War Office, Pall Mall, 8th March, 1881.

Royal Engineers, Captain William de Wiveleslie Abney, on the Temporary Reserve List, retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 9th March, 1881.

Lieutenant Courtney Clarke Rawson to be Captain, vice J. C. MacGregor, killed in action. Dated

9th February, 1881

Lieutenant George William Addison has been seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 23rd November, 1880.

The following Gentlemen Cadets from the Royal Military Academy to be Lieutenants :-

Peter Eden Dixon, vice F. J. Day, promoted. Dated 23rd February, 1881.

Cecil Hill, vice L. F. Brown, promoted. Dated

23rd February, 1881. Edward Spencer Meredith, vice R. Gardiner, pro-

moted. Dated 23rd February, 1881. Ricardo Dartnell Petrie, vice J. T. Rice, deceased. Dated 23rd February, 1881.

Charles Henry Cowie, vice C. Nugent, deceased. Dated 23rd February, 1881.

Staff, Major-General the Honourable Edward Thomas Gage, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be placed upon the Staff of the Army as a Major-General, with a view to his commanding the Troops in the Woolwich District, vice Lieutenant-General J. Turner, C.B., Royal Artillery, who vacates that appointment in consequence of his promotion to the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 1st April, 1881.

Colonel Thomas Elliott Hughes, Royal Artillery from Assistant Adjutant-General of Royal Artillery at Head Quarters, to be a Colonel on the Staff, with a view to his commanding the Royal Artillery in Natal and the Transvaal.

Dated 30th March, 1881.

Colonel Sir William Hamilton, Bart., Royal Artillery, to be a Colonel on the Staff, with a view to his commanding the Royal Artillery in the Western District, vice Major-General H. P. Newton, Royal Artillery, who vacates that appointment on promotion. Dated 9th March, 1881.

Major and Brevet Colonel Thomas Durand Baker. K.C.B., 18th Foot, to be a Brigadier-General on the Staff of the Army, whilst commanding the lines of communication in Natal and the Dated 30th March, 1881 Transvaal.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Reginald Thomas Thynne, Grenadier Guards, to be an Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General in South

Africa. Dated 1st April, 1881

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Wallace Grenfell, 60th Foot, now Brigade-Major in the South-Eastern District, to be Brigade-Major, Infantry Brigade, South Africa. Dated 5th April, 1881.

Captain and Brevet Major John Frederick Maurice, Royal Artillery, to be a Brigade Major of Royal Artillery in the Cork District, vice Major J. W. Bernard, Royal Artillery, who vacates that appointment in consequence of his promotion. Dated 9th March, 1881.

Captain and Brevet Major Walter Reginald Fox, Royal Artillery, from Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General (Intelligence Department) at Head Quarters, to be a Brigade-Major on the lines of communication in Natal and the Transvaal. Dated 30th March, 1881.

Captain and Brevet Major Arthur Godolphin Yeatman-Biggs, Royal Artillery, to be Brigade-Major of Royal Artillery in Natal and the Transvaal. Dated 30th March, 1881.

Captain and Brevet Major John Ramsay Slade, Royal Artillery, to be Aide-de-Camp to Brevet Colonel T. D. Baker, K.C.B., commanding the lines of communication in Natal and the Trans-Dated 30th March, 1881.

Captain Robert Hamilton Lloyd Anstruther, Rifle Brigade, from Garrison Instructor, Eastern District, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp to Major-General E. Newdigate, C.B., commanding an Infantry Brigade in Natal and the Transvaal. Dated 30th March, 1881.

Captain Walter William Marriott Smith, Royal Artillery, to be Brigade Major of Royal Artillery at Gibraltar, vice Captain H. M. J. Feilden, Royal Artillery, who resigns that appointment.

Dated 15th March, 1881.

Lieutenant Frederick George Slade, Royal Artillery, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp to Brigadier-General Sir H. E. Wood, V.C., K.C.B., whilst employed in South Africa. Dated 24th March,

Lieutenant Eugène Leopold Selwyn Brett, Scots Guards, to be Extra Aide-de-Camp to Major-General Sir F. S. Roberts, V.C., G.C.B., commanding the Forces in Natal and the Transvaal. Dated 30th March, 1881.

#### BREVET.

Brigadier-General Sir Henry Evelyn Wood, V.C., K.C.B., to have the local rank of Major-General whilst serving in Natal and the Transvaal. Dated 28th February, 1881.

### India Office, 7th March, 1881.

HER Majesty has approved of the admission to the Bombay Staff Corps, under the terms of the Royal Warrant of the 17th January, 1881, of the undermentioned Officer:-

## To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant George Arthur Gott, from the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 8th December, 1880, but to rank from 23rd February, 1876.

Transfer from the Bengal to the Bombay Staff Corps of an Officer admitted to the former under the above Warrant:

Lieutenant John Blandford Ratteclyffe Butler, with effect from 10th December, 1880.

#### ERRATUM.

The first Christian name of Lieutenant E. V. Goldsmid, admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps in the London Gazette of the 28th January, 1881, is Everard, and not Edward as therein

# India Office, 7th March, 1881.

THE following appointments to His Excellency's Personal Staff have been made by the Governor of Madras, dated 11th January, 1881:-

To be Military Secretary.
Captain W. H. Curzon Wyllie, Bengal Staff Corps.

To be Aides-de-Camp. Captain J. H. N. G. H., Viscount Dalrymple,

Royal Horse Guards.

Captain John Gordon, 89th Foot

To be Extra Aides-de-Camp. Lieutenant A. J. English, 14th Hussars. Lieutenant A. H. L. Bagot, 13th Foot.

The following appointments to the Staff have been made by the Government of Madras:

Captain R. E. C. Jarvis, 67th Foot, to be Deputy Assistant Adjutant General. Dated 9th January, 1881.