

The Highland Light Infantry, Lieutenant J. Henry Greer to be Captain, vice E. G. Keppel, promoted. Dated 3rd April, 1883.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Lieutenant Charles M. Cartwright has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1883.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Captain James L. C. St. Clair to be Major, vice the Honourable W. FitzWilliam Elliot, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 31st January, 1883.

The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Supernumerary Major H. S. Brownrigg to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel R. B. Lane, seconded from 24th May, 1883, for service on the Staff. Dated 1st June, 1883.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Lieutenant-Colonel Montagu Hall retires on half-pay. Dated 13th June, 1883.

Staff, Colonel George Edmund Lushington Walker, Royal Engineers, to be a Colonel on the Staff to command the Royal Engineers in China, Hong Kong, and the Straits Settlements. Dated 1st August, 1883.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Aylmer Spicer Cameron, V.C., the King's Own Borderers, to be an Assistant Quartermaster-General at Head-Quarters (Intelligence Branch) vice Colonel C. J. East, half-pay, who is about to vacate that appointment. Dated 27th June, 1883.

Major George Washington Smith, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General on the Staff of the Army. Dated 1st July, 1883.

Chaplain's Department, The Reverend Herbert Tudor Craig, B.A., Chaplain to the Forces of the Second Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces of the First Class. Dated 1st June, 1883.

Army Pay Department, Paymaster and Honorary Captain Edward George Pellet Mayers has been cashiered by sentence of a General Court Martial. Dated 18th May, 1883.

Medical Department, Brigade Surgeon John Tulloch, M.D., to be Deputy Surgeon-General, vice J. L. Jameson, granted retired pay. Dated 2nd May, 1883.

Surgeon-Major James Inkson, M.D., to be Brigade Surgeon, vice W. S. Oliver, M.D., granted retired pay. Dated 1st May, 1883.

Surgeon-Major James Jameson, M.D., to be Brigade Surgeon, vice J. Tulloch, M.D. Dated 2nd May, 1883.

MEMORANDUM.

Major-General Frederick Weston Peile, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, has retired upon a pension and extra annuity, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 4th June, 1883.

India Office, 12th June, 1883.

THE Queen has approved of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major William Francis Badgley. Dated 4th April, 1883.

Major Francis William Grant. Dated 20th April, 1883.

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Major Francis Newland Martin Maynard. Dated 20th April, 1883.

To be Majors.

Captain and Brevet Major George Masson Abbott. Dated 31st March, 1883.

Captain Alfred Nimmo Sandilands. Dated 31st March, 1883.

BENGAL ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Francis Cosby Rochfort. Dated 4th April, 1883.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Francis Henry Vanderzee. Dated 7th April, 1883.

Major Arthur Frederick Laughton. Dated 20th April, 1883.

Major James Henry Gordon. Dated 20th April, 1883.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Thomas Teed. Dated 31st March, 1883.

BOMBAY MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Brigade Surgeon John Pinkerton, M.D. Dated 1st May, 1883.

ERRATUM.

The surname of the Officer of Bengal Staff Corps promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the London Gazette of the 11th May last is *Ollivant*, and not *Olivant*, as stated in the Gazette.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871.

PETWORTH WINTER FAIR.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Sir William Vernon Harcourt, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 19th day of May, 1883, a representation has been duly made to me by the Justices of the Peace for the county of Sussex, acting in and for the Petworth Petty Sessional Division, that a Fair known as the Petworth Winter Fair, has been annually held on the 20th day of November (or on 21st November when 20th November falls on a Sunday) at Petworth (partly in the town of Petworth aforesaid and partly on Hamper Common, in the parish of Petworth aforesaid), within the Petworth Petty Sessional Division in the county of Sussex, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished:

2. On the 11th day of July, 1883, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair. *W. V. Harcourt.*

Whitehall, June 11, 1883.

NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, June 11, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the amount awarded for the salvage services rendered to the steamer "Clan Buchanan" on the 21st and 22nd October, 1882, by Her Majesty's ship "Osprey."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the award,