

65th Foot, Lieutenant George Bryan Douglas Thornhill retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigny. Dated 8th April, 1874.

67th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Egginton Briggs to be Lieutenant, dated 21st September, 1872, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 27th March, 1872.

73rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Frederick Stapleton Gwatkin to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1872.

75th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Oakeley Trower to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1873.

85th Foot, Lieutenant Duncan Alexander Allan Macpherson reverts to his Regiment, being no longer a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.

86th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Haggard, to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1872.

99th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Peter Low to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1873.

106th Foot, Lieutenant George Lewis Leeds, from half-pay, late 37th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. W. F. Biggs, transferred to the 109th Foot. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Harry James Fergusson, from the 74th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable T. C. Scott, promoted. Dated 8th April, 1874.

1st West India Regiment, Captain David Gardiner retires upon full-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, The rank of Quartermaster conferred upon Quartermaster-Serjeant Michele Debono in the Gazette of the 23rd January, 1874, should have been stated to be local and temporary. Dated 8th April, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Robert Beresford Smyth, M.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 6th March, 1874.

Surgeon Samuel Wesley Handy is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 16th March, 1874.

Army Hospital Corps, The Commission of Lieutenant of Orderlies Charles Cook, Army Hospital Corps, to be antedated to 25th June, 1873, and he is to take position in that Corps above Lieutenant W. H. Brown. This antedate will not carry back pay.

HALF-PAY.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Pigott, from half-pay, 20th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles St. Clair Pote, from the 75th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 8th April, 1874.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel F. L. Alexander, retired Royal Marine Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Captain David Gardiner, 1st West India Regiment, to have the honorary rank of Major on retiring upon full-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Captain Sir Rose L. Price, Bart.; retired Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th April, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 20th March, 1874, of

General George Thomas Colomb, Colonel of the 97th Foot.

Lieutenant-General Francis N., Marquis Conyngham, K.P., Major half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Lieutenant-General Maurice Barlow, C.B., Colonel of the 14th Foot, to be General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Major-General James Scargill, Major half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Major-General Sir Richard Wilbraham, K.C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Brevet Colonel F. Charles Arthur Stephenson, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 21st March, 1874.

Major Stewart Alexander Cleeve, half-pay, late 13th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Captain F. Herbert Ruel, Royal Marines, to be Major. Dated 21st March, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel George F. Campbell Bray, 96th Foot. Dated 13th March, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Tito Brice, 17th Foot. Dated 9th April, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to have a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-General.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Edward Westropp, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Devereux Henry Hickman, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Surgeons-General.

Deputy Surgeon-General Charles Lindsay Cox, Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Surgeon-General Thomas Hastings, Bengal Army. Dated April 8th, 1874.

Deputy Surgeon-General Charles Archer, M.D., Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Surgeon-General George Ranken Playfair, M.D., Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Deputy Surgeons-General.

Surgeon-Major Andrew Fleming, M.D., Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Surgeon-Major Frederick Morrison Clifford, Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers on the Bengal Establishment to have honorary rank as follows:—

To be Captains.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary Michael McHatton. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary Donald McLeod. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Lieutenants.

Ensign and Assistant-Commissary Henry Telfer. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Ensign and Assistant-Commissary William Blow Collins. Dated 8th April, 1874.