- Lieutenant Francis Hender Mountsteven, retired Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the provisions of the Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870. Dated 3rd August, 1872.
- Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary David Oliver, Bengal Public Works Department, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 21st February, 1872.
- Ensign and Assistant-Commissary Michael Cunningham, Bengal Public Works Department, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1872.
- Deputy Assistant Commissary W. H. Manners, Bengal Public Works Department, to have the honorary rank of Ensign. Dated 21st February, 1872.

The following promotions to take place conse-quent on the death, on the 4th July, 1872, of Major-General Charles Rochfort Scott, Colonel of the 100th Foot :-

- Brevet Colonel William Parke, C.B., from Lieu-tenant-Colonel half-pay, 53rd Foot, and Aidede-Camp to the Queen, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 5th July, 1872. Major William Butler Gosset, Royal Engineers,
- to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th July, 1872.
- Captain William Paterson, half-pay, 63rd Foot, Professor of Military Surveying at the Royal Military College, to be Major. Dated 5th July, 1872.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to be Colonels :-

- Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Cameron Neville Hogge, Grenadier Guards. Dated 6th July, 1872.
- Lieutenant-Colonel Anthony Charles Cooke, C.B., Royal Engineers. Dated 6th July, 1872.
- Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Wray, Royal Engi-neers. Dated 6th July, 1872.
- Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Andrew Lumsden Murray, Royal Engineers. Dated 6th July, 1872.
- Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Inglis, Royal Engineers. Dated 6th July, 1872.
- Lieutenant-Colonel John Yerbury Moggridge, Royal Engineers.. Dated 6th July, 1872. Lieutenant-Colonel John Gordon Jervois, Royal
- Engineers. Dated 10th July, 1872. Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Mackenzie, C.B., 78th Foot. Dated 13th July, 1872.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions : -

- Major and Brevet Lieutenant Colonel Charles Edward Johns, half-pay, late Military Train. Dated 3rd August, 1872.
- Major and Brevet Lieutenant Colonel Charles James Orton Swaffield, half-pay, late Depôt Battalion. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

India Office, 1st August, 1872.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :-

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain. ...

Captain Robert Gordon Loch, 20th Hussars. Dated 12th December, 1868.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Bernard Channer, 14th Regiment. Dated 14th March, 1868.

Lieutenant John James Money-Simons, 41st Regiment. Dated 2nd January, 1871.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain Hurlock Galloway Pritchard, Royal (Madras) Artillery. Dated 27th April, 1867.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Benjamin Alexander Napier Parrott, 76th Regiment. Dated 8th December, 1870.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Lewis Forbes Heath, 83rd Regiment. Dated 11th January, 1867.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Yate, 49th Regiment. Dated 22nd March, 1871.

The date of rank of Lieutenant Annesley John Garrett, Bengal Staff Corps, is 28th October, 1868, and not as stated in the London Gazette of 22nd December, 1871.

The date of rank of Lieutenant Thomas Teed, Bombay Staff Corps, is 15th December, 1869, and not as stated in the Gazette of 19th March, 1872.

War Office, 2nd August, 1872.

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Royal Berks.

Moubray Allfrey, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd August, 1872.

Dorset.

Lieutenant George H. B. Browne resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

Royal Glamorgan.

William Edward Manning, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

Royal South Gloucester.

Lieutenant Walter Nugent Morton to be Captain. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

Royal North Gloucester.

Lieutenant James Tynte Agg Gardner resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

3rd Royal Lancashire.

Captain John R. Pedder resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifles.

Lieutenant Shafto Robert Elwes resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

4th or Royal South Middlesex.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel John Scriven resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

Royal Pembroke Artillery Militia.

Captain C. C. Wells is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd August, 1872.