

The British Army. STRENGTH AND STATIONS OF THE ACTIVE FORCE—DISPOSITION OF 182,000 MEN.

Some interesting details showing in what positions of the globe British troops are now stationed with their approximate strength in garrison and on active service, have just been prepared from official sources. The last returns showed, it is understood, an effective strength of about 182,000 of all arms—viz., 31 regiments of cavalry, 24 batteries of Royal Horse Artillery, 76 batteries of Field Artillery, 96 batteries of Garrison Artillery, 72 regiments of infantry (or 148 battalions), two divisions, one troop and 40 companies of Engineers, besides Commissariat and Transports, Medical Staff Corps, &c.

by the headquarters of the 1st West Kent and company of engineers. Irrespective of the force of irregulars organized in England for special service in Bechuanaland there are at the Cape and Natal two cavalry corps (the 6th Dragoons and 13th Hussars), four batteries of artillery, two companies and a section of engineers, nearly five battalions of infantry, and some detachments of the Commissariat and Transport Corps. At St. Helena there are a battery of artillery, and some engineers infantry.

The West Africa Settlements and the Gold Coast colony are garrisoned by colonial corps, but in the Mauritius there are a battery of artillery, some engineers, and three companies of line regiments. Ceylon takes two batteries of artillery, a detachment of engineers, and a battalion of infantry; and Hong Kong and the Straits Settlements three batteries artillery, a detachment of engineers, and two line battalions London Times.

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