

British Forces in Afghanistan
10th August 1880

Northern Afghanistan: Lieutenant-General Sir Davis Stewart, K.C.B.
At Zargunshahar: Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick
Roberts, K.C.B.

Staff: (79/0/0/0)*

Artillery: Colonel A.C. Johnson

6th Battery, 8th Brigade, R.A.

11th Battery, 9th Brigade, R.A.

No.2 Mountain Battery

Total 18 mountain guns (12/190/5/418)

Cavalry: Brigadier-General H.H. Gough, V.C., C.B.

9th Lancer Regiment

3rd Bengal Cavalry Regiment

3rd Punjab Cavalry Regiment

Central India Horse Regiment

Total (19/318/27/1,297)

1st Infantry Brigade: Brigadier-General H.T. Macpherson

92nd Highlander Regiment

2nd Gurkha Regiment

23rd Pioneers

24th Punjab Infantry

Total (19/651/22/1,777)

2nd Infantry Brigade: Brigadier-General T.D. Baker, C.B.

72nd Highlander Regiment

5th Gurkha Regiment

2nd Sikh Regiment

3rd Sikh Regiment

Total (23/787/22/1,743)

3rd Infantry Brigade: Brigadier-General C. M.

MacGregor, C.B.

2/60th Rifles Regiment

4th Gurkha Regiment

15th Sikh Regiment

25th Punjab Infantry

Total (21/616/25/1,916)

At Kabul: Major-General J. Hills, V.C., C.B.

Sappers:

10th Company (0/5/2/104)

Artillery:

G Battery, 4th Brigade, R.A.

11th Battery, 11th Brigade, R.A.

Total 12 guns (11/238/0/133)

Cavalry: Brigadier-General C. T. S. Gough

1st Punjab Cavalry Regiment

2nd Punjab Cavalry Regiment (3 troops)

Guides Cavalry

Total (0/0/14/889)

Infantry: Brigadier-Generals R. J. Hughes and W. Daunt

2/9th Foot Regiment (6 companies)

59th Foot Regiment

67th Foot Regiment

5th Punjab Infantry Regiment

27th Punjab Infantry Regiment
 28th Punjab Infantry Regiment
 45th Sikh Regiment
 3rd Gurkha Regiment
 Guides
 Details from Robert's Force
 Total (58/1,831/38/3,355)

En Route from India by Detachments:

Sappers:

2nd Company
 3rd Company
 3th Company
 5th Company
 7th Company
 Total (0/33/13/485)

Artillery:

A Battery, B Brigade, R.H.A.
 G Battery, 3rd Brigade, R.A.
 6th Battery, 11th Brigade, R.A.
 12th Battery, 9th Brigade, R.A.
 No. 4 Mountain Battery
 Total 30 guns (23/499/5/378)

Cavalry:

2nd Punjab Cavalry Regiment (3 troops)
 19th Bengal Lancer Regiment (3 troops)
 Total (0/0/11/598)

Infantry:

2/9th Foot Regiment (2 companies)
 Det/67th Foot Regiment
 19th Punjab Infantry Regiment
 Total (9/272/7/607)

Khyber Line Force, Butkhak to Jamrud: Major-General
 R. O. Bright, C.B.

Sappers:

6th Company Bengal
 A Company Madras
 C Company Madras
 I Company Madras
 Total (0/12/5/369)

Artillery

C Battery, 3rd Brigade, R.A.
 L Battery, 5th Brigade, R.A.
 No. 1 Mountain Battery
 Total 16 guns (11/296/4/230)

Cavalry:

6th Dragoon Guard Regiment
 4th Bengal Cavalry Regiment
 5th Bengal Cavalry Regiment
 17th Bengal Cavalry Regiment
 Total (15/310/24/1,235)

Infantry: Brigadier-Generals W. A.Gib, J. Doran
 & R. S. Hill

1/5th Foot Regiment
 1/18th Foot Regiment
 2/14th Foot Regiment

1/25th Foot Regiment
51st Foot Regiment
8th Bengal Infantry Regiment
9th Bengal Infantry Regiment
16th Bengal Infantry Regiment
22nd Bengal Infantry Regiment
27th Bengal Infantry Regiment (depot & detachment)
30th Bengal Infantry Regiment
31st Bengal Infantry Regiment
32nd Bengal Infantry Regiment
41st Bengal Infantry Regiment
1st Gurkha Regiment
1st Madras Infantry Regiment
4th Madras Infantry Regiment
15th Madras Infantry Regiment
Total (101/3,389/82/7,942)

Peshawar District Force: Brigadier-General G.C. Hankin

Artillery:

E Battery, A Brigade, R.H.A.
I Battery, A Brigade, R.H.A.
10th Battery, 11th Brigade, R.A.
Total 18 guns (8/348/0/139)

Cavalry:

8th Hussar Regiment
10th Bengal Lancer Regiment
11th Bengal Lancer Regiment
14th Bengal Lancer Regiment
Total (10/292/8/971)

Infantry:

1/12th Foot Regiment
1/17th Foot Regiment
1st Bengal Infantry Regiment
6th Bengal Infantry Regiment
29th Bengal Infantry Regiment
Depots
Convalescents & other details
Total (32/2,166/16/2,977)

Kurram Field Force: Major-General J. Watson, C.B.

Paiwar Kotal, eastward to Kohat:

Sappers:

8th Company (0/2/1/104)

Artillery:

C Battery, 4th Brigade, R.A.
E Battery, 3rd Brigade, R.A.
I Battery, 8th Brigade, R.A.
No. 5 Battery, Garrison Artillery
Total 18 guns (15/410/0/213)

Cavalry:

1st Bengal Cavalry Regiment
Det/8th Bengal Cavalry Regiment
13th Bengal Lancer Regiment
18th Bengal Cavalry Regiment
Total (0/0/21/1,382)

Infantry: Brigadier-Generals J.J.H.Gordon
& H.R.L. Newdigate
2/8th Foot Regiment
85th Foot Regiment
4/Rifle Brigade (2 companies)
5th Bengal Infantry Regiment
Det/11th Bengal Infantry Regiment
13th Bengal Infantry
20th Bengal Infantry
21st Bengal Infantry
29th Bengal Infantry
1st Sikh Regiment
Deoli Battalion
Depots and Staffs
Total (61/1,831/49/4,590)

Southern Afghanistan: Lieutenant-General J.M.Primrose

At Kalat-i-Ghilzai:

Staff: (87/97/0/343)

Artillery:

C Battery, 2nd Brigade, R.A.

Total 2 guns (2/55/0/5)

Cavalry: Colonel O.V.Tanner

3rd Sind Horse Regiment (0/0/2/130)

Infantry:

66th Foot Regiment

29th Bombay Infantry Regiment

Total (8/265/8/721)

At Kandahar: (less casualties not reported)

Sappers:

2nd Company Bombay (0/5/2/104)

Artillery:

E Battery, B Brigade, R.H.A.

C Battery, 2nd Brigade, R.A.

5th Battery, 11th Brigade, R.A.

Total 10 guns (15/340/0/25)

Cavalry:

3rd Sind Horse Regiment

Det/Poona Horse Regiment

3rd Bombay Cavalry Regiment

Total (0/0/15/1,103)

Infantry: Brigadier-Generals H.F.Brooke & G.R.S.Burrows

2/7th Foot Regiment

66th Foot Regiment

1st Bombay Infantry Regiment

4th Bombay Infantry Regiment

19th Bombay Infantry Regiment

28th Bombay Infantry Regiment

30th Bombay Infantry Regiment

Total (40/1,180/34/3/249)

Eastward to Chaman:

Cavalry:

Det/Poona Horse Regiment (0/0/1/68)

Infantry:

16th Bombay Infantry Regiment

19th Bombay Infantry Regiment
Total (0/0/1/420)

From the Khojak, eastward to Quetta, including Peshin:

Artillery:

F Battery, 2nd Brigade, R.A.
14th Battery, 9th Brigade, R.A.
No.2 Mountain Battery
Total 16 guns (9/293/4/164)

Cavalry:

2nd Sind Horse Regiment
Det/Poona Horse Regiment
1st Madras Cavalry Regiment
Total (0/0/16/906)

Infantry:

2/11th Foot Regiment
4th Bombay Infantry Regiment
9th Bombay Infantry Regiment
10th Bombay Infantry Regiment
Det/16th Bombay Infantry Regiment
Total (23/805/25/2,882)

En route to Peshin & Quetta from Thal-Chotiali, Sibi,
the Bolan Pass, Jacobabd, &c.:

Sappers:

3rd Company Bombay
4th Company Bombay
5th Company Bombay
Total (0/12/5/222)

Cavalry:

Det/1st Sind Horse Regiment
2nd Bombay Cavalry Regiment
Total (0/0/6/491)

Infantry:

Det/5th Foot Regiment
Det/23rd Foot Regiment
9th Bombay Infantry
10th Bombay Infantry
16th Bombay Infantry
Total (0/0/22/1,467)

* Figures are: British officers, British NCO's & men;
British officers of
Native regiments; Natives all ranks

Official History of the 2nd Afghan War, 1878-1800, Appendix 20