

Captain H. D. P. Parry Okeden to be Major, vice G. Astell, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 10th June, 1885.

Lieutenant Lewis William G. Butler to be Captain, vice Brevet Major A. Davidson, seconded for service as Assistant Instructor of Signalling, Aldershot. Dated 23rd April, 1885.

The Manchester Regiment, Lieutenant Frederick William Thomas to be Captain, vice R. J. G. Utermark, seconded. Dated 1st July, 1885.

The Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant Walter C. Ross to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. V. Gunning, who has completed five years' service in that appointment. Dated 22nd July, 1885.

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Lieutenant Henry Hunt Hogan resigns his Commission. Dated 29th July, 1885.

The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Lieutenant Hugh C. F. Luttrell to be Captain, vice the Honourable P. Sidney, seconded. Dated 8th June, 1885.

2nd West India Regiment, Captain Charles Lawford Dale is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 28th July, 1885.

Ordnance Store Department, Assistant Commissary-General of Ordnance G. E. March, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, having attained the age of 55 years, has been placed on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Deputy Commissary-General of Ordnance and honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 25th July, 1885.

Medical Staff, The undermentioned Surgeons-Major are granted retired pay, with the honorary rank of Brigade Surgeon. Dated 29th July, 1885:—

James Parr.
Richard Tobin.

Veterinary Department, Inspecting Veterinary-Surgeon Tom Parindin Gudgin has been placed on retired pay. Dated 27th July, 1885.

Half-Pay, Captain William Rose Wynter, from the 14th Hussars, to be Major. Dated 24th July, 1885.

BREVET.

Captain William Charles Drummond, retired pay, to be Major. Dated 29th July, 1885.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:—
Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Swatman Reynolds, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Corbet Singleton, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Henry Ernest Kauntze, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 11th May, 1885.

Major and Lieutenant-Colonel John Barton Sterling, Coldstream Guards. Dated 1st July, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas John, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. Dated 26th July, 1885.

Captain and Brevet Major William Charles Drummond, retired pay, late half-pay, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 29th July, 1885.

Captain Allen Theophilus Ross, retired pay, has been granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 22nd July, 1885.

Captain Frederic Ernest Lowther Schreiber, retired pay, late Royal Irish Regiment, has been permitted to commute his retired pay. Dated 14th July, 1885.

Quartermaster Robert Matheson, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), has been granted the honorary and relative rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 7th July, 1885.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Charles Driver Wise, Bombay Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 12th May, 1885.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels have been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—
Brooking Soady, Bengal. Dated 1st July, 1885.
Arthur Drury, Madras. Dated 2nd July, 1885.
George William Fraser, Bengal. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

William Chase Parr, Bombay. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

George Herbert Murray Aynsley, Madras. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

Francis Dawson, C.B., Madras. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

Mangles James Brander, Bengal. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

Charles Henry Hall, Bengal. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

William Charles Robert Mylne, Bengal. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

William James Pratt Barlow, Bengal. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

Montgomery Hunter, Bengal. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

Isaac Forsyth MacAndrew, Bengal. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

John Durham Hall, Bombay. Dated 2nd July, 1885.

INDIAN LOCAL SERVICE.

The undermentioned Colonels to be Major-Generals. Dated 2nd July, 1885:—

James Blair, V.C., Bombay Cavalry.

Mowbray Thomson, Bengal Infantry.

Sir Charles John Stanley Gough, K.C.B., V.C., Bengal Cavalry.

The undermentioned Officers to be transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 2nd July, 1885:—

Major-General Mowbray Thomson, Bengal Infantry.

Colonel Edward Melville Lawford, Madras Cavalry.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant William Henry Seed resigns his Commission. Dated 29th July, 1885.

Captain Alfred Mason, 2nd London Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th July, 1885.

India Office, 28th July, 1885.

THE Queen has approved of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Robert Theodore Crowther, from the East Lancashire Regiment. Dated 24th June, 1883, but to rank from 1st July, 1881.

Lieutenant Walter Henry Simpson, from the Dorsetshire Regiment. Dated 12th January, 1883, but to rank from 1st July, 1881.