David Fitzgerald Downing. Dated 1st January, 1880.

In consequence of the death of Major T. W. Bridges (late Bengal) which occurred on the 15th January, 1880, the promotions of the under-mentioned Officers are antedated as stated against their names -

Major J. A. S. Colquhoun' (late Bengal) to the

16th January, 1880. Captain G. M. Lloyd to the 16th January, 1880. Captain E. B. Standbridge to the 17th January,

Captain E. H. Walker to the 17th January, 1880.

For, Lieutenant Edmund Standbridge Baker, from the Seconded List, to be Captain upon the Seconded List, as stated in the London Gazette dated 23rd January, 1880,

Read, Lieutenant Edmund Baker Standbridge, from the Seconded List, to be Captain upon

the Seconded List.

The retirement of Major M. H. C. B. Steinman, half-pay (late Madras), upon a pension, announced in the London Gazette of 23rd January, 1880, is antedated to the 14th November,

Royal Military Academy, Lieutenant William Eversley Hardy to be Lieutenant of a Company of Gentleman Cadets, vice E. G. H. Bingham, promoted. Dated 15th February, 1880.

Commissariat and Transport Department, The undermentioned Officer is placed on retired pay, under the Royal Warrant of 12th July, 1878, on reduction of establishment, from 23rd February, 1880, inclusive:

Commissary Edward W. H. Webb, C.B.

The undermentioned Officers are placed on retired pay, under the Royal Warrant of 31st January, 1880, from 10th February, 1880, inclu-

Assistant Commissary F. W. Lundy.
Assistant Commissary E. L. B. Kevill-Davies.
Assistant Commissary W. S. Blenkinsop.

Assistant Commissary Alfred George Bankart is allowed to resign his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1880.

Ordnance Store Department. Deputy Commissary J. R. Herapath, at present on temporary half-pay, is placed on retired pay, under Royal Warrant of 31st January, 1880 (Article

59), from 1st February, 1880, inclusive.

Deputy Commissary W. H. Chambers is placed on Retired Pay, under the Royal Warrant of 31st January, 1880 (Article 55), from 25th - February, 1880, inclusive.

BREVET.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Bowes Lennox Forster, Royal Artillery, to be Colonel.

Dated 6th February, 1880.

The date of promotion to the rank of Colonel of Lieutenant-Colonel C. F. Cockburn, Royal Artillery, should be 16th January, 1880, and not 13th January, 1880, as stated in the London Gazette, dated 23rd January, 1880.

India Office, 18th February, 1880.

THE Queen has approved of the following promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps

Alexander Burridge Purvis. Dated 1st January, I and Indian Military Services' made by the Governments in India:-

BENGAL STAFF CORPS. To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Henry Archibald Mallock. Dated 9th December, 1879.

Major James Sconce. Dated 9th December, 1879. Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Macdonald. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Major William Price Morland Holroyd. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Major Francis Frederick Rowcroft. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Major Harry De Brett. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Smith Maclean. Dated 14th December, 1879. Major Harry Chippindale Plunkett Rice. Dated

20th December, 1879. Major Henry Loftus Alexander Tottenham. Dated

20th December, 1879.

To be Majors.

Captain Lachlan Foster Jamieson. Dated 2nd December, 1879.

Captain David Clapham Andrew. Dated 9th December, 1879.

Captain Samuel Hunter Cowan. Dated 9th December, 1879.

Captain Henry Stephen Hutchinson. Dated 9th December, 1879.

Captain John Edward Campbell. Dated 10th December, 1879.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Ernle Edmund Money. Dated 18th December, 1879.

BENGAL ARMY.

CAVALRY. To be Majors.

Captain William Burnet Craigie. Dated -4th December, 1879.

Captain Edward Hay. Dated 4th December, 1879.

Captain Arthur William Reddie Becher. Dated 20th December, 1879.

Infantry.

To be Majors.

Captain James Gawler Macleod. Dated 9th December, 1879.

Captain Trevor John Chicheley Plowden. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Captain Francis Eddowes Hastings. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Captain Richard Henry Salkeld. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Captain and Brevet Major Dawsonne Melancthon Strong. Dated 10th December, 1879. Captain Henry Herbert Rankin. Dated 10th

December, 1879.

Captain Francis Edwin Wiggens. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Captain Edward Phillipson Mainwaring. Dated 20th December, 1879.

Captain William Benjamin Aislabie. Dated 20th December, 1879..

Captain William Hopkinson. Dated 20th December, 1879.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Charles Walker Street. Dated 10th December, 1879.

Major Thomas Obbard. Dated 10th December, 1879. Major Woulfe Hay. Dated 10th December,

1879.