

Between Longmore, the Army Medical Department, Financial Secretary's Department, War Office, District Paymaster, etc, `relative to my half-pay as Surgeon-General'

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ON HER MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

LP. 5/1

Papers relative to my Half Pay as Surgeon General and
- do - do Pay as Professor, A.M.S.
- do - Official declaration of rate of Retired Pay

LP. 5/2

Army Medical Dept.

6. Whitehall York

19. October 1876

My dear Sir -

Will you kindly refer
to your letter of appointment as
Professor at the Army Medical School
& favor me with the date and the
War Office number it bears.

Yours faithfully

S. W. Welch

Netley, 12th Octr 1876

My dear Sir,

The date & number of the War Office letter appointing me to the Army Medical School are $\frac{7644}{62}$ W.O. 14th April 1860.

The terms of this letter will perhaps not appear quite plain, unless I further mention that I was personally offered the appointment by the Sec. of War in Dec^r 1859, he having sent for me to London for that purpose. My reply was that I should like to consult the Head of my Depart^t on the subject. I did so, & the Dir^l Gen^l then desired me if I accepted the offer to communicate the fact to him, that he might have it recorded in the office. I enclose copies of the correspondence which ensued, as it will show where the record in the D. G's office is.

I received no official letter from the War Office ^{then} nor subsequently, until

I was appointed a member of the
School Senate by the letter of April
1966 above quoted. I am,

Very truly yours

Thos Longmore

P.S. As the subject of my appointment as Professor
of ~~Med~~ Surgery is being considered, ^{it may not be relevant} ~~with you allow~~
me to mention that an important letter in your
office records as regards myself, when I was
retained at the School contrary to my own wishes
& interests & the arrangements of the Dir^l Gen^l
is one marked Confidential Medical
No-16th June 1966. 22260
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It may not be relevant for me to mention that an
important letter in ~~my~~ ^{my position} records
is one which was sent to me ~~by~~ ^{by the}
Dir^l Gen^l when I was retained at
the School contrary ^{to his arrangements}
& my own wishes. ^{It is} ^{my} letter

Kelley, 12th Oct^r 1976

Dear Sir,

The date & number of the War Office
 letter appointing me to the Army Medical School
 are $\frac{7644}{62}$ W.O. 14th April 1960.

The terms of this letter will perhaps not
 appear quite plain, unless I further mention that ~~at~~
~~the time~~ ^{in Oct. 1959,} I was personally offered the appointment by
 the Sec. for War, he having sent for me to London for
 that purpose. My reply was that I should like to
 consult the Head of my Deptⁿ on the subject. I did
 so, & the Dir^l Gen^l then desired me if I accepted
 the offer to communicate the fact to him, that
 he might have it recorded in the office. I enclose
 copies of the correspondence ^{which ensued,} as it will show you
 where this record is in the D.G.'s office.

I received no letter on that occasion from
 the War Office, nor subsequently until I was
 appointed a Member of the School Senate by the
 letter

letter I have above quoted. I am

Very truly yours

T. L.

An important letter, ^{in your words} as regards myself
& ~~my interests~~, when I was retained, ^{in my appointment}
at the School against my own wishes
& interests, & the arrangements of the
Dir. Genl., is one marked Confidential

Medical

22260

of the 16th June 1866

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As
The ~~if you are looking into~~ ^{as} the subject of
my app^t - is being considered, will you
allow me to mention that

Statement shewing Amount to be refunded
by Surgeon Genl. Longmore, Professor of
Military Surgery at Netley, from 10th Oct 1876
to 31 May 1877.

| | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Rates @ £ 537. 12. 6. | Paid at £ 850 |
| From 10 to 31 Oct. | per Year - Oct } 50. 5. 4 |
| 22 days 31. 15. 11 | 22 days |
| Novemr: 44. 16. 1 | Nov: 70. 16. 8 |
| Decr: 44. 16. 1 | Decr: 70. 16. 8 |
| Januy: 44. 16. 1 | Januy: 70. 16. 8 |
| Febry: 44. 16. 1 | Febry: 70. 16. 8 |
| March 44. 16. 1 | March 70. 16. 8 |
| April 44. 16. 1 | Aprl: 70. 16. 8 |
| May 44. 16. 1 | May 70. 16. 8 |
| | 546. 2. 0 |
| | 345. 8. 6 |
| | <u>£ 200. 13. 6</u> |
| Overpaid | |

Statement of amounts to
be refunded by me of
money drawn before the
terms of my Half Pay and
Protections were settled

From 10th Oct-1076

to
31st May 1077

No. 54735
19.

LP. 5/6

It is requested that in any further communication on this subject, the above Number may be quoted; and the Letter addressed to—
The Under Secretary of State for War,
War Office,
Pall Mall, London,
Medical Department. (S.W.)

ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT,
WAR OFFICE,

October 10th 1876

Sir,
I have the honour to inform you that, having this day attained the age of sixty years, you must be prepared to retire from the Service under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 28th April last. Be pleased to acknowledge this communication.
I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. H. M. J.
Dy.

Surgeon General
J. Improw, C.B.,
Army Medical School,
Netley.

10th Oct^r 1876

Surgeon Gen^l Langmore to
Rehr from this date
under provision of Warrant
of 28th April 1875.

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LP. 5/7

It is requested that in any further communication on this subject, the above Number may be quoted; and the Letter addressed to—
The Under Secretary of State for War,
War Office,
Pall Mall, London,
Medical Department. (S.W.)

ARMY MEDICAL DEPARTMENT,

WAR OFFICE,

14th May

1877.

Sir

With reference to my letter of the 10th October last, I have the honor to inform you that the Secretary of State for War in concurrence with His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding in Chief, has approved of your retirement to half pay from the above date at a pension of £1. 17. 6 per diem.

As you will continue to occupy the chair of Military Surgery at Netley it has been submitted to the Treasury that the emolument of that appointment should be fixed to meet your special case at £537. 12. 6 per annum. An amount which, added to your Military pension constitutes a total salary of £1224 a year, the exact equivalent of your present receipts.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant

Surgeon General
J. Longmore CB
Army Medical School
Netley.

Your servant
J. G. G. G.
For D. G. and

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Army Med. Dep. W. O. 14th May 1877

Letter announcing my being on Half Pay
from 10th Oct. 1876 at the rate of
37^s/6^d per diem, & my
continuance as Prof. of M.S. in
the i. m. School with pay to
make the total equivalent to
my Full Pay.

Form 14

LP. 5/8

No. 54735

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It is requested that in any further communication on this subject, the above Number may be quoted; and the Letter addressed to—

The Under Secretary of State for War,
War Office,
Pall Mall, London,
(S.W.)

Financial Secretary's Department,

War Office,

14th June 1877

Sir,

I am directed by the Secretary of State for War to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd December last and to acquaint you in reply that the necessary Authority for the issue of your Half Pay notwithstanding your appointment as Professor of Military Surgery at the Army Medical School Netley has been forwarded to the Paymaster General.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant

W. H. White

Surgeon General J. Longmore
C.B.

Army Medical School
— Netley —

Letter No: 54735

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Financial Secy Dept^r W.O.

14th June 1977

Authority for issue of Half Pay
notwithstanding any appointment
as Prof^r of that's being, has been
forwaded to Paymaster General

THE BROAD ARROW.

LONDON: SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1877.

HIS Royal Highness the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief will hold a *levée* at one o'clock on Tuesday, the 19th inst., at the Horse Guards, Whitehall, the number being limited to 150.

MAJOR ARTHUR R. LEMPRIERE, Royal Engineers, has been appointed assistant military secretary to General Lord Napier of Magdala, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Gibraltar.

LIEUTENANT GEORGE BARKER, Royal Engineers, has been appointed an assistant-instructor in telegraphy at the School of Military Engineering. Mr. Barker joined the Engineers in January, 1869.

MAJOR-GENERAL GEORGE WILLIAM YOUNG SIMPSON, who has been appointed a colonel-commandant of the Royal (late Madras) Artillery, in the place of Lieutenant-General Sir George Balfour, joined the Madras Artillery, as a second lieutenant, June 17, 1824, and was promoted first lieutenant June 25, 1824; brevet captain, June 17, 1839; captain, February 26, 1840; brevet major, November 11, 1851; major, August 14, 1855; brevet lieutenant-colonel, July 23, 1858; lieutenant-colonel, August 27, 1858; colonel, February 18, 1861; and major-general, December 11, 1868. He was for some years commissary of ordnance at Masulipatam, and was subsequently superintendent of the Gunpowder Manufactory at Fort St. George, and finally Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines in the Madras Presidency.

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL Sir Arthur Cunynghame, K.C.B., is now third on the list for promotion to full general, and may be expected to obtain the higher rank by the casualties of the Service in the course of a few weeks. He is not, however, likely to be recalled from the Cape, where he has held the command of our troops since November, 1873, until next spring at the very earliest, and club rumour, which is assigning the important appointment to an officer well known for his services in

more than one hard-fought campaign with the Kaffirs, is quite premature.

COLONEL BAKER, C.B., who is now fifth on the list of colonels for promotion to general officer's rank, will, it is expected, vacate his present appointment as an inspecting officer of auxiliary cavalry on obtaining his major-general's lace, and the names of two cavalry officers of distinction are mentioned in connection with the appointment, Colonels J. R. S. Sayer, C.B., late of the King's Dragoon Guards, and Robert White, C.B., late 17th Lancers, and now in command of the Worcester Brigade Depot, being understood to stand the best chance.

SURGEON-GENERAL THOMAS LONGMORE, C.B., who has retired on half-pay, after a long and honourable service in the Army Medical Department, retains his appointment as Professor of Military Surgery to the Army Medical School at Netley.

COLONEL G. S. YOUNG, Assistant Adjutant-General, Dublin District, has taken up his duties of Assistant Adjutant-General of the division at the Curragh Camp for the drill season.

COLONEL E. W. BRAY, C.B., 2nd Battalion 4th Regiment, has assumed command of the Dublin Garrison until the 25th June, when Colonel D. S. Greene, C.B., Royal Horse Artillery, returns from leave and assumes command during the absence of Major-General Herbert, C.B., at the Curragh Camp.

COLONEL Sir Archibald Alison, Bart., K.C.B., Deputy Adjutant-General, Ireland, has returned to Dublin from leave of absence, and resumed his duties.

COLONEL G. B. STONY, Staff Officer of Pensioners, Dublin, has gone on leave of absence until 25th June; his duties, meanwhile, will be carried on by Major Addy, Adjutant of the Recruiting Department.

BRIGADIER-GENERAL W. H. SEYMOUR, C.B., commanding the Curragh District, has assumed the command of the cavalry brigade, Curragh Division, for the drill season, with Captain W. H. Lee, 2nd Dragoon Guards, as aide-de-camp, and Captain P. H. S. Barrow, 19th Hussars, as brigade-major.

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service which the Army of the Rhine could render to its country would be still to remain in Metz; since by so doing it would keep a strong German force before it and gain time for armed forces to be organised elsewhere. Almost immediately, however, after this resolution had been arrived at, negotiations were begun with the enemy. On the 27th of October the surrender of the fortress and its garrison was definitely agreed upon. On the 29th the outer forts were occupied by the Germans, and the French garrison marched out of Metz and laid down their arms at the feet of the conqueror. The number who became prisoners on that occasion is given by the official history at 173,000 in all; while among the trophies which fell into the hands of the Germans were 56 Imperial eagles, 622 fieldpieces, 876 garrison guns, 72 mitrail-leuses, 137,000 chassepôts, and 123,000 other rifles, besides large supplies of other munitions of war.

The second part of the twelfth volume contains the history of the events which took place on the south-eastern theatre of war, after the fall of Strasburg until the middle of November. This portion of the work is especially interesting, since here, for the first time during the campaign, we find the Germans threatened, on one portion of the theatre of war, by vastly superior numbers. The third part relates the operations which were carried on during the same period in northern and central France, including the advance of the first army, under General Manteuffel, into Champagne, and the capture of Verdun. This latter fortress had been completely invested since the 23rd of September, but it was only after the besieging force had towards the end of October received reinforcements from the first army and a numerous siege train, that the garrison finally capitulated on the 8th of November. The last part of the work gives a summary of the events at sea after the beginning of September, the only affair of interest which took place during the period being the action between the German gunboat *Meteor* and the French despatch-vessel *Bouvet*.

A History of Cavalry from the Earliest Times. By Lieutenant-Colonel George T. Denison. (London: Macmillan and Co.)

In this volume Colonel Denison has recorded all the striking features in the history of the cavalry service from the earliest period to the present time. He begins with the earliest use of the horse in war, lays before the reader the various changes which have taken place, as well as the causes that have led to

Islam and of the Greek Church; and, in addition to all this, we have some of the official and diplomatic documents relating to the war, an account of the Bulgarian atrocities, a statement describing the strength of the contending parties, and a topographical account of the seat of war. With the large map of the Ottoman Empire in Europe and in Asia, the Kingdom of Greece, and the Russian provinces on the Black Sea, which is given with the "Guide," it deserves to have a wide circulation, for the map is a good one, and in the letterpress most, if not all, the points connected with the Eastern problem are presented with impartiality.

The Invasion of the Crimea. By A. W. Kinglake. (Edinburgh and London: Blackwood and Sons.)

In this, the fifth volume of the Cabinet Edition of Mr. Kinglake's history of the Crimean war, we have his splendid description of all the incidents which went to make up the battle of Balaclava, including, of course, the memorable charge of the Light Brigade into "the jaws of Hell," and all the controversy, misunderstanding, and ill-feeling to which it gave birth. Even now, more than twenty years after the occurrence of the events which are recorded in this volume, interest in them is almost as vivid as ever, and once more we commend to the notice of our readers this well-printed, convenient-sized, and in all respects, capital edition of a standard work.

THE Earl of Coventry received from the Lord Chamberlain, on behalf of the Queen, the Gold Stick of Office as Captain of the Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-arms.

MR. SCLATER-BOOTH, M.P., President of the Local Government Board, accompanied by Earl Stanhope, on June 9, paid an official visit of inspection to the *Exmouth*, which has taken the place of the *Goliath* as a training-ship for the pauper boys of London. The right hon. gentleman addressed the lads, and pointed out the advantages which had been afforded them by the excellent training they were receiving in being made proficient to take their places in Her Majesty's Navy or the Mercantile Marine of their country. He congratulated them as well as their instructors on their appearance and perfect discipline, and urged them to continue their exertions to attain the high positions which were open to them through the training they received on board that ship.

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Financial Secretary's Department
War Office

16 June 1877.

Sir,
I am directed by Mr. Secretary
Harty to acquaint you that it has been
decided that Surgeon General Laingman
Professor of Military Surgery at Netley,
shall from 10th October, 1876, the date
of being placed on Half Pay - receive a
Consolidated salary - inclusive of all
allowances at the rate of £537.12.6 a
year. I am, therefore, to request that you
will recover from that Officer any pay
in excess of that rate, together with
all the allowances, that may have been
issued to him since the above date, and
forward to this Office at your earliest
convenience a detailed statement of the
amount so recovered, with a reference to
the account in which the credit will be
given

I am,
Sir,

Your Obedient Servant
(Sd) W. H. White

The Departmental
Paymaster
Portsmouth

Copy of letter from Financial
Secy's Dep^t W.O. to District
Paym^r Portsmouth, relative
to my Pay as Professor of Mil. Surg^y
from 10th Oct: 1876.



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It is requested that in any further communication on this subject, the above Number may be quoted; and the Letter addressed to—
The Under Secretary of State for War
War Office,
Pall Mall, London,
(S.W.)

FINANCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT,

WAR OFFICE,

18th June, 1877.

Sir,

Mr. Secretary Hardy, having had under his consideration the question of the salary to be assigned to you as Professor of Military Surgery at the Army Medical School at Netley from the date of your being placed on Half Pay, I am directed to acquaint you that he has been pleased to allow you such a sum as will, with your Half Pay of £1-17-6 a day, make up a total of £1222 a year, being the total of the emoluments of your rank while on full Pay. The sum of £537-12-6 a year is therefore issuable to you from 10 October, 1876, in addition to your half pay, and I am to request you will take the necessary steps to refund to the Departmental Paymaster at Portsmouth any pay in excess of this rate, together with all the allowances, that may have been issued to you since the above date.

I am,

Sir,

Surgeon General Longmore
Army Medical School
Netley.

Your obedient servant,
John Lubbock

JMB
Acct^d B

W.O. Letter No: $\frac{54735}{17}$ 10 June 77

Authority for H.P. of 37/6d
for Decr - 4

£537-12-6, Popperi Pag.

IP. 5/120

Pay is for 3 months
Oct - Nov² + Dec²

for full Oct⁶
Nov⁶
Dec⁶

221 - 6 - 10

Jan⁴ - 73 - 16 - 6

Feb 73 - 9 - 0

March 73 - 16 - 6

April 73 - 14 - 0

May 73 - 16 - 6

589 . 19 . 4

= inclusive of Travelling Allowance
and Income Tax deduction

31 Oct^r 73 - 16 - 6

30 Nov^r 73 - 14 - 0

31 Dec^r 73 - 16 - 6

221.7.0

10^h 0

10^h - 15 31^o Oct^r -

Surgeon Genl. Longmore,
Professor of Military Surgery,
Netley.

By W.O. Letter dated 16 June 1877,
No 54735, a Copy of which I enclose,
your Pay from 10 October 1876 is fixed
at £ 537.12.6 a year & as you
have been ^{paid} at the rate of £ 850. a
year from that date to 31 May 1877,
I send you a Statement showing
£ 200.13.6 overpaid, which amount
I must ask you to be so good as to
remit to me at your early convenience.

District Paymaster

I beg to ask, as the £ 546.2^d,
mentioned in your statement, was
applied to me for about £ 7. income
duty, might not this amount to be
considered in the calculation of the
sum I have to refund?

If so, with the £ 200.13^d 6^d,
shown in the statement to be overpaid,
at 3% in the £ 1, there would be a
deduction of £ 2.10^d 2^d.

Thomas Longmore
District Paymaster H.P.

Robt Durbach



The Income Duty
was overlooked,
a reference has
since been made
to the War Office
& when received
an amended
statement will
be sent you.

Robt Durbach

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Correspondence with
District Paymaster
relative to Refund
of Money overpaid
June 1877



LP. 5/13

Annual

£

| | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Retired Pay at £117.6 a day = | 684 " 7 " 6 |
| Service Reward ——— | 100 " — " — |
| Shares in London & West ^d Bank } & other Undertakings ——— } | 262 " 12 " 0 |
| Ground Rents ——— | 42 " — " — |
| Share of Eaton Square Rents ——— | 73 " 2 " 6 |
| Dividends drawn by Jose Ho. of Securities what they hold of mine including Trusts on Marriage Settlement ——— | about 204 " 8 " 3 |
| Dividends drawn by myself about | 334 " 18 " 10 |

Total £ 1701 " 9 " 1

Income tax will be deducted from
the above wh^{ch} is also subject to
some variations —

ZP. 5/14

Annual

£ - S. D.

Retired Pay - 604 - 7 - 6

Reward - 100 - - -

Shares in London & West Bank & other } 262 - 12 -
Mudbratcups - }

Ground Rents 42 - - -

Share of Entow Sp:Rents 73 - 2 - 6

Div^d drawn by Cox Ho } 204 - 0 - 3
& Securities of mine held }
by them including Mon: Selker }
about }

Div^d drawn by myself } 324 - 18 - 10
about }

£ 17 01 - 9 - 1

Income Tax to be deducted
& Subject to some variations

Total Income from all sources
Less Income Tax
About £1700 per an:
(see within)
+ separate papers

LP. 5/15

17 Whitehall Place, London
27th June 1877.

Sir, The Secretary of State for War having appointed us the Agents of the Army Medical Department the pay of all Officers serving in the United Kingdom will from the 1st Proximo be issuable from this Office and we have much pleasure in placing our services at the disposal of the Officers of the Department collectively and Individually -

A Last Pay Certificate will be required from the Accountant in whose Payment you have hitherto been and a separate Pay List will be required

Surgeon General T. Longmore
A. M. H.

each month duly certified by the
Principal Medical Officer & Commissary
of the district.

Officers entitled to Forage or Lodging
allowances must also send in duly
certified Returns -

The Pay Lists &c should be sent here
duly receipted, and allowing one
clear day for examination may
be drawn against by the Office -

Where Private Agents are employed
the Pay Lists &c should be sent to
them for presentation here. —

Yours,

Your Obedient Servants
T. W. H. H. H.

LP. 5/16

17 Whitehall Place
London S.W. 30: Aug. 1877.

Sir, The Secretary of State
for War having placed
you in our payment as
Agents of the Army
Medical Department
and having received
from Mr. Borchert the
Pay List for August signed
by you, we have credited
your account with the
sum of £44,411 against
which you can draw
upon us accordingly —
In
Surgeon Genl. Longmore C.B.

In future no Pay List
will be necessary & we
shall credit you with
your pay at the end of
each month. —

Yours, Sir,

Yours faithfully
T. S. W. —

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Copy.

Financial Secretary's Department,
25th April 1884.

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⁶²
War Office.

Sir,

It having been deemed advisable to consolidate your retired pay with the special rate of pay drawn by you as Professor at the Army Medical School, I am directed by the Secretary of State for War to acquaint you that, from the 1st April 1884 inclusive, your pay will be issued through the agents of the Medical Department (Mess^{rs} Vesey Holt & Co) at the consolidated rate of One thousand, two hundred and twenty two pounds a year and the issue of your Non-effective pay through the Paymaster General will cease for the period during which you are in receipt of the above mentioned rate.

£537. 12. 6
Effective Pay.

£684. 7. 6
Non-Effective Pay.

£1222. —

I am,
Sir,

Your obedient Servant
(Signed) Tho^s C. B. Cave

Surgeon General
J. Longmore, C. B.,
Qu. H. S.
Army Medical School,
Netley.

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LP. 5/18



Financial Secretary's Department

25th April 1884

Sir,

It having been deemed advisable to consolidate your retired pay with the special rate of pay drawn by you as Professor at the Army Medical School, I am directed by the Secretary of State for War to acquaint you that from the 1st April 1884, inclusive, your pay will be issued through the agents of the Medical Department (Messrs Messy Holt and Co) at the consolidated rate of One thousand, two hundred and twenty two pounds a year, and the issue of your Non-Effective pay through the Paymaster General will cease for the period during which you are in receipt of the abovementioned rate.

£557.12.6
Effect. Pay

£184.7.6
Non-Effective pay

£1222

$\frac{1}{2} \frac{12}{12} = 101.16.8^d$

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

L. W. Mave

Surgeon General
J. Langmore C.S. A.M.S.
Army Medical School
Netley.

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Consolidation of Retired Pay
& Pay of Professorship
25th April 1884.



£. $\frac{1}{12}^{\text{th}}$ = £ 101. 16. 8^d

IP. 5/19

17, Whitehall Place.

London, S.W. 26th April 1884

Sir,

We have the honor to inform you that the Secretary of State for War has instructed us, to issue your Consolidated Pay from 1st April 1884 at the rate of £ 1222.0.0 per annum, we shall accordingly be prepared to issue your Pay at the end of each month, on being furnished, as usual, with the monthly Pay sheet.

We remain, Sir,

Your obedient servants

Surgeon General

J. Longmore C.B.

Army Medical School
Netley.

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LP. 5/20

ARMY.—Retired-Pay.

Establishment No. _____ No. of Voucher _____

The Declaration is to be executed on or after the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December, of every year.
* Christian Names are to be inserted here in full.

I, *Thomas Leysmore*

do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am entitled to RETIRED-PAY, at the rate of *37^s/6^d* per *annum* as a *Surgeon-General* of the *Army Medical Department* that I am not in Holy Orders, and that I have not held during any part of the period from the _____ to the _____ 188____, both days inclusive,

any other Place or Employment of Profit, Civil or Military, in any Department of Her Majesty's Service, nor in the Colonies or Possessions of Her Majesty beyond the Seas nor under any other Government, except (a) *my appointment of Professor of Military Surgery at the Army Medical School at a salary of £537-12^s-6^d a year sanctioned by W.O. letter No. 54735/17 18th Jan 77*

Declared and Subscribed before me,
at _____
this _____ day of _____ 188____

The Magistrate or other person (see note †) to SIGN HERE and describe fully the capacity in which he acts, giving his official address or place of business, &c.

Officer's Signature _____

Permanent Residence _____

In the County of _____

(a) An Officer holding any situation of profit, Civil and Military, is to insert the same, with the net annual salary and emoluments thereof

NO ALTERATION, ERASURE OR INTERLINEATION WILL BE ADMITTED.

† The Persons before whom the Declarations may be subscribed are as follows:—

In the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Isle of Man, and Channel Islands.—Justices of the Peace. Notaries Public. Ministers of Religion, acting and resident within the town or district where they attest. Commissioners appointed to Administer Oaths. Persons registered under "The Medical Act" if in attendance on the Person making the Declaration.

In the Colonies.—Justices of the Peace. Notaries Public. Ministers of Religion, acting and resident within the town or district where they attest.

In Foreign Countries.—British Diplomatic and Consular Officers abroad empowered to administer Oaths, and to do Notarial Acts under the Act 18 & 19 Vict., c. 42.

Notaries Public, or other persons, competent to administer Oaths by the *lex loci*, which (in the case of employing such other persons) must be quoted sufficiently for verification.

Messrs. Cox & Co.,

Craig's Court,

London, S.W.

H.P.D.

ARMY.—HALF-PAY.

LP. 5/21
This form is cancelled

Establishment No. _____

No. of Voucher _____

*CHRISTIAN NAMES TO BE INSERTED IN FULL AT THE COMMENCEMENT.

THE SIGNATURE TO BE IN THE OFFICER'S USUAL MANNER.

NO ALTERATION, ERASURE, OR INTERLINEATION WILL BE ADMITTED.

I* *Thomas Langmore*

do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am entitled to Half-Pay, at the rate of *37^s 6^d* per diem, as a *Surgeon General* of the *Army* ^{*medical*} ~~Regiment of~~ *Department* that I am not in Holy Orders, and that I had not during any part of the period from the 1st *of January* 188*2*, to the _____ 188____, both days inclusive, any other Place or Employment of Profit, Civil or Military, in any Department of Her Majesty's Service, nor in the Colonies or Possessions of Her Majesty beyond the Seas, nor under any other Government except (a) *my appointment as Professor of Military Surgery in the Army Medical School, Netley, authorized by W.O. letter No: 54735/17 10th June 1877 at the rate of £537.12.6 per annum*

before me, this _____ day of _____ 188____

Officer's Signature _____

The Magistrate or other person (see note at foot †) to
SIGN HERE
and describe fully the capacity in which he acts

Place of Residence _____

In the County of _____

(a) An Officer, holding any other Place, or Employment of Profit, Civil or Military, is to insert the same with the Net Annual Salary and Emoluments thereof.

N.B.—Officers on Half-Pay neglecting to draw their Half-Pay for Two Years will be discontinued on the List.

† The Persons before whom the Declarations may be subscribed are as follows :—

In the United Kingdom, Isle of Man, and Channel Islands.—Justices of the Peace. Notaries Public. Resident Ministers of Religion. Commissioners appointed to administer Oaths. Persons registered under "The Medical Act" if in attendance on the Person making the Declaration.

In the Colonies.—Justices of the Peace. Notaries Public. Resident Ministers of Religion.

In Foreign Countries.—British Ministers. British Secretaries of Embassy or Legation. British Consuls. British Chaplains. Notaries Public, or other persons, competent to administer such Declarations.

This declaration is to be made on or after 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December, of every Year.

Messrs. Cox & Co.,

Craig's Court,

London,

S.W.

Half-Pay

LP. 5/22

Mess^{rs} Cox & Co^s present their
Compliments to Mr J. W. Longmore
and beg to enclose a Declaration, which they
request he will be pleased to make before a
Magistrate or other Person specified thereon
and return as soon as possible.

Craig's Court,

London, S.W.

1st August 1887

LP. 5/23

Craig's Court, London S.W.

7th Aug 1854

Mess^{rs} Cox & Co present their
compliments to Surgeon
General Douglass
and with reference
to the declaration
forwarded by him
for June 5th beg
to inform him
that under the
circumstances mentioned
in his letter it will
not be

be necessary to
furnish such
declarations in
future and they
beg to express
their regret for
troubling him in
the matter.

LP. 5/24

Mess^{rs}. Cox & Co. beg to state
that a new form of Declaration
has been prescribed by the
Treasury, a supply of which is
herewith enclosed for future use.

Mess^{rs}. Cox & Co. request that
the old forms may be destroyed
as they are now totally inadmissible.

Craig's Court,
London, S.W.

ZP. 5/25

ARMY.—Retired Pay.

Establishment No. _____

No of Voucher _____

This Declaration is to be executed on or after 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December of every year.

* Christian Names are to be inserted here in full

I,

do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am entitled to RETIRED-PAY, at the rate of _____

per _____ as a _____ of the _____

for the quarter ended the _____ 188____, and that during that period

I have not held any other Place or Employment of Profit, Civil or Military, in any Department of Her Majesty's Service, nor in the Colonies or Possessions of Her Majesty beyond the Seas, nor under any other Government, except (a)

Declared and Subscribed before me,

at _____

this _____ day of _____ 188____

The Magistrate or other person (see note †) to SIGN HERE, and describe fully the capacity in which he acts, giving his official address or place of business, &c.

Officer's Signature _____

Permanent Residence _____

In the County of _____

(a) An Officer holding any other Place or Employment of Profit, Civil or Military, is to insert the same above, as a continuation of the Declaration, and is to state the emoluments thereof

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In Foreign Countries.—British Diplomatic and Consular Officers abroad empowered to administer Oaths, and to do Notarial Acts under the Act 18 & 19 Vict., c. 42.

Notaries Public, or other persons competent to administer Oaths by the *lex loci*, which (in the case of employing such other persons) must be quoted sufficiently for verification.

Messrs. Cox & Co.,

Craig's Court,

London, S.W.

ZP. 5/26

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*Messrs. Cox & Co.,
Craig's Court,
London, S.W.*

2P. 5/27

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*Messrs. Cox & Co.,
Craig's Court,
London, S.W.*

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ZP. 5/28

Wobston, 15th Nov. 1004.

My dear Crawford,

Your letter just-received has been a great surprise to me. I have no intention under any circumstances of moving to the continent for my boys' education, & cannot now imagine what can have led to the supposition that I contemplated doing so. When, in 1863, Sir James Gibson's offer to move me into his office as Head of the Sanitary Branch with the rank of Inspector General was prevented, & with it of course my chance of succession in turn to the position of Director General — and when the Secretary of State for War, Earl de Grey & Ripon, confirmed the recommendation of the War Office (of which Sir James Clark was Pres^t), that the Professorships at the Army Medical School should be made permanent subject only to the continued fitness of the Professors, relying on the faith of

of these documents & the correspondence connected
with them I devoted my life to rendering myself
as perfect as I could for the Professorial duties &
made all my other arrangements in accordance
with the prospect that I should be ^{permanently} employed in them.
~~work - thus this prospect.~~ I still have ^{showing that} a good deal
of private correspondence ~~in which~~ Lord Herbert's
original intention ^{when the school was organized was} that the appointments of the
Professors should be permanent appointments after
their suitability as teachers had been tested by
a 5 years' trial ^{so that there first was no discrepancy} ~~as much as the~~
~~between his views & the subsequent~~ ^{same view is in} the decision of Earl de Grey
on the subject - and I would hardly have
sacrificed my prospects of the succession to the
D. G. ship & the advantages connected with it,
had I seen ^{any} room for doubting the solemn
assurances conveyed to me on the subject.
I ^{feel sure} think you will agree with me in thinking
that nothing could be clearer than the
meaning of the
official language in which Sir Edward Sugard

conveyed Earl de Grey's decision that the appointments of the Professors were to be permanent appointments so long as they might ~~be~~ continue to discharge their duties with thorough efficiency.

You may not have at hand the passage to which I particularly refer & I therefore copy it ^{on the other side.} But of course you have it among the records of your office together with copies of the correspondence on all the other matters that occurred regarding myself in 1863 and subsequently.

If all that was then settled is now to be set aside, I hope, as a friend, you will let me have as early an intimation of it as you can

Very sincerely yours

Ho. Longmore

(H. L. O.)

Extract from letter No. $\frac{7644}{399}$ W.O. 30th June 1863

"With regard to the question of the position of the Professors I am to state that Earl de Grey concurs in the opinion of the majority of the members in favour of the permanence of these appointments. His Lordship considers the Professorships should not be regarded as rewards to medical officers of the army, nor intended to afford means of obtaining knowledge or experience for those who may hold them. They are on the contrary posts of great importance & responsibility requiring peculiar and rare qualifications, & having the most direct influence on the efficiency of the whole army medical service. They ought therefore to be held by the best men who can be found & retained by them so long as they are able to discharge their duties with thorough efficiency."

I have &c

J^d E. Dugard

The above extract is taken from a letter from Sir E. Dugard to Sir James Clark a copy of which was sent by Sir J. Clark to Dr Perkes for the information of the Professors

My
Private

LP. 5/29

17. 11. 04

My dear Longfellow.

I have just received
your letter & I am
much obliged for the
perusal of your P.P.S.
I really think that under
the circumstances you
should make an appeal
to the Secy. of State for
renewing Dr. or for some
compensation. your case
is a very strong one &
I cannot see how

the authorities can get
over Luford's minute &
I should think had it
been known to Lord
Barrington, he would hesitate
before applying the new
regulations to your case
or those of the other
professors desiring to
retain their posts.
How or why the regulations
were put in the way of
Promotion I cannot think
but I never heard even
a whisper of it. Only

first being made aware
of it by one in this office
who I am afraid was never
friendly to Mr. T. for any
reasons which I refer to.
A few days after the copy
of the new J. & P. Warrant
came out, he came into
my room to read it to
me & till then I had
not the smallest hint
of it, & I must say it
surprised me & really
after the Lancel article
appeared. I have my own
opinions as to the author
of that. If you determine
to collect the matter

would advise your calling
for an interview with Lord
Bantington & explain your
position to him. Lord
Lindsay would gladly
arrange this for you.

I think it was rather
unfair not to have spoken
to the Professors before
the O. & P. Warrant was
issued as affects their
prospects so much.

I will keep the matter
quite private.

Believe me
yours very sincerely
W. A. Macdonald

IP. 5/30

Memorandum regarding my pay & allowances
as Professor of Military Surgery in the Army Medical School.

2/5/85

When in the early days of my appointment as Prof^r of Military Surgery,
at Fort Pitt, Chatham, I received the ^{Prof^r's} ~~pay~~ ~~with the~~ ~~Quarters~~ ~~in Fort Pitt,~~ together with fuel & light.

^{in 1864}
On account of Kelly, I was supposed a house would be
provided for me; ~~and it was~~ ^{however,} ~~but~~ ^{but} ~~none~~ ^{subsequently} ~~was~~ ^{and} ~~provided,~~ ^{I received}
carriage allowance of 2/6 per diem. ~~with~~

^{in 1864} (See letter no $\frac{7644}{541}$ War Office 27 May '64)
in consideration of circumstances which need not be repeated here, "if use
of dodging money according to my rank whilst an official house
is provided" was sanctioned by the lords of the Treasury, "on the
understanding that the daily allowance of 2/6 should be discontinued
& that on my obtaining the rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals
the salary of £700 per annum attached to the appointment of
Professor should remain in abeyance when my emoluments
would be those of the higher rank."

In 1877. (See letter No. $\frac{54735}{17}$ Financial
Secretary's Depart^t War Office, 10th June 1877) sanction
was given ^{in the name of} "such a sum as will with your Half Pay of
£1-17-6 a day make up a total of £1222 a year, being the
total of the emoluments of your rank whilst on Full Pay".
From that date my half pay was drawn in the usual manner, while
the reduced Professor's pay of £537-12-6 a year was drawn
through the District Pay Department.

In 1884. (See letter No. $\frac{30470}{62}$ Fin^l Sec^y's Dept^t,
25th April 1884) my retired pay was directed to be consolidated
with the special rate of pay allowed to me as Professor, and my
consolidated pay thus arranged is received by me from Messrs Vasey Holt
& Co: - at the present time -

Memorandum
Reporting pay & clothing allowances

21st May 1885.



ZP 5/31

F. 7.—Form *69a*.

No. 54735
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WAR OFFICE,

19th October, 1891.

SIR,

I AM directed by the Secretary of State for War to inform you that the necessary authority has been sent to the Paymaster-General's Office for

the issue to you of Retired Pay

at One Pound, Seventeen Shillings and Sixpence

£1:17:6 ^a day from the 1st October, 1891.

I am to add that you will receive full information as to the mode of issue on your applying to *The Assistant Paymaster-General, Whitehall, London, S.W.*, for the usual Forms.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

J. W. Mills

for the Acct. Genl.

Surgeon General

Sir Thomas Longmore, C.B.,

late Army Medical Department,

and Professor, Army Medical School,

Royal Victoria Hospital,

Netley.

The levy of Contributions & Subscriptions to Military Messes is regulated by Section VII, paragraphs 39 & 48, Queen's Regulations 1885.

"Par. 39. This contribution is to be charged
 " on the original net-pay of each
 " officer's rank, and not on the increase resulting from
 " length of service, brevet-rank, or appointment as adjutant."

"Par. 48 The rates [of subscription] will be calculated
 " on the same principle as that laid down in para. 39
 " for contributions"

It is therefore clearly illegal to make any but the original net-pay of the military rank the basis for subscriptions & contributions.

The same would naturally apply to the rate of share of expenses of mess funds & entertainments.

Under those circumstances the shares of officers now on full pay under the Warrant of 1879 will be as follows:

| | £ | s | d |
|-------------------------|---|----|---|
| Surgeon (@ £200 a year) | 0 | 11 | 0 |
| Surgeon-major | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Brigade-Surgeon | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Dep't Surgeon-General | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Surgeon-General | 2 | 15 | 0 |

The only point that might suggest itself is whether or not the Surgeon-major, ^{rank} after 20 yrs service should be considered a separate rank. In that case he would be charged at the rate £1.5 - a day. ^{is doubtful} ~~Would~~ the legality of this, as he would come ~~to~~ under the exemption with for brevet rank and

Length

length of service. -

The case of the Professors of the Army Medical School is different and requires to be considered specially.

1. Sir Thomas Lushmore, C.B. Surgeon-General (H.P.)
Professor of Military Surgery.

This officer was placed on retired pay of the Medical Department by the age-clause of the Warrant of 1876. The date of retirement was October, 1876.

Up to that time he drew the pay & allowances of a Surgeon-General without any professorial pay. On his retirement from the Army he continued to hold his Chair, which is a life appointment - He was allowed in addition to retired pay, so much of the professor's pay as made up his emoluments to the amount he was previously drawing as a Surgeon-General. This he continues to draw, the Warrant of 1879 having no effect on his position. At the time of his retirement in 1876 the original net-pay of a Surgeon-General was £2-a-day: This is therefore the highest amount that can be legally taken (with the Officer's consent) as a basis for subscription etc.

2. Sir William Hutton, M.D. F.R.S.
Professor of Pathology.

This officer, never having been in the Army, has never drawn any pay except the civil ^{pay} of Professor, which is not little for any subscription or contribution. Any rate must therefore be by special arrangement with that officer. It may be mentioned that at the time of his appointment it was proposed by Lord Herbert to confer upon him and upon the late Dr. Parker the rank of Deputy Inspector-General,

hwh

but that was declined. It may be mentioned that at that time the original net-pay of a Deputy Surgeon-General, under the Warrant of 1858, was £1.8 per diem. None of the subsequent warrants has in any way affected Sir W. Aitken's position - He is at present an Honorary Member of the Mess, with all the privileges of an Extra member, and he has never been called upon to pay any Contribution or Subscription, although he has voluntarily shared in the expenses of Balls & other Entertainments.

3. ~~Dr. J. B. F. del Gaumont~~ Dr. J. B. F. del Gaumont, ~~FRS~~ FRS.
Surgeon-major (401)
Professor of Military Hygiene.

This officer was placed on the retired list in October 1876, in appointment as Professor. For the first five years, 1876-81, he was allowed as much of his half-pay as made up his pay as Professor to the maximum. Since 1881 he has drawn merely the civil pay of Professor and no military half-pay whatsoever. He is consequently in the same position as regards ^{pay} as Sir William Aitken - His predecessor, Dr. Parkes, being a civilian on appointment, became ex officio an Honorary member of the mess, with all the privileges of an extra member, but was not called upon for any subscriptions - Dr. Del Gaumont, however, continued to pay monthly subscriptions as a Surgeon-major, in the same way as he had done before - The minimum net-pay of a Deputy Surgeon-General in 1876 was £1.10 per diem: - of a Surgeon-major - £0.17.6 -

4. Dr. D. B. Smith, F.R.C.S.

Hon. Deputy-Surgeon-General.

Professor of Military Medicine

This Officer was a Brigade-Surgeon retired from the Bengal Medical Service, with the Honorary rank of Deputy-Surgeon-General, at the time of his appointment as Professor. He draws the retired pay of his rank as well as his Civil pay ^{as Professor} ~~of his rank~~. The net pay of his rank, ^{as Brigade Surgeon} as full pay was £1..10 a day at home rates. This is the highest rate at which he can legally be charged.

The proposal to charge Sir Thomas Layman at the rate of £2..15, Sir Wm Aitken & Dr. de Chaumont at £2..3..1, & Dr. D. B. Smith at £1..16..4, cannot be entertained - The maximum rates to which they will consent are as follows:

| | | |
|--------------------|--------------|-------|
| Sir Thomas Layman | £ 2.. 0.. 0 | a day |
| Sir Wm Aitken | £ 1.. 10.. 0 | " |
| Dr. F. de Chaumont | £ 1.. 10.. 0 | " |
| Dr. D. B. Smith - | £ 1.. 10.. 0 | " |

This arrangement must however be considered as personal and in no way binding on their successors.