

is, I consider, a first-rate cavalry officer; his daring courage is admired by all, and in every affair in which he is engaged, his personal combats are most prominent features. To Captain Hungerford, Commandant of Artillery Malwa Field Force; and to Captain Woolcombe, Commanding No. 4 Light Field Battery, and the officers and men under their command, my best thanks are due. I do not think artillery practice could have been better; and there can be but little doubt that the successful issue of operations is much to be attributed to their assistance. Of the conduct of Captain Brown, and the officers and men of the B Company Madras Sappers and Miners, I have much pleasure in speaking in the highest terms; whether as sappers or as infantry, they have distinguished themselves on every occasion. They have undergone an incredible amount of hard labour during our late march with a siege train over a country without roads; nor must I omit to mention that they accompanied the storming parties into the village of Goraria, and proved of the greatest service. My best thanks are also due to Major Keane, and the officers and men of the detachment Her Majesty's 86th Regiment; the gallantry of all ranks was most conspicuous, and, on both occasions that the village was assaulted, the coolness and daring of the officers and men, at whose head Major Keane placed himself, elicited the praise of all. My despatch from Dhar will have made his Excellency the Commander-in-Chief aware of the very high opinion I held of Major Robertson, and the officers and men of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry. During the late operations, nothing could have been finer than the behaviour of all in this regiment. Major Robertson distinguished himself on the 21st instant as field officer of the day in the disposition of the picquets, which duty I entirely confided to him, and by the skilful manner in which he met the attack made upon him in force on the afternoon of that day. During the succeeding days, Major Robertson rendered me the greatest assistance; the manner in which he led his regiment on two occasions to storm the village of Goraria is beyond praise, and I consider that the admirable conduct of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry fully attests the worth of this officer, who will, I hope, meet with some mark of distinction. In the praise conveyed to Captain Little, 25th Regiment Native Infantry, by his commanding officer, I quite concur; and trust that his Excellency may be able to grant some mark of favour to this deserving officer. In the two attacks on the village of Goraria, I could see no difference between the conduct of the men of the 25th Regiment Native Infantry and their comrades of Her Majesty's 86th Regiment; the same daring and gallantry characterised both. Their list of casualties will show how warmly they were engaged; and I trust his Excellency will recognise the merits of this regiment. Before closing this despatch, I beg to report on the admirable conduct of Assistant-Surgeon Butler, 4th Company 2nd Battalion Artillery, who, during the engagement on the 23rd instant, though suffering severely from sickness, left his dooley, and was engaged in the most active manner during the whole day in assisting to administer comfort to the wounded. The conduct of this officer has been brought to my notice by the Staff Surgeon of the Force, and will, I trust, meet with some reward.

I have, &c.

C. S. STUART, Brigadier,  
Commanding Malwa Field Force.

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*Nominal Roll of Officers and Men of the Malwa Field Force Killed and Wounded in the Engagements with the Insurgents before and in the vicinity of Mundisore, from the 21st to the 24th November, 1857.*

*Staff.*

Lieutenant H. Prendergast, Madras Engineers, 21st November, severely wounded.

*2nd Company 6th Battalion Bengal Artillery.*

Farrier Serjeant Robert French, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

Corporal Michael Sinnott, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

Syce Jowrahie, 23rd November, severely wounded.

Syce Sooka, 23rd November, severely wounded.

*4th Company 2nd Battalion Bombay Artillery.*

Gunner Patrick Kirly, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

Driver Ramnac Malnac, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

Driver Yeddoo, 23rd November, severely wounded.

*Her Majesty's 14th Light Dragoons (Left Wing).*

Lieutenant James Leith, 22nd November, slightly wounded.

Lieutenant L. Gowan, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

Lieutenant C. Martin, 23rd November, severely wounded.

Lieutenant L. Redmayne, 23rd November, killed.

Regimental Serjeant-Major Thomas Clarke, 21st November, slightly wounded.

Private George Cooper, 21st November, severely wounded.

Private John Harris, 21st November, slightly wounded.

Troop Serjeant-Major Samuel Whittaker, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

Private John O'Neil, 23rd November, dangerously wounded.

Private John Remington, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

Private John Buchanan, 23rd November, slightly wounded.

*3rd Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent.*

Duffedar Kadur Khan, 21st November, slightly wounded.

Trooper Budroodeen Khan, 21st November, severely wounded.

Trooper Sabit Khan, 21st November, severely wounded.

Trooper Hussun Mohideen, 21st November, slightly wounded.

Duffedar Sheik Goolam Nubbi, 23rd November, severely wounded.

Duffedar Meer Kassim Ali, 23rd November, severely wounded (left hand amputated).

Duffedar Babar Khan, 23rd November, severely wounded.

Trooper Shumsher Khan, 23rd November, killed.

Trumpeter Meer Shoojayut Ali, 23rd November, severely wounded.

Trooper Sher Ali, 24th November, slightly wounded.