

The British Expedition to Egypt
1882

Staff

General Commanding-in Chief: Lt-General Sir Garnet Wolsely
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Private Seceretary: Major J.FitzGeorge
Aides-de-Camp: Captain Wardrop
Lieutenant Childers
Lieutenant Creagh
Lieutenant Adye
Naval Aide-de-Camp: Commander Rawson, R.N.
Chief of Staff (2 i.c.): Lt-General Sir John Adye
Aides-de-Camp: Major Hon. N.G.Lyttelton
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Deputy Adjutant-General: Colonel J.C.Dormer
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Lt.Col. W F Butler
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& Quartermaster-Generals: Major J.F.Maurice
Major C Grove
Officer Commanding Royal Artillery: Colonel W.H.Goodenough
Brigade Major: Major Y.Briggs
Aide-de-Camp: Captain G.B.Martin
Officer Commanding Royal Engineers: Col. C.B.Nugent
Brigade Major: Major Fraser
Aide-de-Camp: Captain T.Waller
Commandant at H.Q. (A.A. & A.Q.M.G.): Colonel P.Methuen
Command of Base & Lines of Communication: Major General W.Earle
Aide-de-Camp: Lieutenant H.Earle
Colonel on Staff: Colonel Sir W.O.Lanyon
Assistant Adjutant-General: Colonel R. Harrison
Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General: Major H.G.MacGregor
Deputy Assistant Adjutant & Quartermaster-generals:
Major C.W.Murray
Major E.H.Sartorius
Provost-Marshal (A.A. & A.Q.M.G.): Colonel H.G.Moore
Senior Commissariat Officer: Commissary-General Sir E.Morris
Senior Ordnance Store Officer:
Assistant Commissary-General S.O.Rogers
Principal Medical Officer: Deputy Surgeon-General Sir J.A.Hanbury
Sanitary Officer, Brigade Surgeon: J.A.Marston
Principal Veterinary Surgeon:
Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon Meyrick
Intelligence Department: Colonel Buller
Lt. Colonel Tulloch
Major J.C.Ardagh
Captain W.J.Gill
Captain C.M.Watson
Captain C.R.Conder
Major A. Fitzhart

Specially Employed: His Serene Highness the Duke of Teck
Lt-Colonel H.H.Jones
Lt-Colonel M.G.Gerard
Mounted Infantry: Captai H.H.Parr

Attached to the Admiral Commander-in-Chief:
Lt-Colonel Lord W Seymour

Cavalry Division: (as organised by an order 27 August 1882, after arrival of Indian Brigade) Major General D.C.Drury-Lowe

1st Brigade: Brigadier-General Sir B.C.Russell
Household Cavalry (3 Squadrons)
4th Dragoons Guards
7th Dragoon Guards
17th Company Commissariat & Transport Corps
One Bearer Company
1,590 men & 1,350 horses

2nd Brigade: Brigadier-General H.C.Wilkinson
13th Bengal Lancers
2nd Bengal cavalry
6th Bengal cavalry
1,497 men & 1,590 horses

Divisional Troops:

Battery N, A Brigade Royal Horse Artillery
Mounted Infantry
Veterinary Department
Commissariat & Transport (17th Company)
Field Hospital
Postal Department

First Division: Lieutenant-General G.H.S.Willis

1st Brigade: Major General H.R.H.the Duke of Connaught
& Strathearn
2/Grenadier Guards
2/Coldstream Guards
1/Scots Guards

2nd Brigade: Major General G.Graham
2/18th Royal Irish, Colonel C F Gregorie
1/50th West kent, Lt-Colonel A E Fyler
2/84th York & Lancaster Lt-Colonel F E E Wilson
1/87th Royal Irish Fusiliers

Divisional Troops:

19th Hussars (2 squadrons)
2/46th Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry
1 Battery, 1st Brigade R.A.
D Battery, 1st Brigade R.A.
24th Company Royal Engineers
11th Company Commissariat & Transport
1 Bearer Company
2 Field Hospitals

Postal department

2nd Division: Lieutenant-General Sir E Hamley

1st Brigade: Major General Sir A. Alsion

1/42nd Royal Highlanders
2/74th Highland Light Infantry
1/75th Gordon Highlanders
1/79th Cameron Highlanders

2nd Brigade: Major General Sir E. Wood

1/35th Sussex regiment
1/49th Berkshire Regiment
1/38th South Staffordshire
1/53rd Shropshire Light Infantry

Divisional Troops:

19th Hussars (2 squadrons)
3/60th King's Royal Rifle Corps
1 Battery, 2nd Brigade R.A.
N Battery, 2nd Brigade R.A.
26th Company Royal Engineers
Veterinary Department
12th Company Commissariat & Transport
1 Bearer Company
2 Field Hospitals
Postal Department

Corps Troops: (As organised on leaving England)

1st Life Guards (1 Squadron)
2nd Life Guards (1 Squadron)
Royal Horse Guards (1 squadron)
4th Dragoon Guards
7th Dragoon Guards
N Battery, A Brigade Royal Horse Artillery
15th Company Commissariat & Transport
1 Bearer Company
Postal Department

Artillery Corps:

G Battery, B Brigade Royal Horse Artillery
C Battery, 3rd Brigade Royal Artillery
T Battery, 3rd Brigade Royal Artillery
Ammunition Reserve
F Battery, 1st Brigade

Siege Train:

4th Battery, London Division, Royal Artillery
5th Battery, London Division, Royal Artillery
5th Battery, Scottish Division, Royal Artillery
6th Battery, Scottish Division, Royal Artillery

Indian Contingent

Commanding: Major-General Sir T.H.Macpherson
Infantry Brigade: Brigadier General O.V.Tanner
1/Seaforth Highlanders
7th Bengal Native Infantry
20th Bengal Native Infantry
29th Company (2nd Belooch) Native Infantry

Artillery: Lt-Colonel T Van Straubenzee
H Battery, 1st Brigade Royal Artillery
7th Battery 1st Brigade Northern Division

Engineers: Colonel J.Browne
Field Engineer: Major W.G.Nicholson
Assistant Field Engineers: Lieutenant G.Burn-Murdoch
Lieutenant W.D.Lindley
Lieutenant C.Darling
Lieutenant A.Speed
Lieutenant P.Baldwin
A & I Companies Madras (Queen's Own) Sappers & Miners

Additional Infantry Battalion:

1/Manchester Regiment

Reserve at Aden:

4th Madras Native Infantry
51st Madras Native (Light) Infantry

Maurice, Colonel J. F., Military History of the Campaign of 1882
in Egypt, 1887, Appendix 2