

the Expedition should finally depart. The ship arrived at Portsmouth on the 11th December, after a very stormy passage, one of the quarter boats being lost during a gale.

The following is a list of the officers and Civilian Staff engaged in the Expedition:—

Naval and Scientific Staff of the Expedition.

<i>Captain,</i>	.	.	.	G. S. Nares.
<i>Director of Civilian Staff,</i>	.	.	.	Professor C. Wyville Thomson.
<i>Members of the Civilian Staff,</i>	.	.	.	J. Y. Buchanan, Chemist.
				H. N. Moseley, Naturalist.
				John Murray, Naturalist.
				R. von Willemoes Suhm, Naturalist.
				J. J. Wild, Secretary and Artist.
<i>Commander,</i>	.	.	.	J. L. P. Maclear.
<i>Lieutenants,</i>	.	.	.	Pelham Aldrich.
				A. C. B. Bromley.
				G. R. Bethell.
<i>Navigating Lieutenant,</i>	.	.	.	T. H. Tizard.
<i>Paymaster,</i>	.	.	.	R. R. A. Richards.
<i>Staff-Surgeon,</i>	.	.	.	Alexander Crosbie.
<i>Surgeon,</i>	.	.	.	George Maclean.
<i>Chief Engineer,</i>	.	.	.	James Ferguson.
<i>Sub-Lieutenants,</i>	.	.	.	Lord G. G. Campbell.
				H. C. Sloggett.
				A. F. Balfour.
				Arthur Channer.
<i>Navigating Sub-Lieutenants,</i>	.	.	.	Arthur Havergal.
				Herbert Swire.
<i>Assistant Paymaster,</i>	.	.	.	John Hynes.
<i>Engineers,</i>	.	.	.	W. J. J. Spry.
				A. J. Allen.
<i>Assistant Engineers,</i>	.	.	.	W. A. Howlett.
				W. J. Abbott.
<i>Boatswain,</i>	.	.	.	Richard Cox.
<i>Carpenter,</i>	.	.	.	F. W. Westford.

The following changes took place during the commission:—

Sub-Lieutenant Sloggett left at Halifax, N.S., and was succeeded by Sub-Lieutenant H. C. Harston.