

*Ordnance Store Department*, Deputy - Assistant Commissary-General of Ordnance and Honorary Captain E. B. Appelbe, from the Seconded List, to be a Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General of Ordnance, in succession to Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. E. Taylor, deceased. Dated 18th January, 1893.

*Army Pay Department*, Staff-Paymaster and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel William Lamb Barr to be Chief Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Colonel, vice Honorary Colonel G. W. Rippon, retired. Dated 4th January, 1893.

Paymaster and Honorary Major Gordon Dewar to be Staff-Paymaster, vice Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Barr. Dated 4th January, 1893.

*Half-Pay*, Major Frederick Luttman-Johnson, from the York and Lancaster Regiment, to be Lieutenant - Colonel. Dated 22nd January, 1893.

#### MEMORANDA.

The following promotions take place in succession to General Sir A. Alison, Bart., G.C.B., retired. Dated 21st January, 1893:—

Lieutenant - General W. G. Cameron, C.B., Commanding the Troops, South Africa, to be General.

Major-General W. G. D. Massy, C.B., Commanding the Troops, Ceylon, to be Lieutenant-General.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels, half-pay, retire on retired pay:—

Colonel Ewen H. D. Macpherson. Dated 22nd January, 1893.

Colonel Charles V. Verelst. Dated 25th January, 1893.

Robert C. Paull. Dated 25th January, 1893.

Major and Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas W., Viscount Coke, Scots Guards, to be Colonel. Dated 29th November, 1892.

Deputy-Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Hann, Madras Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st July, 1892.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant James Maguire, Superintendent of the Fire Brigade, Aldershot, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 20th January, 1893.

#### INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Officers are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 10th December, 1892:—

Lieutenant-General Clement John Smith.

Lieutenant-General Edward, Lewis Hankin.

Colonel Donald Macdonald.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.*

Henry Arthur Hallam Farnaby-Lennard, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Samuel Hope Morley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

**GENERAL ORDER** of the Local Government Board: Temporarily Amending the Cholera Regulations.—(Rags from France, from Ports on Black Sea and Sea of Azov, and other Ports of Turkey in Asia, and from certain Ports on the Baltic and on the North Sea):—

To all Port Sanitary Authorities;—

To all Urban and Rural Sanitary Authorities;—

To all Medical Officers of Health of the Sanitary Authorities aforesaid;—

To all Officers of Customs;—

To all Masters of Ships;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS We, the Local Government Board, by Orders dated respectively the 11th day of July, 1892, and the 13th day of July, 1892, made Regulations prescribing that, from and after the dates in such Orders respectively mentioned, and until We should by Order otherwise direct, no rags from France, or from any Port on the Black Sea or Sea of Azov, whether in Russia, Roumania, Bulgaria, or Turkey, or from any other Port of Turkey in Asia, should be delivered overside, except for the purpose of export, nor landed in any port or place in England or Wales;

And whereas by an Order dated the 11th day of August, 1892, We made Regulations prescribing that, from and after the 19th day of August, 1892, and until We should by Order otherwise direct, no rags, bedding, or disused or filthy clothing, whether belonging to emigrants or otherwise, from any foreign Port in Europe north of Dunkirk, other than Ports of Norway, Sweden, and Denmark, should be delivered overside, except for the purpose of export, or landed in any port or place in England or Wales;

And whereas by an Order dated the 14th day of December, 1892, We amended the said Orders, and provided that rags, bedding, and clothing to which the said Orders, as amended by that Order, applied might be delivered overside or landed for the purpose of disinfection, but should not be taken out of the custody of the Officers of Customs until the same had been disinfected, and a Certificate as to such disinfection had been given as therein mentioned;

And whereas it is expedient that certain temporary provisions should be made as herein-after contained with regard to rags to which the said Orders apply;

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs have signified their consent to the Regulations herein contained so far as the same apply to the Officers of Customs:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, do, by this Our Order, and in exercise of the power conferred on Us by Section 130 of the Public Health Act, 1875, by the Public Health Act, 1889, and by Section 113 of the Public Health (London) Act, 1891, and of every other power enabling Us in this behalf, make the following Regulations:—

**ARTICLE I.**—Notwithstanding anything contained in the above-cited Orders, any rags to which the said Orders apply may be delivered overside or landed, and may be taken out of the custody of the Officers of Customs by the Consignee or other person having control over the same without having been disinfected, if there shall have been delivered to the Officers of Customs a Certificate by the Consignor of the rags made before Her Majesty's Consul or Vice-Consul at the place where such Certificate is made, and authenticated by him, that such rags have not been derived from any place in which Cholera has been prevalent.

**ARTICLE II.**—This Order shall come in'operation forthwith, and shall continue in force for a period of two months, unless We shall in the meantime otherwise direct.

**ARTICLE III.**—This Order shall be read as one with each of the above-cited Orders, and words