54th Foot, Captain James H. Tarleton has retired on half-pay. Dated 25th November, 1880.

Second Lieutenant Herbert S. G. Hall has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 14th September, 1880.

57th Foot, Major Henry David Bicknell retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 18th December, 1880.

59th Foot, Captain William Hunter Buller Little, from the 4th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. T. A. Drought, who exchanges. Dated 18th December, 1880.

67th Foot, Lieutenant (with local and temporary rank) Ernest Carbonaro, from the Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, to be Second Lieutenant, vice A. M. Lloyd, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1880.

72nd Foot, Lieutenant Henry P. Gore Langton resigns his Commission. Dated 18th December, 1880.

75th Foot, Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Richard Wadeson, V.C., having completed five years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on half-pay. Dated 18th December, 1880.

83rd Foot, Lieutenant William David Thompson has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th September, 1880.

93rd Foot, Captain and Brevet Major Robert W. T. Gordon has retired on half-pay. Dated 29th October, 1880.

99th Foot, Sergeant Herbert Mostyn Day, from the 82nd Foot, to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. S. Guille, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1880.

106th Foot, Captain H. R. Gall, from half-pay, late 5th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. A. Berwick, seconded from 17th November, 1880, for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 18th December, 1880.

Rifle Brigade, Captain Thomas Astley Maberly retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity. Dated 18th December, 1880.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable Edward Reginald Bateman-Hanbury, from the 41st Foot, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 18th December, 1890.

2nd West India Regiment, The name of the Second Lieutenant, hitherto described as Henry Oswin Grant, is Henry Oswin Ogilvie-Grant.

Army Pay Department, Captain William Palmer, from the 63rd Foot, having resigned his Combatant Commission, to be Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 6th July, 1880, such antedate not to carry pay prior to 6th December, 1880.

Army Hospital Corps, Lieutenant of Orderlies Thomas Thompson to be Captain of Orderlies, vice J. Andrews, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 30th September, 1880. Staff Sergeant William McCallum to be Lieu-

Staff Sergeant William McCallum to be Lieutenant of Orderlies, vice T. Thompson. Dated 18th December, 1880.

Veterinary Department, The undermentioned Veterinary-Surgeons on probation to be Veterinary-Surgeons:—

Henry Thomas William Mann. Dated 26th May,

George Richard Griffith. Dated 26th May, 1880. Thomas Caldecott. Dated 9th June, 1890. BREVET.

Captain and Lieutenant - Colonel Lewis Guy Phillips, Grenadier Guards, to be Colonel, dated 13th January, 1880, he having completed the requisite period of qualifying service on that day.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Lambton, Coldstream Guards, to be Colonel. Dated 25th

November, 1880.

Lieutenant - Colonel and Second Commandant Philip Harris, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 30th November, 1880.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Wadeson, V.C., 75th

Foot, to be Colonel. Dated 18th December, 1880.

Deputy Assistant - Commissary Thomas Cole, Madras Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 20th September, 1880.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Prittie Cosby, halfpay, late 14th Foot, retires on a pension, with the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 18th December, 1880.

Captain and Brevet Major Charles Edmund Phipps, half-pay, late 18th Foot, has been permitted to commute his half-pay. Dated 29th November, 1880.

Captain Lorenzo Nickson Mosse, half-pay, late 67th Foot, retires on a pension, with the honorary rank of Major. Dated 18th December, 1880.

India Office, 16th December, 1880.

THE Queen has approved of the following Admission to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service:—

MADRAS.

To be Surgeon.

Francis Casement Reeves. Dated 31st October, 1879.

This cancels the appointment of the abovementioned Officer to the Bombay Establishment, notified in the London Gazette of the 23rd April, 1880, page 2658.

Civil Service Commission, December 17, 1880.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for Clerkships (Class I), in the Civil Service, will be held in London, on Tuesday, the 1st February, 1881, and following days, under the Special Regulations, dated 23rd February, 1880, and published in the London Gazette of the 24th of the same month.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, on Friday, the

14th January, 1881.

No person will be admitted to the Preliminary Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 4th January, an "application" in the Candidate's own handwriting on a prescribed form which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, December 13, 1880.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the amount awarded for salvage services rendered to the