2d Charges that he is not Guilty of the 3d Charge and that he is Guilty of the 4th Charge preferred against him. The Court having found the Prisoner Guilty of the 1st, 2d and 4th Charges, all of which are Subversive of good Order and Military Discipline do Sentence him the said Mahomed Banker Subadar to be Suspended from all Rank and Pay for (3) three Calendar Months.

W. ORMSBY,  
*Deputy Judge Advocate.*

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MAHOMED † ROOSSAIN,  
mark  
*Syrang and President.*

APPROVED AND CONFIRMED, but the Sentence is remitted in consideration of the Prisoner's Services and good Character.

(Signed) F. GOWDIE,

30th May 1809.

*Major General Commanding.*

The following Removals are Ordered.

Lieutenant Colonel Doveton from 4th to 8th Native Cavalry.

Lieutenant Colonel Dunn from 8th to 4th Native Cavalry  
2d Native Regiment.

Captain J. Marshall from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Captain R. Burne from 2d to 1st Battalion.

19th Native Regiment.

Captain Pidding from 2d to 1st Battalion.

Captain Smithwaite from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Mr. Conductor Victory from *Chittledroog* to *Cannanore*.

Mr. Surgeon Hans Gordon is removed from 4th to 13th Native Regiment and will join the 2d Battalion and Mr. Assistant Surgeon Sutton is removed from the 13th to the 1st Battalion 4th Native Regiment.

The appointments by the Officer Commanding the Forces serving in *Mysore* from 1st December 1808 of Lieutenant Peile to the charge of the Resident's Escort during the absence of Lieutenant Little, and of Lieutenant Grove His Majesty's 80th Regiment to the charge of the Honorary Guard attending His Highness the Rajah of *Mysore* until further Orders, are confirmed.

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The following Medical Appointments are confirmed from their respective Dates.

By the Officer Commanding in *Travancore* of Mr. Surgeon Erskine of His Majesty's 12th Regiment to take Medical charge of the Sick of the *Quilon* Force in Hospital at *Shangancherry* from 24th February 1809 — And by the same Officer of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Davidson to afford Medical aid from 5th April 1809 to 1st Battalion 4th Native Regiment until Mr. Surgeon Gordon joins.

By Lieutenant Colonel Stuart Commanding at *Oadagherry* of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Currie to afford Medical aid to the 1st Battalion 13th Native Regiment from 1st May 1809 during the absence of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Atkinson.

Serjeant John Carter of His Majesty's 80th Regiment is appointed to act as Garrison Serjeant Major of *Cannanore* till further Orders.

Serjeant Charles Lewis of the 2d Battalion of Pioneers is appointed Key Serjeant of *Oadagherry* in *Travancore* from 5th May 1809.

The following Promotions of Native Officers are Ordered.

*2d Battalion 13th Native Regiment.*

Havaldar Cammoul Mahomed to be Jemadar Date of Commission 27th March 1809.

*1st Battalion 17th Native Regiment.*

Jemadar Venkatachellum to be Subadar and Havaldar Juggoo to be Jemadar Date of Commission 11th February 1809.

The Deputy Quarter Master General and the Assistant Adjutant General of the Army are appointed a Committee to inspect the Clothing of the Garrison Companies, Native Invalid Companies, &c. &c. for the year 1807-8.

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 2d June 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

A General Court Martial for the Trial of all such Prisoners as shall be brought before it, is ordered to be assembled at *Arcot* at 10 o'clock of the Forenoon, on Thursday the 15th Instant, and will be composed as follows.

Lieutenant

Lieutenant Colonel Rumley 7th Regiment  
Cavalry,—*President.*

	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.
The Cantonment of Arcot to furnish,	.. ..	2	1
The Cantonment of Wallajahbad	.. ..	3	1
The Cantonment of Connatore	.. 1	..	1
The Garrison of Vellore,	.. ..	2	1
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The Proceedings will be conducted by the Deputy Judge Advocate to the King's Troops—to whom the Names, with the Dates of Commissions of the Officers ordered for the Duty—also lists of Witnesses must be sent without Delay.

Prisoners and Evidences are to be warned and are hereby ordered to attend.

2d June 1809.

*Fort St. George, 26th May 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in publishing to the Army of this Presidency, the following letter from Brigadier General Malcolm, late Envoy to the Court of Persia, containing an honorable testimony of the conduct of the Officers and men belonging to this Establishment, Composing part of the force lately assembled at Bombay under the Brigadier's Command.

**TO THE HON. SIR GEORGE BARLOW, BART.**  
**GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL,**

**FORT ST. GEORGE.**

SIR,

I consider it an act of justice towards the different Details of this Presidency which Composed part of the Force assembled under

under my Orders at *Bombay*, to report their Meritorious and Exemplary Conduct, during their stay on that *Island*.

These details amounted to near a thousand Men, and the Officers with them, were about fifty, and it will I trust be considered as highly honorable to the character of the Coast Army, that during five Months that this party of Troops were encamped near the populous Town of *Bombay*, I had not one complaint against them from any Officer of police, or from any of the authorities under Government, nor had I occasion to pass a censure on the conduct of any one Officer, or to notice the occurrence of the slightest difference, or contention, between any Individuals of the Detachment, during the whole of that period.

I trust I shall be pardoned stating the obligation I feel towards Major Russel, Captain Showers, Captain Poignand, and Captain Fitzpatrick, who Commanded the different details of Cavalry, Artillery, Horse Artillery, and Pioneers under my Orders, as also to Lieutenant Balmain, Lieutenant Patullo and Lieutenant Little, who acted on my Staff, and Indeed to all the Officers of the Details, for they were without an exception actuated by one spirit of harmony and zeal, and their conduct was such, as gave ample assurance of that degree of confidence which might have been placed in their efforts had they been called upon to act against the Enemies of their Country.

I had the highest reason to be satisfied with the great industry and Science of the Officers of the Military Institution of this Presidency, that were attached to my Expedition, who under the Superintendence of Captain Goodfellow of the Engineers, completed during my stay at *Bombay*, a very large and valuable Map, of the Western Frontiers of *India*, *Persia*, part of *Arabia*, *Egypt*, and *Turkey*.

I have the honor to be

SIR,

MADRAS,  
19th May 1809.

Your most obedient humble Servant.  
(Signed) JOHN MALCOLM

B. G.

In consideration of the expences to which the Troops above alluded to were exposed, while under Orders for Foreign Service at *Bombay*; The Governor in Council has been pleased to resolve, that the Officers and men of all the details, European and

and Native, and also the public followers shall be allowed one Month's full Batta after their Arrival at their respective destinations, independently of that to which they may be entitled for marching thither.

The Governor in Council adverting to the alacrity with which the several details composing the force proceeded on the Service in question, has been pleased to confer upon the Native Officers and Soldiers honorary Badges to be worn as a mark of distinction, and as a proof of the sense Entertained by the Governor in Council—of their attachment to the Service, and of their meritorious conduct while absent from their own Establishment.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 1st June 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

In consequence of the return of Cornet Bannerman of the 6th Regiment Native Cavalry from Foreign Service, the Honorable the Governor in Council directs that Officer to resume the duties of Cantonment Adjutant at Arcot.

The Honorable the Governor in Council directs Mr. Conductor Bliss to proceed to Tranquebar and take Charge of the Military Stores at that Station.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

*6th June 1809.*

*Fort St. George, 2d June 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Assistant Surgeon Brown to visit the Presidency, on leave of absence for two months.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

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*Fort St. George, 3d June 1809.***G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant J. S. Spankie of the Madras European Regiment to be Quarter Master to that Corps, vice Maitland removed.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE, SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 3d June 1809.***G. O. BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council has great satisfaction in publishing for the information of the Army, the following list of Officers in the Honorable Company's Service on this Establishment, who have been promoted by the operation of His Majesty's General Brevet as follows.

**COLONELS.**

**TO BE MAJOR GENERALS IN THE ARMY, (IN THE EAST INDIES ONLY.)**

George Roberts,	} Date of Commissions will be published hereafter.
Urban Vigors,	
A. Brown,	
Robert Croker,	Date of Commission 30th October 1805.
Francis Torrens,	Date of Commission 25th April 1808.
Carey Lelande,	Date of Commission 25th April 1808.

**CAPTAINS.**

**TO BE MAJORS IN THE ARMY, (IN THE EAST INDIES ONLY.)**

P. H. Keay,	from the 25th April 1808.
D. M. Holford,	ditto. ditto.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE, SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

*9th June 1809.**Fort St. George, 6th June 1809.***G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following appointments in General Orders.

Serjeant

Serjeant Edward Atkinson to be a Conductor and attached to the Quarter Master General's Department for the purpose of taking Charge of the Camp Equipage at *Wallojahbad*.

Serjeant Walter Francis to be a Conductor of Ordnance to Complete the Establishment.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PELLE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

9th June 1809.

*Fort St. George, 6th June 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Colonel Ross Lang Commanding at *Vellore* to visit the Presidency on leave of absence for a fortnight.

In consequence of the death of Captain Lieutenant Shairpa of the 1st Battalion of Artillery at *Mysore* on the 25th ultimo—The Governor in Council directs the following promotions to take place in that Corps.

**ARTILLERY.**

Senior Lieutenant Francis Webber Palmer, to be Captain Lieutenant vice Shairpa deceased—Date of rank 26th May 1809.

Lieutenant Fireworker Thomas Henry Thoresby to be Lieutenant vice Palmer promoted date of rank 26th May 1809.

The Governor in Council directs that, that part of the General Orders by Government under date 24th March 1809 promoting Ensign Russell of the Corps of Engineers to the rank of Lieutenant, be cancelled and that the following promotion shall take place in consequence.

Senior Ensign John Blakiston to be Lieutenant vice Sydenham retired date of rank 14th July 1808.

The Governor in Council directs that in Conformity with the regulations of the Service on the transfer of Officers from one Corps to another the undermentioned Ensigns of Engineers shall rank in that Corps next below Ensign Russell in the following Order and agreeably to the date of rank now assigned to each, viz.

Ensign

Ensign Mackintosh ..... 4th January 1808.  
 „ Milbourne ..... 4th do. do.  
 „ Monteith ..... 5th do. do.

The Governor in Council permits Lieutenant Read of the 1st Battalion 12th Regiment Native Infantry to visit *Bombay* on leave of absence for four Months.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Goudie Commanding the Army.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 12th June 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The Officer Commanding the Army being satisfied, that the punishment awarded certain European Soldiers by the General Orders of the 4th March 1808 had had the effect upon the Minds of the European Soldiery, that so exemplary a disgrace was intended to produce; is pleased, in consideration of the favorable reports he has received of the Orderly and penitent Conduct generally observed by them during their confinement, to direct, that they may be released and immediately sent to join the Madras European Regiment and are to be received upon the Strength of that Corps on the 1st of July 1809.

In adopting this Act of lenity the Officer Commanding the Army desires it may be understood that if such disgraceful practices should again prevail the most severe Measures will be adopted to punish such wickedness.

Officers Commanding European Corps will report all cases to Head Quarters of Soldiers wilfully disabling themselves, with a particular Statement of the Circumstances.

The following Removals are Ordered.

*Corps of Artillery.*

Captain W. Stone from 2d to 1st Battalion.

Captain J. C. Francké from 1st to 2d Battalion.

*20th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant W. S. Myers from 2d to 1st Battalion.

Lieutenant H. Walpole from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant V. Hughes of the 1st Battalion 12th Native Regiment

Regiment is appointed to do duty with 2d Battalion of Pioneers.

Mr. Conductor Francis (late Promotion) is appointed to the Garrison of *Chittledroog*.

Private Soldier John Clarke of effective Supernumeraries is promoted to Serjeant from 8th Instant and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant of the 4th Regiment Native Cavalry.

Serjeant Thomas Williams of the 3d Garrison Company is placed under the Orders of the Postmaster General from the 1st Instant.

Captain Jones of the 18th Native Regiment is appointed to inspect the Clothing of the Garrison Companies, Native Invalid Companies, &c. for the year 1807-8 in the room of the Deputy Quarter Master General as Ordered on the 31st Ultimo.

The following Medical Appointments by the Officer Commanding the Southern Division of the Army are confirmed from their respective Dates, viz.

By Major General Fuller of Mr. Assistant Surgeon Jones of the 2d Battalion 16th Native Regiment to be considered as having had the temporary Medical Charge of the Garrison of *Dindigul* from the Date of the Arrival there of the Corps to which he belongs—and

By Colonel Wilkinson of Mr. Surgeon Pearse of His Majesty's 30th Regiment to afford Medical Aid to the Detail of Artillery that accompanied the Detachment under the Command of Colonel Wilkinson to the *Tennivelly District* from 1st February 1809.

By the Officer Commanding *Seringapatam* of Mr. Garrison Surgeon Scarman to afford Medical Aid to the Detachment of His Majesty's 80th Regiment from 23d May 1809.

Mr. Assistant Surgeon Houghton lately Ordered to take Medical Charge of 2 Companies of Artillery from *St. Thomas's Mount* to *Trichinopoly* is also to Afford Medical Aid to a Detachment of His Majesty's 30th Regiment proceeding to the same Station.

Private Soldier George Joiner of the Madras European Regiment is promoted to Serjeant and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant of the 1st Battalion 24th Native Regiment.

14th June 1809.

Fort St. George, 13th June 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Serjeant William Jones to be a Conductor of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

16th June 1809.

Fort St. George, 15th June 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following Promotions shall take place.

*2d Regiment Native Infantry.*

Captain Lieutenant F. W. Wilson to be Captain of a Company.

Lieutenant John Ford to be Captain Lieutenant, and Ensign George Strachan to be Lieutenant in Succession to Cranstoun Deceased, Date of Commissions 7th June 1809.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 17th June 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following General Orders by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, are published for the general information of the Army.

HEAD QUARTERS—MEERUT, 24TH APRIL 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Lieutenant Colonel Sir W. Grant Keir, Adjutant General to His



His Majesty's Forces, having rejoined Head Quarters, and resumed the Duties of his Office, all Returns and Reports are to be made to him as heretofore.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

*Adjutant General K. T.*

HEAD QUARTERS—MEERUT, 25TH APRIL 1809.

GENERAL ORDERS.

The appointment of William Poole, Gent. to be Ensign in His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Foot, vice Barlow promoted in the 33d Foot, is Cancelled from the 25th of March 1809.

The Commander in Chief is pleased to make the following Promotion and Appointments, until His Majesty's pleasure shall be known.

*22d Regiment of Foot.*

Ensign J. Byrn from the 65th Foot to be Ensign, vice Evans, promoted in the 65th Foot, 1st April 1809.

Robert Keirnander, Gent. to be Ensign without purchase, vice Barlow promoted in the 33d Foot, 25th April 1809.

*65th Foot.*

Ensign Lacy Evans from the 22d Foot to be Lieutenant, vice Storey promoted, 1st April 1809.

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

*Adjutant General K. T.*

*General Orders issued by the Commander in Chief, Head Quarters, Meerut Cantonment, 29th April 1809.*

EXTRACT GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

FORT WILLIAM, 10TH APRIL 1809.

Major General Francis Fuller of His Majesty's Service transferred from the Staff of *Fort St. George* to the Staff of this Establishment having arrived at *Fort William* The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Appointment of Major General Fuller to the Staff of this Presidency shall be published in General Orders.

The Temporary Appointment of Colonel Wood of His Majesty's Service to the Staff of this Establishment will accordingly cease from the date of the arrival of Major General Fuller at *Fort William*.

BY

## BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Major General Fuller of His Majesty's Service Appointed to the Staff of this Establishment by the Orders of Government under date the 10th instant is directed to proceed to the Upper Provinces—The Command to be assigned to Major General Fuller will be notified hereafter.

Colonel Wood of His Majesty's 8th Light Dragoons will continue in his present Command of the Muttra Division of the Field Army until further Orders.

(Signed) H. WORSLEY,

*Adjutant General.*

(A true Copy.)

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

*Adjutant General K. T.*

## GENERAL ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

HEAD QUARTERS—MEERUT CANTONMENT, 29<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 1809.

Extract from the Proceedings of a General Court Martial held at Fort William in Bengal on the 20th of March 1809 pursuant to an Order from His Excellency Lieutenant General George Hewett Commander in Chief, &c. &c. for the Trial of Captain William Shaw of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Foot, and such other Prisoners as should be brought before it, and continued by Adjournment 'till the 3d day of April 1809.

CHARGE.—Captain William Shaw of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Foot Ordered into Arrest by Lieutenant Colonel John Dalrymple Commanding that Regiment on the following Charges.

1st.—For Scandalous Behaviour such as is unbecoming an Officer in having appeared on the Regimental Parade at Berhampoor in a state of Intoxication on the Evening of the 10th December 1808.

2d.—For having in Contempt of my Authority and in direct disobedience of my Orders quitted his Company instead of marching it, as directed by me his Commanding Officer to its private parade on the same evening.

3d.—For Conduct in the highest degree disrespectful to me his Commanding Officer, and of a Mutinous Tendency in having on the Evening of the 10th of December 1808 after having premised "No one is I believe near enough to hear me," addressed to me the following Expression

sion "You have behaved very ill and with great Impertinence  
" to me this Evening on Parade."

FORT WILLIAM, } (Signed) JOHN DALRYMPLE,  
16th March 1809. } Lieut. Col Comd H. M. 22d Foot.

(Signed) THOMAS GOUGH,  
Major of Brigade.

By order of Major General Sir E. Baillie.

## S. E N T E N C E.

1st. The Court upon Mature Consideration of the whole matter before them are of Opinion that the Prisoner Captain William Shaw is not Guilty of the first Charge, viz. Scandalous Behaviour unbecoming an Officer in having appeared in a State of Intoxication on the Evening Parade of the 10th of December 1808 and do therefore fully Acquit him thereof.

2d.—The Court are further of opinion that the Prisoner Captain William Shaw is not guilty of the 2d Charge, viz. "having in Contempt of Lieutenant Colonel Dalrymple's Authority quitted his Company instead of marching it (as directed by him) to its Private Parade" the Court therefore acquit him the said Captain William Shaw thereof.

3d.—The Court are further of opinion that the prisoner Captain William Shaw is not guilty of the Crime as expressed in the 3d Charge, viz. "Conduct in the highest degree disrespectful to Lieutenant Colonel Dalrymple his Commanding Officer and of a Mutinous Tendency" but the Court are also of opinion that the said Captain William Shaw is guilty of having used expressions highly disrespectful to that Officer (Lieutenant Colonel Dalrymple) and do therefore adjudge him the said Captain William Shaw to be reprimanded in such form and manner as His Excellency the Commander in Chief shall please to direct.

(Signed) H. F. CALCRAFT, (Signed) T. HAWKINS,  
Judge Advocate. Lieut. Col. President.

CONFIRMED.

(Signed) G. HEWETT.

After an attentive perusal of the Proceedings of the General Court Martial held at Fort William for the trial of Captain Shaw of His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Foot, The Commander in Chief has confirmed the sentence, which

which he considers to be justified by the evidence adduced. In carrying into execution that part of the Sentence which awards a reprimand to Captain Shaw, The Commander in Chief deems it necessary to express his strong sense of the extreme impropriety of Captain Shaw's Conduct in making use of language so highly insubordinate and disrespectful to his Commanding Officer, to which, in His Excellency's judgment, the charge of "mutinous tendency" was strictly applicable.—The Commander in Chief directs that Captain Shaw be reprimanded accordingly by Major General Palmer, Commanding at *Berhampoor*, in the presence of the Officers at the station, who are to be convened on the occasion. Captain Shaw is then to be released from arrest, and ordered to return to his duty.

The Commander in Chief is very sorry to observe that the proceedings of the Court Martial were frequently embarrassed and interrupted by the Counsel for the prisoner having been permitted personally to address the Court, or the Judge Advocate General, and even to arraign the proceedings of the former and to pass strictures on the conduct of the latter.—The Commander in Chief therefore directs that the irregularity which has called forth these observations may never be adduced as a precedent, nor any such improper interference be again allowed at any Court Martial which may be held under His Excellency's authority.

(Signed) H. WORSLEY, *Adjutant General*.

• (A true Copy.) •

(Signed) W. GRANT KEIR,

*Adjutant General K. F.*

HEAD QUARTERS:

CHOULTRY PLAIN,

14th June 1809.

} By order of Major General Gowdie.

(Signed) W. NICOLSON,

*D. A. G. K. T*

19th June 1809.

*Fort St. George, 13th June 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Horseman Secretary to the Medical Board to proceed

proceed to *Trichinopoly* on leave of Absence for one Month, and to direct that Mr. Assistant Surgeon Mackenzie take charge of that situation, during the absence of Mr. Hopseman from the Presidency.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 16th June 1809.*

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

It having come to the Knowledge of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that Inconvenience has arisen to many Officers, particularly to Officers holding Staff appointments at some of the principal Stations of the Army, by being subjected to Retrenchments for Signing Bills and Abstracts of Subsistence, &c. to parties of Troops or Individuals either doing duty at, or passing thro', those stations;—and as this inconvenience has occurred from the omission of Pay Masters to point out, or correct any errors in the Bills or Abstracts presented to them for payment, as enjoined in the 15th Paragraph of their instructions, which prescribes it to be “the Duty of a Paymaster, in the first instance, carefully to check the Abstracts or Bills of established charges, by the Abstracts, Muster Rolls and Certificates before he issues the Amount;” The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the strictest attention be paid in future to those orders; and with the view of ensuring a Compliance with this essential part of the duty of a Paymaster, The Honorable the Governor in Council has resolved, and accordingly directs, that from the 1st of July next, when a Retrenchment on account of an error in addition or calculation, or from not being supported by the prescribed Documents of the Certificates of the last Pay drawn, is made from an Abstract of Pay and allowances to a Detachment or party of Troops, not Commanded by a European Commissioned Officer, or to an Individual European, or Native Soldier, who either may be upon the route of March, or doing duty at a Station, it shall be the duty of the Military Auditor General to make such Retrenchment against the Paymaster, and not against the Staff Officer who Signed the Bill or Abstract.

And the Military Auditor General having reported to the  
Honorable



Honorable the Governor in Council, that Instances have occurred, of Paymasters upon this Establishment having, in disobedience to the Instructions contained in the 28th Paragraph of instructions to Paymasters, taken upon themselves, after the receipt of a retrenchment of an unauthorized charge, again to disburse like charges, without receiving authority for so doing; The Honorable the Governor in Council cannot but express his displeasure at such Conduct, and to prevent the recurrence of it in future, directs the Military Auditor General to retrench the amount of such Charges, not from the Officer signing the Abstract, but from the Paymaster, and to deduct the same from his Estimate of the ensuing Month.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PELLE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

HEAD QUARTERS: CHOULTRY PLAIN, 21st June 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

A Committee consisting of Lieutenant Colonel Trotter 1st Battalion 20th Regiment President and Captain Stewart 1st Battalion 14th Regiment and Lieutenant Jeffreys 2d Battalion 18th Regiment Members will assemble in the Garrison of Fort St. George at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Friday the 23d instant for the purpose of ascertaining the Heirs of some men of the late Madras Volunteer Battalion and of the Pioneers Corps who died on Foreign Service to the Eastward—all persons called for by this Committee are ordered to attend and such documents as it may require from the Corps to which the people belong are to be furnished immediately.

The following removals are ordered.

*19th Native Regiment.*

Lieutenant T. H. Delamain from 1st to 2d Battalion.

Lieutenant James Matthews from 2d to 1st Battalion.

The following Medical Appointments are confirmed from their respective Dates.

By the Officer Commanding Seringapatam of Mr. Garrison Surgeon Scarmian to afford Medical aid to the Detachment of His Majesty's 80th Regiment from 23d May 1809 and by Lieutenant Colonel Gibbs lately Commanding a Field Detachment of Mr. Surgeon M'Mullen His Majesty's 59th Regiment

to take charge of and afford Medical aid to the European Detail and Gun Lascars of the 1st Battalion Artillery attached to the Brigade under his Command from 1st February to 19th April 1809.

Conductors of Ordnance are appointed to Stations as follows—

Mr. Thacker, (from the Powder Mills) to *Trichinopoly*.

Mr. Jones, (late promotion) to *St Thomas's Mount*.

Quarter Master Serjeant James Smith is removed from the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment and appointed Quarter Master Serjeant of the 1st Battalion 6th Regiment Native Infantry.

Serjeant James Nutt of the Madras European Regiment is appointed to the charge of the Honorable Company's Camels at *Vizagapatam*.

## HEAD QUARTERS : CHOULTRY PLAIN, 23d June 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The Established strength of Corps of Native Infantry, Gun Lascars, and Pioneers having been determined by the Honorable the Governor in Council, the Officer Commanding the Army directs, that the following arrangements may be made in consequence.

### *Native Infantry.*

The Establishment of each Battalion of Native Infantry is to be—800 Privates—70 Sepoy Recruits.

Each Battalion of Native Infantry doing duty in the Subsidiary Force serving His Highness the Nizam is to maintain and return 100 Sepoys Supernumerary to the fixed Establishment.

### *Gun Lascars.*

The Establishment of Gun Lascars attached to each Battalion of Artillery is to consist of the following details and to be formed in 7 Companies Corresponding with the number of Companies in each Battalion.

Syrangs.....	14
1st Tindals.....	28
2d Do.....	28
Lascars.....	616
Bheasties.....	28
Lascar Boys.....	56

The Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned of the Corps of Gun Lascars who become by the above arrangements Supernumerary;

Supernumerary, are to be returned and Mustered as such, till vacancies occur to bring them on the Established strength, and Officers Commanding Battalions of Artillery will attach them to Companies in which they will do duty agreeable to their respective dates of Rank.

The strength of each Battalion of Pioneers is fixed at 700 Privates.

The Officer Commanding the Army directs that, with the Exception of the Corps of Horse Artillery and Cavalry, all recruiting is to cease, and instructions will be issued from the Adjutant General's Office regarding the Privates of the several Corps Supernumerary to the Establishments now fixed.

It is to be understood that in Corps under the fixed Establishment the transfer of ~~each~~ Sepoy Recruits as are perfectly eligible is sanctioned.

The above arrangement to have effect from the 31st of July 1809.

26th June 1809.

Fort St. George, 16th June 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council having received Certificates of the continued ill state of health of Lieutenant Newall of the 4th Regiment Native Cavalry and Ensign Leigh of the 22d Regiment Native Infantry in which those Officers are declared to be incapable of returning to their duty in this Country, is in consequence pleased to authorize their residence at the *Cape of Good Hope*, so long as may be requisite for their recovery.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 20th June 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

In consequence of the long and faithful services of Soobidar Maionud Surwar of the 1st Regiment Native Cavalry and Soobidar Noor Sahib of the 1st Battalion 16th Regiment Native

Native Infantry and of the testimonies they have produced of their general good conduct and attachment to the Service. The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct that a Palanqueen shall be presented in the name of the Honorable Company to each of these Officers as a mark of his approbation of their Services with an allowance of 20 Pagodas each per mensem to maintain these equipages. The Governor in Council is further pleased to reward the services of Soobidar Mahmud Surwar by directing that the amount of that Officer's present Pay shall be continued as a Pension for life to the nearest heir of the Soobidar on his decease.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,*

(Signed) J. H. PELLE,  
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 20th June 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to permit Lieutenant Bond of the 2d Battalion 16th Regiment Native Infantry to proceed to *Bombay* on leave of absence for six Months.

The Governor in Council appoints Lieutenant Colonel Symons of the 17th Regiment Native Infantry, to be President of the *Seringapatam* Prize Committee vice Lieutenant Colonel Clarke appointed to the Command of the Cantonment at *St. Thomas's Mount*.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,*

(Signed) J. H. PELLE,  
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort St. George, 20th June 1809.*

**G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.**

The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Provisions of the G. O. published on the 20th November 1808 shall be considered equally applicable in all respects to both the Corps of Horse and Foot Artillery.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council,*

(Signed) J. H. PELLE,  
SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*Fort*

Fort St. George, 23d June 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Major General Croker to be a Major General on the Staff of this Establishment and to Command in the *Ceded Districts*.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

Fort St. George, 24th June 1809.

G. O. BY GOVERNMENT.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Batta and Gratia allowances for June and the Pay for July of the Troops at the Presidency and the other stations of the Army, shall be issued on the 6th of July, and on the following days.

*By order of the Honorable the Governor in Council.*

(Signed) J. H. PEILE,

SEC. TO GOVERNMENT.

*By order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army.*

HEAD QUARTERS : CHOULTRY PLAIN, 26th June 1809.

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE.

The following Extracts of the Confirmed Proceedings of a General Court Martial held in the Cantonment of Arcot, by order of Major General Gowdie Commanding the Army, on the 15th and 16th Days of June 1809, and of which Lieutenant Colonel Rumley of the 7th Regiment Native Cavalry is President, are published to the Army.

Cornet Charles Thomas Ellis His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons, placed in arrest by Order of Lieutenant Colonel Hare Commandant of Arcot.

Arcot, 29th May 1809.

CHARGE.—For Conduct highly disrespectful and improper, unbecoming the Character of an Officer, and a Gentleman, in the following Instance. "In coming up to me on the public Parade, on the morning of Saturday the 20th of May 1809, in a Threatening and Insolent manner, and saying, Then I will knock your Dog down, " and



" and something else too; I can tell you that, I will not allow you to throw at my Dog or any Man-like you," Which words were spoken in a provoking and insulting manner, in the presence and hearing of several Officers of the Regiment.

By order of the Officer (Signed) J. GORDON, — Capt.  
Commanding the Army. H. M. 22d Light Dragoons.

(Signed) T. H. S. CONWAY,  
Adjutant General.

SENTENCE. — The Court having maturely weighed, and considered, all that has appeared before it, in support of the Prosecution, as well as what the Prisoner has urged in his Defence, is of opinion, that he is not "Guilty" to full extent of the Charge, viz. "Insolent behaviour, and ungentleman-like Conduct," it doth therefore acquit him of the same. The Court find the Prisoner "Guilty" of all, and every other part of the Charge, that by virtue of the Articles of War, for his Majesty's Troops, (but in consideration of the provocation received, and the Inexperience of the Prisoner in the Service) do sentence him to be reprimanded by His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

(Signed) C. J. BARROW, (Signed) C. RUMLEY, Lt. Col.  
Deputy Judge Advocate. and President.

I APPROVE AND CONFIRM, THE SENTENCE.

(Signed) F. GOWDIE,

M. G. 10th M. 10 10 10

Commanding.

## REPRIMAND.

The duty Major General Gowdie has to perform, of reprimanding Cornet Ellis of His Majesty's 22d Regiment, Light Dragoons, is as painful, as it is necessary; the observance of the respect due by an inferior to a superior Officer is too intimately connected with the discipline of an Army, for the Major General to omit noticing his concern to find, that Cornet Ellis has allowed himself on the present occasion, to be influenced by the impulse of the moment, without having due regard to the situation and Rank of Captain Gordon, his Senior Officer, then actually in the execution of his duty, but the

Major

Major General trusts, that Cornet Ellis will in future be more circumspect in his Conduct, and that the lenity observed towards him on the present occasion, will have its due effects.

Cornet Ellis is released from his arrest, and the General Court Martial of which Lieutenant Colonel Rumley is President is dissolved.

The faithful and meritorious conduct of Syud Meer Sepoy of the 2d Battalion 9th Regiment having been brought to the notice of the Honorable the Governor in Council, he is promoted to the rank of Jemadar, and appointed to the 1st Battalion 21st Regiment, in which Corps he will be borne as a Supernumerary, until a vacancy occurs; date of Commission 9th June 1809.

The Appointment by the Officer Commanding *Seringapatam* of Mr. Surgeon Alexander of the 22d Native Regiment, to afford Medical Aid to the Detachment of Artillery Ordered to *Cannanore*, is confirmed from the 20th December 1808.

*2d Battalion 10th Native Regiment.*

Havaladar Vully Mahomed to be Jemadar date of Commission 13th June 1809.

Further Extracts from the Confirmed Proceedings of the Native General Court Martial assembled at *Secundrabad* on the 16th May 1809 and Continued by several Adjournments until the 25th of the same Month are published to the Army.

**CRIME**—Rhym Khan Jemadar in the 6th Battalion Company 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry Ordered in arrest by me on the following Charge, viz: For having employed Mootoo Sepoy in the 6th Battalion Company 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry whilst on Detachment to *Ellore* under the Command of Lieutenant Howell to take care of his Bellock and of excusing him of his own Authority from all Duty from the 4th January to the 2d March last, or some intermediate time between those periods Lieutenant Howell at the time having no Knowledge of his being excused Duty or so employed.

CANTONMENTS,  
SECUNDRABAD,  
13th April 1809.

(Signed) H. FRAZER,—Major  
In charge of 2d Bat. 5th Regt.

By ORDER,  
(Signed) C. ADDISON, Deputy Adjutant General.

**SENTENCE.**—The Court are of Opinion from the Evidence brought before them, that the Crime preferred against the Prisoner Jemadar Rhyin Khan has not been proved, they do therefore acquit him thereof, and he is hereby acquitted accordingly.

(Signed) W. ORMSBY, MAHOMED + ROOSSAIN,  
Deputy Judge Advocate. his  
mark  
Syang and President.

CONFIRMED AND APPROVED BY ME.

(Signed) FRANCIS GOWDIE,—M. G.  
Commanding.

*Head Quarters of the Army : Choultry Plain, 30<sup>th</sup> June 1809.*

G. O. BY MAJOR GENERAL GOWDIE,

Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm is appointed to the Command of the Madras European Regiment, and with the permission of the Honorable the Governor in Council is directed to proceed to Masulapattam immediately.

Lieutenant Colonel Innis is removed from the Madras European Regiment to the 2d Battalion 2d Regiment N. 1. vice Malcolm.

**END OF THE NINETEENTH VOLUME.**

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- 14 & 16—Held in the Cantonment of Secunderabad 7th October 1808 and continued by several adjournments till 20th December 1808 on Lieutenant A. Chambers 1st Battalion 12th Regiment Native Infantry also on Henry Sheldon, Private in His Majesty's 33d Regiment.  
 32—Held at Bangalore, 12th December 1808 and continued by several adjournments till the 26th of the same month, on Captain Byrne his Majesty's 25th Light Dragoons.  
 52—Held at Jaulnah from the 2d to the 5th December 1809, on Hyder Gawn Trooper, 1st Troop, 4th Regiment Native Cavalry.  
 53—Held at Agoada 8th November 1808 on Major N. M. Smyth 1st Battalion 14th Regiment N. I.  
 130—Held in the Cantonment at Secunderabad 10th March 1809 and continued by several adjournments till the 26th April 1809, on Captain John Jeffries His Majesty's 33d Regiment.  
 160—Held in the Cantonment at Secunderabad from 16th to 22d May 1809, on Subadar Mahomed Baiker 3d Class of the 2d Battalion 5th Regiment Native Infantry.  
 173—Held at Fort William in Bengal from the 20th March to 3d April 1809 on Captain William Shaw His Majesty's 22d Regiment of Foot.  
 181—Held in the Cantonment of Arcot on the 15th and 16th June 1809, on Cornet Charles Thomas Ellis His Majesty's 22d Light Dragoons.  
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