

S U P P L E M E N T
TO
GENERAL ORDERS.

SEPARATE No. 11 OF 1842.

BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BOMBAY CASTLE, 29th MARCH 1842.

The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Compilation of all existing orders under the head "Staff."

By order of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council,

P. M. MELVILL, Lieut. Col.

Secy. to Govt.

The foregoing Table shews the number of Staff Appointments &c., with the exception of several Departments, in which the number of Officers is so great that it would have been inconvenient to insert them, and the authorized establishments of which are as follows.

Adjutant General's Department.

1 Deputy Adjutant General,	Bombay.	1 Brigade Major,	Deesa.
1 Assistant	Poona D. A.	1 do	Scinde.
1 do	Northern D. A.	1 Line Adjutant	Sattara.
1 Deputy do	Southern D. A.	1 do	Ahmednuggur.
1 Brigade Major	Malligaum.	1 do	Bhooj.
1 do	Baroda.	1 do. or Staff Officer	Aden.
1 do	Poona.	1 do	Kurrachee.
1 do	Mhow.	1 do or Staff Officer	Sukkur.

Commissariat Department.

1 Deputy Commissary General	Bombay.	1 Sub-Assistant Commissary General	Mhow.
1 Assistant do	Poona D. A.	1 do do	Sholapoor.
1 do do	Northern D. A.	1 do do	Kurrachee.
1 Deputy Assistant do	Southern D. A.	1 do do	Rajcote.
1 do do	Deesa.	1 do do	Ahmednuggur.
1 do do	Sukkur.	1 do do	Bombay.

Commissariat Officers temporarily appointed or Commissariat Agents 1st Class with a Salary of Rs. 150 a month.

1 Commissariat Officer or Agent	Aden.	1 Commissariat Officer or Agent	Kandahar.
2 do	*Bombay.	1 do	Shikarpoor.
1 do	Quetta.	1 do	*Ahmedabad.

Commissariat Agents 2d Class with a Salary of Rs. 60 a month.

1 Commissariat Agent 2d Class	Malligaum.	1 Commissariat Agent 2d Class	Bhooj.
1 do	Dapoolée.	1 do	*Rajcote.
1 do	Baroda.	1 do	Surat.

* The proper Officers being absent.

The number of these two Classes of Commissariat Officers is not fixed, but varies according to the exigencies of the Service.

Ecclesiastical Department.

1 Senior Chaplain	Bombay.	1 Chaplain	Ahmedabad.
1 Garrison do	do.	1 do	Deesa.
1 Chaplain	Beigau.	1 do	Kurrachee.
1 do	Poona.	1 do	Aden.
1 do	Kirkee.	1 do	Sukkur.
1 do	Mahablesiwur.	1 do	Sholapoor.
1 do	Byculla.	1 do	Surat.
1 do	Colaba.	1 do	Candahar.
1 do	Ahmednuggur.	5 do	Vacant.
1 do	Mhow.		

Presidency Chaplains.	Chaplains.	Assistant Chaplains.	Junior Assistant Chaplains.
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Fixed Establishment	2	5	8	8
Present do	2	9	4	3

Engineer Department.

1 Superintending Engineer	Poona D. A.	1 Executive Engineer	Ahmedabad.
1 do	Northern D. A.	1 do	Scinde.
1 Executive Engineer	Poona.	1 do	Kurrachee.
1 do	Ahmednuggur.	1 Assistant do	Surat.
1 do	Mhow.	1 do	Mhow.
1 do	Belgaum.	1 do	Aden.
1 do	Dharwar.		

Judge Advocate General's Department.

1 Depy. Judge Advocate General	Poona D. A.	1 Depy. Judge Advocate General	Northern D. A.
1 do	Southern D. A.	1 do	Scinde.

Medical Department.

1	Superintending Surgeon	Presidency Division.	1	Depy. Medical Store Keeper and	} Poona.
1	do.....	N. W. D. of Guzerat.		Divisional Staff Surgeon.....	
1	do.....	N. D. of the Deccan.	1	do.....do.....do.....do.....	Be'gaum.
1	do.....	S. D. of do.	1	do.....do.....do.....do.....	Ahmedabad.
1	do.....	Scinde,	1	Depy. Medical Store Keeper.....	Sukkur.

Note.—The following appointments of Brigade Staff Surgeons, receiving a Staff allowance of Rupess 30 a month, are not included in the foregoing Table.

1	Brigade Staff Surgeon.....	Sattara.	1	Brigade Staff Surgeon.....	Baroda.
1	do.....	Malligaum.	1	do.....	Deesa.
1	do.....	Asseerghur.	1	do.....	Bhooj.
1	do.....	Mhow.	1	do.....	Sukkur.
1	do.....	Ahmednuggur.	1	do.....	Kurrach.

Ordnance Department.

1	Commissary of Ordnance.....	Poona D. A.	1	Commissary of Ordnance.....	Sukkur.
1	do.....	Southern D. A.	1	Deputy do.....	Ahmednugur.
1	do.....	Northern D. A.	1	do do.....	Deesa.

Pay Department.

1	Paymaster.....	Scinde.	1	Officer in charge of Treasure Chest.	Asseerghur.
1	do.....	Poona D. A.	1	do....	Baroda.
1	do.....	Southern D. A.	1	do....	Deesa.
1	do.....	Northern D. A.	1	do....	Balmeer.
1	Deputy do.....	Mhow.	1	do....	Aden.
1	Officer in charge of Treasure Chest.	Sattara.	1	do....	Kurrachee.
1	do....	Mahableschwur.	1	do....	Dadur.
1	do....	Dapoollee.	1		

Personal Staff.

2	Aides-de-Camp to the Governor....	Bombay.	1	Aide-de-Camp to General Officer..	Southern D. A.
2	do. to the Commander in Chief.	do.	1	do. to do....	Northern.
1	do. to General Officer.....	Poona D. A.			

Quarter Master General's Department.

1	Deputy Quarter Master General....	Bombay.	1	Deputy Assistant Qr. Mr. General..	Southern D. A.
1	Assistant do....	Poona D. A.	1	do. do. do....	Scinde.
1	do do....	Northern D. A.			

Note.—The appointments in Scinde, are not to be considered as pertaining to the permanent Army Establishment, but as extra appointments.

The disposition, at the Stations named of the appointments, in the following Departments, is subject to change, viz.—Deputies, Assistants, and Deputy Assistants Adjutant and Quarter Master General, and Commissariat Officers.

The above with the Staff Pay Table will shew the number of Officers attached to every Department of the Army with the Pay of each.

STAFF.

DUTIES OF GENERAL AND OTHER OFFICERS EMPLOYED UPON THE STAFF OF THE ARMY.

I. It is by the zealous exertions and constant superintendence of the *General Officers*, that the system of Discipline, which is essential to the reputation and success of the Service, is to be established and maintained. G. O. C. 7th June 1823.

II. To the *General Officers* intrusted with the Command of Divisions, the Commander in Chief will naturally look not only for the Discipline of the Troops therein stationed, and their constant preparation for the most active Service, but likewise, in case of Attack, for the immediate and most advantageous disposal of every description of Force placed under their control. With a view to these objects, it is necessary that Officers in these important Commands should obtain the most accurate information, in the first instance, of all Military Bodies within the Division, the nature and terms of their Services, and likewise the extent to which their numbers may be carried in case of Emergency:—It is equally their duty to inform themselves of the Military Resources of the Country, in regard to Provisions, Labourers, Cattle, and the means of transporting Troops and Stores.—It is incumbent on them to obtain an accurate Military knowledge of the strong Features of the Country, and of all Military Depôts within their respective Divisions; of all Fortified Places, and their means of Defence, and of every particular which may increase their power of acting with advantage against an invading Enemy:—It is also necessary that they should possess an intimate acquaintance with the assailable points of the Country: without information on these Heads, no Plan of Defence can be formed. It is equally incumbent on the Generals Commanding, to ascertain, that the General and Staff Officers under their Command are well versed in their several Duties, and that they are competent, both from their general intelligence and acquired local information, to render that assistance which, from the nature and intention of their Appointment, they are expected to afford.

III. General Officers in Command must be prepared, at all times, to afford the Commander in Chief any information he may require, as to the efficiency of any particular Corps with regard to its Discipline, Equipment, and Preparation for immediate Service.

IV. In the event of Officers intrusted with Command obtaining temporary Leave of Absence, they are to report to the Adjutant General the Name and Rank of the Officer on whom the Command devolves.

V. It is not possible more clearly to define and point out the objects which most immediately demand the attention of Officers placed in Command of Brigades, or Districts, than by reminding them, that they are expected to give their personal and unremitting attention to the interior Economy and Discipline of Corps which are placed under their superintendence and command, and to be prepared, at all times, and on the shortest notice, to report for the Commander in Chief's information, on all the subjects particularly noticed in the Instructions respecting the Confidential Reports on the state of Regiments.

VI. It is incumbent on them to see, that all General Orders and Regulations are carefully and accurately entered in the Order Book of the Regiments composing their Brigades, and to ascertain, by personal observation, that they are in every instance obeyed with the utmost punctuality.

VII. The regularity of the Regimental Hospitals, and the general arrangement respecting the Sick and Convalescent Soldiers, are objects demanding their most serious and constant attention.

VIII. General or other Officers must not, at any time, on any account, or under any circumstances, quit their Commands without special permission.

IX. When Troops are to encamp, Commanding Officers must not leave their Brigades until the Tents are pitched and the Guards are posted:—They must encamp with their Brigades, unless Quarters can be procured for them immediately in the Vicinity of the Camp.—In the event of their obtaining temporary Leave to be absent from their Brigades or Station, they must leave the most clear and positive Injunctions to the Officers next in Command to open any Official Letters that may arrive under their Addresses, and to carry the Orders, that may be contained therein, into immediate execution.

X. All General or other Commanding Officers are expected, as soon as possible, to make themselves acquainted with the Situation of the Country in the Vicinity of the Camp, with the Roads, Passes, Bridges, and Defiles, &c., and particularly with the Out-Posts, that in case they be able to march without waiting for Guides, and be competent to form the best Disposition for the Service. They should instruct their Aides-de-Camp in these particulars, and always require their attendance when they visit the Out-Posts.

XI. An intimate knowledge of the Scene of Action, and its Neighbourhood, must give the greatest advantage to an Officer, and enable him to display his Talents, and execute his Duty with Honour to himself and advantage to his Country; but this is more particularly expected from General Officers, and others in important Commands:—By Maps, acquired local Information, and unremitting Activity and Observation, they will attain this important Object, which will enable them to act with decided advantage against an Enemy. Guides may serve in the common operations of Marches; but near the Enemy, the Eye and Intelligence of the Principal Officers must determine the movements of Troops, and enable them to seize and improve every advantage:

XII. General or other Officers Commanding at Sea-Ports, Military Depôts, &c. are required to superintend the Embarkation and Disembarkation of all Regiments or Detach-

ments, which may take place within their Command, and to report to the Adjutant General, and to the Quarter Master General, the strength of the Corps in Officers and Men, and such other particulars as may be necessary for the information of the Commander in Chief.

Assistant Adjutant-General.

XIII. The detail of the Duty of the Division is confided to the Assistant Adjutant General, and he is responsible for the accuracy of the Division Returns. It is essential therefore that he should be well acquainted with all Military Regulations, and with the Customs of the Service.—The Assistants Adjutant General are to be selected exclusively from Officers, whose experience, it is presumed, will have given them a perfect knowledge of all Regimental Duties in every situation of Service.

XIV. The Assistant Adjutant-General is the Channel through which the Division Orders are issued:—It is therefore essential that he should have a clear, concise, and at the same time comprehensive, mode of communicating the Orders he may from time to time receive from the Commander of the Division, and be exact in whatever Correspondence he may be engaged by the direction of the General Officer Commanding.

Assistants Quarter Master-General.

XV. The Assistants Quarter-Master-General of Divisions are charged, under the orders of the General in Command, with the duty of Quartersing, Encamping, and the Marches of Troops within the limits of the Division.

XVI. They are to report the detail of all such occurrences to the Quarter-Master-General of the Army, to whom they are also to transmit a Monthly Return of the Quarters of the Troops in the District, according to a prescribed Form.

XVII. It is their duty to control, under the orders of the General in Command, the Issue and Delivery into Store, of all Articles of Camp Equipage; they are to arrange, under the direction of the General Commanding, the accounts of Expenses attending the construction and support of Field Works, and of Signals of Alarm, projected by him and authorized by the Commander-in-Chief.

XVIII. In Divisions, having Coast Districts, the Assistants Quarter-Master General are further expected to possess accurate information of practicable points of Landing, the best positions for Defence in their immediate vicinity, and the particular Winds and periods of Tide that afford facility in approaching the Coast.

XIX. In all Divisions, the Assistants Quarter-Master-General are expected to have a perfect knowledge of the state of the Roads, and the features of the Country applicable to Defence; also, of the course of Rivers and the power of Inundation.

XX. Assistants Quarter-Master-General are also to attend the Embarkation and Disembarkation of Troops within the Divisions.

Majors of Brigade.

XXI. The Major of Brigade is the channel through which all Orders are received and communicated to the Troops to which he is attached. He is considered as an Officer attached to the Brigade, not personally to the Officer Commanding it.

XXII. The Major of Brigade is to keep and regulate the Roster of the Brigade Duties: It is his duty to inspect all the Guards, Out-Posts, and Piquets, furnished by the Brigade, and he is responsible for Guards, &c. being withdrawn when the Brigade is to march. His Station on a march is in front of the leading Regiment of the Brigade; he is to encamp in the rear of the centre of the Brigade.

XXIII. The Brigade Major or an Orderly Adjutant, is to be constantly in the Lines of the Camp of the Brigade.

Aides-de-Camp.

XXIV. All Orders sent by Aides-de-Camp are to be delivered in the plainest terms, and are to be obeyed with the same readiness as if delivered personally by the General Officers to whom such Aides-de-Camp are attached.

APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL OF STAFF OFFICERS.

G. G. O. 22d
Oct. 1813.

XXV. (*H. C. L. 7th May 1813. Para. 1.*) " We have resolved that the Appointments of General Officers on the Staff, that is to say, General Officers to Command certain Divisions of the Army, shall in future be filled up either from Officers in Europe or in India, according to their abilities and length of Service. All Appointments therefore of this description, made in India after the receipt of this Letter, must be considered as temporary, until our pleasure shall be known thereon." Vide Para. 42.

XXVI. (*H. C. L. 8th Jan. 1796.*) " Two General Officers be employed on the Staff at your Presidency:—one on the Company's Establishment, and one on the King's."

XXVII. "These, exclusive of the Commanding Officer of the Troops, will be sufficient in time of Peace: the number necessary in War, must depend upon circumstances, and be subject to our future orders and direction.

XXVIII. "If there are not a sufficient number of King's Generals at your Presidency from which to select the proportion specified for the Staff, in such case the same number is to be supplied *pro tempore* from the Company's Generals."

XXIX. "Those who come Home on furlough or with leave, shall be eligible for Regiments in the same manner as if they were in India.

XXX. (G. O. G. G. Fort William, 6th May 1824.) An additional General Officer, on the Honorable Company's Establishment, is authorized for the Staff of each Presidency; and the Generals of Artillery and Engineers are rendered eligible to the Staff, the Command of those Corps devolving to the Senior Colonels or Field Officers.

G. G. O. 31st
May 1824.

XXXI. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract of a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, to the Supreme Government at Fort William dated the 30th December 1825; and published, in General Orders, at Calcutta on the 5th May 1826.

G. O. C. 5th
Oct. 1826.

XXXII. (Para. III) We accordingly authorize you, when no General Officers shall be present, except such as shall have had a Tour on the Staff, or shall be unfit for such a Command, to nominate Colonels to the Staff on the Allowances of Major Generals.

XXXIII. (No. 522 of 1840.) The following General Order by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, dated Fort William 29th July 1840, is republished for information at this Presidency.

G. G. O. 20th
Aug. 1840.

XXXIV. The home authorities having disapproved of Clauses 3 and 6 and of the 1st provision of Clause 5 of the General Orders No. 9 of 1840 dated the 26th of January last, the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, in obedience to the instruction of the Honorable the Court of Directors, promulgates for general information the following revised rules for the employment in India of Local Major Generals of H. M's. Service.

XXXV. Local Major Generals of H. Ms. Service are eligible under the appointment of Government for employment as Brigadiers, where Queen's Troops are stationed, provided that such appointment shall not interfere with the commands on the General Staff allotted to Company's Officers.

XXXVI. The Senior Local Major Generals of the Regiments at each Presidency are in preference, to be so employed.

XXXVII. The period for which Local Major Generals may retain Brigade Command, is not restricted to any number of years, but they must vacate such Commands on the departure of their Regiment from India, or from one Presidency to another.

XXXVIII. Local Major Generals of Her Majesty's Service, who prefer remaining in India in expectation of succeeding by seniority to Brigade Commands, may do so, selecting their residences within the Presidency in which their Regiments are serving, and receiving the Pay and the Full Batta of their Regimental Rank.

XXXIX. Though Local Major Generals of Her Majesty's Service are permitted to remain in India unemployed, they are not precluded from retaining the Command of their respective Regiments, which they may at their option continue to exercise provided there shall be no interference with the Brigade of other Command allotted to Company's Officers.*

XL. (H. C. L. to S. G. 28th July 1830, Para. I.) In compliance with your recommendation, and for the reasons you have urged in support of it, we authorize you to extend the term of service of General Officers on the Staff of your Presidency from four to five Years.

G. G. O. 17th
Dec. 1830.

XLI. (G. O. G. G. 5th May 1829.) Whatever General Officers may be required for the Company's Indian Staff, shall be taken from the Senior Colonels of their Service, to whom the rank of Brigadier General will be granted until by the operation of His Majesty's General Brevets the Armies of India shall be again supplied with the requisite number of General Officers.

G. G. O. 27th
May 1829.

XLII. (H. C. L. 5th August 1829 Para. XVIII.) A Colonel or Lieutenant Colonel Commandant once appointed to the General Staff shall not be removed by the arrival of a Senior Officer from Europe, unless such Senior hold the rank of Major or Lieutenant General, or shall have been expressly nominated by us for the Indian Staff.

G. G. O. 29th
May 1830.

(By G. G. O. 23rd. June 1835, Officers appointed by the H. C. to a Divisional Command are not to succeed to the Command till the occurrence of a vacancy unless specially directed otherwise.)

XLIII (H. C. L. to the S. G. dated the 18th January 1835 Para: VI.) The mode of supplying Officers for Divisional Commands having also come under discussion on this occasion, we have now to apprise you that no alteration is to take place in the existing practice of selecting for employment on the Staff such Officers of our Service as may be thought fit, with the temporary rank of Brigadier General.

G. L. 18th
June 1835.

XLIV. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to re-publish for the information of the Army of this Presidency, the following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, No. 154, dated 31st July 1837.

G. G. O. 31st
Aug. 1837.

* This order renders the insertion of Paras. 7 and 8 of the H. C. L. to the O. G. 18th January 1835, unnecessary, as there are at present no Brigadier General on the Establishment.

XLV. The following paragraphs of a Military letter, No. 29, from the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Governor of Bengal dated the 5th April 1837, are published for the information of the Army.

XLVI. (Para. 1.) Having had under our consideration the Regulations affecting the appointment of Officers to established Brigade Commands, we have resolved that such Brigadiers of the 1st and 2nd Classes as are Regimental Colonels, and who have succeeded to the benefits of the Off-Reckoning Fund, shall be required to vacate their respective Commands after having held the appointment of Brigadier for five years. This Regulation however, to be subject to the same modification as to the appointment of General Officers to the Staff, vizt. that if on any particular occasion you should be of opinion that the continued service of any Brigadier is indispensable to the public interests, you may continue him in the command until our pleasure shall be made known to you. Upon every such occasion you will furnish us with the requisite information with the least practicable delay.

XLVII. (2.) This Regulation is not to be applied retrospectively to the period which Brigadiers may have served as such, prior to its announcement in General Orders, but we are of opinion that for every two years which they may then have served as Brigadiers, they should be considered as having served only one year towards the completion of their tour under the new Regulation.

G. G. O. 30th
March 1838.

XLVIII. The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to republish the following General Order by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, dated the 9th instant.

XLIX. The following paragraphs of a Military letter from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the address of the Governor General of India in No. 9 of 1837, dated the 19th of December last, are published in General Orders, for the information of the Army.

L. (Para. 7th) We have no objection to the promotion to the local rank of Major General of the Colonels of Her Majesty's Army serving in India, who were Senior as such, to Colonels of our Army promoted to the rank of Major General by the Brevet of the 10th January 1837.

LI. (8th) Under the special circumstances in which local Major Generals are placed, we consent to their being considered as eligible to continue to reside in India, and to hold those Brigade Commands which they would have held had their promotion not taken place, provided always, that no interference be permitted with the Commands on the General Staff allotted to the Major Generals or Brigadier Generals, and Brigadiers of the Queen's and the Company's Forces respectively.

G. G. O. 2d
Nov. 1838.

LII. (H. C. L. No. 44 dated 8th August 1838, paras. 1 to 3.) "In our military letter to the Supreme Government dated 17th December 1834 (vide para. Commands), we notified our concurrence in the opinion of the Governor General and of the other Members of the Government "that no reason exists why Major Generals in the Company's service, vacate any Offices or Staff Appointments of which they may be in possession, until it actually comes to their turn to accept or decline Divisional Commands, when the same rule" will apply to them as we have now directed to be applied to Colonels holding Staff appointments."

* Vitz. "That" if they prefer the retention of their Offices, the Divisional Commands should not afterwards be open to them, except in special cases to be determined by Government, and reported to us for our approbation and sanction.

LIII. The event thus contemplated has been realized by the large addition made to the number of Major Generals in our service, by the Brevet published in the London Gazette of the 24th ultimo.

G. G. O. 9th
Feb. 1842.

LIV. We now apprise you, that in conformity with the above decision, the Regulation which inquires Officers to vacate the Offices and Commands specified in the margin * on attaining the rank of Major General will not apply to Major Generals in actual possession of those Offices or Commands at the date of your receipt of this despatch. In all future appointments, the Regulation must be duly attended to and enforced.

* Secretary to Government Military Department, Adjutant and Quarter Master General, Commissary General, Military Auditor General, Surveyor General, Judge Advocate General, Commandants of Subsidiary or Field Forces, Districts or Garrisons.

LV. (H. C. L. 1st Dec, 1841, No. 99.) On the occasion of the last General Brevet, vizt that of June 1838, we in consideration of the large addition then made to the number of Major Generals authorized the continuance of Officers in the appointments specified in the margin, notwithstanding their promotion to that rank. Present circumstances being similar to those which then prevailed, we have resolved, that the same measure of relief shall be granted to the Colonels now promoted.

LVI. We have further resolved that Major Generals holding staff appointments for which no tour of service is fixed, but who under ordinary circumstances would have been required to vacate on promotion to their present rank, shall not be permitted to continue in their Offices beyond 5 years from the date of the promotion.

G. G. O. 22d
Oct. 1827.

LVII. (G. O. V. P. 17th August 1827.) The Hon'ble the Court of Directors having determined that not more than five Officers shall be simultaneously absent on Staff employment from any one Corps, whether Cavalry or Infantry, the Right Hon'ble the Vice President in Council, with the concurrence of the Governor General, is pleased at the earnest recom-

mentation of the Commander in Chief, to establish on this head a further restriction as to the grades from which the five Individuals are to be taken.

LVIII. The efficiency of the Army, in all its branches, being of the last consequence, it is deemed highly expedient towards the attainment of so important an object, that a proper number of experienced Officers should be present with every Regular Regiment, to contribute their aid, in sustaining its discipline, and in diffusing that confidence amongst the Native Officers and Men which conduces so essentially to the well being of an Army constituted as is that of Bengal. To secure therefore as far as the means at disposal will admit, the services with every Corps of a portion of competent Officers, the number of Regimental Captains that may be absent at one time from the same Corps of the Line on Staff or other permanent public employment is restricted to two.

LIX. The measure here indicated, as calculated to conduce to the greater efficiency of the Army is designed to be wholly prospective, and by no means to affect present incumbents of the grade of Captain, unless on such cases of emergency as His Excellency the Commander in Chief may feel constrained to bring to the special notice of Government.

LX. To obviate all occasion for references, and for decisions on particular cases hereafter, the Vice President in Council is pleased to announce, as a rule for future guidance, that when two Captains are absent from a Corps in public situations, and a Subaltern of the same Corps holding also a detached Staff-situation, comes to be promoted to the rank of Regimental Captain, the Officer so promoted shall be the individual to vacate his appointment under the operation of these orders.

LXI. Government having also taken into consideration the practicability of rendering the Regular Army upon the whole more efficient in point of European Officers, and being of opinion that, with the exception for a season of the Local Battalion serving in Assam it is quite unnecessary that to any Local or Irregular Battalion should be attached more than a Commandant and Adjutant, and, where such an appointment has been sanctioned, a second in Command, all Officers in excess to those above enumerated, who are now doing duty with any Irregular Corps, or Local Battalion, are remanded forthwith to their Regiments.

LXII. Still further to promote the desirable and herein contemplated object of giving to the Army every advantage which can accrue from an accession to the number of European Officers available for Regimental duty, His Lordship in Council, with the concurrence of the Governor General, has determined, that whenever an Escort with a Resident at a Foreign Court, or with a Political Agent, is furnished from Troops of the line, the services of a distinct Officer permanently appropriated to the Command of such Escort are unnecessary. In all such cases, therefore, the appointment of Commandant of the Escort is to be abolished on the receipt of these orders, should no Political charge operate in bar to their so doing.

LXIII. Under the circumstances adverted to above, when the Escort or Guard furnished to a Resident, or Political Agent, is relieved weekly from the Regular Troops cantoned in the immediate vicinity of the Residency, no necessity whatever will exist for detaching an European Officer from his Corps on a tour of duty with it, but when the Cantonment from which the relief is effected is so distant as to render a monthly or longer tour of duty more convenient than a weekly one, the Officer Commanding the Troops from which the Escort is furnished, will consider it to be his duty to meet the wishes of the Resident or Political Agent, for the uninterrupted employment of any Regimental Officer, (who has served three years with his Corps) on such duty, whilst his Regiment may continue at the station giving the Escort.

LXIV. The arrangements described in the previous paragraph, do not affect Officers Commanding permanent Escorts comprised of Men unconnected with the Regular service, from their operation will be exempted also, Escorts, whether composed of the line, or otherwise, which may be furnished for mission, or occasional embassies to Foreign Courts, beyond the limits of India Proper.

LXV. (H. C. L. to the S. G. 26th Nov. 1828, Para. II.) We think it necessary to desire that no Officer be withdrawn from his Regiment for the purpose of being appointed an Extra or Supernumerary Aid-de-Camp; any Officer so withdrawn, and who does not hold an authorized Staff appointment, will be directed to rejoin his Corps, and in no case is any Officer not of the regular and established number of Aides-de-Camp to be granted any allowance as such.

G. G. O. 9th
Aug. 1830.

LXVI. (H. C. L. to the S. G. dated the 8th May 1833. G. O. G. I. C. 19th Oct. 1833. Para. III.) Although we attach a very high importance to the Rules established for restricting the withdrawal of Officers from Regimental duty for Staff employment, we shall not refuse our sanction to the exceptions recommended by the Commander in Chief, and by the Governor General, in favor of Officers selected for the Personal Staff of the Governor General, the Commander in Chief, the Vice President in Council, and the Aides-de-Camp of General Officers on the Staff, but upon the condition (suggested by the Governor General,) that no Officer shall be informally withdrawn from his Corps, to the obvious detriment of its efficiency; and that an Officer taken out of order from a Regiment "shall not be eligible for transfer from a personal Staff Appointment to any permanent detached employment," unless, while so withdrawn, the Staff absentees from his Corps shall be brought below the prescribed number.

G. G. O. 19th
Nov. 1833.

LXVII. (G. O. V. P. C. dated Fort William, 30th January 1832) With reference to the extract of a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 3d Decemr 1828, published in General Orders of the 15th May 1829, regulating the number of Officers allowed to be absent from any one Regiment on Staff employ, it is hereby

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Feb. 1832.

notified to the three residencies, under instructions from the Right Honorable the Governor General, that the Honorable Court have determined, in accordance with the views of the Supreme Government, that when it becomes necessary that Officers, one or more, should be restored to their Corps, otherwise than by promotion, under the provisions of General Orders of the 17th August 1827, such Officers shall be those last withdrawn for Staff duty.

G. G. O. 15th
June 1835.

LXVIII. (G. O. G. I. C. dated the 25th May 1835.) The attention of the Government having been drawn to Clauses 2nd and 4th of General Order of 17th August 1827, the former restricting to two the number of Regimental Captains that may be absent at the same time from a Corps of the line on Staff or other public permanent employ; and the latter providing for the return to his Corps of any Staff Officer on promotion to the rank of Captain who would otherwise be an absentee in that grade in excess to two. The Governor General of India in Council has had under consideration the consequence which have resulted from their combined operation, and being of opinion that a strict adherence to the Rules laid down in these clauses must occasionally be productive of injury to the public service; and unnecessary hardship to individuals, is pleased to modify the provisions of both to the extent hereinafter specified.

LXIX. When two Regimental Captains are absent from a Corps of the line, on Staff or other permanent employ, a third Captain shall not be withdrawn for such employment; but a Staff Officer promoted from the rank of Subaltern to that of Regimental Captain shall not, in consequence of his promotion, be required to vacate an appointment which he previously held, and to which he is eligible in his advanced rank, although two Captains be already absent from his Corps in Staff or other permanent situations, unless the Commander in Chief should consider the return of such Officer to his Regiment essential to its due efficiency, and, by application to the Government, obtain its sanction to that measure.

LXX. When at any time, under the operation of this order, the number of Captains absent from a Corps of the Line shall have been increased beyond two, no other Captain shall be taken from such Corps for the Staff, or other detached employ, till the number of its absentees in that grade be reduced to one.

G. G. O. 26th
Oct. 1836.

LXXI. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to re-publish the following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 5th October 1836.

LXXII. (No. 194 of 1836.) The following Extracts (Paras. 3 & 4) of a Military letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, No. 31 of 11th May 1836, is published for general information.

Letter dated 15th June 1835. (No. 64.)

Forward copy of a General Order issued modifying the 2nd and 4th Clauses of Government Orders of 17th August 1827, (No. 163) and strongly recommend the discontinuance of the Regulation which compels Government to select Officers for Staff employ from the Regiment from which fewest are absent; a restriction which is in the opinion of Government both embarrassing and injurious to the public interests.

LXXIII: (Para. 3.) The General Order No. 133 of 1835 dated 25th of May 1835, modifying the General Order of the 17th August 1827, is sanctioned.

LXXIV. In compliance with your earnest recommendation, we also authorize you to abolish the other restrictive Regulations* relating to the withdrawal of European Officers from Regimental duties, with exception to the original Order restricting the number of Officers to be taken from any Regiment or Battalion to five, and that no more than two of those withdrawn should be Captains and three Subalterns.

Extract from Hon'ble Court's Military Letter to Fort St. George, dated 23d January 1811.

G. G. O. 6th
Oct. 1814.

LXXV. (Para. CCLVII.) "We are convinced that the interests of the Company, as well as the fair pretensions of our Servants, are hurt by the accumulation of Offices upon Individuals; and we think it would be very desirable to have it considered as an established rule, that no Officers should hold two Staff Offices at the same time, unless in temporary or very special cases, which should be immediately reported to us for our final decision."

G. G. O. 25th
May 1790.

LXXVI. (H. C. L. 8th Jan. 1796.) "All Staff Officers whatever, are to be on the Strength of the Regiments or Battalions, and promoted accordingly; but in placing those Officers, care must be taken to station them according to their proper rank in the Service, and not by any Brevet or temporary rank they may hold in consequence of Civil Employments or Staff Appointments."

G. G. O. 11th
Aug. 1815.

LXXVII. (H. C. L. 28th March 1815, para. V.) "Brigade Majors having ceased to be appointed as Personal Staff to His Majesty's General Officers, such Appointments are to be immediately discontinued at your Presidency."

G. G. O. 25th
May 1796.

LXXVIII. (H. C. L. 8th Jan. 1796). "An Aide-de-Camp is to be allowed to each General Officer on the Staff."

G. G. O. 22d
Jan. 1800.

LXXIX. The Committee of Survey shall be composed of Staff Officers of the Garrison at Bombay.

G. G. O. 15th
Dec. 1826.

LXXX. An Officer is appointed to Superintend the Establishment kept up for the improvement of the Breed of Horses, within the Territories of the Honorable Company subordinate to this Presidency.

NOTE.—* This rescinds G. G. O. 13th June 1829.

LXXXI. (H. C. L. 10th March 1830. Para. V.) We cannot consider it to be proper that an Officer of the Quarter Master General's Department, whose duties are important, and who is liable to frequent movement, should be appointed Secretary to the Clothing Board.

G. G. O. 9th
Oct. 1830.

LXXXII. (Para. VI.) We should not have the same objection to attaching the post of Secretary of the Clothing Board to that of Barrack Master or Fort Adjutant at Bombay, or to that of any other Officer whose Residence was necessarily confined to Bombay, and whose other avocations would admit of his holding both Situations without inconvenience to the public Service.

LXXXIII. (H.C.L. 4th May 1831, Para. II.) We positively direct that the Quarter Master General's Department at your Presidency be reduced to,—

1 Quarter Master General,	2 Assistant Quarter Master Generals, and
1 Deputy	Ditto. | 2 Deputy Assistants ditto.

G. G. O. 29th
Nov. 1829.

LXXXIV. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that Brigade Majors of Divisions under this Presidency be in future designated Deputy Assistant Adjutant Generals, and placed on the same allowances as are granted by the Government Order of the 19th September 1829, to Officers holding the situation of Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General.

LXXXV. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the appointment of Deputy Judge Advocate General to the Indian Navy be abolished, and that the separate Allowance of Rupees Two hundred per mensem, granted by the General Orders dated 7th July 1831, to the Judge Advocate General for his duties connected with the Indian Navy, be discontinued.

G. G. O. 11th
Aug. 1832.

LXXXVI. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Brigade Major at Sattara be removed to Deesa, and that the Staff duties at the former station be performed by a Line Adjutant.

G. G. O. 6th
Feb. 1830.

LXXXVII. The Post Office at the Residency of Baroda being abolished, the Staff Officer at the station will take charge of the Post Office.

G. G. O. 18th
Nov. 1830.

LXXXVIII. The Situation of Deputy Assistant Adjutant General to the Guicawar Subsidiary Force is abolished, and a Brigade Major is substituted for the station of Baroda.

G. G. O. 4th
Dec. 1830.

LXXXIX. In consequence of the reduction of the Force hitherto stationed in Cutch, the Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, instead of Brigade Major, a Line Adjutant be appointed for the public Staff duties at Bhooj.

G. G. O. 18th
May 1830.

XC. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the designation of "Garrison Staff Officer," at Asseerghur, be changed to that of Fort Adjutant.

G. G. O. 31st
July 1827.

G. O. G. Fort William, 12th August 1824.

XCI. (Quarter Master General's Department.) It will be a permanent Regulation of this Department, that the Candidate for Appointment shall previously produce a Certificate either from the Surveyor General in India, the Chief or Acting Chief Engineer, or the Superintending Engineer of the Province in which he is stationed, of his possessing a competent knowledge of the theory and practice of Surveying.

G. G. O. 14th
Sep. 1824, and
24th Dec. 1835.

XCII. (General Staff.) No Officer shall be eligible to hold the situations of Adjutant General, Quarter Master General, Military Auditor General, or Commissary General, who has not previously attained the Rank of Major in the Army, unless he shall have actually served twenty years in India—The Deputies in those Departments must have attained the Rank of Captain in the Army, or have served twelve years in India, and the Assistants, if they have not attained the Rank of Captain, must have served ten years in India.

XCIII. (H. C. L. 17th Jany. 1810, Para. CXV.) "We are decidedly of opinion, that no Officers in our Service should be appointed to Staff Situations, unless they have previously acquired a competent knowledge of the Hindoostanee Language, which is the vernacular Language of Hindoostan, and more or less spoken and understood throughout the Decan."

G. O. 30d
June 1810.

XCIV. (Para. CXI.) "The means of acquiring this Language are now much facilitated, and it is so obviously both the duty and interest of all our Servants at all the Presidencies, to obtain a knowledge of it, that we desire you will hereafter consider a competent acquaintance with it, to be an indispensable qualification in every Candidate for Staff Appointment."

XCV. No Officer will henceforth be appointed to fill any Situation on the General Staff of the Army who shall not have served four years, three of which, in the actual performance of Regimental or Staff duty with a Corps.

G. G. O. 29d
July 1824.

XCVI. An Officer may hold the situation of Aid-de-Camp after having served one year with his Regiment, but the period passed in that situation, except when employed upon Field Service, is not to be counted in the Regimental duty as described above.

XCVII. None but Officers who have actually done two years Regimental duty, shall be eligible to fill the situations of Adjutant, and Quarter Master and Interpreters.

XCVIII. (G. O. V. P. C. dated Fort William 24th September 1832.) No Officer transferred from one Regiment to another, shall be eligible to a Staff or Civil Appointment, although otherwise qualified, unless he shall have served two years in the Regiment to which he may have been so transferred.

G. G. O. 6th
Nov. 1832.

Garrison Storekeepers	} Major Regimentally.
Commissaries of Ordnance	
Deputy	
Fort or Cantonment Adjutants	
Paymaster and Adjutant, of Invalids	
All Officers attached to the College of Fort William, any Native College, or Institution	
Political, or other Civil Situations inferior to First Assistant to a Resident, or to a Civil Commissioner	
Appointments in the Mints	
Command of Palace Guards, or Escorts with Native Princes	
Command of Resident's Guards or Escorts	

CI. No appointment, or public employ whatever, not included in the above enumeration, to which a Military Officer is eligible, shall be retained in future on the Promotion of the party to the rank of Regimental Captain, excepting professional offices in the Corps of Engineers, which are not limited under the rank of Acting Chief Engineer.

CII. (G. L. G. G. I. C. dated 21st October 1840, No. 388.) With reference to your despatch No. 4071, dated 30th ultimo, I am directed to state for the information of the Govt. of Bombay, that under this Presidency the Secretary to the Military Board is not required to vacate his appointment on promotion to Lieut. Colonel, but may continue to hold that Office under the Provision of General Order by the Governor General, 23rd May 1823, until he attains the rank of Colonel Regimentally with a share in the Off-reckoning Fund.

CIII. It is distinctly to be understood that, the selection of an Officer to act in a Staff situation during the absence of the incumbent; constitutes no claim whatever, on the part of such Officer, to succeed permanently to the appointment in the event of its becoming vacant. G. G. O. 28th Aug. 1835.

CIV. (G. O. G. G. I. C. dated the 15th July 1834.) With a view of reducing the number of Officers permanently withdrawn from Corps, and of extending the advantages of Staff employment more generally than the system which now obtains will admit, the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to resolve that, henceforward, the following Situations shall be held only by Officers whose Regiments are serving at the Stations or forming part of the Garrisons to which the appointments appertain : G. G. O. 8th Aug. 1834.

Brigade Majors,
Cantonment Adjutants,
Line Adjutants.

Fort Adjutants, when the appointment is held by an effective Officer.

CV. As Officers who may hereafter be nominated to any of the above appointments, must return to Regimental duty on their Corps marching from the Station or Garrison in which they are employed on the Staff, the Absentee Regulations will not be considered applicable to them,

CVI. The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished for general information. G. G. O. 2d July 1841.

Fort William, 9th June 1841.

CVII. The Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to notify for general information that the provision of the Government General Orders, No 154, of 1834, which directs that the Staff Situations therein specified shall be held only by Officers whose Regiments are serving at the Stations, or forming part of the Garrisons to which the appointments appertain is not applicable to the Fortresses of Fort William, Fort Saint George and Bombay Castle.

CVIII. In Bengal no separate Staff is allowed to a General Officer of Division, for conducting the Military duties of the Cantonment in which his Quarters are located. G. L. 23d Dec. 1834.

CIX. The Office of Deputy Surveyor General at this Presidency is to be discontinued. G. G. O. 5th July 1833.

CX. An officer is appointed Deputy Judge Advocate General to the Southern Division of the Army. G. G. O. 31st Oct. 1834.

CXI. The appointment of Fort Adjutant at Tannah is abolished. G. G. O. 27th Feb. 1832.

CXII. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the Staff Officer at Ahmednuggur "Line Adjutant" instead of "Fort Adjutant." G. G. O. 29th Jan. 1833.

CXIII. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased by a resolution passed in the General Department under date the 31st ultimo, to appoint Colonel Vans Kennedy to the Office of Oriental Translator to Government and to abolish the appointment held by Lieutenant G. Pope of Secretary to the Civil and Military Translations Committees. G. G. O. 1st Sept. 1837.

CXIV. A Treasure Chest to be placed under the charge of the Staff Officer proceeding with the Expedition to Aden.

CXV. The Staff Officer proceeding with this Force is to be placed on the footing of a Line Adjutant, in regard to allowances. G. G. O. 26th Dec. 1838.

CXVI. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the Appointment of a Line Serjeant at Ahmedabad. G. G. O. 22d Dec. 1832.

G. L. 19th Mar. 1835. CXVII. The Committee appointed to investigate the abuses which existed in the Joint Remount Agency Establishment having recommended that an experienced and trustworthy European should be added to the Establishment, and the Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council being of opinion that such Assistance is much required to prevent fraud in *future*, has authorized the Agent to engage a properly qualified person for the duty, on a salary of Rupees one hundred per mensem.

G. L. 30th Nov. 1835. CXVIII. The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the situations of the four Draftsmen (one attached to each Division of the Army) being made a permanent part of the Quarter Master General's Establishment to be filled up by application to Government upon vacancies occurring among them.

G. L. 16th Apr. 1839. CXIX. The Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the appointment of two European Non-Commissioned Officers or Soldiers as Line and Barrack Serjeants to the Malwa Field Force.

G. G. O. 5th Aug. 1839. CXX. With the sanction of the Government of India, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Garrison Non-Commissioned Staff attached to the Town Major's Office, in future, consist of a Conductor, a Garrison Serjeant Major, and a Key Serjeant.

G. G. O. 21st Oct. 1824. CXXI. The Governor in Council is pleased in the General Department, to direct that, at all Military Stations at which there may not be an Officer, either Civil or Military, appointed to conduct the duties of Deputy Post Master, they shall be conducted by the Brigade Major or Line Adjutant, whichever may be the Staff Officer of the Force.

G. G. O. 11th Oct. 1824. CXXII. The Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to change the designation of Quarter Master of Brigade at fixed stations into that of Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, in conformity to the system prevailing at the other Presidencies.

ALLOWANCES TO GENERAL AND STAFF OFFICERS.

G. G. O. 8th Nov. 1815. CXXIII. (H.C.L. 5th May 1815, para. IX.) "We have resolved that the Allowance of General Officers on the Staff be £5000 Sterling (Rupees 40,000) each per annum, (which is to include the allowance now made of 400 Rupees a month for Tentage, &c. in Garrison or Cantonment) and an addition of 600 Rupees a month, when actually in the Field, for Tentage; together with the Pay of Colonel, and the Off Reckonings of their respective Regiments."

Note.—*Under the Bengal Presidency General Officers supply their own carriage on all occasions. G. L. 27th March 1838.

G. G. O. 10th June 1817. CXXIV. (H.C.L. 15th Jan. 1817, para. LXVI.) "We have in our Military Letter to Bengal dated 16th February 1814, (Paras. 92 & 3,) authorized that Government to allow General Officers belonging to our Service, who are not on the Staff, to draw during their residence in India, the Batta of their Regimental Rank, in addition to their Pay and the Off-reckonings of their Regiments, if entitled to such 'Off-reckonings; and we now authorize you to extend the same indulgence to our Officers belonging to your Establishment."

G. G. O. 8th Nov. 1815. CXXV. (H. C. L. 5th May 1815, Para. II.) "It having been brought to our notice, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, under a Warrant dated the 8th August 1814, to grant the following rates of Pay to the General Officers in his Army, not being Colonels of Regiments, instead of the Pay of their Regimental Commissions, viz.

General	£ 1 18 0 per diem,
Lieutenant General	1 12 6 "
Major General	1 5 0 "

CXXVI. We have determined to extend a similar indulgence to such General Officers in the Company's Service as are in Europe on furlough, not being Colonels of Regiments.

G. G. O. 11th July 1823. CXXVII. (H. C. L. 5th Feby. 1823, Para LXIV.) "The salary allowed to a Secretary to a General Officer on Service, is Rupees 200 (two hundred) per month, in lieu of all contingencies of Office, Servants, &c."

G. G. O. 11th July 1823. CXXVIII. (H. C. L. 5th Feb. 1823. Para. XCIV.) "We shall not object to allowing the Officers composing the Committee of Survey, the additional Half Batta of their several Ranks whilst Members of that Committee: but we do not think it proper to grant any additional Remuneration, or Salary, to any of the Officers composing it, who shall be already in receipt of the Extra half Batta of their respective Ranks."

G. G. O. 21st July 1793. CXXIX. The President of the Committee of Survey, is granted a monthly Allowance of five Rupees for a Peon, and ten Rupees for Stationery.

G. G. O. 13th Oct. 1790. CXXX. The Town Major at Bombay is granted an annual Allowance of sixteen Rupees for furnishing the Garrison Guards with Orderly Books.

G. G. O. 31st Jan. 1820. CXXXI. The Governor in Council is pleased to authorize Native Officers being attached to General and other Officers Commanding in the Field, under the designation of "Orderly Officers," with a Staff Salary of two (2) Rupees per day, and 30 Rupees per month Horse money, in addition to the Pay and Batta of their regimental rank.

G. L. 7th Mar. 1826. CXXXII. The Governor in Council conceiving it to be the intention of the Honorable the Court of Directors in raising the Salary of the Commander in Chief at this Presidency to an equality with that of Madras, that the same Rule should be observed with the General Officers who might succeed to the temporary Command of the Army without a Seat in Council, has been pleased, after a reference to the Government of Fort Saint George, to grant the sum of Pagodas 5,000, or Bombay Rupees 17,500 per annum, instead of 8,000 allowed for

this Presidency by the Court's orders of 1796, together with the same Allowance drawn by the Commander in Chief from the Civil Department, for House Rent and Peons, vizt.

House Rent, per annum..... Rupees 6,300
Peons Establishment, per mensem..... ,, 150

Extract of Honorable Court's Letter dated 8th February, 1826.

CXXXIII. (*Para. XCIII.*) We cannot approve of the grant of any allowance whatever to an Extra Aide-de-Camp, unless appointed for some special and temporary purpose. G. G. O. 26th June 1826.

CXXXIV. (*H.C. L. 19th January 1831, Para. I.*) It has been brought to our notice that the Military Auditor General, the Commissary General, and the Adjutant and Quarter Master General at your Presidency, draw certain Regimental allowances, in addition to their respective salaries, and the Pay of their Rank, contrary to the practice in use in Bengal. G. G. O. 26th May 1831.

CXXXV. (*Para. II.*) We direct that on the death or removal of the Officers respectively holding those appointments, the Regimental allowances be discontinued, and that the Military Auditor General, the Commissary General, the Adjutant General and the Quarter Master General, be thereafter allowed only the Pay (or subsistence) of their Regimental Rank, with the salaries annexed to their respective appointments.

CXXXVI. (*Para. III.*) The Adjutant and Quarter Master General of the Bengal Army being allowed when actually in the Field to draw the full Batta of their rank in addition to their Pay and Staff Salary, we direct that the same indulgence be extended to the Adjutant and Quarter Master General of your Army, whenever they may be actually in the Field.

CXXXVII. All Officers, whether of the General or Subordinate Staff who may not be in permanent receipt of Full Batta, shall be considered as entitled to that allowance, when detached on Tours of Review and Inspection, from the date of departure until that of their return to the station from which they may have proceeded, without prejudice to their House Rent Allowance. G. G. O. 2d Aug. 1831.

CXXXVIII. In pursuance of instructions from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, conveyed to this Government in a Military Dispatch dated the 2d May 1827, the salary of the several Officers hereafter enumerated will be placed in the scale annexed, from the end of the present month, in substitution of that notified in the General Orders of the 21st of November 1823, or sanctioned by any other authority. G. G. O. 21st Dec. 1827.

Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief Rs 7,200 ,,
Agent for the Manufacture of Gun Carriages..... do 7,200 ,,
Paymaster to the Poona Division of the Army..... do 6,000 ,,,

CXXXIX (*H.C.L. 2nd May 1827, Para XXVI.*) We take this opportunity to direct that no Officer holding a Stationary Appointment, such as that of Medical Storekeeper, shall be allowed to draw Tentage, this being an Allowance solely intended to cover the expense of providing Tent Carriage.

CXL. (*Para. XXVII*) With respect to the Offices of Assistant Adjutant General, Assistant Quarter Master General, and Brigade Major, whose allowances appear to exceed those of the corresponding stations at Fort St. George, we desire that they may be placed, as vacancies shall occur, on the same footing as those at Madras, viz:—

CXLI. Assistant Adjutant and Assistant Quarter Master General, salary, 246 Rupees per month, with the Extra Batta of their Regimental Rank. Vide Para. 143.

CXLII. Brigade Major's Salary 131 Rupees per month, with extra Batta of their Regimental Rank,

CXLIII. With reference to the 37th Paragraph of the Hon'ble Court's commands under date the 2d May 1827 as published in General Order of the 22d of December of the same year, directing that the Offices of Assistant Adjutant General and Assistant Quarter Master General be placed, as vacancies occur, on the same footing in respect to allowances as those at Madras, the Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that instead of the amount laid down in the Extract above adverted to, the Salary annexed these situations be in future Rupees (263) Two hundred and sixty three, monthly, such appearing by the Government Order at Madras of the 5th of June last to be the rate at present fixed under that Presidency, in consequence of recent instructions from the Hon'ble Court. G. G. O. 19th Sep. 1829.

CXLIV. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is also pleased, on the same principle, to fix the Salary of Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General at Rupees (144) One hundred and forty four, together with the full, or superior Batta of their Rank as the case may be.

Fort William, 2d December 1834.

CXLV. The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, is pleased to rescind all Orders and Regulations now in force, which assign to Officers employed in Staff, or other situations, a rate of Pay, Batta, Gratuity, Tentage, or House Rent, superior to the scale laid down for their Regimental rank. As special exceptions to the immediate effect of this order, Officers who now hold Staff appointments by virtue of which they draw superior Regimental pay or allowances, are exempted from its operation. G. G. O. 26th Dec. 1834.

CXLVI. With reference to the General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, dated 2d December last, and published at Bombay on the 26th of the same month, and in order to assimilate its application with the usage in Bengal, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to explain. G. G. O. 18th May 1835.

CXLVII. (1st.) That it does not deprive a Staff Officer of a higher rate of any particular Allowance granted in consideration of some local or other disadvantage, such as extra house rent allowed to certain Officers of the Garrison Staff, but is intended to abolish an objectionable and partial usage, of certain Staff Officers drawing Regimental allowances of a superior grade, putting the state to a greater expence than would have been incurred had the appointments been filled by Officers of higher rank.

CXLVIII. (2nd.) It is not to affect the Salary fixed for a Captain holding the situation of Inspecting Engineer, or the additional or field batta allowed by the Honourable Court to Superintending Surgeons.

G.L. 15th Feb.
1834.

CXLIX. All Officers under this Presidency, holding Staff Appointments to which full Batta attaches in all situations, among whom Commissariat Officers are included, are entitled when absent on leave, or on sick certificate, to a continuance of their full Batta, without the forfeiture of any portion thereof, so long as they may be entitled under the existing regulations to a moiety of their Staff Salaries, that is, in cases of absence on private affairs, for six months, and on medical certificate for two years.

CL. The Officer who may be appointed to act for the absent Staff Officer is entitled to the forfeited moiety of his Staff Salary, but not to full Batta, or any portion thereof.

G. O. C. 22d
Jan. 1833.

CLI. (H. C. L. dated 4th July 1832. Para. IX.) Having, according to your request, revised the Salaries to be hereafter granted to the Military Auditor General, Commissary General, Adjutant General and Quarter Master General at your Presidency, we have fixed the following Allowances for those Officers respectively :

Military Auditor General's Salary	Rs. 2,500	per month,
Commissary General's.. ..do.....	2,000	„ „
Adjutant General's.... ..do.....	1,600	„ „
Quarter Master General's...do.....	1,600	„ „

with the Pay (subsistence) of their several Regimental Ranks, and an allowance for an Office when not supplied with one.

G. G. O. 19th
Dec. 1835.

CLII. With reference to the General Order dated the 22nd of January 1833, fixing consolidated allowances for the undermentioned Staff Officers, the Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to notify, that on occasions of leave of absence, the absentee shall receive the allowances of his Regimental rank, together with a moiety of the difference between the aggregate of these and the consolidated salary, the other moiety being allowed to the acting Officer.

CLIII. These Allowances are as follow, vizt :

		Colonel.	Lt. Col.	Major.	Captain.
Aulr. Genl.	} Regimental allowances.....	960 15 0	554 6 0	428 4 6	252 5 0
		769 8 6	972 13 0	1035 13 9	1123 13 6
		769 8 6	972 13 0	1035 13 9	1123 13 6
		Total Rupees.....	2500 0 0	2500 0 0	2500 0 0
Comy. Genl.	} Regimental allowances ..	960 15 0	758 12 9	578 9 0	293 10 0
		519 8 6	620 10 0	711 11 6	853 3 0
		519 8 6	620 10 0	711 11 6	853 3 0
		Total Rupees.....	2000 0 0	2000 0 0	2000 0 0
Adj. Genl. & Stipendiary Member Mily. Board.	} Regimental allowances.....	960 15 0	554 6 0	428 4 6	252 5 0
		319 8 6	522 13 0	585 13 9	673 16 3
		319 8 6	522 13 0	585 13 9	673 16 3
		Total Rupees.....	1600 0 0	1600 0 0	1600 0 0
Secretary Mily. Board.	} Lt. Col.		554 6 0	428 4 6	252 5 0
			322 13 0	385 13 9	473 13 6
			322 13 0	385 13 9	473 13 6
		Total Rupees.....	1200 0 0	1200 0 0	1200 0 0

CLIV. The Regimental Allowances and half Salary as shewn above, are the same for any month.

G. L. 20th
March 1835.

CLV. (H. C. L. dated the 17th Sept. 1834. Para. XVIII.) We shall not object to your allowing to Staff Officers who accompany the Commander in Chief, by order, to the Mahableshwar Hills, or to Poona, to draw the full Batta of their respective Regimental Ranks during the period of their absence from the Presidency, if not previously in receipt of that allowance.

G. G. O. 31st
May 1832.

CLVI. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize an assimilation of the Regulations of this Presidency, in respect to "Horse Allowance," with those of Bengal, and to direct, that the following alteration consequent on this measure have effect accordingly.

CLVII (2nd) Officers of the Horse Artillery and Cavalry branches of the Service holding appointments to which Officers of Foot Artillery and Infantry are equally eligible, are placed in respect to Horse Allowance under the Rules applicable to the latter. These Rules extend to the Commandant of Artillery, the Commanding Officer of Divisions of Artillery, composed of Horse and Foot, Officers Commanding Field Forces, Divisions, or Brigades, when not solely composed of Horse Artillery or Cavalry Corps; Officers attached to Irregular Horse, Poona Auxiliary and the Guicawar Contingent, the Officer Superintending the Establishment for the Breed of Horses, as well as to all other Officers of Mounted Corps; when removed from the performance of Regimental duty.

CLVIII. (3rd.) Horse Allowance hitherto drawn by the Chief, Inspecting, Superintending and Executive Engineers, when Field Officers, is discontinued.

CLIX. (4th.) The following Officers are to draw an Allowance for two Horses, vizt.

CLX. The Adjutant and Quarter Master General of the Army and their Deputies, and their Assistants and Deputy Assistants, when attached to Divisions of the Army, as Senior of their respective Departments.

CLXI. The Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

CLXII. Aides-de-Camp to the Right Honorable the Governor, and to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

CLXIII. Interpreter to His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

CLXIV. Town Major.

CLXV. Major of Brigade.

CLXVI. All other Staff Officers not specially provided for in the above Order, will continue to draw the rate of Horse Allowance of which they are at present in receipt.

CLXVII. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased in modification of the General Order dated 31st May 1832, to permit the Officers of the Adjutant and Quarter Master General's Department, stationed at the Presidency, to draw an allowance for two Horses.

G. G. O. 1st
Oct. 1833.

CLXVIII. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, in furtherance of the principle of assimilation with the Bengal Establishment, to permit the Judge Advocate General of the Army to draw an Allowance for two Horses, such being enjoyed by the Judge Advocate General of the Bengal Army.

G. G. O. 20th
July 1833.

CLXIX. (H. C. L. to Madras dated 4th June 1834. Para. V.) In the mean time we think proper to direct, that no Staff Officer shall be permitted to draw an Allowance for more than two Horses, and that the allowance be drawn separately and distinct from his other allowance.

G. G. O. 22d
Jan. 1835.

CLXX. The Government General Order of the 31st May 1832 is opposed to Cavalry Officers in command of Brigades drawing an allowance for more than one Horse, and the Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council does not consider it necessary to make any exception in favour of an Officer in temporary Command, as he is in receipt of the same advantages as if he were in permanent Command.

G. L. 12th
Apr. 1838.

CLXXI. One half of the Staff salary of the Joint Remount Agent shall be debited to the Madras Government and the other half to this Government.

G. L. 24th
Feb. 1835.

CLXXII. Whenever we have intended that Allowances of which we disapprove should be discontinued only upon the occurrence of subsequent vacancies, we have been careful to say so.

G. L. 29th
Aug. 1835.

CLXXIII. When we have disapproved of such Allowances being drawn "hereafter" we have intended that those allowances should be discontinued from the earliest date at which it might appear to you practicable to carry our orders into effect.

CLXXIV. The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to grant Poney allowance to the amount of Rupees (15) fifteen per mensem, to the Line Sergeant at Belgaum.

G. L. 26th
Jan. 1836.

CLXXV. The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to permit the Officialing Staff at fixed stations, where there may be no public Staff Officers, and at which the Troops belong to more than one Regiment, to prefer monthly Contingent Bills to cover the actual expense of Stationery, to an extent not exceeding Rupees fifteen.

G. G. O. 15th
July 1836.

CLXXVI. The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to resolve, that the total Staff allowances of the Fort Adjutant of Surat shall be reduced from Rupees two hundred and twenty (220) to one hundred and sixty (160) per mensem, the Allowance drawn by the Line Adjutant at Ahmednuggur.

G. L. 3d Nov.
1836.

CLXXVII. Under authority of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, the Staff Salary of the Brigade Major of Artillery is raised from Rupees 184 to Rupees 250 per mensem from the 17th ultimo.

G. G. O. 10th
May 1837.

CLXXVIII. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to permit the Adjutant of the Guzerat Irregular Horse, to draw Horse allowance for a second Horse as such is the practice in Bengal.

G. L. 10th
Sept. 1840.

G. L. 18th
Jan. 1838.

CLXXXIX. The Governor in Council is pleased to grant the Line Serjeant at Ahmednuggur Poney allowance at the rate of Rupees 15 per mensem.

CLXXX. I am at the same time directed to add, that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to discontinue in this and in future cases in which Poney allowance is granted the practice of furnishing Non-commissioned Officers on their first appointment with a Poney Saddle and Bridle from the Commissariat Department on Indent.

G. L. 2nd Dec.
1839.

CLXXXI. The Baggage, Line and Provost Serjeant of the Scinde Force made exceptions to the above rule.

G. L. 22nd
Sep. 1838.

CLXXXII. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the under-mentioned allowances to the Persian Interpreter to the field Detachment at Karrack.

For salary per mensem	Rs 100
For Office Establish. per mensem.....	do 50
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Total Rs.. 150	

G. L. 21st
Nov. 1838.

CLXXXIII. The Governor in Council has sanctioned to the Baggage Master of the Scinde Field Force a Salary of Rupees four per diem and Horse allowance for two horses but no Establishment.

G. L. 14th
Jan. 1839.

CLXXXIV. The Governor in Council is pleased to fix the Salary of the field Post Master, with the Scinde force at Rupees (200) two hundred per mensem.

CLXXXV. I am further directed to inform you, that the Establishment granted for the field Post Office has been sanctioned by Government.

G. L. 29th
May 1839.

CLXXXVI. The Governor in Council has been pleased to grant the sum of Rupees fifty a Month to the Staff Officer at Sholapoor as allowance for Office Establishment from the date of his assuming charge, subject to the confirmation of the Government of India.

G. L. 3d June
1839.

CLXXXVII. The Governor in Council has been pleased to fix the Allowance of the Post Master to the Reserve Scinde Force on the scale of the 3rd class, Rs. 50 fifty per mensem.

CLXXXVIII. The Post Master at Aden, is also allowed to draw the same rate of Salary.

G. G. O. 13th
June 1839,

CLXXXIX. The following Extract, (para: 22 from the letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated 6th February last, No. 3, is published for information.

Letter dated 27th July, 1838. No. 58.

Submit a Memorial from Captain Bulkley, Deputy Judge Advocate General, with the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, praying to be allowed the same Staff Salary as is granted in Bengal and Madras to Officers holding similar situations.

CXC. (22) Having authorized the Government of Madras to raise the Salaries of Deputy Judge Advocates at that Presidency from 250 to 350 Rupees a month as allowed in Bengal, we now sanction a similar augmentation at your Presidency commencing from the date of your receipt of this dispatch. The allowance for Office Establishment, will at the same time be fixed at 50 Rupees per month as granted in Bengal.

G. L. 5th Aug.
1839.

CXCI. With reference to General Order No. 413 under this date, I am directed to inform you, that the Pay of the new Establishment of the Town Major's Office is to be as follows.

	Net Pay.	Half Batta.	House Rent.	Staff Allowance.	Total.
The Conductor.....	50 ,, ,,	30 7 ,,	20 ,, ,,	30 ,, ,,	130 7 ,,
* The Garrison.....	.. ..			
Serjeant Major.....	22 ,, ,,	00 ,, ,,	8 ,, ,,	14 ,, ,,	44 ,, ,,
* The Key Serjeant.....	22 ,, ,,	00 ,, ,,	8 ,, ,,	14 ,, ,,	44 ,, ,,

Total.. 218 7 ,,

* Also Clothing Allowance as at present, Rs. 4 per month.

G. G. O. 3d
June 1840.

CXCII. The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to grant the Adjutant and Quarter Master General an allowance of Rupees Sixty per mensem for office rent, during the absence of Head Quarters from the Presidency, in lieu of office Tents hitherto allowed on such occasions.

G. L. 18th
July 1840.

CXCIII. In reply to your dispatch No. 2232 of the 26th ultimo, submitting the copy of a letter from the Military Auditor General, on the subject of the allowances of the late Staff Officer at Bakkur, I am directed to inform you, that the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to sanction the grant to that Officer of an allowance of Rupees one hundred and fifty per mensem as detailed in the letter of the Military Auditor General during the time he performed the duties of Garrison Staff.

G. L. 8th Dec.
1840.

CXCIV. The Governor in Council sanctions the Staff Pay of the Serjeant in charge of the Flag Staff at Malsbar Point being raised to the same amount as that drawn by the Serjeant in charge of the Flag Staff on the Island.

CXCV. The Honorable the Governor in Council has sanctioned the pay of the Signalman on the Island of Seere at Aden being raised to Rupees Twenty per mensem, to cover the extra expense he is put to by being detached from his Regiment. G. L. 29th Dec. 1840.

CXCVI. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council to refer you to page 721 Bengal Pay and Audit Regulations, Head Station Staff authorizing an allowance of Rs. (15) fifteen for a writer and Rs. (10) ten for Stationery to the Officer appointed to do the duty at all stations where two or more Regiments of the Line and one of Cavalry are Cantonment without any regular Staff Officer. G. L. 28th Jan. 1841.

CXCVII. I am directed to inform you, that the Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to sanction the entertainment by the Post Master Scinde Reserve Force of an additional Peon at Rs. Seven per month, and to allow him an Office Tent. G. L. 7th May 1839.

CXCVIII. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council has been pleased to sanction an increase of pay from Rupees One hundred to One hundred and Seventy five per month to the Master of the Garrison Band at this Presidency. G. L. 20th April 1841.

CXCIX. (L. G. G. 30th December.) His Honor in Council cannot sanction Horse allowance for either the Bazar Master or the Engineer Officer at Aden, but authorizes the grant of that allowance to the Officer Commanding the Out Posts, provided he possesses a Horse. G. L. 22d Jan. 1840.

CC. Under the recommendation of the Officer Commanding the Forces the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the appointment of a Line Serjeant to the Scinde Reserve Force. G. G. O. 9th April 1839.

CCI. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to republish for information at this Presidency the following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Government of India in Council, dated 25th ultimo. G. G. O. 26th April 1839.

Forth William, 25th March 1839.

CCII. Under instructions from the Hon'ble Court of Directors, and with the concurrence of the Right Honorable the Governor General the President in Council is pleased to lay down a new scale of allowances to be drawn by the Regimental Staff of Corps at Madras and Bombay respectively, from this date, and subject to the temporary exceptions immediately following the Table.

	Staff Pay.	Office Allowance.	Horse Allowance.	Office Tent.	Office Tent additional in the Field.	Total.
Adjutant and Quarter Master, European Artillery Horse or Foot.....	122	55	30	15	15	237
Adjutant Hon'ble Company's European Regiment.....	122	55	30	15	15	237
Quarter Master and Interpreter, Honorable Company's European Regiment.....	62	55	30	15	15	177
Adjutant Native Light Cavalry.....	92-7	55	30	30	..	207-7
Quarter Master and Interpreter Native Light Cavalry.....	62	40	30	..	..	132
Adjutants, Native Infantry and Native Artillery.....	92-7	40	30	30	..	192-7
Quarter Master and Interpreter do.....	62	40	30	..	..	132
Adjutant, Her Majesty's Regiments of Light Dragoons.....	60	55	30	15	15	175
Quarter Master..... ditto..... do.....	62	55	..	..	..	117
Interpreter..... ditto..... do.....	60	40	..	..	..	100
Adjutants, Her Majesty's Regiments of Infantry.....	122	55	30	15	15	237
Quarter Master ditto..... do.....	..	55	30	15	15	115
Interpreter..... ditto..... do.....	60	40	..	..	..	100

A. when in the Field marching.

CCIII. Adjutants and Quarter Masters of Troops of Horse Artillery at Bombay will be abolished as vacancies occur, and a Brigade Adjutant and Quarter Master in one person appointed on the allowances above specified.

CCIV. The Staff to the Brigade of Horse and Battalions of European Foot Artillery at Fort Saint George and to the European Foot Artillery at Bombay, will prospectively, as vacancies occur, merge into one Officer for each European Brigade and Battalion (in conformity with the practice in Bengal) who will draw the allowances above specified.

CCV. The duties and emoluments of the Regimental Staff alluded to in the two preceding paragraphs will remain unaffected until opportunities occur for effecting the proposed consolidation of the appointments.

CCVI. The separate office of Interpreter to the European Regiment at Bombay, will also be abolished prospectively, and as at the other Presidencies, a Quarter Master and Interpreter, will be appointed on the scale of allowances here indicated for the Office. In the mean time the Quarter Master will continue to draw the same aggregate of emoluments as heretofore, but the same will in future be passed under the new heads herein detailed.

CCVII. The additional Staff allowance of 30 Rupees a month now granted at Bombay to Quarter Masters and Interpreters of Native Infantry and Native Artillery, when Interpreters of both the Hindoostanee and Mahratta Languages, will also be abolished prospectively, and in all future appointments, the nominee will draw Staff Pay at the new rate now assigned of 62 Rupees a month.

CCVIII. The present duties and emoluments of Interpreters of Her Majesty's Regiments of Dragoons and Infantry, will both remain unaffected, but as vacancies occur the separate Interpreterships, whenever existing in each Language, Hindoostanee and Mahratta, will merge into one for both languages on the allowances here stated. This rule will apply equally to the Interpreter of the European Regiment.

CCIX. The allowance of 21 Rupees a month granted at Fort Saint George to the Adjutants of Corps, European and Native, while in the Field or marching, for the carriage of Regimental Books of their own and the Quarter Master's Department, will likewise be prospectively abolished, and the bona fide expenses incurred for those purposes will be drawn when actually marching as in Bengal.

G. G. O. 14th
Dec. 1839.

CCX. The order of 26th April last, No. 225 having reduced the allowance of Interpreters in a second language, renders it desirable that some motive should exist to influence Officers to pass in Mahratta as well as Hindoostanee, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to order, that on any future vacancy in the situation of Interpreter and Quarter Master to any Corps or Regiment under this Presidency, the appointment shall only be considered as acting, if the Officer has only passed in one language, and shall be vacated in favour of any Officer who shall have passed in the above two languages, whose character shall be in other points unexceptionable.

G. G. O. 12th
Oct. 1839.

CCXI. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to adopt the rules in force under the Bengal Presidency, regarding Staff and Staff Allowances for Detachments of European Drafts, Recruits, Invalids, and Time Expired men, going from, or coming to the Presidency.—The following Regulations are accordingly promulgated, which are not however to have effect when the distance is short of 15 day's march, nor when Detachments are proceeding the whole distance by Sea, they embrace the Stations for European Troops of Deesa, Ahmednuggur, and in Upper Scinde, but not those of Poona and Kurrachee.

CCXII. Commanding Officers are to draw the following allowances, vizt.

Number of Detachment.		Command allowance.	Contingent allowance for Stationery and all charges incidental to the payment of the Detachment.	TOTAL.
$\frac{1}{2}$	Company 44 Rank and File	15	10	25
1	Ditto 87	30	20	50
$1\frac{1}{2}$	Ditto 131	45	30	75
2	Ditto 174	60	40	100
$2\frac{1}{2}$	Ditto 218	75	50	125
3	Ditto 261	90	60	150
$3\frac{1}{2}$	Ditto 305	105	70	175
4	Ditto 348	120	80	200
$4\frac{1}{2}$	Ditto 392	135	90	225
5	Ditto 435	150	100	250

No allowance is authorized for Detachments less than half a Company.

CCXIII. The following temporary Staff are allowed.

Number of Detachment.		Surgeon or Assistant Surgeon.	Adjutant.	Quarter Master.	Serjeant Major.	Qr. Mr Serjeant.	Provost Serjeant.	Hospital Serjeant.
Temporary promotion when no Non-commissioned Officers are attached, will be authorized, in the proportion of 1 Serjeant and 1 Corporal to 20 Men.	Detachment of 450 Rank & File or more.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Ditto of 300 Ditto & under...	450	1	1	0	1	1	1
	Ditto of 200 Ditto.....	300	1	1	0	1	0	1
	Ditto of 100 Ditto.....	200	1	0	0	1	1	1
	Ditto of 50 Ditto.....	100	0	0	0	1	0	1

CCXIV. If a Detachment be reduced in progress up the Country, a corresponding change will take place in the Staff so as to adopt the classes thereof to the diminished strength of the party. Appointments take effect from the date on which the Detachment embarks or marches.

CCXV. The allowances for the Staff are fixed as follows :

Rank or Appointment.	Palankeen allowance when marching.	Writer and Stationary.	Staff allowance.	Horse and Office Tent allowance.	Total.
Surgeon or Assistant Surgeon N. B. The Staff allowance is for every 100 Men in lieu of all allowances extra to his Regimental Rank.	30	50			80
Adjutant proceeding by water.		30	90 A		128
„ marching.		30	90 A	60	180
Quarter Master proceeding by water.			60 B		60
„ Marching.			60 B	30	90
Serjeant Major exclusive of Corps Pay as Serjeant.		20			20
Quarter Master Serjeant, do. do.			14		14
Provost Serjeant, do. do.			20		20
Hospital ditto, do. do.			10		10
Temporary Serjeant Corps Pay as Serjeant.					
„ Corporal, do. do. as Corporal 3rd Class.					

A. Rs- 3 per diem.

B. Rs- 2 per diem.

CCXVI. The Commanding Officer will furnish the Military Auditor General with Returns shewing the original strength of the Detachment, and the separate details for each Corps composing it, the dates of making over Men to their Corps, lying on his route, will also be reported to him by the same authority, who will pass the different allowances, to individuals entitled thereto, according to the above scale.

CCXVII. The Governor in Council, adverting to the several applications which have of late been made to him, by Officers left in Command of Detachments of Her Majesty's Regiments, for Allowances for additional Adjutants and Serjeants Major, on the ground of their being necessary for the discipline of these Detachments,—has resolved, in view to the general restrictive Orders of the Court of Directors respecting any excess to the fixed Establishment of Corps, as well as to the usage of His Majesty's Service, to resist all such applications in future.

G. G. O. 7th
July 1802.

CCXVIII. The Governor in Council is satisfied, that Commanding Officers who have professional credit at stake, will be ever excited to a particular degree of attention to the choice and number, as far as may depend on them, of both Commissioned and Non-commissioned Officers to be left with, or occasionally appointed to small Detachments, for their discipline; or when there may be two or three Subaltern Officers with a Detachment from one Corps, they may be, in the Governor in Council's opinion, with advantage directed to perform the duty of Adjutant by turns, with the assistance of one or more of the most experienced Non-commissioned Officers, without any Extra Pay and Allowance being admitted on this account.

CCXIX. (H. C. L. to Madras dated 24th February 1818. Para. CCLXXVIII.) "It will be the duty of the Interpreter and Quarter Master to officiate as Interpreter of Hindoostanee, not only to all Courts-Martial which may be held in the Battalion to which he belongs, but to any other Court-Martial at which he may be directed to officiate, without any further charge or expense to the Company for such service; and generally to render all the services which, as an Interpreter, he may at any time be called upon to perform."

G. G. O. 31st
May 1819.

CCXX. "It will also be his duty to act as Quarter Master of his Battalion, and to preform all those duties which are usually performed by the Quarter Masters of other Corps in your Army."

CCXXI. "We rely upon your care and vigilance that no Officer be selected for the important situation of Interpreter who is not fully qualified to perform all the duties of it, especially the serious and responsible duties of Interpreter to Courts-Martial."

CCXXII. (Para. CCLXXXII.) "With respect to your Regiments of Native Cavalry we direct that the Quarter Master of each Regiment of Native Cavalry perform also the duty of Interpreter of Hindoostanee to his Corps."

CCXXIII. (Para. CCLXXXIII.) "The Commander in Chief will take care that no Officer be hereafter appointed to the situation of Quarter Master of Cavalry who is not duly qualified to act as Interpreter."

CCXXIV. In pursuance of the Hon'ble Court's Orders, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the designation of the Officers at present holding the situation of Linguist in the several Battalions of Native Infantry and Regiments of Cavalry, be changed to that of "Interpreter," and that they be ordered to assume the duties of Quarter Master as specified in the Hon'ble Court's Dispatch; but no Adjutant will hereafter be permitted to hold both situations.

CCXXV. It is the duty of all Interpreters to officiate at General, Garrison and Line Courts-Martial, or Courts of Inquiry, and to perform any service which may be required of

G. G. O. 4th
Feb. 1826.

them by the Commanding Officer of the Troops where they may be employed, without any additional Allowances.

CCXXVI. It is clearly to be understood, that no Officer shall be appointed to officiate as an Interpreter to a Regiment unless he has passed an examination, and his name has appeared in General Orders as qualified for the duties.

G. G. O. 1st
Sep. 1836.

CCXXVII. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel Clause XXI of the General Order 28th August 1823 and to direct, that in future Regimental Staff Allowances be governed by the same Rules as are now applicable to the General Staff only. The existing rules regarding Horse Allowance to Officers of the General Staff are also made applicable to Regimental Staff Officers.

G. G. O. 8th
Sept. 1825.

CCXXVIII. A report of all Battalion temporary Appointments will continue to be made to the Adjutant General for the information of the Commander in Chief.

CCXXIX. The Honorable the Governor in Council having had before him frequent applications for Staff Allowances, on the part of Officers nominated to act as Adjutants to Detachments of Corps, and considering that the selection of Officers for such duties should be viewed rather as affording them opportunities of recommending themselves for permanent Staff Employ than as sources of immediate pecuniary emolument, claims of this description are not admissible unless the detachment shall equal the strength hereafter enumerated.

	<i>Rank and File.</i>
CCXXX. (II.) Horse and Foot Artillery where mixed on } duty, to the extent of European and Native... .. }	150
Cavalry European... ..	200 or two Troops.
Ditto. Native,.....	300 or three Troops.
Infantry European,.....	200 or two Companies.
Ditto Native,.....	300 or three Companies.

CCXXXI. (III.) The "Acting Adjutants" of such Detachments, are to perform the duties of the Quarter Master's Department.

CCXXXII. (IV.) Acting Adjutants will be allowed a Monthly Salary of 70 Rupees, with which they must meet the charges for Writer, Stationery, and other Expenses, incidental to such temporary Staff duties.

CCXXXIII. (V.) Acting Adjutants will be nominated by Commanding Officers, subject to the usual courses of confirmation.

CCXXXIV. (VI.) When it is found necessary to separate Wings of a Regiment, for the purpose of giving each a permanent Station, an "Acting Adjutant" will be allowed for the detached Wing, also an "Acting Quarter Master," when the Corps is European, and an "Acting Interpreter" when it is Native, all three on the full Allowances of their respective functions.

CCXXXV. (VII.) The above number (VI.) is not meant to apply to a Wing of a Regiment employed on active service, until it shall have been three months in the Field, after which two Staff Officers will be allowed.

CCXXXVI. (VIII.) When a General of Division, or Officer Commanding a Field Force, may find it necessary to nominate an Officer to perform general Staff Duties, such Officer will be designated "Staff Officer." The Appointment to be submitted for the confirmation of Government, who will decide, according to the strength of the Force, whether he shall be considered as coming under the above provisions, specified in No. IV., or recognized as entitled to the Staff Pay of Brigade Major or Line Adjutant.—It is however to be understood, that when the Public Service cannot suffer from the delay, the previous authority of Government is to be obtained for the Appointment of "Staff Officers" of the description specified in No. IV.

G. O. C. 20th
Jan. 1825.

CCXXXVII. Whenever it may be found necessary by Officers Commanding Divisions, Stations, &c. to nominate Staff Officers to small Detachments, the Commander in Chief directs that the Strength of the Detachment shall invariably be detailed in the margin of the letter reporting the Appointment to Head Quarters.

G. G. O. 5th
Dec. 1827.

CCXXXVIII. In reference to the appointment of an Acting Quarter Master, the Commander in Chief wishes it to be distinctly understood that this, and other similar nominations, are merely temporary and conditional; and that the Situation is still left open to whatever Subaltern Officer, (if in other respects eligible) who shall pass the earliest and best examination amongst the Candidates in each Regiment to qualify him for the relative duties of Interpreter.

G. L. 12th
Nov. 1840.

CCXXXIX. The Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India Council can hardly look upon the appointment of a Lieutenant of the Engineers as Acting Interpreter to the Wing of the 13th Regiment N. I. when severally stationed at Broach, as a regular one that Officer being in the Civil Department of the Engineers and not placed at the disposal of the Military Authorities.

CCXL. The existing Regulation, that Linguists shall be publicly examined as to their knowledge, by a Committee assembled by order of the Commander in Chief, is to be enforced with the utmost exactness and whenever the public service will admit, the Candidates are to be examined at the Presidency.

CCXLI. In future, Committees will be assembled at the Presidency for the Examination of Candidates in the Native Languages, on the 15th February, 1st May, and 15th October, annually. G. O. C. 20th Nov. 1823.

CCXLII. When the appointment of Interpreter and Quarter Master is vacant in a Regiment of Native Cavalry or Battalion of Infantry, the Commanding Officer of the Corps shall nominate, in awaiting the confirmation of Government, a qualified Subaltern Officer to the provisional performance of the duties annexed to that Situation, who is to be remunerated on the same scale of Allowances as granted to an Officer permanently appointed thereto. G. G. O. 22nd June 1820.

CCXLIII. As it is inconsistent that an Adjutant should act as Interpreter at Courts Martial of his own Regiment or Battalion, that Officer cannot be selected for the situation in question; but it may be provisionally filled by a qualified Captain, if a Subaltern cannot be found equal to the duty.

CCXLIV. In the event of a Battalion not having either Captain or Subaltern capable of performing the Duties of Interpreter, those of Quarter Master will be executed, in addition to his other duties, by a Subaltern (*not being Adjutant*) of the selection of the Commanding Officer, for which he will receive a remuneration of forty (£0) Rupees per month; he will also receive Horse allowance.

CCXLV. In the above event also, should the Battalion be stationed with another Corps having an Interpreter, he will be required to read the Articles of War, to officiate at Regimental Courts-Martial, and perform all other duties of Interpreter to the former, on an additional Allowance of 62 Rupees per mensem.

CCXLVI. In all cases, whether the Appointment be permanent or temporary, it will be the province of the Officers discharging the duties of Interpreter, to officiate in that capacity to any General, Garrison, or Line Courts-Martial, or Courts of Enquiry, he may be ordered to attend, without further charge or expense to the Public, and generally to render all the service which as an Interpreter he may be called upon to perform; and he is also to act as Quarter Master, having charge of the Camp Equipage, with the custody and repairs of Arms, Accoutrements, and Stores, &c. of his Corps, as established by the Government General Order of 31st May 1819.

CCXLVII. The Commander in Chief has had reason to remark that, in more than one recent instance, the Committees at Out-stations assembled to report on the proficiency which Officers have attained in the Native Languages, have recommended some as being qualified to hold the situation of Interpreter to a Battalion, while, on a further examination, this favorable opinion has not been supported by the specimens of writing and of translations which have been produced;—His Excellency feels it necessary to express an expectation that, in future, the Officers required to perform this duty will be more minute and strict in their examinations, for no feeling for the interest of an Individual should operate as the slightest inducement to make a Report, which is calculated to defeat the useful and laudable object which the institution of Linguists to the Battalions of Native Infantry has in view. G. O. C. 25th Feb. 1812.

CCXLVIII. In order to afford every facility to those Officers who feel desirous of attaining a competent knowledge of the Native Languages, by enabling them at once to give a proper direction to their Studies, and by that means relieve them from much of the labor, inconvenience, and unnecessary expense, to which the Commander in Chief is led to believe many are at present subjected, from being unacquainted with the nature of the examination they have to undergo, or the extent of the information which it is considered indispensable they should be in possession of, to qualify them for the Situation of Interpreter; His Excellency is pleased to publish for general information the following Rules for conducting the examination of Officers, to be strictly adhered to by all Committees that may in future be nominated for this purpose. G. O. C. 15th Apl. 1829.

CCXLIX. Rules for the Examination of Officers in the Native Languages.

Language.	General points for Examination.	Remarks.
Hindoostanee.	1st. Translations <i>viva voce</i> , & without premeditation, into English, from a prose author and particularly from letters and petitions. 2nd. Written Translations with premeditation, but without any kind of assistance, from English, of a tale or of a similar kind of narratory style, and of a letter or petition.	The characters to be known at this examination are the printed Nuskh, written Taleek, and Nagree, and the Books to be read, such as the <i>Ukhla-ki-Hindee</i> , <i>Baghoo-Buhar</i> , <i>Jamu-ool-hikayut</i> , <i>Khird-Afroz</i> , <i>Buetal-Punch-assistance</i> , from English, of a tale or of a similar kind of narratory style, and of a letter or petition.
Maratha & Goojrattee.	3rd. Translation <i>viva voce</i> from English of the Articles of War, General Orders, Proceedings of Courts Martial, and of questions and answers proposed by the Examiners. 4th. Conversation implying a comprehension of all that is addressed to the candidate, on all common and military subjects, and a tolerable degree of fluency in replying.	The characters required to be known at this Examination are the <i>Balbooh</i> , both for Maratha and Goojrattee, and also the <i>Moree</i> and <i>Goojrattee</i> running hands, the books such as the <i>Maratha-version</i> of the History of the Marathas, the <i>Vidoor-Niti</i> , <i>Cesop's Fables</i> , <i>Bal-mit</i> , <i>Tookoojees Ubhungs</i> , <i>Goojratee</i> , <i>Bharat</i> , &c.
Persian.	5th. A knowledge of the grammatical rules and principles to be shewn by correctly parsing any passage which may be pointed out, or by answering any questions on the subject which may be proposed by the Examiners.	The characters to be known at this examination are the printed Nuskh, the written Taleek and <i>Shikustee</i> , and the books such as the <i>Anwari-Sohili</i> in particular, the <i>Tareekhi-Ferishta</i> , <i>Tareekhi-Nigaristan</i> , and a poetical Author.

G. O. C. 23d
Nov. 1831.

CCL. Regimental Commanding Officers will in future previous to forwarding applications for Officers to proceed to the Presidency for the purpose of undergoing an Examination, direct their Interpreters to report whether sufficient proficiency in the Language has been attained, to warrant leave being granted.

G. G. O. 12th
Dec. 1833.

CCLI. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, in future, Committees be assembled at the Presidency for the examination of Candidates in the Native Languages, on the 5th of February, 15th of May, and 15th October annually.

G. G. O. 19th
Apr. 1835.

CCLII. The Honorable the Governor in Council, adverting to the expense necessary to be incurred by young Officers in perfecting themselves in a knowledge of the Native Languages, and which may have often discouraged them from study, is pleased to resolve, that every Officer, who shall hereafter pass an examination in the Hindoostanee or Mahratta Languages, shall be allowed to draw from the Pay Office, a sum equal to an Allowance of thirty Rupees (30 Rs.) for a period of six months, or for twelve months on obtaining a knowledge of both languages.

G. G. O. 20th
Oct. 1832.

Report the extension to the Military, Medical, and Marine Services, of the rule established in 1826, granting a reward of Rupees 800 for each Language &c.

CCLIII. (H. C. L. dated 8th February 1832. Para. XXI.) The extension of the grant described in this Paragraph, to the Military, Medical, and Marine Services, is at variance with the orders conveyed to you in our public letter dated 21st September 1825, Paragraph 10. We therefore direct its

immediate discontinuance.

G. G. O. 27th
Jan. and 13th
March 1834.

CCLIV. The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of the General Order of the 19th April 1825 to Officers who may pass an examination in the Guzarattee or Persian languages, who will consequently be hereafter entitled to the six months allowance of Thirty Rupees (30) per mensem on account of those Languages, respectively, in addition to any claim on account of Hindoostanee or Mahratta.

G. G. O. 18th
Oct. 1838.

CCLV. Considering it very desirable that every encouragement should be held out to Officers in the Honorable Company's Service to attain a competent knowledge of the vernacular dialects of the British or neighbouring Territories on the Continent of India, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, under the authority of the Government of India, to extend the grant of Moonshee allowance to any Officer acquiring the requisite degree of proficiency in any of those Languages.

G. O. C. 28th
Oct. 1836.

CCLVI. With reference to the General Order by the Com mander in Chief No. 1 dated the 23rd of November 1831, His Excellency finds it necessary in consequence of the total want of preparation evinced by a number of the candidates who appeared before the Committee recently assembled at the Presidency for their examination in the Native Languages to direct in future, Regimental Commanding Officers previous to forwarding applications from Officers to proceed to the Presidency for the purpose of undergoing an examination, to submit a request to the Officer Commanding the Station at which they may be serving, who will in all cases, where it may be practicable without inconvenience to the public Service direct a Station Committee composed of two or more Interpreters to assemble and report whether sufficient proficiency in the language has been attained, to warrant leave being granted for this purpose, in each case in which it may be applied for.

CCLVII. It having also been brought to the notice of the Commander in Chief that the provisions of the General Order of the 15th April 1829, on the subject of examinations in the Native Languages have not been literally complied with as regards examinations in the Hindoostanee Language. With the view of preventing such candidates as may offer themselves at the next periodical examination from being rejected on this account. His Excellency is pleased to declare that a knowledge of the Mogul character as well as the Persian is requisite to qualify an Officer for the situation of Interpreter in the Hindoostanee language.

G. O. 4th
May 1839.

CCLVIII. Lieutenant A. B. and A. D. are reported qualified as Interpreters in the Hindoostanee Language, by a Committee which assembled in Camp at Harkana, on the 11th of March last. These Officers will however, be subject to the usual Presidency examination, whenever an opportunity offers for their appearing before the Examination Committee at Bombay.

Allowances to Absent and Acting Staff Officers.

G. G. O. 28th
Aug. 1823.

CCLIX. With reference to the Extract from the Hon'ble Court's Letter dated 2d May, published in General Orders 20th September 1821, the Governor in Council directs that the following Subsidiary Rules regarding Staff Allowances to absent and acting Staff Officers be observed, until the Court's further Orders be received, to have effect from the 1st instant.

CCLX. The Hon'ble Court's Regulation is held to be applicable to all Officers absent on leave, within, or beyond the limits of the Presidency.

CCLXI. Acting Staff Officers (their temporary Appointments being of course made or confirmed by Government) shall in all cases receive the full Staff Salary of the Situation, when there may not be any absent Staff Officer entitled to a moiety thereof.

CCLXII. Under the foregoing rule, the half Staff Allowance forfeited by a Staff Officer, who, having a furlough to the Cape, &c. proceeds on to Europe without returning to Bombay, shall be assignable to the Officer who has performed the duty of the Situation.

CCLXIII. No acting Staff Officer, absent from the duties of the Station in which he had been Officiating, shall have any title to Staff Allowance.

CCLXIV. Staff Officers on returning from leave, will re-commence drawing the full Salary from the date of resuming charge of their Appointment.

CCLXV. Officers nominated to situations, who, from employment elsewhere or other cause, cannot immediately enter on their functions, are not to receive the allowances or salaries annexed thereto, which will be given to those who act temporarily in such situations during the absence of the nominees.

G. O. 6th Jan.
1842.

CCLXVI. Commissariat Officers shall in every case be entitled to the full Salary of their Departmental Rank, without regard to the Station at which they may be serving, provided they are in charge of, or otherwise employed on Commissariat Duties.

G. O. 28th
Augt. 1823.

CCLXVII. Staff Officers of the same Department, or whose Appointments bear the same designation, permitted to exchange Stations at their own request, shall be allowed half Staff Pay whilst proceeding to join, or absent with leave. But, if the removal take place on public grounds, which will be notified in General Orders, such Officers will be allowed full Staff Pay whilst travelling to join, as upon duty, (provided always, they proceed by the nearest Route, in failure of which they shall be considered as on leave,) and the Officers in temporary charge will also be entitled to the full Allowance.

CCLXVIII. Officers promoted in a Department, whilst on Furlough, shall receive the half Staff Pay of the higher grade in the Department, provided they are in other respects qualified to claim it.

CCLXIX. Deputies and Assistants, during the absence of their Principals on leave shall be allowed to draw half of the next superior grade in the Department, relinquishing the half or full Staff Pay of their own Situations to the Officers next below them.

CCLXX. In cases where the appointment of a temporary Assistant may be considered unnecessary, the half or full Staff Pay of the Junior Assistant shall be a saving to Government.

CCLXXI. Commissariat Officers being removeable from one Station to another, by Roster, or under the exigencies of the Service, shall in no case receive higher Pay than what they may be entitled to by their departmental Rank, excepting only the Deputy if placed at the Head of the Office at the Presidency, during the absence of the Commissary General on leave, in which case, as officiating Head of the Department, he will be entitled to the half or full Staff Pay of Commissary General, the half or full Staff Pay of his own proper departmental Rank, being a saving to Government.

CCLXXII. Staff Officers on leave of absence are prohibited by the Hon'ble, Court's Regulations, drawing, in any case, more than the half Staff Salary, the remaining portion, in cases where Officers are not appointed to do the duty, being a saving to Government.

CCLXXIII. But Officers absent from the duties of their Situations, and in the performance of other duty under the Orders of Government, or of the Commander in Chief with the sanction of Government, for which Extra Allowances are not assigned, shall be entitled to their full Salary so long as they may be thus circumstanced.

CCLXXIV. The acting Staff Officer in the above case, shall also draw the full Staff Salary for the same period, as the proper Staff Officer may be permitted to draw it; but the half Staff Pay only for any further period he may be so officiating.

CCLXXV. No Regimental or other Staff Officer absent on leave between Muster and Muster, shall forfeit any portion of his Staff Allowances, unless it shall have been found expedient by Government to appoint, or confirm the appointment of an Officer to officiate during his absence.

CCLXXVI. In regard to the effective Regimental Staff of His Majesty's Regiments, whose Pay and Allowances are so fixed as not to admit of a division, they shall be permitted to draw the whole King's and Company's Staff Pay, taking care however to make arrangement, under the sanction of the Commanding Officer, for remuneration to the Officiating Officer during their absence.

CCLXXVII. All former Orders by Government, in respect to Staff Allowances to absent and acting Staff Officers, are hereby rescinded.

CCLXXVIII. The Staff appointments of the Field Force in Scinde as originally organized must be considered temporary and the rule applied to absentees, as defined in the 3rd para. of your letter is therefore strictly correct.

G. L. 12th
Feb. 1842.

CCLXXIX. The Staff appointments lately promulgated to the Field Force in Scinde on its new footing must also be regarded as temporary, until otherwise declared, and the same rules as heretofore continue, therefore to be applicable to them.

Para. 3 of M. A. G. letter, 13th January 1842.

CCLXXX. I have followed the rule hitherto observed, namely, that Officers who hold Staff appointments only temporarily are not entitled to any portion of the Salary of the same when absent on leave, and have accordingly considered, that Officers on the permanent Staff should, whilst on leave, draw the half Staff Pay of their Permanent appointments, & I have allowed to the Officers acting for them, only half staff Pay from the dates respectively when the former Officers commenced drawing the other half as it appears more equitable that Officers in Garrison should suffer the deduction than those who are on active Field Service.

CCLXXXI. In order to ensure a strict and punctual adherence to the Regulations in regard to Security Bonds, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that no Officer hereafter appointed to the Commissariat or Pay Department nor any other Office from whom Securities may be required, shall be allowed to draw any part of their Official Allowances until the production of a Certificate from the Honorable Company's Solicitor that the required Securities have been given.

G. G. O. 20th
May 1825.

G. G. O. 6th
April 1837.

CCLXXXII. The principles laid down in Para. 289 is applied to the case of an Aid-de-Camp who obtains leave to accompany the General Officer to whom he is attached.

CCLXXXIII. The Hon'ble Court direct that the Staff allowance of an Aid-de-Camp be discontinued during such absence.

G. G. O. 8th
Jan. 1839.

CCLXXXIV. The following General Orders dated 31st August 1838 by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India is re-published at this Presidency.

CCLXXXV. The Right Honorable the Governor General directs, that the following rules be observed in regard to Staff Officers temporarily withdrawn from their appointments for the purpose of joining their Regiments on Field Service.

CCLXXXVI. Officers on Staff employ when temporarily withdrawn from their appointments for the purpose of joining their Regiments on Field Service, will be permitted to draw while so employed, their full Staff salary, provided that other Officers are not appointed to officiate for them, and that they hold no Staff situation in the Army with which they are serving.

CCLXXXVII. In cases when other Officers may be employed to officiate during the absence of Staff Officers (as above) a moiety of their Staff salary will be drawn by the absentees, and the other moiety by the officiating Officers.

NOTE.—In explanation of the above.

If an Officer is placed temporarily at the disposal of the Commander in Chief for Regimental duty, and another acts for him, he receives half Staff salary.

2. If nobody acts, full Staff salary.

3. If nominated to a Staff appointment with the Force, the Staff allowances of such, in addition to his half Staff Pay, provided the whole does not exceed the full allowances of the appointment he has left, whatever amount it exceeds the latter is to be paid to the locus tenens of the Absentee.

4. The full Staff salary of his Field appointment, if it is larger than that of the situation he has vacated temporarily.

G. G. O. 6th
Apr. 1837.

CCLXXXVIII. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council with a view to remove discouragement to Regimental Staff Officers coming to the Presidency to pass an examination in the Native Languages and at the same time to prevent the abuse of the indulgence by Officers coming insufficiently prepared, is pleased to direct, that they shall on passing their examination be allowed their personal Staff Allowances for the same number of days as they would draw "Marching Batta" and for seven additional days while at the Presidency on examination but for no longer period.

G. G. O. 4th
Mar. 1831.

CCLXXXIX. (H. C. L. to Madras dated 7th March 1828. Para. XXXIII.) In the case of a General Officer obtaining leave to proceed to Sea on sick certificate, it becomes necessary to fill his place by a temporary appointment, and we are of opinion that one thousand and fifty Rupees a month (Rs 1050), the amount of the Table allowances attached to the Command of the Southern Division, as stated by your Military Auditor General, ought to be deducted from the allowances of the absent General Officer, and given to the Officer appointed to act for him during his sick leave.

G. L. 28th
Nov. 1836.

CCXC. (L. G. G. 3d October) At this Presidency, though such a case has not yet occurred the sum of Rupees 1050 forfeited under the Orders of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors by a General Officer proceeding while on the Staff beyond the limits of his Presidency would constitute the whole of the Staff Salary receivable by the Officer appointed to act during his absence who would consequently, if a permanent Brigadier, be obliged to relinquish Brigade command allowance while in temporary charge of a Division.

G. G. O. 20th
Feb. 1837.

CCXCI. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to re-publish the following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council.

CCXCII. The following paragraph (5) of a Military Letter from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, to the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Beugal, No. 54 dated 31st August 1836, is published for general information.

Letter dated 15th August 1835.
With reference to Court's Orders to Madras, of 5th August 1834 (a Copy of which was forwarded as applicable to Bengal, in Court's Letter of 11th February 1835) regarding the allowances of General Officers on the Staff, while absent from their Divisions on leave, submit a representation of the injurious effect of the Regulation therein laid down, and urge the grounds upon which the Court are requested to reconsider the orders in question, and to grant the Officers so employed, an immunity from any forfeiture of allowances while absent from their Division on leave within the limits of the Presidency to which they belong.

CCXCIII. (Para. 5) In compliance with your recommendation, we shall not object to the continuance of the allowances of Officers on the General Staff, when absent from their commands, within limits of their respective Presidencies for a reasonable period, provided that no additional expense is thereby occasioned to the State.

CCXCIV. With reference to General Order No. 99 of 1837 dated 20th February, the Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the privilege granted to General Officers on the Staff, of being absent on leave beyond the limits of their Divisions without any forfeiture of their allowances, is to be conceded only in cases when their absence occasions no additional expense; as for instance, when there is a Brigadier at the Head Quarters of their Division. In other cases the Station Command allowance, Rupees 550, is to be borne by the absent General Officer.

G. G. O. 10th
May 1838.

CCXCV. (L. G. G. 10th June.) The Right Honorable the Governor General to whom a reference has been made on the subject is of the following opinion, in which the President in Council concurs:

G. L. 3rd July
1839.

CCXCVI. That reference should be had to the salaries fixed for the Commander in Chief at the subordinate Presidencies and the Bombay Government be authorized to grant to Sir John FitzGerald while in Command of the Forces an Extra allowance bearing the same proportion to the salary of the Commander in Chief at Bombay as (875) eight hundred and seventy five Rupees, the sum allowed under similar circumstances to Major General, Dyce by the Government of Fort Saint George, do; to the salary of the Commander in Chief at the Presidency, such allowance having been confirmed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.

House Rent, Pagodas 125 or Rs. 437 8 0	}
Table Money .. 125 .. 437 8 0	
Total Pagodas	250 875 0 0

CCXCVII. With reference to No. 34 of the abstract Bombay consultation dated the 6th March, the Governor General requests that the Bombay Government may be informed that the Officer in Command of the Forces during a temporary absence of the Commander in Chief is not entitled to a Military Secretary even at this Presidency where the Army is nearly three times as numerous as that of Bombay.

CCXCVIII. The following Extract, Para. 42 of a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated the 31st March last, No. 18, is published for general information:

G. G. O. 25th
June 1841.

The Government of India have sanctioned an allowance to Major General Sir J. FitzGerald, during the absence at sea on sick certificate of Lieutenant General Sir John Keane, from 11th April to 4th June 1838, at the same rate as was granted on the occasion of his succeeding to the command of the Force when the Commander in Chief proceeded on Field Service.

CCXCIX. (Para. 42.) We are of opinion, that whenever, from the absence of the Commander in Chief on sick certificate or private affairs, it may become necessary to delegate to the next Senior Officer serving on the Divisional Staff, the functions of Commander of the Forces, the extra allowance issued to him on this account should form a deduction from the allowances of the Commander in Chief, we desire that a regulation to this effect may be acted upon hereafter.

CCC. The Governor in Council is of opinion that the Rule which should guide the adjustment of the allowance of His Excellency the late Commander in Chief is that which is stated in the Bengal Code (Page 702, Para. 5), as follows:

G. L. 30th
March 1840.

CCCI. "In a recent instance, the allowances of a relieved Commander in Chief, (and of all his Staff) were passed up to the date of receipt by him of the General Order, announcing the assumption of the Command of the Army by his duly appointed successor."

CCCII. Under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, it is hereby notified, that a Major General of His Majesty's Service employed on the Staff of any of the Presidencies, shall be permitted to draw his Staff Salary up to the date of promulgation at the Head Quarters of his Division, of the Government General Order announcing the arrival of his Successor, and to no later period.

G. G. O. 20th
May 1831.

CCCIII. The above Regulation is not to affect the Major General arriving from Europe, who is entitled to Staff Salary from the date of his landing.

CCCIV. Batta of his Regimental Rank allowed to the relieved General Officer until the date of his embarkation.

G. L. 31st
March 1831.

NOTE.—Not to exceed 3 months.

CCCV. (L. G. G. 27th May). — Major General Sir John FitzGerald K. C. B., is entitled to an allowance for Commanding the Forces during the absence at Sea of Sir John Keane from the 11th April to the 4th June 1838, at the same rate as was granted to him on the occasion of succeeding to the Command when Sir John Keane proceeded on Field Service.

G. L. 15th
June 1840.

CCCVI. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council approves of the allowances to be drawn by a Captain, Military Secretary to His Excellency the Commander in Chief whose Regiment is not in India being adjusted on the principle, suggested, vizt.

G. L. 2nd
April 1840.

Horse allowance.....	60	0	0
Extra Batta, less House rent.....	41	5	0
Staff House rent, less Tentage.....	60	0	0

Total Rs.. 161 5 0

Extract Military Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 16th August 1837. No. 43.

G.L.23d Dec.
1837.

For warding a communication from the Military Auditor General submitting suggestions with regard to the Division of staff salaries between absentees and the Officers Acting for them, and request to be furnished with Court's Order thereon.

CCCVII. In our Military letter to the Government of Madras dated the 8th June 1836. We approved of the regulation adopted by that Government on the 23rd January 1835, prescribing that when Staff Officers were detached on duty under circumstances which entitle them to a continuance of full allowance, the Deputy or Officer next in rank in the office should be required to perform the duty of the superior grade without any additional allowance and by the communication you have received from the Government of India you have learnt that a similar rule would be acted upon in Bengal.

G. G. O. 29th
Octr. 1840.

CCCVIII. The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Officers nominated to Staff situations, are to be considered, and indeed placed in charge from the date of arrival at the Station, and that when Stores are to be given over, the relieved Officer shall remain to perform that duty without receiving any remuneration on that account, or compensation for loss of command or other allowance, occasioned by such detention.

G. L. 21st,
April 1841.

CCCIX. Officers attached to the Revenue Survey Department who are now absent on Military duty should not hereafter be allowed to draw any portion of their survey allowances until the exigencies of the public Service enable them to resume their duties in the survey Department.

CCCX. As those Officers have hitherto drawn half of their salaries under the sanction of Government they should not, I am directed to observe, be required to refund the amount so drawn.

Absentee Regulations for Military Officers in Civil Employ.

G. G. O. 27th
Feb. 1840.

CCCXI. The following Absentee Regulations established by the Government of India, and approved by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors are declared applicable to this Presidency and are republished for general information:—

CCCXII. The following Rules for the grant of leave of absence and for regulating deductions from Salaries and Deputation Allowances having been approved and passed by the Hon'ble Court of Directors are published for general information and will take effect in all the Presidencies, Settlements and Stations under the Government of India from the date of the arrival of the Gazette containing them in respect to all leaves of absence granted after that date. The notes show the interpretation put by the Council of India upon the rules in their application to cases not specifically mentioned.

Rules for application for leave of absence and for fixing the local limits within which it may be granted.

CCCXIII. (Sec. I.) No leave of absence from any Officers of Station can be granted, but by the Government of the Presidency under which the employment is held, and in the application of the party requiring such leave, saving in such cases as may hereafter be specially excepted. The application must be made publicly through the regular channel in the Department to which the applicant may belong.

CCCXIV. (Sec. II.) The allowances of the holder of a Civil Office quitting his Station without leave will entirely cease from the date of his quitting until his return, or in the event of his subsequently obtaining leave to the date of such leave being granted to him.

CCCXV. (Sec. III.) No leave of absence shall have any retrospective effect except in cases of severe illness, to be attested by Medical Certificate, conforming in every respect to the directions contained in Section V.

CCCXVI. (Sec. IV.) Upon application duly made, the Government of each Presidency may grant leave of absence to any place or places in the Continent of India, whether within the Territories subject to the Government of the East India Company or not, to any Civil or Military Servant holding a Civil appointment, subject to all the conditions prescribed in the rules that may be applicable to his case. Upon similar application, the Government of each Presidency may also grant leave to such persons subject to the like conditions, to proceed to the Island of St. Helena, the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope, or to any place situated between the 36th Degree of North Latitude and the 50th Degree of South Latitude, such place being likewise between the 30th and the 180th Degrees of Longitude East of Greenwich, excepting however, any Islands in the Mediterranean or Levant, and excepting all places within the said Geographical limits which may form part of Europe, Provided also, that if at any time the Government of India shall deem it expedient to exclude any place or places, within the limits above described from the operation of these rules, such exclusion shall be officially communicated to the subordinate Governments, and all leave subsequently granted shall be regulated accordingly. A Servant passing the limits herein prescribed will incur the immediate forfeiture of his office or employment, and of all official allowances whatever from the date of his quitting India.

CHAPTER II.

Rules for Sick Leave.

CCCXVII. (Sec. V.) When an application for leave of absence is made on the ground of ill health, it must be accompanied by a Certificate from the Medical Officer, by whom the applicant has been attended; distinctly stating from his personal observation the nature of

the disease, the symptoms by which it is manifested, the period during which it has existed as far as the knowledge of the Medical Officer extends, and the necessity for temporary removal to some other place either within the Territories subject to the Government of the East India Company or beyond them, but within the limits laid down in Section IV. as the case may be, and such Certificate must be submitted to the consideration of the Medical Board, and if satisfactory, shall be countersigned by one of its Members. An application from the Medical Officer by whom the applicant is attended, showing sufficient reason for the extension solicited, and such certificate like the former must be examined, and countersigned by a Member of the Medical Board. If the applicant shall have proceeded beyond the Territories under the Government of the East India Company, he must furnish a Certificate to the required effect from a Surgeon or Physician at the place of his temporary residence by whom he has been attended, such attendance and the period of it to be stated, and the Certificate to be countersigned by the principal Medical Authority of the Colony or Country. When any of the required particulars are neglected leave will be refused.

CCCXVIII. (Sec. vi.) Civil Servants absent from their Stations under medical certificates will be entitled to the Salaries of their respective Offices subject to the following deductions: If the Salary exceed Rupees 2,000 per mensem, one-sixth for the first year, & for the second year one-fourth. If the Salary do not exceed Rupees 2,000 per mensem, one eighth Rupees 500 per mensem no deduction shall be made for the first year, and if it be only so much more than the prescribed deduction of one-eighth would reduce the allowance below Rupees 500 per mensem, only the excess beyond Rupees 500 shall be deducted. For the second year the absentee shall become liable to the deduction of one-eighth. An absent Servant shall in no case retain any office or employment, nor be permitted to draw any portion of Official Salary for a longer period than two years, but a Civil Servant who may on account of sickness, duly certified, obtain an extension of leave beyond two years will, if below the rank of a Senior Merchant, be allowed to draw the subsistence allowance of his rank; but if he continue absent in disobedience of an order to return or without sufficient cause shown, that allowance also will be forfeited. The period of absence shall be computed from the date at which the absentee shall quit the limits of the Territories subject to the Presidency to which he may belong, to the date of his return within such limits, or if he shall proceed beyond sea, from the date of his embarking at any place or port in India which is not more distant from his Station than the ports of his own Presidency; but if the place to which he shall proceed shall be within the Territories subject to such Presidency, his period of absence shall be computed from the date of his quitting his Station to the date of his return thereto.

CCCXIX. (Sec. vii.) Civil Servants absent on leave on account of sickness duly certified, if they proceed to England without returning to their Presidency, may as heretofore, apply to be admitted to Furlough by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, and the Furlough will in such cases take effect from the date of leaving their Presidency, consequently the allowances of office that may have been drawn by themselves or by their Agents after their departure, must in that case be re-adjusted, and the difference refunded.

Note—This rule applies to all descriptions of leave on account of health excepting those granted under Sec. XII.

Thus a second leave within the Presidency, no less than a second leave to sea will be computed as forming part of the period of two years, if taken before three years have elapsed since returned from the first leave, and the deductions will be made upon computation of the accumulated period of absence under all such leaves taken without the intervention of three years of consecutive service.

CCCXX. (Sec. viii.) No second leave will be granted to any Civil or Military Servant, holding a Civil Appointment, who has been absent under the above rules for two years, until three years at the least shall have passed after the date of such Servant's return, but if such a Servant is compelled by sickness again to absent himself from his Station within three years after having been absent under the above rule for less than two years, he will be allowed to complete that period, subject to the limitations and conditions heretofore prescribed, drawing the proportion of Salary allowed for the remaining time as if the leave had been continuous.

CCCXXI. (Sec. ix.) Military Officers employed in the Civil Department and drawing a Civil allowance may obtain leave under Medical Certificate on precisely the same conditions as Civil Servants except as to allowances. Such Officers, in common with those holding Staff Situations in the Military Department, will draw the Military Pay and Allowances of their rank while absent on leave under Medical Certificate, in the form and manner prescribed in General Orders in the Military Department, and like wise one half of the difference between such Allowances and the Civil Pay of the Officers to which they stand appointed.

CCCXXII. (Sec. x.) Civil or Military Servants holding Civil appointments who may desire to avail themselves of the benefit of the Act 1, Vic. Cap 47, and to draw their allowances while absent on account of sickness under the above rules, will be required to give security in such amount and form as may be fixed by the Government for the refund of any excess that may be drawn, either by the Agents at the Presidency or by themselves in case of their proceeding to Europe on Furlough or otherwise coming under retrenchment.

CCCXXIII. (Sec. xi.) The Government of each Presidency may grant to Civil or Military Servants holding Civil appointments leave of absence for one month in each year without deduction from the Salaries and Emoluments drawn by such Servants. Such leave however, will only be granted when the Government is satisfied that no inconvenience will arise from the departure of the Officer seeking it. No second leave can be granted under this rule until

the completion of eleven months from the expiration of the last leave, but Servants not availing themselves of the indulgence in any one year may obtain, under the like conditions leave of absence for two successive months, to commence at or after the expiration of 22 months from the termination of their former leave, and if two years elapse without enjoyment of the privilege, leave for three months may in like manner be granted at the expiration of 33 months from the termination of the last preceding leave: But no leave shall be granted under this rule for any period exceeding three months. If an Officer shall not return at the expiration of the period of leave granted him under this rule, he shall, if absent on private affairs, be subjected to the deduction of one third of his Salary and Allowances for the entire term of absence, and if he shall continue absent for more than one month beyond the term granted, his Office shall become vacant. If his protracted absence be occasioned by sickness, the case must be determined under the provisions of Chapter II.

CCCXXIV. (Sec. XII.) The Government of each Presidency may on sufficient cause being shown grant to a Civil or Military Officer holding a Civil Office, special leave of absence on private affairs. Provided however, that if any Officer to whom such leave shall be granted shall be absent from his Station for any period exceeding that to which under the last rule he may be entitled without deduction, the absentee, if a Civil Servant, shall for the period in excess, draw no more than one half of his Salary and allowances, and if a Military Officer only so much of the Salary and Allowances of any Civil Office to which he may stand appointed as added to the Military Pay and Allowances which he may be entitled to draw shall equal to one half of the emoluments of such Civil Office. After an absence of three months (exclusive of any period which may be granted under Sec. XI.) any office held by the absentee shall become vacant. No second leave under this rule can be granted until after the expiration of five years from the termination of the former leave, and the Government is specially to report each case with all the attendant circumstances to the Court of Directors,

CHAPTER IV.

"Rules for leave preparatory to embarkation and for joining Stations."

CCCXXV. (Sec. XIII.) For embarkation to Europe on furlough, or with leave under Medical Certificate, or preparatory to retirement from the Service, a Civil or Military Servant holding a Civil appointment may take leave under such of the preceding Rules as may apply to his case. If an Officer desirous of retiring or about to proceed to Europe on furlough, shall not under the previous rules be entitled to any leave of absence, special leave may be granted him for one month if the distance of his Station from the Presidency or the Port at which he shall intend to embark exceed 300 miles—for two months if the distance be more than 300 and less than 600 miles, or if for three months if it shall exceed 600 miles, but such leave can only be granted under Medical Certificate—and the Absentee, if a Civil Servant, shall be subjected to the deduction of one-third of his Salary and Allowances if not more than 2,000 Rs per month and of one-half if they exceed that sum. At the expiration of such special leave it may be renewed for one month, subject to the same deduction on satisfactory evidence being produced that the Servant has been prevented leaving India either by severity of illness or by the difficulty of procuring a passage, but no further leave can under any circumstances be granted. A Military Officer holding Civil employment who may obtain special leave under this Rule shall draw only so much of the Salary of his Civil Office as added to his Military Pay and Allowances will equal one-half of his Civil emoluments. If a Civil or Military Servant holding Civil Office who may have obtained leave with the intention of embarking for Europe on Furlough, or retiring from the Service, shall subsequently abandon the intention and return to his Station, his absence will be regulated under such of the Rules in Chapters 2nd as may be applicable.

This rule is only applicable to Civil Servants, Military Officers, will draw Salary only from the date of joining as heretofore, the rule in force in respect to Staff Situations being applicable to them.

delayed in excess of the above periods, and if such excess shall exceed one month, the Office shall be vacated unless otherwise especially ordered by Government.

CCCXXVII. (Sec. xv.) Upon the first appointment of any Civil Servant who shall be reported qualified for the Public Service by the Examiners appointed by the Government to any Civil situation; there shall be allowed for travelling expenses to the Station an allowance at the rate of 8 Annas per mile by the direct Post road according to the Polymetrical Tables of the Post Office, the Bill for which allowance will be passed by the Civil Auditor after the Officer shall have joined the Station; if required in advance an order of the Government shall be necessary.

CCCXXVIII. (Sec. xvi.) The Salary of Office will be payable from the date only of the Officer joining, but in the case of Junior Civil Servants the Salary of Assistant will be payable from the date of their being reported qualified for the Public Service, unless forfeited under the preceding rule through delay in joining the Station to which they may be appointed.

This rule also is only applicable to Civil Servants, Military Servants drawing as in the case of Staff Situations no Civil Salary from the time of leaving one Office till the date of joining the other.

out of the salary of the office he is about to join a sum equal to that of his previous situation.

CCCXXVI. (Sec. xiv.) There shall be allowed to Officers appointed to any new office, the periods of one month, two months or three months for joining accordingly as the distance may not exceed 300 or 600 miles, or be in excess of the last mentioned distance. Officers not joining their Station within the said periods respectively shall forfeit their salary for the time

delayed in excess of the above periods, and if such excess shall exceed one month, the Office shall be vacated unless otherwise especially ordered by Government.

CCCXXIX. (Sec. xvii.) In case of a change of Office when an Officer is appointed to a higher situation, he shall not draw the higher salary until he joins. For the period occupied in travelling, the Rule No. XIV. regulating the time and distance for joining Station shall be applicable, & the Officer will, for the periods allowed in that rule respectively, draw

" Rules for Deputation Allowances."

CCCXXX. (Sec. xviii.) The sum of Company's Rupees 52,200 per annum, having been fixed under the orders of the Court of Directors as the maximum Salary of Civil Office for the Officers of Government under the situation of Member of Council—Civil and Military Servants holding Office in the Political Department, who may draw larger Allowances than this annual sum as a consolidated personal and sumptuary allowance in consideration of the

This rule will equally apply in case of Political Resident taking a leave of three months for which in other cases he would suffer no deduction. The excess above the maximum monthly salary will in that case be enjoyed by the person in charge.

necessary expences of their position, will in all cases of absence be treated in respect to deductions as drawing only the Allowance thus limited, and the excess above the monthly salary yielded by that annual sum shall remain as a local addition to the usual Deputation Allowance to be drawn by the Officer performing the duties to meet the necessary expences of his position.

CCCXXXI. (Sec. xix.) Deputation Allowances shall be granted to Civil Servants temporarily performing the duties of an office according to the following scales, and subject to the limitations and conditions hereinafter laid down.

To Civil Servants out of Employ.

When the Salary of the Officer does not exceed.	Per Mensem.	
Company's Rupees	400	When Deputation Allowance shall be in excess of any subsistence allowance of the Civil or Military Officers according to his rank.
Exceeding 800 Not Exceeding 1,600	} 500	
Exceeding 1,600 Not Exceeding 2,900		} 700	Ditto ditto.
Exceeding 2,900	1,500		Ditto ditto.

To Civil Servants holding an Office of inferior Emolument when Officiating for a Superior.

When the Salary of the Office does not exceed.	If the Office be at the same station.	If at a different Station.	
	Rs. 800	Co's Rs. 130	Co's Rs. 260
Exceeding 800 Not Exceeding 1,600	} "	160	320
Exceeding 1,600 Not exceeding 2,900		} "	270	420
Exceeding 2,900	"		375	525

Which Allowances shall be in excess of the entire salary of Office the person deputed may be receiving.

Military persons acting for other Military persons holding Civil Office, will, as in the case of Staff, draw half the difference between the incumbent Military Allowances and the consolidated Civil Salary as at present, that is, will draw the amount re-entrenched from the absentee, but when acting for a Civil Servant, they will draw at the rates of this table and under the same rates as Civil Servants.

CCCXXXII. A Civil Servant acting for another will have no claim to Commission or Fees, where any such sources of emolument exist. These will be regarded as forming part of the income of the Officer to be relieved by the occupant, subject to the prescribed deductions. The grant of special Allowances—of Allowances to Commissioners, and other Officer for travelling expences, and to officers of Districts or Assistants when employed on Settlement or special Police Duties, will be regulated by a supplemental set of Rules.

CCCXXXIII. (Sec. xx.) No Civil Servant temporarily Officiating for another shall draw an amount larger than the entire emoluments of the office in which he is Officiating, and if the amount of the Deputation Allowances according to the prescribed scale added to the permanent emoluments of the Officiating Servant, would exceed the emoluments of the office in which he is temporarily acting, the excess shall not be drawn. But this provision shall not apply to the case of any Officer deputed for special reasons to act in an office of inferior emolument to his own. In cases where an Officer holding two appointments on being deputed to Officiate for another shall be relieved only from one, he shall receive no Deputation Allowance unless the emoluments of the office in which he is deputed to act, exceed the emoluments of his united permanent appointments, and in that case the Deputation Allowance shall be limited to the difference.

CCCXXXIV. (Sec. xxi.) No Subordinate Officer acting for his Principal or for any other person holding a superior appointment in the same Office or Establishment, at the same Station, shall be entitled to any Deputation Allowance until after the expiration of three months, and then the Allowance is not to be drawn in arrear. But a Servant previously out

of employment, or who may be deputed to act from a different Station, shall be entitled to Deputation Allowance from the date at which he may be entered upon the discharge of the duties to which he has been temporarily appointed.

CCCXXXV. (Sec. xxii.) A Civil Servant out of employment, if deputed to act at distance, & Civil Servants having permanent employment, who may be so deputed and who may be restricted by any provisions in these rules, to the allowance of their own office, shall be permitted to draw travelling allowances at the rate sanctioned in the case of a first appointment. When the entire sum received as Deputation Allowance may fall short of that which, according to the distance would be allowed for travelling expenses, the difference may be drawn. In all cases of absence under Medical Certificate, and in cases of absence on private affairs, when the absent officer shall not be subject to deduction such payments shall be made at the charge of the Government.

CHAPTER VI.

" Rules for Chaplains and Assistant Chaplains."

CCCXXXVI. (Sec. xxiii.) Chaplains and Assistant Chaplains may under Medical Certificate obtain leave of absence subject to all the deductions, conditions and limitations prescribed in the case of Civil Servants, but no Chaplain or Assistant Chaplain can be permitted to draw any allowance, when his period of absence shall have exceeded two years.

CCCXXXVII. (Sec. xxiv.) The Government of each Presidency may grant to Chaplains and Assistant Chaplains special leave of absence on private affairs, but if such absence shall exceed the period to which the Absentee may be entitled under the following Rule, they shall for the period in excess be subjected to the deduction of one-half of their Allowances, and after an absence of six months (in addition to any leave granted under the succeeding Rule) all Allowances shall be discontinued.

CCCXXXVIII. (Sec. xxv.) Leave of absence for one month in each year, or for two or three months as the case may be, under the principle sanctioned in Sec. IX. may be granted to Chaplains or Assistant Chaplains by the Bishop of the Diocese, or when the Diocese may be vacant (but not otherwise) by the Archdeacon or other Ecclesiastical functionary performing the duties of an Archdeacon or Commissary: and such leave being consistent with the rule will be recognized by the Civil Auditor after it has been published in the *Government Gazette* of the Presidency with the authority of Government. Information of every leave so granted by the Bishop or other Ecclesiastical Officer abovementioned, shall be immediately transmitted to the proper Secretary to the Government for the purpose of notification in the *Gazette*.

CCCXXXIX. (Sec. xxvi.) For embarkation on furlough, or sick leave, or with the intention of retiring from the Service, Chaplains and Assistant Chaplains are entitled to the benefits of Sec. XIII on the same conditions on which they are enjoyed by Civil Servants.

CCCXL. (Sec. xxvii.) On joining a Station in the interior after arrival in India, a Chaplain or Assistant Chaplain will be allowed the same rate of travelling charges, and be subjected to the same rules in respect to joining his Station as a Civil Servant. On any subsequent transfer from one Station to another, the same allowance will be made if the transfer take place not at the desire of the Chaplain removed, but by order of Government.

Officers of the Assay Department.

CCCXLI. (Sec. xxviii.) The Assay Master and Deputy or Assistant Assay Master of any Mint in India may obtain leave of absence under sick certificate, or on private affairs subject to the conditions in the Rules forming Chapters I. to V. The absentee if in the enjoyment of any Military Pay or Allowance will, during his absence, be subject to the deductions prescribed in the case of Military Officers holding Civil employments, If not a Military Officer, the absentee will be subject to the same deductions as a Civil Servant under similar circumstances, but no Officer of the Assay Department can be permitted to draw any portion of the Salary for a longer period than two years if absent under sick certificate, nor for a longer period than three months (exclusive of any period granted under Sec. XI.) if absent on private affairs.

CCCXLII. It is hereby notified that all Applications for leave of Absence from their Stations from Officers in the Civil Department, must specify the Section of the Absentee Regulation, under which such leave is applied for, and, the date from which it is desired that it should commence, the date on which the last leave was granted, and the name of the place to which the applicant proposes to proceed. If information on this point is not furnished, the application will be returned to the party.

CCCXLIII. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to republish for general information, the following Resolution published by the Government of India; and to direct, that the Rule therein laid down, be observed under this Presidency.

CCCXLIV. The following Resolution of the Government of India, is published for general information.

CCCXLV. In explanation of Section V. of the Rules respecting absence from Civil Appointments, on account of ill health, published under date the 29th of January last, and in modification of the said Section,—The Governor General in Council is pleased to resolve that in cases of extreme urgency, which owing to the distance of the residence of the Medical Board, preclude the previous reference to that authority, the certificate of the Medical Attendant, required from Applicants for leave of absence on account of ill health, shall be submitted by them, for the consideration and countersignature of the Superintending Surgeon of the Division, or of the nearest Division, which Officer, in these cases, will be responsible for the prescribed regularity of the certificate, instead of the Medical Board.

Appointments.	Monthly allowances.		Authority.	Remarks.
	Salary.	Horse Allowance.		
Superintendents of Bazars, viz. At Poona.. .. .E	181		G. O. 26th November 1832.	Is designated Sub Assistant Commissary General, but does not rise in the Commissariat Department.
Assistant to ditto... ..C	*120		" 15th February 1833.	
At Stations where 1st Class Bazars are established... ..	100		G. O. 13th October 1832.	This situation is annexed to that of Brigade Major or Public Staff Officer. at the Station, when there is no Commissariat Officer there.
" Ditto 2d Class ditto... ..	100		" Ditto	Do. do. do.
" Ditto 3d Class ditto... ..	50		" 20th March 1835.	Inclusive of all Pay & personal allowances except the difference between the Full Batta of Captain & Major, when on actual Field Service.—The Supg. Surgeon Guzerat draws the half Batta of Major, in addition to salary, under special sanction of the Hon'ble Court.
Superintendent of the Stud... ..D	709		" 27th September 1841.	
a Superintendent of Pensions and Family Payments... ..C	500		" 9th January 1832.	
Surgeon, Superintending... ..	1575		" 9th January 1832.	With Pay, Half Batta, gratuity and House rent, also public Quarters. Paid from the Civil Department.
a European General Hospital... ..A	600		Medical Code 1821.	
Assistant do... ..	250		Ditto	Salary Rupees 4 per diem, and Rupees 300 per mensem for attending sick Officers from Outstations with Pay, Half Batta, gratuity and Rupees 150 house rent. * 4 Rupees per diem.
Native do... ..	400		Medical Code 1821.	
Surgeon, Garrison, Bombay... ..	420		Ditto	Is also Deputy Medical Store Keeper. * With Pay, Half Batta, gratuity, House rent and Public Quarters.
b " Surat... ..A	* 120		G. O. 23d December 1837.	
a " Assistant Bombay... ..A	150		Medical Regulations 1821.	Is also Deputy Medical Store Keeper. * With Pay, Half Batta, gratuity, House rent and Public Quarters.
" Lunatic Asylum... ..	* 300		G. O. 21st February 1829.	
b " Mahableshwur... ..D	250		Medical Code 1821.	Is also Deputy Medical Store Keeper. Do. do. Do. do.
" Staff Poona... ..	100		Ditto	
" Staff Belgaum... ..	100		G. L. 2d March 1831.	Paid from Civil Department : includes Pay and allowances. { With Regimental Pay, Half Batta, gratuity, if under the rank of Field Officer; & Rs. 200 House rent. Is also a Member of the Standing Committee of Survey.
" Staff Ahmedabad... ..	100		G. L. 31st August 1839.	
" Staff Mhow... ..E	590		G. L. 2d December 1836.	An Officer appointed to this charge and holding no other appointment is allowed Rs 90, which includes Office allowance. Charged to the Civil Department.
" To the Governor... ..	600		G. O. 21st November 1823.	
Town Major, Bombay... ..	416	10 8 60	G. O. 26th February 1842.	Charged to the Civil Department.
Treasure Chest, charge of (Including Office allowance)... ..	60		G. L. 24th April 1837.	
Assistant, Great Trigonometrical Survey... ..E	618			

Queen's Officers on the Personal Staff of the Governor, the Commander in Chief, or General Officers, are not entitled to full Regimental allowances when they do not belong to Regiments in India. All Staff Officers, whose Stations are 200 miles from Bombay, receive Field allowances.

a These Officers, if at Bombay on duty, receive Presidency House rent (which includes Regimental House rent, and Tentage to those entitled to that allowance) viz.

Field Officer.....	Rupees 180 per month.
Captain or Surgeon.....	" 135 "
Subaltern or Assistant Surgeon.....	" 90 "

Commissariat Officers stationed at Bombay, receive half Tentage in addition to Presidency House rent.

Field Officers on the Staff at the Presidency, who draw only Half Batta with Tentage and Regimental House rent, and whose allowances would be reduced by their being placed on superior House rent continue to draw their allowance as heretofore.

b These Officers receive ordinary House rent (as per G. G. O. 29th October 1839, No. 576) in lieu of Regimental House rent or Tentage or both. Those incumbents, on the 29th October 1839, who would suffer a loss of allowances thereby, continue to draw Regimental House rent with Tentage.

Rate of ordinary House rent.....	{	Field Officers.....	Rs. 120 per month.
		Captain and Surgeon.....	" 90 "
		Subaltern and Assistant Surgeon.....	" 60 "

TABLE OF ALLOWANCES TO THE STAFF OF THE BOMBAY ARMY.

Appointments.	Monthly allowances.		Authority.	Remarks.
	Salary.	Horse Allowance.		
Adjutant General.....	1600	60	{ G. O. 26th May 1831. " 22nd Jany. 1833.	A With the Pay, Half Batta, gratuity, and House rent. B And the net Pay of the Regimental rank. When actually in the Field or on tours of Inspection with the Commander in Chief, Full Batta is allowed. N. B. The present incumbent draws Half Batta of Regimental Rank, with the Tentage and House rent of Official Rank; Salary Rupees 1500 and Horse allowance Rupees 60.
a Deputy.....	500	60	" 21st Nov. 1823.	c With Pay, Half Batta, gratuity, Tent allowance, and House rent.
a Assistant.....	263	60	" 19th Sept. 1829.	d With Pay and Field allowances.
a Deputy Assistant..	144	60	" " "	
a Depy. Adjutant General Q. T.....	700	60	G. L. 26th Sept. " 1838.	
Adjutant & Quarter Master of the Artillery in Guzerat..	122	30	G. O. 27th April 1839.	
a Agent for Clothing.....	600	60	" 16th Feb. 1829.	Draws a double Share of Offreckonings according to the new scale of distribution.
a —, — Gun Carriages.....	600	60	" 21st Dec. 1827.	
a —, — Gun Powder.....	600	60	" " Novr. 1823.	
Aid-de.camp to the Governor and Commander in Chief....	120	60	{ Pay Table. 1795 G. O. 21st Nov. 1823.	With Pay, gratuity and Full Batta of Regimental Rank; also House rent Rupees 90 without regard to Rank.
Ditto to a General Officer on the Staff.....	120	30	Pay Table. 1795	* Rupees four per diem.
a Auditor General.....	2500	60	G. O. 22nd Jany. 1833.	And the net Pay of Regimental Rank.—The present incumbent draws Half Batta, House rent, and Salary Rupees 2250.
a Deputy.....	600	60	G. L. 18th Novr. 1807.	
a Assistant.....	300	60	" " "	
a Barrack Master Bombay..	250	30	" 21st " 1823.	Is also a Member of the Standing Committee of Survey for which he draws additional Half Batta.
Brigadier 1st Class.....	1000	30	G. O. 26th Jany. 1829.	{ With Regimental Pay, Full Batta, and Tentage, also Rupees 40 as Stationary allowance for 1st Class, and Rupees 20 for 2d Class Brigadier.
—, — 2d Class.....	750	30	" " "	E With Pay and Field allowances.
Brigade Major.....	131	60	" 21st Decr. 1827.	
a Artillery.....	250	60	" " "	{ With Pay, gratuity, Full Batta and Public Quarters.
Queen's Troops.....	124	60	" 21st November 1823.	{ The present incumbent receives Rupees 150 additional Salary.
Chaplain Senior.....				Draws his allowance from the Civil Department.
Bombay Garrison..	1180		{ G. L. 9th April 1823. " 14th June 1834.	
District or Station.....	670		{ " " "	
Assistant.....	500		{ " 3rd October 1840.	{ Chaplains also receive travelling allowances for performing the duties of more than one Station, at the rate of 10 Rupees per diem, but not exceeding 200 Rupees per mensem. G. O. 27th April 1833.
Junior ditto..	400		{ " " "	
Commander in Chief.....	6458	5 4	{ G. L. 4th June 1823. " 12th July 1834.	Exclusive of House rent Rs 525, and Havildar and Peons Rupees 153.
Commanding Officer of the Forces, not being in Council..	2136	5 4	{ " 7th March 1826.	Also the allowances of a General Officer on the Staff, and the same allowances for House rent and peons, as are granted to the Commander in Chief Rupees 678.
General Officer on the Staff..	3333	5 4	G. O. 8th Novr. 1815.	With the net Pay of the Regimental Rank, and if on Field Service Rupees 600 Tent allowance and Off-Reckonings if entitled thereto.
Commanding Officer of a Division below the rank of Major General if specially appointed.....	3333	5 4	" 5th October 1826.	Do. do. do.

included in this sum

CCCXLVI. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to call the attention of the Civil Servants, and others coming under the same Absentee Regulations, to the orders of 9th August 1831, and 23d November 1835, and in accordance with those Orders, to lay down the following form of Letter, to be observed in all Applications, for leave of absence. —Parties not conforming to these instructions will be liable to have their Letters returned, unanswered.

TO THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Sir,

Department.

I have the honor to request leave of absence, under the Absentee Regulations, Section (fill up Section X I or whatever may be applicable) to proceed to (state where) for the period of (state how long) on account of (state if private affairs or sickness; handing up Medical certificate as required by the Regulation, if the latter) I returned to my station from last leave under Section (state which) on the —of—18— (fill up the date.)

CCCXLVII. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to notify for general information, that in case of leave of absence being granted under section XI of the absentee regulations, and intervening period of absence on sick certificate, is to be omitted in the calculation of the intervals of 11, 22 or 33 months which should elapse previously to leave being again granted under the provisions of the section above quoted.

CCCXLVIII. Under this Presidency the Pay or Subsistence of Military Officers in Civil Employ is a debit to the Military Department, but forms a part of the Civil Salary paid in the Civil Department to the Individual holding such Employ, when such Officers are absent on sick leave they are entitled to Military Pay and allowances the amount of which last, vizt. Allowances being deducted from the Civil pay of their Offices, they further draw a moiety of the difference on these occasions the Military Pay and allowances of the absentee are paid in the Military Department.

L. from S. G.
9th June 1841.

CCCXLIX. The moiety of the difference of Salary not paid to the absentee is paid to the Officer nominated to Officiate for him, and the Military Pay and allowances of such Officiating Officer are drawn in the Military Department.

CCCL. The same rules are applicable to Officers in Civil Employ absent on leave, or private affairs and to those appointed to Officiate for them.

CCCLI. The following notification, issued from the Political Department, on the 27th June 1833, is published in General Orders, for the information of the Army.

G. G. O. 16th
October 1841.

CCCLII. The Honorable the President in Council directs, that the following Extract from a despatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors, No. 20, dated the 20th September 1837, and the Resolution of Government of this date, be published for general information.

CCCLIII. (Para. 15.) "Some misunderstanding appearing to have arisen on the subject of our orders, that the net pay of Military Officers in Civil situations shall merge in the consolidated allowance, we think it necessary to state, that the allowance may be drawn for either in one Bill or in two Bills according to convenience; but our intention is, that the Net Military Pay shall be debited to the Military, and the remainder of the allowance to the Political Department."

CCCLIV. (Resolution.) In order to give effect to the instructions contained in this paragraph, it is hereby notified, that the Officers of the different Military Establishments of the three Presidencies, who may now be holding, or may hereafter be appointed to Civil situations on account of which they may draw a consolidated Civil Salary, shall be paid the monthly salary that may fall due to them for the month of July, and subsequently, upon separate Bills drawn in the Forms annexed. The Bill in the first of the annexed Forms shall be submitted for audit to the Civil Auditor of the Presidency under which the Officer may be serving, who will audit it with the deduction for Military Pay according to Rank. In cases of ante-dated promotion, when there is back Pay of superior rank to be paid to an Officer, the adjustment between the Civil and Military Departments shall be made in account, without requiring from the Officer fresh Pay Abstracts.

CCCLV. The adjustment of Subscriptions to Military Funds &c. consequently on such promotion will be made in the audit of subsequent Pay Abstracts. The other Bill for Military payment be submitted to the Military Auditor of the Presidency to which the Officer may belong, and by that Officer will be audited, subject to deductions for funds and other usual or prescribed retrenchments, according to the Military Rules of the Presidency. The Bill so audited will be payable in part of the allowances of the Civil situation at the Treasury of the place unless otherwise desired by the Officer and authorized by the Government. The Military Pay Bill if discharged from a Civil Treasury at a different Presidency, will of course, be credited in account as a remittance to the Presidency to which the Officer may belong.

CCCLVI. The Officers of Account at the three Presidencies will adjust in their accounts the salaries drawn by Military Officers in Civil employ since the 1st May last, on the same principle as is above prescribed for salaries drawn after the 1st July.

Consolidated Salary...2000 0 0
 Deduct Military Pay
 of Lieut. Colonel.. 240 0 0

 Passed for Co's. Rs. 1760 0 0
 Payable at
 A. B.
 Civil Auditor.

FORM A.

Honorable Company..... Dr.
 To my Consolidated Civil Salary as , for the month of July
 1838..... 2000 0 0
 Deduct Military Pay drawn in Separate Bill in Military Depart-
 ment as Lieutenant Colonel..... 240 0 0

 Received from Civil Department..... Rupees..1760 0 0

Errors Excepted,

FORM B.

Pay Abstract for the rank according to the Forms in use at the Presidency to which the Officer belongs.

CCCLVII. In order that the Military allowances of the Military employé of one Presidency in the Civil Department of another should be regulated according to the condition of his employment, the Military Auditor General of this Presidency is restricted from passing his first Military Pay Bill until he has satisfied himself on that point.

NOTE.—The construction of the above Absentee Rules and Notifications issued on the subject more particularly belong to the Department of the Civil Auditor, and are now included.—Vide Government Gazette Notifications, 7th May, 17th do., 15th July, 18th August, 20th November 1841.

G. G. O. 10th
 Dec. 1819.

CCCLVIII. In explanation of the existing Regulations by which Security is taken from Officers who have been intrusted with the Expenditure of Public Money, or with the appropriation of Stores for the value of which they are held responsible, on occasion of their leaving India, the Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that such Security is not required to be indefinite in extent, unless the nature of the case render it necessary; but that, in all ordinary instances, the Balance actually due from such Officer up to the latest date to which his Accounts have been examined and adjusted, shall be paid by him, and Security taken for the Amount of such Advances only as may have been made to him in Cash, or of such Stores as may have been received by him, subsequent to the date of the adjusted Accounts.

G. G. O. 13th
 Feb. 1822.

CCCLIX. Whenever Staff Officers of any branch of the Service, who have entered into Security Bonds to Government, wish to obtain leave of absence rendering it necessary that another Officer should be appointed to receive temporary charge of their Office; the Hon'ble the Governor in Council directs that their Application in favor of the Person whom they may be desirous of being appointed to officiate for them, be accompanied by an Engagement on the part of their Sureties to become responsible for such Officer during the period of his Charge, in the same manner, and to the same extent, as for themselves.

G. G. O. 27th
 Mar. 1822.

CCCLX. By the General Order of the 13th February last, it is required, on Staff Officers who may have entered into Security Bonds, obtaining Leave of Absence, that their original Sureties should become Guarantees for the Officers authorized to officiate for them.

CCCLXI. With the view of obviating any doubt which may arise, as to the responsibility of the several Parties on such occasions, the Governor in Council is pleased further to direct, that the Staff Officer obtaining leave, as well as the Sureties, shall enter into an express Engagement to be responsible for the Officiating Officer, who is also considered answerable to Government, as well as to the principal Officer, for his own negligence and misfeasance.

NOTE.—Rules respecting the absence of Superintending and Civil Surgeons will be found under the Head "Medical Department."

G. G. O. 29th
 Aug. 1839.

CCCLXII. The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract of a Military Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, No. 21 dated 11th April 1839 to the Government of Bengal.

CCLXIII. It was our intention when addressing to you our Military letter of the 10th April 1838. No. 38. Paras. 19 at 23 to authorize the grant to Staff Officers stationed at the Capitals of the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay of the rates of House Rent granted to Staff Officers stationed at Fort William and under the same rules and restrictions, you will accordingly take measures for carrying this intention into effect.

G. G. O. 20th
 October 1839.

CCCLXIV. With reference to the Extract of the Honorable Court's letter published in G. G. O. No. 447 dated 29th August 1839, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to establish the following rules for the payment of House Rent to Staff Officers.

The monthly rates are, vizt.

	Superior or Presidency House Rent.	Ordinary House Rent.
For Field Officers.....	180.....	120
Captains and Surgeons.....	135.....	80
Subalterns and Assistant Surgeons.....	90.....	60

Officers of Adjutant General's Department.

Do. of Qr. Mr. Do. do.
Do. of Commissary Do. do.
Do. of Auditor. Do. do.

Secretary to Medical Board.
Assistant Secretary to Military Board.
Military Pay Master.
Agent for Army Clothing.

Ordnance Officers attached to the Grand Arsenal.

Judge Advocate General.
Chief Engineer.
Assistant to do.
Superintending (or Garrison) Engineer.
Barrack Master.
Assistant Garrison Surgeon.
Agent for Gun Powder.
Medical Store Keeper.

Surgeon to European Hospital.
Assistant Superintending (or Garrison) Engineer.

of the first named Office, who will continue receipt of.

Commandant of Artillery.

Brigade Major of Artillery.
Agent for Gun Carriages.
Joint Remount Agent.

Junior Deputy Commissary of Ordnance.
Assistant Surgeon and Store-keeper E. G. H.
Assistant Surgeon Lunatic Asylum.
Brigade Major Queen's Troops.

CCCLXXI. The Executive Officers of the Commissariat Department at the Presidency, will draw in addition to superior House Rent, half Tentage, as in Calcutta.

CCCLXXII. Field Officers on the Staff at the Presidency, who draw only half Batta, with Tentage and Regimental House Rent, and whose allowances would be reduced by their being placed on superior House Rent, are to continue to draw their allowances as heretofore.

Ordnance Officers at Out-stations.
Pay Masters Do.
Deputy Medical Storekeepers.
Garrison Surgeon at Surat.
Superintendent at Malcolm Poyt.

CCCLXXIV. Tent allowance cannot be drawn with either superior or ordinary House Rent, the only exception to this rule being the case provided for in para. 9.

CCCLXXV. Officers drawing the above rates of House Rent, forfeit the same when absent on duty or on leave, but will draw Tentage. Those of the General Staff at the Presidency, when on tours with the Commander in Chief, may either indent for Camp Equipage and Carriage, or provide themselves therewith, drawing tent allowance.

CCCLXXVI. Aides-de-Camp to the Hon'ble the Governor and his Excellency the Commander in Chief, are to draw Rupees 90 per mensem House Rent, without regard to rank. If they should be furnished with Camp Equipage and Carriage they will forfeit House Rent.

Statement shewing the amount of Office Tent Allowance fixed for all Staff Officers in the Field or when marching accompanied by their Office Establishments which includes the provision of a Tent and Carriage for the same.

	Allowance permensem.	
	Rs.	A. P.
Military Auditor General.. ..	150	.. ..
Adjutant General	150	.. ..
Quarter Master General.....	150	.. ..
Commissary General....	150	.. ..
Judge Advocate General....	150	.. ..
Deputy Adjutant General.....	Lieutenant Colonel	150
	Major.....	120
	Captain.....	75
Deputy Quarter Master General	Lieutenant Colonel	150
	Major.....	120
	Captain.....	75
Deputy Military Auditor General	Lieutenant Colonel	150
	Major.....	120
	Captain.....	75

CCCLXV. Conformably with the Bengal Regulations, the superior House Rent is to be drawn by such of the Officers stationed at the Presidency, as noted in the margin, who may not be in receipt of Consolidated Salaries, in which ordinary House is to be considered as included.

CCCLXVI. The Officers at the Presidency noted in the margin (who in Calcutta receive no House Rent, being furnished with Quarters) are to draw the superior House Rent, to meet the expense of hiring houses at Bombay.

CCCLXVII. For special reasons, the Officers as per margin (who in Calcutta draw ordinary House Rent) will receive here superior House Rent with half Batta. This rule however is not to be applied to the present incumbent to draw the House Rent he is at present in receipt of.

CCCLXVIII. The Commandant of Artillery, when he may not be a Regimental Colonel, will draw superior House Rent as Member of the Military Board.

CCCLXIX. The Officers, as per margin, who are stationed at the Presidency (but who in Bengal do not reside at the Capital) will draw superior House Rent.

CCCLXX. Staff Officers at the Presidency, who may be provided with Public Quarters, are not entitled to superior House Rent, but are to draw Pay and Regimental Allowances, less Tentage.

CCCLXXIII. Staff Officers, at Out-stations, as per margin, will draw the Ordinary House Rent. This rule is not to affect present incumbents, who would sustain a loss of allowances thereby.

Deputy Judge Advocate General..	75
" Commissary General..	75
Assistant Adjutant General..	75
" Quarter Master General..	75
" Military Auditor General..	75
" Commissary General..	75
Deputy Assistant.....do..	75
Sub-Assistant.....do..	75
Deputy Assistant Adjutant General..	75
" " Quarter Master General..	75
Military Secretary to the Governor.....	{ Captain..... 75
	{ Subaltern..... 50
Aid-de-Camp to the Governor.....	{ Captain..... 75
	{ Subaltern..... 50
Mily. Secy. to the Commander in Chief.	{ Captain..... 75
	{ Subaltern..... 50
Aid-de-Camp to the....ditto.....	{ Captain..... 75
	{ Subaltern..... 50
Interpreter to the.....ditto.....	{ Captain..... 75
	{ Subaltern..... 50
Persian Interpreter to a Commanding	{ Captain..... 75
Officer of Field Force.....	{ Subaltern..... 50
Major of Brigade.....	75
Deputy Medical Storekeeper..	50
Commissary of Stores..	75
Deputy.....do..	50
Paymaster....	75
Deputy Paymaster..	50
Superintending Surgeon..	75
Field Engineer..	75
Post Master	50
Surveyor....	75
Conductor in charge... ..	50
Sub-Conductor.	50

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Note.—The Deputies' Assistants &c., draw Office Tentage, only when they are in charge of the Department in the Field.

Officers temporarily employed on the Staff, have the option of drawing the Office Tent Carriage or Indenting for Tents and Carriage. G. O. No. 496 17th December 1832,

The Personal Staff of the Governor and Commander in Chief, when on public Tours do not draw Office Tentage, but are entitled to receive Office Tents from the public Stores and Carriage for the same from the Commissariat Department, agreeably to G. G. O. 2d August 1831.

Horse Allowance to the Staff of this Presidency.

	<i>No. of Horses.</i>
Adjutant General..	2
" " Deputy..	2
" " Assistant..	2
" " Deputy Assistant..	2
Aid-de-Camp to the Governor and Commander in Chief..	2
Ditto to a General Officer on the Staff..	1
Barrack Master, Bombay ..	1
Brigadier 1st Class ..	1
" 2d ditto..	1
Majors of Brigade.....	2
Commanding Officer of Districts and Brigades..	1
Commandant of Artillery.....	1
Fort Adjutants.....	1
Interpreter to the Commander in Chief.....	2
Judge Advocate General.....	2
Line Adjutants ..	1
Quarter Master General....	2
" " Deputy.....	2
" " Assistant.....	2
" " Deputy Assistant.....	2
Regimental Field Officers in Command of Garrisons, Stations, and Detachments or em- ployed in the line of their Regimental duty.....	2
Officers in actual Commands of Corps, without reference to Rank.....	1
Secretary Mily. to the Commander in Chief.....	1
Town Major, Bombay.....	2
Adjutants of European or Native Corps.....	1
Quarter Master and Interpreters ditto.....	1
Baggage Masters, Field Force.....	2
Quarter Masters of H. M. Corps, (when in the Field or Marching).....	1