

Colonel Andrew Nugent, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, to be Major-General, in succession to Lieutenant-General J. Conolly, C.B., placed on the Retired List. Dated 19th February, 1885.

Colonel Edward Marcus Beresford, half-pay, to be placed on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 20th March, 1885.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant - Colonel Newton Robert Burlton, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th December, 1884.

Lieutenant-Colonel Swinton John Browne, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 20th January, 1885.

Lieutenant - Colonel John Watson Macclesfield Anderson, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 20th January, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Jacob, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 20th January, 1885.

Lieutenant - Colonel Elliott Seward Ostrehan, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 31st January, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir John William Campbell, Bart., Royal Artillery. Dated 19th February, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Scott Hills, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Robert Craster, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Augustus Le Messurier, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, Supernumerary List. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry de Grey Warter, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Haughton, Royal Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Alfred Gorham, Royal Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel Ross Thompson, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Claudius Auchinleck, Royal Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Arthur Tillard, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Cole Magenis, Royal Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Graham, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Crombie Cowie, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William North, Royal Engineers. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Gosset Woodthorpe, Royal Engineers. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis James Caldecott, Royal (late Bombay) Artillery. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Peimberton Leach, V.C., Royal Engineers. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Riding - Master Ephraim Stannard, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary and relative rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 25th November, 1884.

Quartermaster John Kelly, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary and relative rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 10th March, 1885.

Quartermaster John McKenna, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary and relative rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 10th March, 1885.

Deputy Assistant Commissary William Nugent, Bombay Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 31st December, 1884.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.

Charles Edward Hungerford Athol Colston, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th March, 1885.

Civil Service Commission, March 13, 1885.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for five Second Class Clerkships in the India Office, and for Clerkships of the Lower Division of the Civil Service, held on the 26th January, 1885, and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 2nd December, 1884, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first fifty-five places :—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
*1	Mitchell, Horace ...	London
2	Jolliffe, Edwin William ...	London
3	Callaghan, Thomas ...	London
4	De Beaurepaire, Ernest Lucien	London
5	Sharp, Frederick William...	Birmingham
6	Phelan, James Joseph ...	Dublin
*7	Smith, George Henry ...	Dublin
8	Bryning, Alfred Henry ...	London
*9	Playne, Sidney Albert ...	London
*10	Inglis, Peter Fullarton Dougall	London
11	Fox, Alfred Harry Matthews	Bristol
12	Cox, Ernest Leopold ...	London
13	Pelling, Ernest Henry ...	London
14	Harris, Ernest Alfred ...	Plymouth
15	Wray, Frank ...	London
16	Hunt, William Stanley ...	London
17	Cunningham, Allan Patrick	London
18	Mare, Albert Henry ...	London
*19	Hudson, George ...	London
20	Heath, John Henry ..	London
21	Cannell, Daniel George ...	London
22	Fulcher, Lionel William ...	London
23	Martyn, Kennedy O'Brien...	London
24	Collins, Henry John ...	London
25	Whitton, Alexander Kirby	London
26	Blake, Thomas William ...	London
27	Hyde, Hugh Vivian ...	Leeds
28	Power, James William ...	Dublin
29	Braun, Augustus Henry Gilbert	London
30	Lacey, Frank William ...	London
31	Jones, Evan Morris ...	Belfast
32	Miller, Harry Montgomerie	London
33	Walsh, Joseph Patrick ...	Dublin
34	McMahon, John Kennedy	Liverpool
35	Exley, Arthur Reed ...	Leeds
36	Brown, Henry Percy ...	London
37	Henderson, James...	Cork
38	Bishop, William Wellington	London
39	Magee, Francis ...	Dublin
40	Parry, Hugh ...	London
41	Shinner, John Hill ...	London