

STRIKING FORCE—TOCHI AND DERAJAT
COLUMNS.*Commander.*—

Major-General A. Skeen, C.M.G.

COLUMN HEADQUARTERS.

Cavalry.—

*2 Squadrons, 31st D.C.O. Lancers.
†1 Squadron (less one troop), 21st
P.A.V.O. Cavalry (for advance as far as
Kotkai only).

Artillery.—

*One Section, 4.5-inch Howitzers, R.F.A.
†No. 6 Mountain Battery, R.G.A.
†No. 27 Indian Mountain Battery.
*No. 33 Indian Mountain Battery.
No. 35 Indian Mountain Battery (joined
L. of C. defences during advance of Derajat
Column).
Divisional Ammunition Column.

Sappers and Miners.—

55th Field Company.
*74th Field Company.
One Survey Section.
†No. 4 Photo. Section.

Signal Units.—

†38th Divisional Signal Company, H.Q.
Section.
*40th Divisional Signal Company, H.Q.
Section.
No. 16 Pack Wireless Station

Infantry.—

43rd Brigade. (Commander.—Brigadier-
General G. Gwyn-Thomas, C.M.G., D.S.O.)
Brigade Signal Section.
4-39th Garhwal Rifles.
57th Wilde's Rifles.
82nd Punjabis.
2-152nd Punjabis.
67th Brigade. (Commander.—Brigadier-
General F. G. Lucas, C.B., C.S.I., D.S.O.)
Brigade Signal Section.
1-55th Coke's Rifles.
1-103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.
104th Wellesley's Rifles (relieved by 109th
Infantry from 68th Brigade in Derajat
Column).
2-112th Infantry.

Pioneers.—

3-34th Sikh Pioneers.
2-61st Pioneers (remained on L. of C.
after Derajat Column reached Kotkai).

Militia.—

*Northern Waziristan Militia (100
Infantry Scouts and 20 Mounted Scouts).
†Southern Waziristan Militia (100
Infantry Scouts).

NOTE.—

The 2-19th Punjabis,
,, 82nd Punjabis,
,, 1-103rd Mahratta Light Infantry,
,, 2-112th Infantry
were transferred to the L. of C. during the
latter part of December. They were, later

* Tochi Column only.
† Derajat Column only.

on in the operations, replaced in the force
(with the exception of the 2-19th Punjabis,
who came from the 68th Brigade, and were
only with the Derajat Column for 5 days), by
the following battalions, who joined the
Column on the dates shown:—2-5th Gurkha
Rifles, 5th January; 2-9th Gurkha Rifles,
10th January; 4-3rd Gurkha Rifles, 12th
February; and 3-11th Gurkha Rifles, 16th
February, 1920.

The 3-11th Gurkha Rifles became Column.
troops, while the 3 remaining Gurkha Regi-
ments joined the 67th Brigade.

ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS WITH STRIKING
FORCE.*Supply Units.*—

No. 12 Divisional Supply and Transport
Headquarters.
No. 12 Divisional Troops Supply Section.
No. 12 Divisional Supply Column Head-
quarters.
No. 12 Divisional Supply Park.
Nos. 7 and 34 Brigade Supply Sections.
No. 381 Bakery Section.
No. 381 Butchery Section.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ No. 71 Bakery Section.
 $\frac{1}{2}$ No. 71 Butchery Section.

Transport Units.—

48th, 49th, 66th, 67th (3 troops) and 71st
Pack Mule Corps.
3rd Government Camel Corps.
8th Patiala Camel Corps.
52nd, 53rd, 55th and 57th Silladar Camel
Corps.

Medical Units.

Nos. 2 and 4 Indian Field Ambulances.
No. 42 Combined Field Ambulance.
No. 1 Bearer Unit.
5 Combined Staging Sections.
No. 3 Sanitary Section.

Post Offices.—

3 Field Post Offices.

LINES OF COMMUNICATION—FIGHTING TROOPS.

TOCHI.

No. 1 SECTION, BANNU LINES OF COMMUNICA-
TION DEFENCES.

Area.—

From Mianwali—Kalabagh (inclusive) to
Pezu (inclusive) and Idak (exclusive).

Commander.—

Brigadier-General T. R. Maclachlan,
C.M.G.

Headquarters.—

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Cavalry.—

31st D.C.O. Lancers (less 2 Squadrons).

Artillery.—

One Section, No. 33 Indian Mountain
Battery.
*2 10-pr. Post Guns.
1 Section, 15-pr. Guns, F.G.A.
1 Section, 6.3-inch R.M.L. Howitzers,
F.G.A.

* Later transferred to Nos. 2 Section, Tank
Lines of Communication.