

ville; Little Beats; Low Toynton, detached part; Mareham-on-the-Hill, detached part; Martin, detached part; Moorby, detached part; Roughton, detached part; Scrivelsby, two detached parts; Tattershall, detached part; Tattershall Thorpe, detached part; Thimbleby, detached part; Thornton-le-Fen; Toynton All Saints, detached part; Toynton St. Peter's, two detached parts; West Ashby, detached part; Wilksby, detached part; Wood Enderby, detached part; Woodhall, two detached parts), in the county of Lincoln.

The Parish of Methwold, in the county of Norfolk, has been made Contributory to the School Board District of Southery.

*Admiralty, 8th January, 1879.*

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Francis Osburn has been placed on the Retired List from the 4th instant, with permission to assume the rank and title of Retired Commander from that date.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 30th April, 1877—

Engineer John T. Kelly has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 3rd instant.

*Admiralty, 9th January, 1879.*

*Royal Marines.*

THE following promotion, dated 1st January, 1879, has taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery, viz. :—

Lieutenant Edward Wheeler to be Captain, vice Bridgford, retired, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 15th January, 1878.

*India Office, 10th January, 1879.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

**BREVET.**

*To be Colonel.*

Lieutenant-Colonel George Henry William Fagan, Bombay Infantry. Dated 1st October, 1878.

*To be Majors.*

Captain George Crawford Hogg, Bombay Cavalry. Dated 27th October, 1878.

Captain Algernon Currie, Bombay Cavalry. Dated 27th October, 1878.

**SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.**

**BENGAL STAFF CORPS,**

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major William Garrow Waterfield. Dated 3rd October, 1878.

Major Frederick Peter Luard. Dated 12th October, 1878.

*To be Majors.*

Captain Charles Simeon Noble. Dated 4th October, 1878.

Captain Rowland Erule Kyrle Money. Dated 9th October, 1878.

*To be Captains.*

Lieutenant George Montalt Bellasis. Dated 7th August, 1878.

Lieutenant Edward Baynes Nixon. Dated 21st August, 1878.

Lieutenant Alfred George Yaldwin. Dated 14th September, 1878.

Lieutenant Alexander Thomas Seton Abercromby Rind. Dated 2nd October, 1878.

Lieutenant Herbert Anthony Sawyer. Dated 2nd October, 1878.

Lieutenant Henry Harvey Swetenham. Dated 2nd October, 1878.

Lieutenant Edward Lloyd. Dated 16th October, 1878.

Lieutenant Dudley Elphinstone Gouldsbury. Dated 16th October, 1878.

**MADRAS STAFF CORPS.**

*To be Majors.*

Captain Henry Strachan Elton. Dated 20th October, 1878.

Captain Albert Dawson Phelps. Dated 20th October, 1878.

Captain John Chadwick Doveton. Dated 20th October, 1878.

Captain George Henry Tillard. Dated 20th October, 1878.

*To be Captain.*

Lieutenant Francis Crichton Maltby. Dated 16th October, 1878.

**MADRAS MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.**

*To be Surgeons-Major.*

Surgeon Daniel Frederick Bateman. Dated 29th July, 1878.

Surgeon Edward Forster Brockman. Dated 1st October, 1878.

Surgeon James Forbes Sargent. Dated 1st October, 1878.

Surgeon Henry Hyde. Dated 1st October, 1878.

Surgeon John William Strong. Dated 1st October, 1878.

**BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.**

*To be Captains.*

Lieutenant Percy Charles Heath. Dated 2nd October, 1878.

Lieutenant O'Moore Creagh. Dated 2nd October, 1878.

Lieutenant William Henry Lyster. Dated 16th October, 1878.

**BOMBAY MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.**

*To be Surgeons-Major.*

Surgeon William Nolan, M.D. Dated 1st October, 1878.

Surgeon Samuel O'Brien Banks. Dated 1st October, 1878.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.*

Christopher Beckett Denison, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1878.